

East Central Region
Quarterly Report – October/November/December 2015
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Highlight of the Quarter: Sea Level Rise Workshop at Sams House at Pine Island

Marking the third iteration of the FPAN Sea Level Rise Workshop, staff worked in partnership with Brevard County Environmentally Endangered Lands (EEL) managers and other professionals in the field to host the public for a day-long workshop that discussed the impacts of climate change on Florida's cultural resources. Staff spoke to a packed house at the historic Sams House site, a pioneer homestead now part of an EEL preserve that also serves as a cultural interpretation center.



SLR attendees discuss mitigation options in front of a stake marking the height of water incursion at the Sams House site.

Progress on Work Plan Objectives

- Continued to provide outreach to schools, libraries, civic organizations, and heritage festivals.
- Held CRPT course in Fort Pierce, conducting afternoon session at historic Palms Cemetery.
- Continued to provide student and public volunteer opportunities through historic cemetery recording.