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Senate Offer 1
Implementing Bill

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FY 2024-25 Implementing Bill Bump Sections**

Line	House Section #	Senate Section #	Description	Senate Bump Offer #1
1	53	53	DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FROM THE LAND ACQUISITION TRUST FUND WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO OTHER AGENCIES' LAND ACQUISITION TRUST FUNDS. Provides that, in order to implement specific appropriations from the land acquisition trust funds within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (DACS), Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC), and the Department of State, the DEP will transfer a proportionate share of revenues in the Land Acquisition Trust Fund (LATF) within the DEP on a monthly basis, after subtracting required debt service payments, to each agency and retain a proportionate share within the LATF within the DEP. Total distributions to a land acquisition trust fund within the other agencies may not exceed the total appropriations for the fiscal year. The section further provides that DEP may advance funds from the beginning unobligated fund balance in the LATF to LATF within FWC for cash flow purposes.	Identical
2	56	54	FLORIDA FOREVER. Amends s. 259.105(3), F.S. to notwithstanding the distribution of Florida Forever Trust Funds and direct proceeds as provided in the GAA.	Identical
3	57		HURRICANE RESTORATION REIMBURSEMENT GRANT PROGRAM. Amends ch. 22-272, Laws of Fla., as amended by s. 61 of ch. 2023-240, Laws of Florida, to expand the program and extend the expiration date.	House
4		57	AGREEMENTS FOR GREENING RESISTANT TREES. Notwithstands state procurement laws in ch. 287, F.S., and requires the Department of Citrus to enter into agreements for the purpose of increasing production of trees that show tolerance or resistance to citrus greening, to commercialize technologies that produce tolerance or resistance to citrus greening in trees, and to advance technologies leading to the creation of a genetically engineered self-limiting strain of an Asian Citrus Psyllid for population suppression. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services must enter into these agreements no later than Jan. 1, 2025 and file with the department's Inspector General a certification of conditions and circumstances justifying each agreement entered into without competitive solicitation.	Senate Modified
5	58		DERELICT VESSELS. Notwithstands s. 823.11(4)(c), F.S., to allow FWC to use funds appropriated for the derelict vessel removal program for grants to local governments or to remove, store, destroy, and dispose of, or to pay private contractors to remove, store, destroy, and dispose of, derelict vessels or vessels declared a public nuisance pursuant to s. 327.73(1)(aa), F.S.	House
6		58	CITRUS RECOVERY LOAN PROGRAM. Created within the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to provide a financing tool to commercial citrus growers for the recovery or reestablishment of citrus groves.	House
7		59	LOCAL GOVERNMENT WATER SUPPLY GRANT PROGRAM. Created within the Department of Environmental Protection to provide funds to local governments for water supply infrastructure, including distribution and transmission facilities. Requires DEP to expeditiously develop an application process and may adopt rules to implement the program.	Senate Modified
8		60 & 61	STAN MAYFIELD WORKING WATERFRONTS. Amends s. 380.5105, F.S., relating to the Stan Mayfield Working Waterfront - Florida Forever Program and creates the working waterfronts capital outlay grant program to support the commercial fishing industry.	Senate
9		81	WILDLIFE CORRIDOR. Authorizes the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) to purchase lands or interests in lands, subject to appraisals and pursuant to chapter 253, F.S., located in certain defined wildlife corridors; requires DEP, in order to reduce land management costs, to provide a lease back option to the sellers under certain circumstances.	Senate Modified
9A			INDIAN RIVER LAGOON Requires a minimum of \$25 million for priority projects to improve water quality in the Indian River Lagoon in the Water Quality Grant Program.	Senate New
9B			CITRUS PEST MANAGEMENT. Notwithstands state procurement laws in ch. 287, F.S., and requires the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to enter into agreements to advance technologies leading to the creation of a genetically engineered self-limiting strain of an Asian Citrus Psyllid for population suppression. The department must enter into these agreements no later than Jan. 1, 2025 and file with the department's Inspector General a certification of conditions and circumstances justifying each agreement entered into without competitive solicitation.	Senate New