Stephen Foster Folk Culture Center State Park

Resource Management Component Objectives

Hydrology

- Conduct/obtain an assessment of the park's hydrological restoration needs.
- Restore natural hydrological conditions and functions to approximately
 0.3 acres of Seepage Stream natural community.
- Evaluate and mitigate the impacts of soil erosion in the park.

Natural Communities

Maintain 100 acres within the optimum fire return interval.

Imperiled Species

- Update baseline imperiled species occurrence list.
- Continue existing monitoring protocols for 3 imperiled species (gopher frog, flatwoods salamander, and hooded pitcherplant).

Invasive and Nuisance Species

- Annually treat 5 gross acres equaling approximately 2.5 infested acres of invasive plant species in the park.
- Implement control measures on three nuisance and invasive animal species in the park.

Cultural Resources

- Assess and evaluate 21 of 26 recorded cultural resources.
- Compile reliable documentation for all recorded historic and archaeological resources.
- Bring 1 of 26 recorded cultural resources into good condition (Carillon Tower).

Land Use Component Objectives

Conceptual Land Use

Nature and Heritage Tourism Center

- Explore options for adaptive reuse.
- Consideration for concession use

Spring House

- Continue historic preservation of Spring House
- Update interpretive kiosk.

Delegal Service Station

- Consider adaptive reuse.
- Restore building for interpretive uses.