

**Recent DEP emails**

**Sent:** Fri Oct 26 13:32:52 2012  
**Subject:** FW: Hot Topics FYI

has asked that we need to include any activities that resulted in job creation or savings to regulated public/government in our hot topics report.

I have sent a brief summary on our (your) activities to support the ongoing wastewater projects such as providing outreach, public workshops with local officials and contractors and expediting permits. County and the water dept estimate that construction of the Regional projects, alone, may result in 1,000 – 1,200 new jobs plus the economic benefits to the tourist industry from improving water quality.

I would also encourage you to submit any of your activities where you feel that you helped reduced costs for the regulated public. For example, if you helped a small quantity generator to manage their waste more efficiently and reduce costs of disposal. Or perhaps you helped the residents of a canal who need to get permits to trim mangroves for navigation by encouraging them to get together and hire one PMT and apply for a single permit rather than submitting multiple applications. These are just but a couple of examples, but I am sure you can come up with better ones. If you have activities to report, please send them to me by COB on Tuesdays so I can include them in the weekly hot topics report. Just as I reminder I have to submit the Marathon hot topics report to Mary Fitzgerald by Wednesday at noon every week.

Thanks ,

Environmental Administrator  
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Folks,

A reminder that in addition to providing Hot topic issues that might bite, we also NEED all items that demonstrate job creation and definitive savings for either the regulated community or government.

Thanks  
Director