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Hi Avril,
These are questions rather than comments.

1. Has there been any progress made on the development of numeric nutrient criteria for canals in South Florida? Almost all of our estuaries are impaired for nutrients here in Collier County and we would like to make improvements, but without upstream criteria, we have no regulatory mechanism to do so. We know that the current stormwater design criteria are not sufficient to remove nutrients from surface waters and that is being looked at by the Stormwater Rulemaking TAC. Is there anything we can do from a County stand point to assist FDEP with developing NNC for canals?
2. FAC 62-302.531(4) states "The loading of nutrients from a waterbody shall be limited as necessary to provide for the attainment and maintenance of water quality standards in downstream waters". Can this be applied in Collier County since our downstream estuaries are impaired for nutrients? If so, how? Has this been successfully applied anywhere in Florida to limit nutrients in an upstream waterbody to prevent downstream impairments that didn't involve a TMDL?

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