

Agenda
Bayou Chico Basin Management Action Plan - Kick-off Meeting
Florida Department of Environmental Protection – Northwest District Office
February 10th, 2009, 2pm CST

- 2 pm Welcome and Introductions – Bonita Gorham/Kathleen Harrigan
- 2:15 Bayou Chico TMDL – Description of Impairment and Direction for Implementation – Bonita Gorham
- TMDL Definition
 - TMDL Listing Process
 - TMDL Development Process
- 2:30 Understanding the Basin:
Status of Current and Ongoing Projects in the Bayou Chico Watershed
- Ron Bartel, Director, Division of Resource Management, NFWMD
 - Taylor “Chips” Kirshenfeld, Sr. Environmental Programs Manager, Escambia County
 - Tim Haag, Emerald Coast Utility Authority
 - John Naybor, Current President, Bayou Chico Association & Marina Owner/Operator
 - Recognition of Dr. Richard Snyder’s work
 - General Discussion
- 3:30 Break
- 3:45 Basin Management Action Plan Overview – Bonita Gorham
- BMAP Principles
 - BMAP Components
 - BMAP Structure
 - Example Management Actions
- 4:15 What Stakeholder involvement means – Kathleen Harrigan, SAIC
- BMAP Process and Estimated Timeline
 - Goals for Stakeholder Involvement
 - Potential Stakeholders
 - Examples of Past and Current Involvement
 - Next Steps
- 4:45 Meeting Closure – Kathleen Harrigan/Bonita Gorham

References:

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Ron Bartel and Wood, K.A. 1994. Bayou Chico Sediment and Water Quality Data Report, Escambia County, Florida. Technical Report 94-3, Northwest Florida Water Management District.