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Powerful Together: 2024 Sierra Club Florida Listening Tour



Sierra Club Florida Chapter Director, Susannah Randolph, is holding a statewide listening tour to meet and hear directly from our local volunteers, members, and leaders on the frontlines of Florida's environmental movement. Sierra Club Groups that Susannah has visited so far (either in-person or virtually) include Calusa, Broward, Miami, Loxahatchee, Northeast Florida, Adventure Coast, and Turtle Coast. Additional Group meetings with Suwannee-St. Johns, Tampa Bay, Ancient Islands, and Suncoast are planned for the coming weeks.

Since her appointment as Chapter Director in December 2023, Susannah has been committed to deepening coordination across staff and volunteers, and strengthening Sierra Club Florida's work for the wellbeing of our people and planet. Together, we win!

If you are a Group leader interested in hosting Susannah for a listening tour stop in your area, contact [Javier Estevez](#), Operations and Legislative Coordinator.

Florida Chapter Announces Endorsements for Sierra Club Board of Directors

On February 6, 2024, the Sierra Club Florida Executive Committee voted to endorse the following candidates for the Sierra Club's National Board of Directors: Clayton Daughenbaugh (IL), Erica Hall (FL), Nancy Muse (AL), Karl Palmquist (NY), Meghan Sahli-Wells (CA), Princess Washington (CA)

Each year, 5 of the 15 members of the Sierra Club Board of Directors end their three-year term. A list of candidates is selected by a combination of a nominations process and a petition process. Sierra Club members have the opportunity to vote on 5 candidates to fill the empty seats. For more information on Sierra Club's Board of Directors, click [here](#).

Victory! Fed. Court Strikes Down EPA Approval of FL Wetlands Program

By: [Cris Costello](#), Senior Organizing Manager, Sierra Club Florida



We are celebrating! In February, a federal court ruled in favor of Sierra Club and six environmental group partners determining that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) violated federal law when they greenlit Florida's takeover of the Clean Water Act wetlands permitting program.

The court struck down Florida's program for reviewing the impacts that wetland permits have on imperiled species, finding that the agencies created an end-run around the Endangered Species Act (ESA). Under the court's new order, EPA, Florida, and developers must use ESA provisions to ensure that threatened and endangered species are protected in Clean Water Act permitting. Earthjustice, representing Sierra Club, Center for Biological Diversity, Defenders of Wildlife, Conservancy of Southwest Florida, Florida Wildlife Federation, Miami Waterkeeper, and St. Johns Riverkeeper sued the EPA in January 2021, challenging the transfer of federal wetland permitting authority to Florida, warning that the handover from the Trump administration to Florida's DeSantis administration would "degrade and ruin Florida's natural landscape, all in violation of federal environmental laws."

Last December, Earthjustice requested a preliminary injunction on behalf of the Sierra Club and the Center for Biological Diversity, as Florida was poised to issue state permits for the Bellmar and Kingston projects that would have caused irreparable harm to Florida panthers and imperiled crested caracara birds. Rather than rule on the request for a preliminary injunction, the court ruled in favor of the environmental groups on the underlying claims.

These sprawl projects were planned in a critical wildlife corridor where an estimated 120-230 endangered panthers remain in their last territory on Earth. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service estimated that together, the projects would kill between 7 and 26 panthers each year from vehicular collisions and another 3 panthers per year would be harmed by the extensive habitat loss. These projects are among several large developments planned in the wetland areas near the Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge.

Getting this court decision was a team effort which included the hard work of so many volunteers, Sierra Club Florida staff, Sierra Club Environmental Law Program attorneys, and key partners. Enormous gratitude to all who had a hand in what is an historic victory.

Join us for a victory celebration in at Oak & Stone in Estero on Thursday, March 28th at 7:30 PM. RSVP's are required. To RSVP, click [here](#).

Sierra Club FL Celebrates Black History in Palatka

by Jyoti Parmar, Regional Organizer, Sierra Club Florida; Rev. Donna Cooney, Putnam Co. Community Advocate



On February 10, Sierra Club Florida partnered with community leaders from Northside Palatka to share, preserve, and celebrate local Black history on our second Environmental Justice Walk.

Palatka elders Mary Lawson Brown, Betty McPherson, Askew Vickers, and Margaret Ellington, assisted by community leader Tarsha Givens and Sierra Club Florida Regional Organizer Jyoti Parmar, led a group of 34 participants on a walk through their childhood landscape and what life was like on Palatka's Northside in years past.

During the walk, participants learned about this once thriving community of Black and Greek residents and business owners. The community was mixed-use and walkable, with plentiful access to fresh food, entertainment, and education. Black professionals with higher degrees, including administrators, teachers, dentists, and medical practitioners lived and served in Northside. Trading and bartering with neighbors, and cooperative living, were the norm.

The walk also brought us to places and stories that challenged the quality of life in Northside, such as a tanker refueling station near a public school and railroad track in a residential neighborhood, a metal recycling facility, and the remains of an animal slaughterhouse and meat processing plant (a potential brownfield). The noticeable food desert is in stark contrast to the many neighborhood grocery stores that were within easy walking distance in the past, with only one market now remaining in Northside. The city dump, landfill, incinerator, and animal control were once located here. Northside's history made it clear to all participants that it is one of the environmental sacrifice zones in our state.

We learned that many Northside residents are unaware of the past, what has been lost or destroyed, and what is being planned for the future. The walk shed light on the history and mechanisms that reinforce sacrifice zones, and participants left with a renewed recommitment to stay informed and play a part in ensuring that everyone's interests are represented moving forward.

We all deserve access to safe, well-kept community gathering spaces, quality schools, playgrounds and parks for children, and healthy environments to live in, and we all have a role to play in protecting our environment. What has been achieved in the past, despite economic disadvantages and systemic environmental racism, are certainly possible now.

The conversation moved from the past to the present opportunities and challenges in greater Palatka, and how we might work together to shape the future. It was great to see people from different backgrounds come together and learn about the rich history of the area and connect to work on common goals. The biggest question raised was: Who is impacted by nearby coal plants, the paper mill, and the Rodman dam, and how will the community come together to protect the environment and plan for a healthy future?

After two successful Environmental Justice Walks, plans for a township-wide Environmental Justice Tour to raise awareness and connect even more people with their power is in the works. We're looking forward to sharing more details as they become available.

Clean Energy Takes a Huge Step Forward in Gainesville

For over a year, Sierra Club Florida (SCFL) and the Suwannee-St. Johns Group (SSJ) have been working to analyze how the Gainesville Regional Utility (GRU) can reduce costs for customers and adopt an alternative approach to meet electricity demand through low-cost, clean energy resources.

As an energy roadmap of the future, the IRP offers an amazing opportunity to invest in low-cost clean energy sources and tap into unprecedented federal incentives to significantly reduce costs for customers. However, GRU's initial analysis points to continued reliance on more costly gas, rather than pursuing a cheaper, cleaner path.

To change the energy narrative in Gainesville, David Hastings, Chair of SSJ's Energy and Climate Committee, and Jyoti Parmar, SCFL Organizing Representative and founder of the Energy and Climate Action Team, worked to develop an independent analysis with GridLab, a consulting firm that provides expertise to policymakers for the operation of energy systems.

Conducted by GridLab analyst Brendan Pierpont, the study draws on publicly available data and information reported by GRU with modeling software developed by researchers at MIT and Princeton. Results show that GRU can save electric customers \$9.5 million per year by reducing CO2 emissions 23 percent, stopping all new gas plants, and increasing solar by 29 percent!

On January 9th, SCFL, in partnership with the national Beyond Coal Campaign, held a joint press conference with GridLab to announce these incredible findings, which were also distributed in a simplified one-pager to generate interest and action from our target. The press conference was attended by 20 participants, including several media representatives from around the state.

Collaboration between SCFL Chapter Director Susannah Randolph and SCFL Organizing Manager Brooke Alexander-Goss, the strategic support of Northeast Florida Group Chair Logan Cross, and the communications leadership of SCFL Communications Director Leslie Pearsall and Sierra Club National Senior Press Secretary Ricky Junquera were integral to the success of this effort.

The public release of these findings had an immediate impact on GRU. On January 10th, the GRU IRP Stakeholders Advisory Group's meeting was attended by GRU Authority Chair, Craig Carter, marking the first time a member of the Authority has attended a meeting of this body.

After receiving direct inquiries from GRU Sustainability Officer Eric Walters and GRU Production Manager Justin Buckman, on January 11th, SCFL held a special meeting with the stakeholders for a deep dive into our research, allowing us to potentially influence the GRU modeling of IRP scenarios for the year. We have their attention.

This new authority was nominated by Governor Ron DeSantis in October of 2023 following the passage of HB 1645 (2023), which targeted GRU and the City of Gainesville. The GRU Authority has been openly dismissive of the clean energy commitments made by the city in 2018, when the

Sierra Club worked with the City of Gainesville to pass a resolution establishing a goal of providing 100 percent of the city's energy from renewable resources by 2045.

Now, the future of clean energy in Gainesville is looking much brighter. The tireless efforts of the Florida team have opened the door to exciting new possibilities with GRU, and we are looking forward to keeping the momentum going as the IRP process continues.



Florida Actions Resulting in New National Sierra Club Policies

by Grant Gelhardt, Chair, Conservation Committee



Thanks to Sierra Club Florida's collective actions, new national Sierra Club policies have been instituted to protect and preserve Florida's ecosystems and marine mammals.

The effort began when the Sierra Club Florida Conservation found that, despite the alarming death toll of hundreds of manatees in 2021 and 2022, the Sierra Club Marine Mammal Policy remained unchanged since the 1970s. Additionally, the policy did not acknowledge the urgent need to protect manatees.

In response, the Florida Chapter Executive Committee took decisive action in April 2022 when it approved a request urging the Sierra Club Board of Directors to update the Marine Mammal Policy and incorporate measures to safeguard manatees. In January 2023, the Board directed the Sierra Club Policy Committee to form a team that included Florida Chapter representatives to revamp the outdated policy.

After months of collaborative effort, in December 2023, the Board unanimously approved the completely rewritten and updated [Marine Mammal Policy](#). This landmark decision signifies a clear commitment to promoting the conservation of marine mammals and their habitats, including vital protection measures for manatees and their habitats.

But the momentum didn't stop there. In April 2021, the Florida Chapter ExCom recognized another pressing environmental issue—the need to support prescribed fire as a tool for ecological restoration and biodiversity conservation—and brought the matter to the attention of the Sierra Club Board of Directors.

By December of that year, the Board had directed the Policy Committee to assemble a team to develop a comprehensive policy supporting prescribed burns for ecological restoration. With input from Florida Sierra Club representatives, the team diligently crafted a policy to promote healthy ecosystems through prescribed burning.

On January 18, 2024, the Board unanimously approved the [Prescribed Burning on Public Lands Policy](#) and its criteria, marking another significant milestone in our commitment to environmental stewardship. This policy empowers Sierra Club members nationwide to advocate for restoring the natural role of fire in diverse regions, promoting biodiversity conservation and ecosystem health.

These achievements underscore the power of grassroots activism and the impact of our collective voice. Together, we are driving positive change and shaping policies that protect Florida's environment for generations to come.



Fighting for an Ounce of Prevention With Sierra Club Florida

by Jacqui Thurlow-Lippisch, Indian River Lagoon

I've been working alongside the Sierra Club to protect my community from urban fertilizer pollution since 2010, when I was a Sewall's Point Town Commissioner, and the Sierra Club had already helped counties and cities adopt common-sense, science-based, low-to-no-cost urban fertilizer ordinances along the Gulf Coast.

Then, a sneak attack during the 2023 legislative session threatened our tried and tested urban fertilizer ordinances when there was no good reason to question the cheapest, easiest method of water pollution protection in Florida. Strong urban fertilizer ordinances work exactly as they should; they keep us from applying nitrogen and phosphorus during the rainy season when it would likely run down the stormwater drain or leach into the groundwater. And yet, the Florida Legislature and Governor DeSantis tied the hands of local governments, preventing them from adopting these simple-to-follow rules by implementing a 1-year moratorium on new, protective ordinances. Along with the moratorium, they granted the University of Florida/Institute of Food & Agricultural Sciences (UF/IFAS) \$250,000 to evaluate urban fertilizer ordinances.

The good news is that the ensuing UF report revealed exactly what we already knew: (1) Urban fertilizer ordinances work; (2) Urban fertilizer management requires a watershed-by-watershed approach (rather than a single statewide rule); and (3) It is impossible to extract the exact impact urban fertilizer regulation has on a particular watershed because of the myriad other water quality protections (regulating or funding improvements to septic systems, reclaimed water, stormwater ponds, swales, and wastewater treatment plants) implemented by local governments who seek to protect their local waterfront economies from water pollution.

The final recommendation in the UF report was for more research to be conducted, but in the case of urban fertilizer ordinances, which have created markets for alternative lawn care products and allowed landscape managers to continue their work, it makes no sense to spend more precious tax dollars to confirm what we already know: What Florida's ailing waters need are more, not less, policies and practices that prevent pollution at its source.

Jacqui Thurlow-Lippisch is a former city commissioner and mayor, Florida Constitution Commission member, Florida League of Cities' Environmental and Energy Legislative Committee Chair, and South Florida Water Management District Governing Board Member. She remains a key partner with Sierra Club Florida in the fight against water pollution.



Environmental Justice Matters!

by Sarah Younger, Suwannee-St. Johns Group Executive Committee



The 1968 Memphis Sanitation Strike marked the first time Black Americans mobilized a national, broad-based group to oppose environmental injustices.

Then, in 1979, a community of Black homeowners in Houston, Texas formed the Northeast Community Action Group (NECAG) and filed a class action lawsuit, the first of its kind in the United States, that charged environmental discrimination in waste facility siting under civil rights laws.

Since the seventies, there have been hundreds of studies across the U.S. that show polluting industries and landfills disproportionately are sited in communities of color. About 56 percent of the nine million Americans who live in neighborhoods within two miles of large commercial hazardous waste facilities are people of color, according to a landmark 2007 environmental justice report by the United Church of Christ.

For many years residents in SE Gainesville have battled the expansion of a Construction and Demolition Debris (C&D) landfill that is in a residential neighborhood where U.S. Census shows 35% of residents are living below the federal poverty line. The site was never properly designed to serve as a landfill. It was first permitted as an excavation facility, and according to records, had been illegally dumping on the land from the late 1960's.

In 2023, Sierra Club Florida Chapter and the Suwannee-St. Johns Group joined forces to assist the residents in their challenge to this landfill and its proposed expansion. If not challenged, the expansion would enable the dump to double its current height, clearing the way for a staggering 70 ft. mountain of crushed construction waste directly adjacent to schools, homes, parks, and churches, some within 500 feet of the dump.

Last September, the landfill owner (Southeast Landholdings, Inc) submitted a county application for renewal of their five-year Special Use Permit (SUP) and residents submitted their concerns to the county anticipating a quasi-judicial hearing to determine the renewal. Southeast Landholdings, Inc. then issued a notice to the County stating their intent to exercise a Legislative Extension that circumvents the quasi-judicial hearing and would enable the dump to operate an additional 4-6 years without further approval at the County.

In January, instead of being thwarted by the Legislative Extension, the Alachua County Commission instructed their attorney and staff to investigate the possibility of joining the residents in their petition before the Department of Administrative Hearing (DOAH) to rescind the landfill's expansion.

We have garnered the support of six other local organizations to call for the closure of the landfill. Our recent press events and publicity continue to raise the awareness for all Alachua County residents as the landfill is within 1500 feet of important recharge areas for the watershed.

Look around your area as undoubtedly there are many communities that want to right the wrongs and demand an end to environmental injustice. Feel free to contact us at sssierra@gmail.com for further details on how we have conducted this campaign and worked to build this movement across Florida.

South Florida Will See a Lot More Flooding

by Meryl Davids, ICO Chair, Sierra Club Loxahatchee Group



When we think about the impact of climate change in South Florida, many people worry about intensifying hurricanes and a rising ocean. And while those are certainly great concerns, so is the increased routine flooding the area is already experiencing.

That was a key takeaway from the November annual leadership summit of the South Florida Regional Climate Compact, an organization comprised of all four South Florida counties to reckon with what's coming, that several Loxahatchee Group Sierra Club members attended.

"How many days a year will there be standing water in front of your house? That will be an issue more than [sea levels rising to put] everything submerged under water," said Ben Kirtman, Ph.D., a professor of earth sciences at the University of Miami who delivered the "state of the climate" report.

For example, in just 12 hours last year, Broward County received 26 inches of rain, flooding many areas that don't usually get water. These intensive rain bombs spring from the increased moisture that warmer air holds, which it dumps in a rapid and intense fashion.

Kirtman shared a slide from Miami's Virginia Key of the historical and projected number of days each year when the area has more than an hour of flooding. There were hardly any such days in 2006, but in the past few years this happened on 50. If climate change is allowed to continue unabated, instead of fossil fuel burning and other greenhouse gases intensively reduced around the globe, projections for Virginia Key are as high as 150 days in 2030 and nearly every day by 2050, he said.

Part of the problem is that once water falls it may have no place to go. "You used to be able to operate (spillway) gates whenever you needed to," Broward County's chief resiliency officer Jennifer Jurado recently told the Sun-Sentinel. But with seas rising, the gravity that used to send the water down to the ocean is less available. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is currently studying flood control in our region, with fixes like pumps at every gate expected to cost hundreds of millions or billions of dollars.

Homeowners should know that flooding isn't covered by regular homeowners insurance. If you don't have a separate flood policy, look into getting one. Don't be lulled by federal maps that might indicate your home isn't in a flood zone, because climate experts say these are wildly inaccurate since they don't take climate change into account.

Support the Uplisting of the Manatee to an Endangered Species

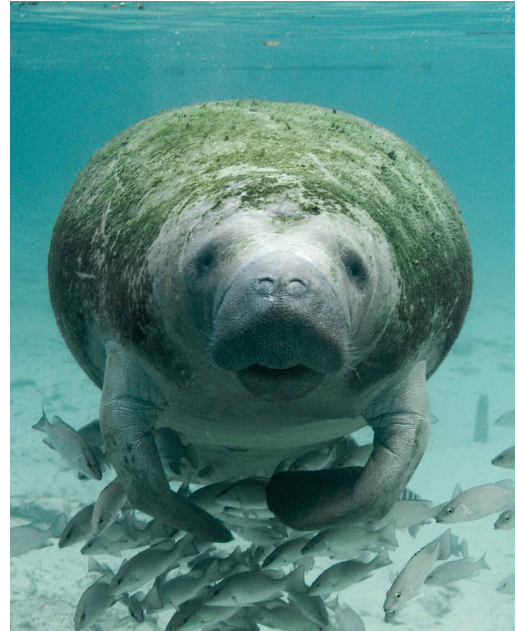
by Rhonda Roff, Co-Chair, Conservation Committee

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) is considering a request to reclassify the West Indian manatee from "threatened" to "endangered" status. The initial USFWS review finds that there is substantial scientific and commercial information indicating that uplisting the manatee to endangered may be warranted.

Sierra Club Florida firmly supports the manatee's uplisting to endangered, particularly after the loss of approximately 2,000 manatees in 2021 and 2022 due to starvation, which was brought on by the pollution of the Indian River Lagoon and other water bodies that killed seagrass beds, manatees' main food source.

Other factors posing significant challenges to the species' survival are the availability of warm water refuges in winter, freshwater access, appropriate speed limits for boats, nutrient pollution, sea level rise impacts, climate change-driven storm severity, direct herbicide application to waterbodies, and marine debris entanglement.

The USFWS is requesting the public to provide additional scientific and commercial data, as well as insights into factors affecting the manatee's continued viability. If you have information or expertise that could help, we urge you to submit a public comment and lend your voice to this critical cause. To submit a comment, click [here](#).



There's something for everyone at this fun, free, educational and entertaining event!

Visitors can enjoy:

- Nature hikes and kayaking around the natural mangrove areas of the park.
- Live music.
- Food trucks.
- Art displays from our annual Youth Plastic Waste Art Contest, with judging and prizes announced on site.
- More than 14 exhibitors with hands-on activities and information about conservation and environmental efforts.
- Notable guest speakers using art to educate about climate change and sea level rise.
- Updates about Earth's rising temperature and climate change, Florida Panther news and updates, and using meditation to connect with nature.
- **Much, much more!**

Individuals with disabilities requiring accommodations in order to participate in programs, services and activities must contact Broward Sierra Group at 954-329-9447 at least seven (7) days prior to the scheduled event.

Broward Group Earth Day Celebration on March 23

by Leah Weisburd, Chair, Sierra Club Broward Group

Join the Sierra Club Broward Group for a FREE Earth Day celebration on Saturday, March 23 from 8am-4pm at the Anne Kolb Nature Center in Hollywood, FL! The event will feature exceptionally informed environmental presenters, 15 exhibitors, a high school art contest for students ages 14-18, food trucks, a fantastic band, and so much more!

To learn more and reserve your spot, click [here](#).

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Save Spruce Creek on March 12

by Steve Wonderly, Chair, Volusia-Flagler Group

The dedicated volunteers who have worked so long and hard on the “Save Don’t Pave Spruce Creek” campaign announced a victory last month: The infamous, ecologically-devastating I-95 Interchange/Pioneer Trail project, located on environmentally sensitive land in Port Orange and New Smyrna Beach, had been dealt a serious blow by the court.

But it's not yet time to rest. The decision to stop the [I-95 Interchange/Pioneer Trail project](#) is now in the hands of the St. Johns River Water Management District Governing Board. They will vote to either kill it, or breathe life back into it, at the [St. Johns River Water Management District](#) on March 12.

If built, this project and its aftermath will bring about the loss of hundreds of acres of critical wetlands in Volusia County, as well as destroy habitat corridors needed to maintain the health and biodiversity of Doris Leeper Spruce Creek Preserve, a home to manatees, scrub jays, and a host of other iconic Florida wildlife.

Water quality in Spruce Creek is already suffering, and if this interchange is built, it will inevitably lead to more high-impact development and exacerbate the problem.

American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") stimulus dollars are being used to revive this once-dead, widely-unpopular project to the tune of 120 million dollars or more – tax dollars that could be used elsewhere in a way that does not destroy our environment and quality of life. The Interchange Project area is more than 80% wetlands, and neither Volusia County nor the rest of the state of Florida can afford to lose one more critical wetland.

Join us on March 12. RSVP to cris.costello@sierraclub.org to receive more details as we get closer to the meeting date. If you want to attend the March 12 meeting, we will do everything we can to find a way to get you there!

Sustainable Event Checklist

by Janet Stanko, Chair, Plastics Committee

Sierra Club and other organizations that value the well-being of our planet, have an opportunity to make a positive impact through the choices we make when it comes to organizing events.

In line with our commitment to sustainability, we would like to encourage all groups to consider adopting eco-friendly practices during our events, specifically by minimizing the use of single-use items. The environmental impact of single-use plastics is undeniable, and by making conscious choices, we can contribute to a healthier planet.

[This Sustainable Event Checklist](#) offers suggestions on how we can collectively reduce waste during our events. It has been developed by Chapter Conservation Committee and adopted by the Chapter Executive Committee.

By adopting these practices, we contribute to a more sustainable and eco-conscious community. Together, we can set an example for others and showcase the positive impact of making small changes in our daily lives.

We encourage you ask local community organizations in your area to adopt these guidelines. Thank you for your attention, and let's make our events as eco-friendly as possible!

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- 1**  Made from fossil fuels
- 2**  Huge carbon footprint
- 3**  Will still be here in hundreds of years
- 4**  Only a tiny percentage is recycled
- 5**  Leaches toxins into food & drink
- 6**  Causes hormone disruption & cancers
- 7**  Pollutes our oceans
- 8**  Kills marine animals and birds
- 9**  Enters our food chain

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Slow Climate Change by Minding Your Money!

by Sierra Club Broward Group

Florida condo owners: Have you ever stopped to think about where your condo association's funds are being held? It's an important question with far-reaching implications, especially when it comes to the environment and your finances.

In Florida, many condo associations trust their financial assets with what some have dubbed the "Big Four Dirty Banks." These banks have been associated with funding fossil fuel projects, inadvertently contributing to the climate crisis and driving up property insurance costs for all of us.

Medium-sized condo associations, akin to homeowners' associations, often maintain significant reserve funds, sometimes totaling up to a million dollars. Shockingly, these funds might be utilized by the Big Four Dirty Banks to finance the expansion of fossil fuel initiatives.

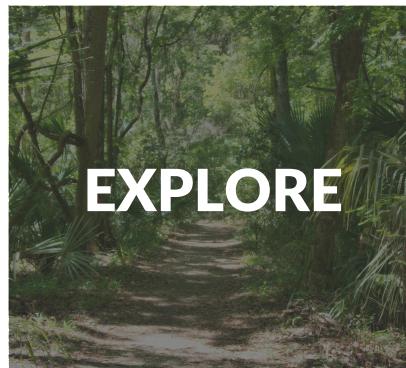
The environmental impact of such investments is staggering. Studies indicate that for every million dollars loaned to the fossil fuel industry, carbon emissions equivalent to that of about 30 vehicles are produced. Furthermore, these fossil fuel projects contribute to climate change, leading to more frequent and severe tropical storms and increased flooding, ultimately leading to higher insurance premiums for our residences.

Here's where you come in. By shifting our condo association deposits away from these banks and towards institutions that prioritize sustainability, we can make a tangible impact in the fight against climate change.

Whether you are a condo owner or just a concerned Floridian, we invite you to join us in this crucial initiative by taking the Third Act Florida Condos for Clean Energy Campaign survey. Together, we can ensure that our condo association funds aren't fueling the climate crisis, and help build a better, greener tomorrow for Florida. To take the survey, [click here](#).

Get Involved!

Sierra Club Florida is working tirelessly to protect wildlife and wild places, ensure clean air and water for all, and fight for environmental justice here in Florida. Whether supporting our campaigns, participating in an outing, or volunteering with your local group, there are so many ways to get involved and support our mission!



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