

Order Number: EO 13-16

**Special regulations for the Stairsteps Unit of
Big Cypress WMA**

The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission of the State of Florida, acting under the authority of Article IV, Section 9 of the Florida Constitution and as approved at the public meeting held on Tuesday June 11, 2013, hereby establishes special hunting regulations for the Stairsteps Unit of Big Cypress Wildlife Management Area as follows:

- (1) The taking of white-tailed deer as referenced in Rule 68A-15.064 (5), F.A.C. is prohibited within Zone 4 of the Stairsteps Unit.
- (2) The bag limit for deer shall be 1 annually within Zone 3 of the Stairsteps Unit.
- (3) In Zone 3 of the Stairsteps Unit, the taking of deer not having at least one forked antler and having one or more antlers at least 5 inches in length visible above the hairline is prohibited. The forked antler shall have at least two points one inch or greater in length.
- (4) Any provisions of Rule 68A-15.064 (5), F.A.C., which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby superseded.

This order shall take effect upon signing and shall remain in effect until superseded by subsequent order or rule.

Specific Authority: Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution

Law Implemented: Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution



GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF
THE FISH AND WILDLIFE
CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF FLORIDA, THIS 11th DAY OF
JUNE, 2013.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nick Wiley", written over a horizontal line.

Nick Wiley
Executive Director

Attest: A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jo Ann Jain", written over a horizontal line.
Agency Clerk