

Recommended Natural Resource Goals for the Lower St. Johns River

Habitat—Provide for the restoration and protection of habitats necessary for healthy ecosystems.

Governance—Support and enhance a comprehensive, cooperative, and coordinated approach toward river management at all levels.

Water Quality—Attain water quality conditions necessary to promote healthy living resources and safe recreational uses.

Public Awareness & Education—Promote greater understanding among citizens about the St. Johns River system, the problems facing the River, and policies and programs designated to help the River, as well as foster individual responsibility and stewardship of the River's resources. Provide increased opportunities for citizens to participate in decisions and programs affecting the River.

Living Resources—Provide for the restoration and protection of living resources necessary to promote the health, diversity, propagation, and maintenance of native plants and animals.

Public Access—Promote increased opportunities for public appreciation and enjoyment of the River and its tributaries.