

CHAPTER 2013-231

Senate Bill No. 326

An act relating to the powers and duties of the Department of Environmental Protection; amending s. 253.7827, F.S.; removing an obsolete reference for purposes of calculating the reimbursement for transportation and utility crossings of greenways lands in Marion County; repealing s. 253.783(2), F.S., relating to additional powers and duties of the department to dispose of surplus lands that were for the construction, operation, or promotion of a canal across the peninsula of the state and refund payments to counties; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (3) of section 253.7827, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

253.7827 Transportation and utility crossings of greenways lands.—

(3) Furthermore, the Legislature recognizes the needs expressed by Marion County to provide for the southerly extension of Sixtieth Avenue between State Road 200 and Interstate 75 and for the extension to cross the greenways lands to allow for the orderly growth and development of Marion County. Right-of-way for this extension across greenways lands shall be designed to mitigate the impacts to the extent practical, and the value of such lands shall be paid based on fair market value ~~or, at the option of Marion County, the value can be subtracted from the amount of reimbursement due the county pursuant to s. 253.783.~~

Section 2. Subsection (2) of section 253.783, Florida Statutes, is repealed.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.

Approved by the Governor June 28, 2013.

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