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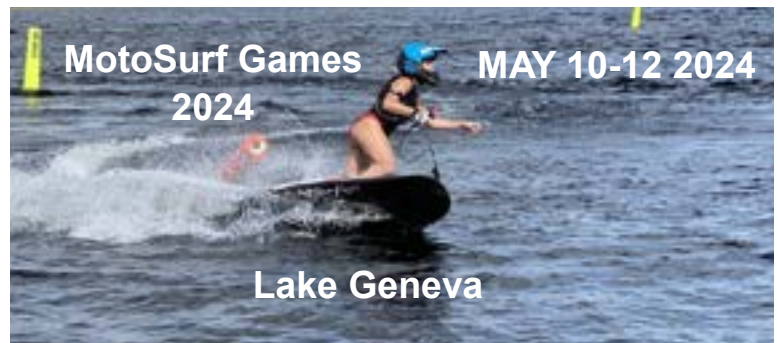
IT'S YOUR CHANCE TO HEAR FROM AND TALK TO THE FOLKS FROM THE ST JOHNS RIVER WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Senior Staff will be at at our next meeting, 7:00 PM, Tuesday, 5/14/24, in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. They will have a presentation on the Black Creek Project and will be available to answer your questions. These are the people who get things done. **You will want to be there!**

MEANWHILE:



THE STATE ROAD 21 PIPELINE: In the left photo, taken 5.7 miles south of the intersection of State Road 16, workers, standing on a ductile iron pipe section previously placed, watch the excavator dig the next trench section. When the ditch meets its specified dimensions, the trench safety box will be pulled forward and another pipe section, covered in plastic to keep dirt out, will be lowered and connected to the previous pipe section.



KEYSTONE BEACH continues to attract and host National and International water sports competitions. The Moto-Surf Games will hold their Season's Inaugural Event, returning to Keystone Heights for the third year in a row. A video of the 2023 Games at Lake Geneva can be seen at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KrGripA9klo>

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TREATMENT AREA: The pre-stressed concrete water tank is under way at the Treatment Area site. This tank will hold water from the pipeline, distributing it to the treatment ponds as required to provide finished water equal in quality to that existing in Lake Brooklyn.

THE KING STREET BOAT RAMP IS NOW OPEN!



It had been closed for a really long time!

SOLO WEBSITE www.saveourlakes.org

You can get information as well as communicate with us through our website: www.saveourlakes.org or our email: save-our-lakes@comcast.net . Our newsletter comes out once a month by email and US Mail (usually the first week of the month).

Please feel free to check us out!

SJRWMD GOVERNING BOARD Mtg. 10:00 AM TUESDAY, 5/14/2024 at the Palatka Office
Verify on website: www.sjrwmd.com/governingboard/ (Live Streaming is available)



04/26/2024 DATA (Elevations NAVD88)

Brooklyn Level: 109.7 Ft
Alligator Creek Flow: 7.3 MGD; Level: 110.1 Ft
Geneva Level: N/A
South Fork Black Creek (SR-16) Flow: 20.3 MGD; Level: 9.5 Ft
Monthly Rainfall: 4.18" (Source: SJRWMD and USGS)

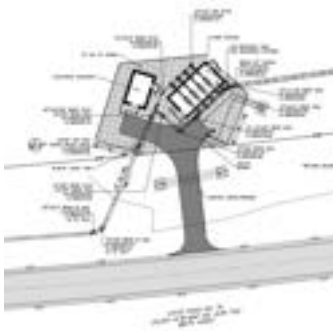


BLACK CREEK INLET FACILITY:

Above, workers are making the connection between the creek side inlet manifold and the 750' horizontal pipe leading to the pump station.

PUMP STATION: On the right, with the pumps now mounted on the risers, masons begin to lay the concrete block for the pump station walls.

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