FWC Manatee migration COLD-weather changes to speed zones
(Areas where zones are more protective during colder months):

**Brevard County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

- **No-entry and motorboats-prohibited zones** - North Indian River area around discharge canals of the Reliant Corp. Power Plant and Florida Power and Light's Frontenac Power Plant.

- **Idle speed zone** - West of Intracoastal Waterway in general vicinity of power plants.

**Broward County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

- **Idle speed** - Port Everglades Power Plant area. Portions of the South New River Canal and Dania Cut-off Canal near the Lauderdale Power Plant.

- **Slow speed** - Intracoastal Waterway from the Palm Beach County line through Hillsboro Inlet south to Fort Lauderdale/Port Everglades area. *(Note: some portions are weekend-only slow speed).*

**Citrus County:**

Sept. 1 - April 30

- **Idle speed or slow speed** - portions of Kings Bay.

Oct. 1 - April 30

- **Slow speed** - Portions of the Homosassa River between the Salt River and Trade Winds Marina and southern portion of Halls River.

Nov. 15 - April 30

- **Slow speed** - All waters in the vicinity of the Florida Power Corp.'s effluent canal.

Nov. 15 - March 31

- **No entry** - Within the Blue Waters area of the upper Homosassa River near Homosassa Springs Wildlife State Park.

**Hillsborough County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

- **No entry** - Portions of the discharge canal of the TECO Power Plant in Apollo Beach.

- **Idle speed** - General vicinity of the TECO Power Plant in Apollo Beach.

**Indian River County:**

Nov. 1 - April 30

- **Slow speed** - Within Sand and Shell islands area, Channel Marker 66 south to Channel Marker 75; Indian River area from Hobert Lodge Marina to North Canal, and from Channel Marker 156 south to St. Lucie County line west of the Intracoastal Waterway.

Nov. 15 - March 31

- **No entry** - Portion of canal system adjacent to Vero Beach Power Plant.
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**Lee County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

No entry - Discharge and intake canals of the Florida Power & Light Tice Power Plant.

Idle speed and slow speed - Portions of the Intracoastal Waterway channel on the Caloosahatchee River in the vicinity of the Tice Power Plant.

**Miami-Dade County:**

Nov. 15 - April 30

No entry - Portions of the Biscayne Canal, Little River and Coral Gables Canal.

Slow speed - Within portions of Meloy (or East) Channel and portions of the Intracoastal Waterway in Dumfoundling Bay and Biscayne Bay between Broad Causeway and Venetian Causeway

**Palm Beach County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

Motorboats prohibited - Within general vicinity of Florida Power & Light Riviera Beach Power Plant discharge canals.

Slow speed - Outside the main channel in the Loxahatchee River, and in the north and southwest forks of the Loxahatchee River.

Idle-speed and slow-speed zones - Look for shore-to-shore speed zone changes north and south of Peanut Island near the Florida Power & Light Riviera Beach Power Plant.

**Sarasota County:**

Nov. 15 - March 15

No entry - Portion of Salt Creek and Warm Mineral Springs north of U.S. 41.

**St. Lucie County:**

Nov. 15 - March 31

Motorboats prohibited - Within Moore's Creek.

Nov. 15 - April 15

Slow speed - Within Garfield Cut/Fish House Cove area.

Nov. 15 - April 30

Slow speed - Within Intracoastal Waterway channel between North Beach Causeway south to Channel Marker 189 and within the Shark Cut Channel in the Fort Pierce Inlet area.

**Volusia County:**

Oct. 15 - April 15

Motorboats prohibited - Blue Spring Run.

Slow speed - St. Johns River, south of Lake Beresford to Channel Marker 67.

Additional information about county waterways and rules is available at:
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