

26 shall be appropriated annually for Everglades projects that
27 implement the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan as set
28 forth in s. 373.470, including the Central Everglades Planning
29 Project subject to Congressional authorization; the Long-Term
30 Plan as defined in s. 373.4592(2); and the Northern Everglades
31 and Estuaries Protection Program as set forth in s. 373.4595.
32 From these funds, \$32 million shall be distributed each fiscal
33 year through the 2023-2024 fiscal year to the South Florida
34 Water Management District for the Long-Term Plan as defined in
35 s. 373.4592(2). After deducting the \$32 million distributed
36 under this subparagraph, from the funds remaining, a minimum of
37 the lesser of 76.5 percent or \$100 million shall be appropriated
38 each fiscal year through the 2025-2026 fiscal year for the
39 planning, design, engineering, and construction of the
40 Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan as set forth in s.
41 373.470, including the Central Everglades Planning Project, the
42 Everglades Agricultural Area Storage Reservoir Project, the Lake
43 Okeechobee Watershed Project, the C-43 West Basin Storage
44 Reservoir Project, the Indian River Lagoon-South Project, the
45 Western Everglades Restoration Project, and the Picayune Strand
46 Restoration Project. The Department of Environmental Protection
47 and the South Florida Water Management District shall give
48 preference to those Everglades restoration projects that reduce
49 harmful discharges of water from Lake Okeechobee to the St.
50 Lucie or Caloosahatchee estuaries in a timely manner. For the

51 purpose of performing the calculation provided in this
52 subparagraph, the amount of debt service paid pursuant to
53 paragraph (a) for bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the
54 purposes set forth under paragraph (b) shall be added to the
55 amount remaining after the payments required under paragraph
56 (a). The amount of the distribution calculated shall then be
57 reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to
58 paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the
59 purposes set forth under this subparagraph.

60 2. A minimum of the lesser of 7.6 percent or \$50 million
61 shall be appropriated annually for spring restoration,
62 protection, and management projects. For the purpose of
63 performing the calculation provided in this subparagraph, the
64 amount of debt service paid pursuant to paragraph (a) for bonds
65 issued after July 1, 2016, for the purposes set forth under
66 paragraph (b) shall be added to the amount remaining after the
67 payments required under paragraph (a). The amount of the
68 distribution calculated shall then be reduced by an amount equal
69 to the debt service paid pursuant to paragraph (a) on bonds
70 issued after July 1, 2016, for the purposes set forth under this
71 subparagraph.

72 3. The sum of \$5 million shall be appropriated annually
73 each fiscal year through the 2025-2026 fiscal year to the St.
74 Johns River Water Management District for projects dedicated to
75 the restoration of Lake Apopka. This distribution shall be

76 reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to
 77 paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2016, for the
 78 purposes set forth in this subparagraph.

79 4. The sum of \$64 million is appropriated and shall be
 80 transferred to the Everglades Trust Fund for the 2018-2019
 81 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, for the EAA
 82 reservoir project pursuant to s. 373.4598. Any funds remaining
 83 in any fiscal year shall be made available only for Phase II of
 84 the C-51 reservoir project or projects identified in
 85 subparagraph 1. and must be used in accordance with laws
 86 relating to such projects. Any funds made available for such
 87 purposes in a fiscal year are in addition to the amount
 88 appropriated under subparagraph 1. This distribution shall be
 89 reduced by an amount equal to the debt service paid pursuant to
 90 paragraph (a) on bonds issued after July 1, 2017, for the
 91 purposes set forth in this subparagraph.

92 5. The sum of \$100 million shall be appropriated annually
 93 to the Florida Forever Trust Fund ~~Notwithstanding subparagraph~~
 94 ~~3., for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, funds shall be appropriated~~
 95 ~~as provided in the General Appropriations Act. This subparagraph~~
 96 ~~expires July 1, 2019.~~

97 (4) Any remaining moneys in the Land Acquisition Trust
 98 Fund which are not distributed as provided in subsection (3) may
 99 be appropriated from time to time for the purposes set forth in
 100 s. 28, Art. X of the State Constitution except that moneys

101 distributed from the Land Acquisition Trust Fund may not be used
102 for costs associated with the following budget entities:

103 (a) The Executive Direction and Support Services and the
104 Technology and Information Services within the Department of
105 Environmental Protection;

106 (b) The Executive Direction and Support Services and the
107 Office of Agriculture Technology Services within the Department
108 of Agriculture and Consumer Services;

109 (c) The Office of Executive Direction and Administrative
110 Support Services within the Fish and Wildlife Conservation
111 Commission; and

112 (d) The Executive Direction and Support Services within
113 the Department of State.

114 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.