



Jackson Blue Spring Basin Working Group
MEETING AGENDA
 Tuesday, January 13, 2009
 9 a.m.-1:15 p.m. (CST)
 Chipola College Continuing Education Building
 Conference Room

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 a.m.	Welcome and introductions News from the Group (Arlo Kane)	Allan Tidwell, Chipola College JBSBWG Project Coordinator
9:10 a.m.	Update: Springs Ambassador	Russell Williams Springs of the Chipola River Ambassador
9:15 a.m.	Understanding Florida's Springsheds Intro by: Edd Sorenson, Cave Adventurers	Wes Skiles Karst Productions/Karst Environmental
9:45 a.m.	Panel Discussion on "Water Wars" Apalachicola Riparian Counties Stakeholders Coalition	Jackson County Coalition Representatives: Homer Hirt Chad Taylor
10:15 a.m.	Break (Snacks provided)	
10:30 a.m.	Springs Protection Through Land Use Planning	Richard Deadman Environmental Planner Division of Community Planning Department of Community Affairs
11:00 a.m.	Recharge age of ground water & nutrient sources for the second magnitude and smaller springs in Merritt's mill pond	Kevin DeFosset, Hydrogeologist Ground Water Resource Management Northwest Florida Water Management District
11:30 a.m.	Group Discussion of above topics	
11:45 a.m.	The Nine Principles of the Florida Yards and Neighborhoods Program Intro by: Charles Brasher, Jackson Co. Ext.Service	Brian Niemann Statewide Homeowner Coordinator Florida Yards & Neighborhoods University of Florida Environmental Horticulture Dept.
12:15 p.m.	An Ecosystem-Level Study of 12 Major Florida Spring Systems (including Jackson Blue Spring)	Sky Notestein Wetland Solutions, Inc. Gainesville, Florida
12:45 p.m.	Group Discussion and Planning for next meeting	JBSB Working Group
1:15 p.m.	Adjourn	

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