

# **Charlotte County**

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# **Legislation Text**

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#### **DEPARTMENT MAKING REQUEST**

Coastal & Heartland National Estuary Program

## Title

Cooperative Agreement, Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) - Coastal & Heartland National Estuary Program (CHNEP)

### REQUESTED MOTION/ACTION

### **Recommended Action:**

- a) Approve Cooperative Agreement between SWFWMD and Charlotte County in the amount of \$186,000 for CHNEP; and
- b) Authorize the Chairman to sign the Cooperative Agreement.

# **Budgeted Action:**

No action needed. A Budget Amendment was approved by BCC on February 28, 2023, in the amount of \$186,000. Funding for this expenditure comes from SWFWMD in the amount of \$130,000. There is a \$56,000 County match that will be paid using CHNEP salaries.

**BACKGROUND** (Why is this Action Necessary, and What Action will be accomplished) **Background:** 

The approval to accept the funding was approved by County Administrator on October 30, 2022. The funding supports selected projects in CHNEP's Fiscal Year 2023 Workplan.