

# Florida LAKEWATCH Collection Centers

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## **Alachua**

### **Melrose Fire Dept Station 24**

301 Cypress St

Melrose, FL 32666

Contact: (352) 475-2005

Location Details: on HWY 26 before traffic light

Hours: M-F 8-4 (Maybe closed if out on call)

## **Bay**

### **Gulf Coast State College**

5230 US-98

Panama City, FL 32401

Contact: Christina Cantrell Cell (850) 896-3948

## **Brevard**

### **County Extension IFAS**

3695 Lake Dr

Cocoa, FL 32926

Contact: Anyone at Front Desk (321) 633-1702

## **Broward**

### **UF/IFAS Research and Education Center**

3205 College Ave

Davie, FL 33314

Contact: Monica Elliott (954) 577-6300

Hours: M-F 8-5

Lock combination: 7922

## **Charlotte**

### **HOA Association Office / Broadmore Park**

646 Rotonda Circle

Rotonda West, FL 33947

Hours: M-F 8-5

## **Citrus**

### **Fort Cooper State Park**

3100 S Old Florida City Road

Inverness, FL 34450

Hours: Everyday 8-Sunset

Lock combination: 7922

## **Clay**

### **County Extension IFAS**

2463 SR 16 W

Green Cove Springs, FL 32043

Contact: (904) 284-6355

## **Collier**

### **County Extension Office**

14700 Immokalee Rd

Naples, FL 34102

Contact: Mike Sipos (239) 252-4800 and

Kamila Perez cell (239) 692-2184



## **Contact**

1-800-LAKEWAT

FL-LAKEWATCH@ufl.edu

<https://lakewatch.ifas.ufl.edu/>

**Collier****County Pollution Control**

3339 Tamiami Trail W, Suite 304

Naples, FL 34102

Contact: Kamila Perez cell (239) 692-2184

Location Details: At Collier Health Dept Building 3rd floor

**Columbia****County Extension IFAS**

437 NW Hall of Fame Dr

Lake City, FL 32055

Contact: Derek Barber (386) 752-5384

**Duval****County Extension IFAS**

1010 McDuff Ave

Jacksonville, FL 32254

Contact: Ebony Dawkins (904) 255-7450

**Escambia****County Extension IFAS**

3740 Stefani Rd

Cantonment, FL 32533

Contact: Rick O'Connor (850) 475-5230

**Flagler****Palm Coast City Hall**

160 Lake Ave

Palm Coast, FL 32137

Contact: Tim Baker (386) 986-4726

**Hamilton****County Extension IFAS**

1143 US Hwy 41 NW

Jasper, FL 32052

Contact: Tracy (386) 792-1276

**Hernando****County Extension IFAS**

16110 Aviation Loop Dr

Brooksville, FL 34601

Contact: Brittany Scharf (Sea Grant Agent) (352) 754-4433

**Highlands****County Extension IFAS**

4509 George Blvd

Sebring, FL 33875

Contact: Anyone at desk (863) 402-6540

**Lake Placid Marine**

310 US 27 S

Lake Placid, FL 33852

Contact: Alan Underwood (863) 465-2335

**Walker Memorial Junior Academy**

1525 Avon Blvd

Avon Park, FL 33825

Contact: Shane Robbins (863) 453-3131 ext 104

Hours: Summer: Mon-Fri 8-12

## **Hillsborough**

### **County Extension IFAS**

5339 CR 579 S

Seffner, FL 33584

Contact: Anyone at desk (813) 744-5519

Hours: M-F 8-5

### **Austin-Davis Library**

17808 Wayne Rd

Odessa, FL 33556-4720

Contact: Librarian (813) 273-3652

Hours: M-Sat 10-6 PM

Lock combination: 7922

Location Details: Small shed down service entrance by employee entrance

### **Lutz Library**

101 Lutz-Lake Fern Rd W

Lutz, FL 33548-7220

Contact: Librarian (813) 273-3652

Hours: M-Sat 10-6 PM

Lock combination: 7922

Location Details: Small shed at back of building

### **Lithia Springs County Park**

3932 Lithia Springs Rd

Lithia, FL 33547

Contact: Anyone at Check-in Gate (813) 744-5572

Hours: 7 days 8-6 PM

## **UF Tropical Aquaculture Laboratory**

1408 24<sup>th</sup> Street SE

Ruskin, FL 33570

Contact: Matt DiMaggio (Director) or Holly Quillen (Office Manager) (813) 671-5230

Take samples into the Office and they will take the samples and give you replacement supplies.

## **Lake**

### **Lake County Water Authority @ Hickory Point**

27351 SR 19

Tavares, FL 32778

Contact: Mary (352) 324-6141

### **Lake County Dept of Public Works**

609 Disston Ave

Minneola, FL 34755

Contact: Denise (352) 394-2559

## **Leon**

### **Alford B Maclay State Park**

3540 Thomasville Rd

Tallahassee, FL 32309

Contact: Park Ranger (850) 487-4556

### **County Extension IFAS**

615 Paul Russell Rd

Tallahassee, FL 32301

Contact: Genice Harris (850) 606-5200

**Levy****FWC Marine Lab**

11350 SW 153rd Ct  
Cedar Key, FL 32625  
Contact: Savanna Barry (352) 543-1095

**UF IFAS Nature Coast Biological Station**

552 1st Street  
Cedar Key, FL 32625  
Contact: Savanna Barry (352) 543-1095

**Manatee****County Extension IFAS**

1303 17th St W  
Palmetto, FL 34221  
Contact: Michelle Atkinson (941) 722-4524 ext 1818

**Marion****County Rotary Sports Complex**

5220 SE Maricamp Rd  
Ocala, FL 34480  
Contact: (352) 671-8560

**Miami-Dade****Kendall Indian Hammocks Park**

11395 SW 79th St  
Miami, FL 33173  
Contact: Alex Paez, Albert Alamina, Victor Rubis  
(305) 596-9324  
Location Details: The freezer at Storage Building 8000 SW  
79th St just past office

**Monroe****Botanical Gardens**

5210 College Rd  
Key West, FL 33040  
Contact: Claudia Valdes (305) 849-8733

**Tarpon Basin Group**

51 Shoreland Dr  
Key Largo, FL 33037  
Contact: Sarah Egner, Marine resources  
(305) 451-1139

**Ramrod Group**

FL 33042  
Contact LAKEWATCH for more information

**Cudjoe Group**

Cudjoe Key, FL 33042  
Contact LAKEWATCH for more information

**Okaloosa****Northwest Florida State College/CBA**

South Walton Center Building B  
109 Greenway Dr  
Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459  
Contact: Jeanna Kilpatrick (850) 200-4171 or  
Allison McDowell-Director (850) 200-4175

## **Orange**

### **Public Works Department**

301 Maguire Road

Ocoee, FL 34761

Contact: Anyone at front desk (407) 905-3170

### **City of Orlando Stormwater Utility Bureau**

Lake Enhancement Building

1010 S Woods Ave

Orlando, FL 32805

Contact: Hannah Yucht (407) 246-2257

Location Details: Chain-link room connected to main building;

Lock Combination: 7922

### **County Extension IFAS**

6021 S Conway Rd

Orlando, FL 32812

Contact: JK Yarborough 407-254-9200

Location Details: located on the plant clinic

### **County EPD Lake Group**

3165 McCrory Pl Suite 200

Orlando, FL 32803

Contact: Marcia Clark (407) 836-1529 or

Robert Renk (407) 836-1488 or ask for Edna Arroyo

## **Osceola**

### **Harmony Square/Harmony Swim Club**

7257 Five Oaks Dr

Harmony, FL 34773

Contact: Todd Haskett (407) 973-2322

### **County Extension IFAS**

Osceola Heritage Park

1921 Kissimmee Valley Lane

Kissimmee, FL 34744

Contact: Cruz Gonzalez (321) 697-3000

Hours: M-F 8-5

## **Palm Beach**

### **SFWMD Laboratory**

8894 Belvedere Rd. Bldg #374

West Palm Beach, FL 33411

Contact: Anna Swigris (561) 682-2553

### **Green Cay Nature Center**

12800 Hagen Ranch Rd

Boynton Beach, FL 33437

Contact: Blake Scarborough or

Bobby Seals 561-966-7003

### **Loxahatchee River District**

Wild Pine Laboratory (Call First)

2500 Jupiter Park Dr

Jupiter, FL 33458-2500

Contact: Susan Noel (561) 747-5709

## **Pasco**

### **Ben Harrill Complex**

2830 Gulf Trace Blvd

Holiday, FL 34691

Contact: Milla Turner 727-834-3611 X 1068

### **Heritage Park Community Center**

5401 Land-O-Lakes Blvd

Land-O-Lakes, FL 34639

Contact: Anyone in the office (813) 929-1229

Hours: M-F 8-5

### **County Extension IFAS**

36702 SR 52

Dade City, FL 33525

Contact: Michelle Jedych (352) 518-0156

Hours: M-F 8-5

## **Pinellas**

### **Moccasin Lake Nature Park**

2750 Park Trail Lane

Clearwater, FL 33759

Contact: Lloyd Simmons (727) 793-2976

Hours: Wednesday thru Sunday. 10-5 Closed Mon & Tues.

### **Boyd Hill Nature Park**

1101 Country Club Way S

St Petersburg, FL 33705

Contact: Any staff member (727) 893-7326

Hours: Closed Monday, T-F 9-6 Sat 7-6 Sun 9-6

## **Polk**

### **Lake Region Lakes Management District (Canal Commission)**

804 Ave X SW

Winter Haven, FL 33898

Contact: Travis Voisard 863-293-1441

### **Lake Wales Veterinary Hospital**

520 East Mountain Lake Cutoff Rd

Lake Wales, FL 33859

Contact: Any staff member

Location Details: Freezer located in garage area

Hours: M-F 7-5 Sat 8-12

### **County Extension IFAS**

1702 S Holland Pkwy

Bartow, FL 33830

Contact: Shannon Carnevale (863) 519-1041

Hours: M-F 8-5

## **Putnam**

### **Melrose Fire Department Station #24**

301 Cypress St

Melrose, FL 32666

Contact: Michael Heeder (352) 475-2005

### **St Johns River Water Management District**

4049 Reid St

Palatka, FL 32177

Contact: Carl Wince (386) 329-4500

Location Details: Freezer is outside-Walk in unit

**Santa Rosa****Sea Grant Extension IFAS**

Located: Santa Rosa County Service Center  
6263 Dogwood Dr  
Milton, FL 32570  
Hours: M-F 8-4:30 PM (office manned Tues)

**Sarasota****County Extension IFAS**

Twin Lakes Park  
6700 Clark Rd  
Sarasota, FL 34241  
Contact: Michael D'Imperio (941) 861-9818

**Seminole****West Altamonte Facility Public Works Dept.**

950 Calabria Dr  
Altamonte Springs, FL 32714  
Contact: Kathy Parkin (407) 571-8528  
Hours: M-F 6-4

**Casselberry Stormwater Utilities**

1019 7th Street  
Casselberry, FL 32707  
Contact: Damian Wilson (407) 676-2510  
Hours: M-T 7-6

**County Extension IFAS**

250 W. County Home Rd  
Sanford, FL 32773  
Contact: Michelle Shelton (407) 665-5269

**St. Lucie****County Extension IFAS**

8400 Picos Rd Suite 101  
Ft. Pierce, FL 34945-3045  
Contact: Anyone at front desk (772) 462-1660

**Sumter****County Extension IFAS**

7620 SR 471 Suite #2  
Bushnell, FL 33513  
Contact: Anyone at the front desk (352) 569-6862

**Volusia****County Extension IFAS**

3100 E SR 44  
Deland, FL 32724  
Contact: Kalan Taylor (386) 822-5778

**Wakulla****County Extension IFAS**

84 Cedar Ave  
Crawfordville, FL 32327  
Contact: (850) 926-3931

**Walton****Northwest Florida State College**

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109 Greenway Dr

Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459

Contact: Kayla Wingard (850) 200-4171 or

Allison McDowell-Director (850) 200-4175

**County Extension IFAS**

732 N. 9th St

DeFuniak Springs, FL 32433

Contact: Laura Tiu (850) 892-8172