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Subject: Auditor General Report No. 2020-058 Follow-Up

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Please accept this Advisory Memorandum in follow-up response to the audit finding and recommendation cited in the State of Florida Auditor General (AG) Report # 2020-058 of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC/Commission), Office of Inspector General's (OIG) Internal Audit Activity dated November 2019.

AG Report # 2020-58 Finding: <u>Compliance with Statutory Requirements</u>
Section 20.055(6)(h), Florida Statutes, requires the Inspector General to monitor the implementation of the Commission's response to any report on the Commission issued by the Auditor General no later than 6 months after the Auditor General publishes a report on the Commission, the Inspector General is to provide a written response to the Executive Director of the Commission on the status of corrective actions taken.

Additionally, the Inspector General is to file a copy of the response with the Legislative Auditing Committee (LAC).

OIG Corrective Action: FWC OIG will take two steps to improve the likelihood of meeting the six month reporting requirement described in the above Preliminary and Tentative Finding: begin six month AG follow-up reviews earlier (i.e. four to five months after the date the initial AG Report is issued) and including LAC in the Distribution List for the initial AG six month follow-up report.

OIG Follow-Up: FWC OIG has not been assigned nor has it completed any initial six month AG follow-up reviews since AG Report #2020-058 was issued in November

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