Closure of Commission-Managed Areas 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 pursuant to FWC Executive Order Number EO-17-35, and Executive Order of the Office of the Governor EO-17-235, and Rule 68-1.009, F.A.C., hereby closes commission-managed areas in the Northeast Region as indicated below. These closures are necessary to ensure public safety during an extreme weather event Hurricane Irma.

(1) The following areas are closed to all public access:
   a. Caravelle Ranch WMA
   b. Guana River WMA/ Lake Ponte Vedra PSGHA
   c. Half Moon WMA
   d. Herky Huffman/Bull Creek WMA
   e. Three Lakes WMA
   f. Three Lakes WMA—Prairie Lakes Unit
   g. Salt Lake WMA
   h. T.M. Goodwin Waterfowl Management Area
   i. Tosohatchee WMA
   j. Triple N Ranch WMA
   k. Split Oak Forest WEA

Any provisions of Title 68A, F.A.C., which are inconsistent herewith are hereby superseded.

(2) This order shall take effect September 15, 2017 at 5:00 PM and shall remain in effect until amended or rescinded by subsequent order.

Specific Authority: Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution
   Rule 68-1.009, F.A.C.
   Executive Order No. EO 17-235 of the Executive Office of the Governor
   Executive Order No. EO 17-35, of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Shannon Wright, Regional Director
for Nick Wiley, Executive Director

ATTEST: Kristen Butler
Agency Clerk