

**LAKE WORTH DRAINAGE DISTRICT
OPERATING POLICIES**

Chapter 3: Engineering & Permitting Requirements

3.3 Construction Dewatering

3.3.1 Discharge

3.3.1.1

The quality of the discharge water shall be per Florida Department of Environmental Protection standards.

3.3.1.2

Discharge to the canal shall be designed to prevent shoaling and turbidity.

3.3.2 Right-of-Way Condition

3.3.2.1

LWDD's right-of-way shall not be obstructed, and shall be returned to the original existing or better condition at the termination of the operation.

3.3.2.2

Bank slopes (channel side slopes) shall not be compromised.

3.3.3 General Conditions

3.3.3.1

Proof of a permit or written approval from South Florida Water Management District and any other applicable governmental agency shall be furnished prior to commencement of the dewatering operation.

3.3.3.2

LWDD reserves the right to stop all operations should a breach of any of the above conditions occur.

3.3.3.3

LWDD reserves the right to stop all operations if warranted by adverse weather conditions.

3.3.3.4

Prior to any such activity a field meeting shall be held with LWDD Inspection Department.

3.3.4 Conditions Upon Which Work Within LWDD Right(s)-of-Way May be Required of a Petitioner or an Applicant

Proposed improvements to property that is adjacent to a LWDD canal, or part of a parent tract (same property owner or contiguous master plat) that is adjacent to a LWDD canal, or proposed improvements within LWDD canal right(s)-of-way, may be conditioned, when and if permitted by LWDD, to do canal work. This canal work may include, but may not necessarily be limited to, canal channel and maintenance berm relocation, canal channel and maintenance berm reshaping, dredging and/or filling, sloping, channel side slope stabilization, sodding, and seeding and mulching.

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Projects that may be conditioned to do canal work are projects that propose to make improvements to the adjacent property and which improvements may directly affect the facilities of LWDD.

Also, projects within adjacent property that have existing conditions that have, in the past, adversely affected the facilities of LWDD, even if the proposed improvements will not directly affect the facilities of LWDD, may be required to do canal work.

Any requirements or conditions for canal work may be independent of any LWDD right-of-way ownership and interest requirements. These LWDD right-of-way ownership and interest requirements can be found in Chapter 5: Right-of-Way Ownership & Interests of the LWDD Operating Policies Manual.

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