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**FINAL PHASE OF STORMWATER RETROFITS ON COUNTY ROAD 484
TO BEGIN NOV. 14**

Immediate Release

MARION COUNTY, Fla. (Nov. 8, 2011) – Work to preserve the health of the Rainbow River continues in Marion County. Starting Nov. 14 and continuing through February 2012, the Marion County Office of the County Engineer will implement the final phase in a series of stormwater retrofits addressing the water quality of runoff discharging into the 5.6-mile-long river in Dunnellon.

The project will involve construction of a wet detention pond and landscaping on the south side of County Road 484 (East Pennsylvania Avenue) west of the Dr. Curtis Nelson Bridge. Previous project phases included stormwater retrofits to the bridge and to County Road 484 east of that location.

Construction will take place during daylight hours on weekdays only. Motorists may experience temporary lane closures on County Road 484 near the Camp Drive intersection to accommodate construction vehicles entering and exiting the site. Sidewalk access and on-street parking may be temporarily unavailable in the vicinity of the construction.

Crews will place proper signage and barricades. Traffic will be maintained through the work zone at all times. Adverse weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances may affect construction schedules.

For information on this project, contact Shane Williams, P.E., Ph.D., Marion County Office of the County Engineer, at 352-671-8686.

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