

ACHIEVING EVERGLADES WATER QUALITY Time Frames

Implement Best Management Practices (BMPs)

Phosphorus rulemaking began

Adopt phosphorus standard

Compliance with water quality standards

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Construct Stormwater Treatment Areas (STAs)

Evaluate basin-specific alternative combinations of BMPs, STAs and Advanced Treatment Technologies; begin design

Long-term plans & permit application

Design & optimize long-term solutions

Research STA and BMP optimization and advanced treatment technologies