

-- Peer Review of Revised MFL Document--

Minimum Levels Determination: Lake Prevat, Orange County, Florida

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Overall Impressions

1. The revised MFL document reads well and is a great improvement over the first draft. Chris Ware and other staff are to be complimented.
2. The relationships of the proposed Lake Prevat MFLs and the 10 environmental criteria are better developed in this version of the MFL report. The use of fish and wildlife habitats & passage of fish criterion is well justified in this edition. The new tables dealing with evaluation of the 10 criteria are very helpful.
3. As noted in my April review of the first draft of the MFL report, I have some reservations about the lack of a brief summary of the setting of the lake, especially with respect to interactions with the underlying aquifer(s) and the geologic setting. I was not looking for a detailed discussion, just a simple context for the lake setting. The Peer Review Resolution Document includes a note that cite Robison's report to provide this information. I still have the same opinion that a brief discussion of the lake setting would enhance the report. Since it is a matter of style, it is just a recommendation. A sample of what I have been looking for is included with this submission.
4. I am satisfied that the MFL document is sufficient and accurately defends the proposed MFLs.
5. I have no specific comments on this draft.