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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO IMPLEMENT FLORIDA FORESTRY  
WILDLIFE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES**

Rule 5I-8.003, F.A.C.

Complete all sections below as well as the Implementation Checklist Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices for State Imperiled Species. List only those properties that are within the same county and are owned or leased by the same person or entity. Submit a copy of the Notice of Intent to Implement Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices to the addresses listed below, and it is recommended that you keep a copy for your records.

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Acres: \_\_\_\_\_

Parcel ID No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Check if parcel list is attached

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if different from Applicant)

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

In accordance with Sections 570.07 (23), 570.94, F.S. and Rule 68A-27.007 (2) (d), F.A.C., I hereby submit this Notice of Intent to Implement Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices and Implementation Checklist Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices for State Imperiled Species as verification of my intent to implement Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices in accordance with Rule 68A-27.007, F.A.C. and Chapter 5I-8, F.A.C. Participation in this program and implementation of Florida Forestry WBMPs provides a presumption of compliance with regard to incidental take of State Imperiled Species. In addition, I agree to allow FDACS and FWCC personnel to periodically verify Florida Forestry WBMP implementation through records inspection and/or on-site evaluations of the property described above.

**Check One:**

Property Owner/Lessee

Authorized Agent

Silvicultural Contractor

Other

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit completed NOI and Florida Forestry WBMP Checklist to:

FDACS – Florida Forest Service  
Attn: Florida Forestry Wildlife BMP Program  
3125 Conner Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1650  
850-681-5800  
Fax: 850-681-5809  
Email: [ForestryBMPHelp@FDACS.gov](mailto:ForestryBMPHelp@FDACS.gov)

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission  
Attn: Wildlife BMP Program  
620 South Meridian Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1600  
850-410-5268

# IMPLEMENTATION CHECKLIST FLORIDA FORESTRY WILDLIFE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR STATE IMPERILED SPECIES

Check All Applicable Boxes Below

<b>Aquatic State Imperiled Species</b>				
Species Name	<u>My property is located within the aquatic species' known range (see imperiled species range maps<sup>1</sup>).</u>	<u>I am currently implementing all applicable WBMPs (Special Management Zones &amp; Stream Crossings<sup>2</sup>).</u>		<u>Species is not applicable to the property.</u>
Crystal Darter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Harlequin Darter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Bluenose Shiner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Blackmouth Shiner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Tessellated Darter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Santa Fe Crayfish	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Black Creek Crayfish	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Barbour's Map Turtle	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Georgia Blind Salamander	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Florida Bog Frog	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>State Imperiled Species - Burrowing Animals and Nesting Birds</b>				
Species Name	<u>Species is known to be present on the property.</u>	<u>I am currently implementing all applicable WBMPs for this species<sup>1</sup>.</u>	<u>I do not know if this species is currently present on my property but I would implement WBMPs if the species was located in the future.</u>	<u>Species is not applicable to the property</u>
Gopher Tortoise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Burrowing Owl	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Little Blue Heron	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tricolored Heron	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Florida Sandhill Crane	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Southeastern American Kestrel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I am implementing the following Florida Forestry WBMP exception(s) for State Imperiled Species of Nesting Birds:

- Documented cases where birds have acclimated to disturbances.
- Where consultation with a FWC biologist provided a functional alternative.

<sup>1</sup> Consult the Florida Forestry Wildlife Best Management Practices for State Imperiled Species, FDACS-01869, January 16, 2014, as incorporated by reference in Rule 5I-8.001, F.A.C., for descriptions, range maps, and WBMP practices applicable to the species listed above. Florida Forestry WBMPs pertain only to those ongoing forestry activities that are normal and customary for the area. Florida Forestry WBMPs do not apply to tree removal activities preceding a change in land use. For example, harvesting activities that would convert silviculture lands to mining or development would not be eligible for the program.

<sup>2</sup> Refer to the Florida Silviculture Best Management Practices Manual (Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Florida Forest Service) which is incorporated in Rule 5I-6.002, F.A.C.