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General Comment

This is such a bad idea on so many levels. First of all, a nuclear power plant is an accident waiting to happen and when it does you can't fix it. Ask the folks in Fukushima - oh that's right, there aren't any folks in Fukushima because the nuclear accident made the town and surrounding areas unsafe to live. That should be enough for anyone with common sense, but greed is blind.

Secondly, why would FPL need to expand a nuclear plant at all in such a sensitive marine park and eco zone? There is a state-managed aquatic preserve, expansive wetland habitat preserve, two national parks and a national wildlife refuge all within six miles of the proposed site. The new reactors will require 90 million gallons a day of Miami-Dades treated wastewater for cooling. The vented hot steam will likely contain household chemicals, pharmaceuticals, bacteria and viruses that end up in the countys wastewater. Even in small amounts, these can affect human health and terrestrial and marine environments like mangroves, seagrass beds and coral reefs. The aerosol mist can be dispersed widely by wind and water currents. Did I mention this is a hurricane prone state?

Marine parks and huge nuclear plants simply dont go together. Important natural resources would be in serious jeopardy. I'll let the experts explain further the dangers to wildlife and the population, as well as ecotourism, but as a citizen and current resident of South Florida, I am totally opposed to any expansion of nuclear plants, particularly at Turkey Point.

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