

108TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4344

To authorize water resources projects for Indian River Lagoon-South and Southern Golden Gates Estates, Collier County, in the State of Florida.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 12, 2004

Mr. FOLEY (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Restoring the Ever-  
5 glades, an American Legacy Act of 2004”.

6 **SEC. 2. INDIAN RIVER LAGOON-SOUTH, FLORIDA.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—After issuance of a favorable re-  
8 port of the Chief of Engineers for the project for the eco-  
9 system restoration, water supply, flood control, and pro-

1 tection of water quality, Indian River Lagoon-South, Flor-  
2 ida, the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief  
3 of Engineers (referred to in this Act as the “Secretary”),  
4 may carry out the project at a total cost of  
5 \$1,207,400,000, with an estimated Federal cost of  
6 \$603,700,000 and an estimated non-Federal cost of  
7 \$603,700,000.

8 (b) COST SHARING.—

9 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Federal share of the an-  
10 nual operation, maintenance, monitoring, repair, and  
11 rehabilitation costs of the project described in sub-  
12 section (a) shall be 50 percent.

13 (2) CREDITING.—The non-Federal sponsor of  
14 the project described in subsection (a) shall be cred-  
15 ited for planning, engineering, design, and construc-  
16 tion carried out, or under contract, by the non-Fed-  
17 eral sponsor toward implementation of the project  
18 before execution of a project cooperation agreement  
19 if the Secretary determines that the work carried  
20 out is integral to the project.

21 **SEC. 3. SOUTHERN GOLDEN GATES ESTATES, COLLIER**  
22 **COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

23 (a) IN GENERAL.—After issuance of a favorable re-  
24 port of the Chief of Engineers for the project for the eco-  
25 system restoration, Southern Golden Gate Estates, Collier

1 County, Florida, the Secretary may carry out the project  
2 at a total cost of \$401,500,000, with an estimated Federal  
3 cost of \$200,750,000 and an estimated non-Federal cost  
4 of \$200,750,000.

5 (b) COST SHARING.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Federal share of the an-  
7 nual operation, maintenance, monitoring, repair, and  
8 rehabilitation costs of the project described in sub-  
9 section (a) shall be 50 percent.

10 (2) CREDITING.—The non-Federal sponsor of  
11 the project described in subsection (a) shall be cred-  
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17 out is integral to the project.

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