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Joint Administrative Procedures Committee  
Room 680 Pepper Building  
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RE: Annual Regulatory Plan

To Whom It May Concern:

As required by section 120.74, F.S., the Northwest Florida Water Management District (District) has reviewed its rules to ensure compliance with statutory requirements. The following laws were enacted or amended during the previous twelve (12) months which create or modify the duties or authority of the agency. The following laws do not require the District to adopt new or amend current administrative rules for proper implementation. Each of the laws identified below is being implemented by complying with the statutory requirements therein, and no rulemaking is required by the District for same.

- 2024-001: Florida Statutes/Adoption
- 2024-002: Florida Statutes/Reviser's Bill
- 2024-006: Florida Statutes/Reviser's Bill
- 2024-017: Citizen Volunteer Advisory Committees
- 2024-018: Public Records/Suicide Victims
- 2024-019: Military Leave
- 2024-056: OGSR/Agency Personnel Information
- 2024-058: Funding For Environmental Resource Management
- 2024-060: Employment of Individuals with Disabilities
- 2024-080: Employment Regulations
- 2024-083: Tuskegee Airmen Commemoration Day
- 2024-087: Executive Agencies
- 2024-092: Florida Retirement System
- 2024-096: Unsolicited Proposals for Public Private Partnerships
- 2024-111: Public Records/Military Personnel and their Spouses and Dependents
- 2024-143: Regulation of Water Resources
- 2024-144: Mitigation
- 2024-147: Delivery of Notices
- 2024-180: Department of Environmental Protection
- 2024-185: Commodities Produced by Forced Labor
- 2024-208: Public Works Projects
- 2024-228: Implementing the 2024-2025 General Appropriations Act
- 2024-231: General Appropriations Act
- 2024-235: Public Records/County and City Attorneys
- 2024-236: Public Records/Financial Information Regarding Competitive Bidding
- 2024-239: Public Records/Clerks of the Circuit Court, Deputy Clerks, and Clerk Personnel
- 2024-252: Public Records/Florida Gaming Control Commission

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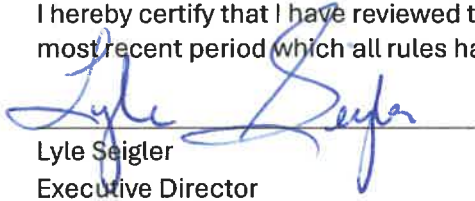
- 2024-262: Antisemitism
- 2024-267: United States – produced Iron and Steel in Public Works Projects
- 2024-275: Ratification of Department of Environmental Protection’s Rules Relating to Stormwater

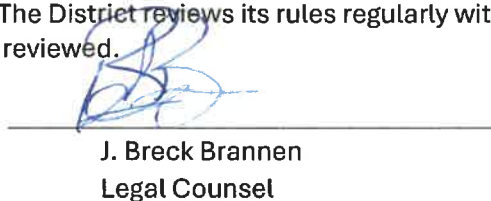
Before July 1, 2025, the District expects to undergo rulemaking to implement the following changes:

<u>Rule</u>	<u>Rulemaking Justification</u>
40A-8.021	Amend the definitions rule to include necessary definitions and terms for the Minimum Flow(s) for the Middle Econfina Creek Spring System, to comply with sections 373.042 and 373.0421, F.S.
40A-8.051	Create rule establishing the Minimum Flows for the Middle Econfina Creek Spring System, which includes Gainer, Williford, and Sylvan spring groups, to comply with sections 373.042 and 373.0421, F.S.

As required, the Annual Regulatory Plan will be available on our website homepage [www.nwfwater.com](http://www.nwfwater.com) for ten (10) years after publishing. By October 1, the District will publish in the Florida Administrative Register a notice identifying the date of publication of the Annual Regulatory Plan along with a hyperlink to the plan.

I hereby certify that I have reviewed the plan. The District reviews its rules regularly with 2024 being the most recent period which all rules have been reviewed.

  
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