DBHYDRO Environmental Database Training

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The South Florida Water Management District cordially invites you to attend our training course: DBHYDRO Environmental Database. Course participants learn how to access water level, gate opening, rainfall, water quality and hydrogeologic data on the District's web-enabled environmental database, **DBHYDRO**. The database stores hydrologic, meteorologic, hydrogeologic and water quality data, and is a primary source of historical and up-to-date environmental data for the 16-county region covered by the District.

Users can search DBHYDRO, using one or more criteria, and to generate a summary of the data from the available period of record. Users can then select data sets of interest and have the time series data displayed on their screen in tables or graphs. Users can also download data to their computers for later use. Other features of DBHYDRO include discipline-oriented menus, map-based access to data, near real-time data access, statistical reports, dynamic data graphing and an online user guide.

The course is a **free**, one-day event designed to further assist users with data retrieval techniques. The Instructor(s) has more than two decades of experience and training in the use of DBHYDRO. The training is geared toward scientists, engineers, consultants, educators, college and university faculty, students and interested citizens. Local government, state and federal employees are also welcome.

Water managers utilize data within DBHYDRO to make important decisions in managing the South Florida ecosystem. These data serve as a cornerstone with assisting the District in fulfilling its mission to manage and protect water resources of the region by balancing and improving water quality, flood control, natural systems and water supply.

All participants must register. You must be at least 18 years old to register. Seats are limited and are available on a first-come basis. <u>Click</u> to access the DBHYDRO page to find out the next course date. To register, <u>click</u> or contact: **Sharon Peterkin** at speterk@sfwmd.gov, (561) 686-8800, Ext. 4594, or toll-free (Florida only) (800) 432-2045, Ext. 4594.

