

Central Indian River Lagoon (IRL) Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP)
St. Lucie County Board of County Commissioners Briefing
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Summary of Questions and Comments

- Council Member Chris Dzadovsky stated that he wanted to thank Jason Bessey for his work on the BMAP to compile the county's information. He also commended the University of Florida–Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences (UF-IFAS) on educating the community on items such as fertilizer use. In addition, the agricultural best management practices (BMPs) that are being implemented will also help the county achieve reductions. He asked if the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) is familiar with the county's Heathcote project because additional funding is needed to complete this project.
- Tom Frick responded that while he is not familiar with the details of the project, he is aware of it and he believes this is one of the projects that FDEP will fund through the current TMDL grant cycle. However, this is not official yet. He would be happy to talk with county in more detail about this project.