CHAPTER 2003-31

Senate Bill No. 634

An act relating to the Big Bend Historic Saltwater Paddling Trail; amending s. 260.016, F.S.; extending the trail from the Suwannee River to Yankeetown; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of section 260.016, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

260.016 General powers of the department.—

(1) The department may:

(e) Establish, develop, and publicize greenways and trails in a manner that will permit public recreation when appropriate without damaging natural resources. The Big Bend Historic Saltwater Paddling Trail from the St. Marks River to <u>Yankeetown the Suwannee River</u> is hereby designated as part of the Florida Greenways and Trails System. Additions to this trail may be added by the department from time to time as part of a statewide saltwater circumnavigation trail.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor May 23, 2003.

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