Order No. EO 16-37

Emergency Closure of all Wildlife Management Areas and Wildlife Environmental Area in the Northeast Region

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 Rule 68-1.009, F.A.C., hereby establishes, by order, an emergency closure of all Wildlife Management Areas and Wildlife Environmental Areas within the Northeast Region. These closures are necessary to ensure public safety during an extreme weather event (Hurricane Matthew). The closure includes the following provisions:

1. All listed areas are closed to all public access.

2. Any provisions of Rule 68A-15.064, F.A.C., which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby superseded.

This order shall take effect at 5:00 p.m. on October 5, 2016 and shall remain in effect until Monday October 10th, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.

AUTHORITY: Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution Rule 68-1.009 F.A.C.

Law Implemented: IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution, §375.313 F.S

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

THIS 5th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2016.

[Signature]

for Nick Wiley,
Executive Director