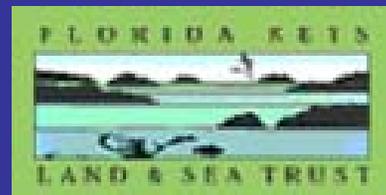
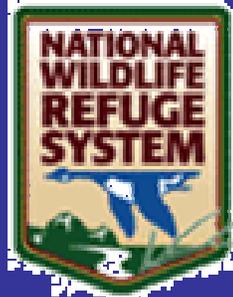


Florida Keys Python Patrol

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Florida Keys Invasive Exotics Task Force



Effects of CISMA's

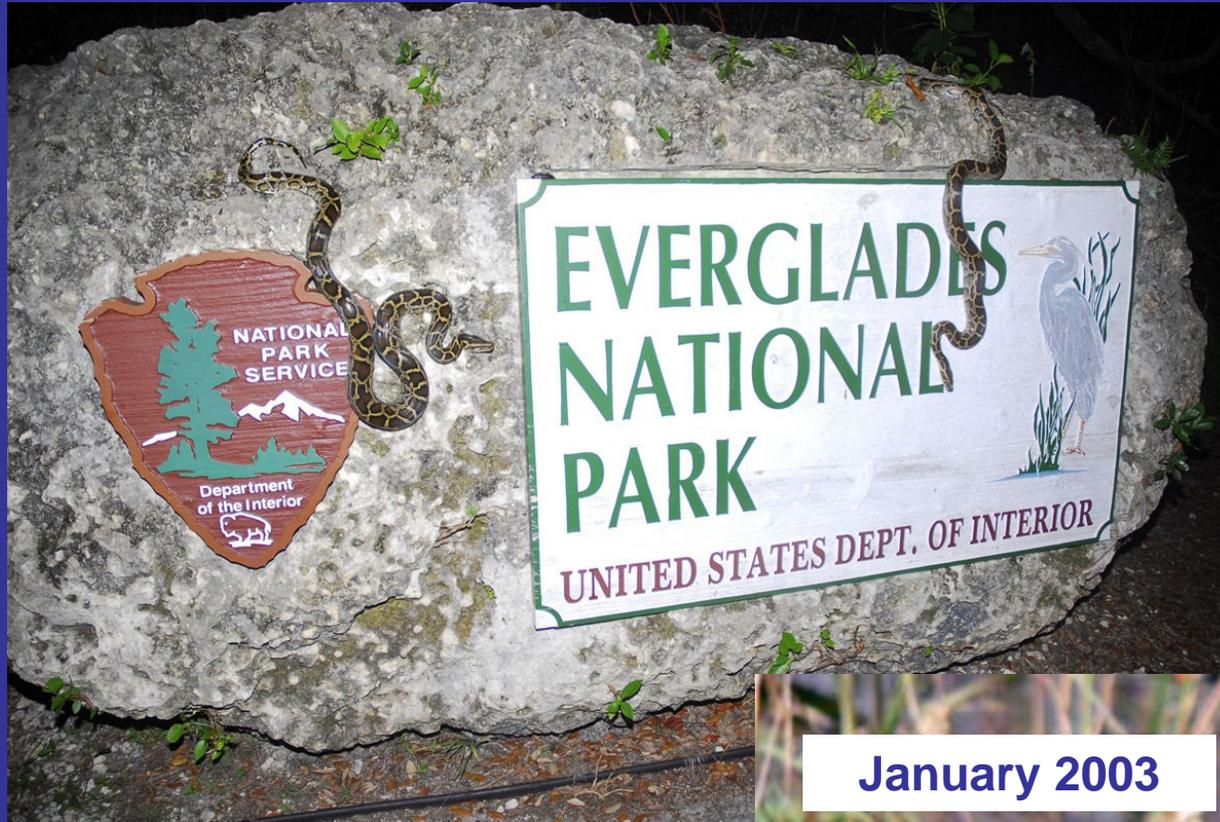


- Cross Boundaries – expand efforts across the landscape, rather than just to political or property boundaries
- Share a common vision and mission
- Be highly visible, building community awareness

Benefits of CISMA's

- Secure and coordinate funding
- Allow partners (public and private) to share and leverage limited resources
- Reduce individual costs by pooling resources





January 2003



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#2: 10/29/07

#5: 12/8/07

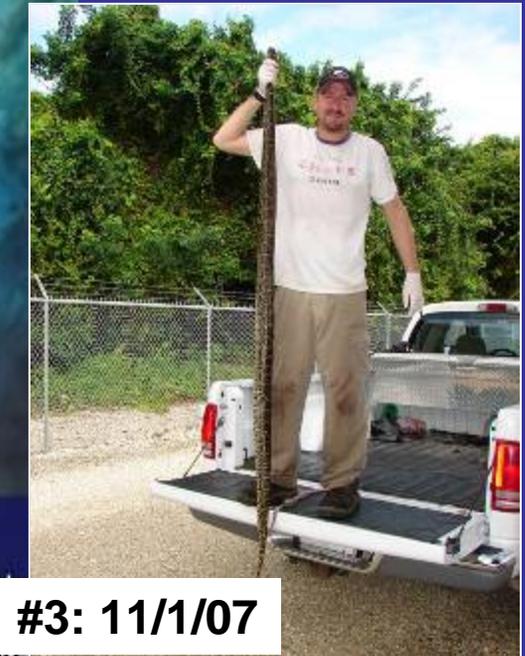
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**Estes:
March 07**

**Keogh: Spring 07
Maya: Nov 07**

**May & Dec 07
Spiny Tail Iguanas**

**Missing: Two
Burmese Pythons
Eden Pines Subd.**

**Sept/Oct 07
Ave B & Pine Way**

April 08

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Florida Keys Invasive Exotics Task Force “Python Patrol”

- **Purpose:** To help identify, report & catch large bodied snakes before they get away.

1-888-IVE-GOT-1

This number can be used for reporting an old sighting or reaching a live person for on-the-ground response.

Would You Know What To Do With A Python?
Would You Know What *NOT* To Do?



To date, 7 large Pythons have been picked up in Key Largo, while many sightings have occurred in Islamorada, Big Pine and Key West.

We need your eyes to spot them so we can catch them before they breed/spread further.

10-foot
Burmese
from 18
Mile
Stretch:
01/03/08

 A small photograph showing a man in a white shirt and blue jeans holding a very long, thin snake vertically next to the back of a white car. The snake is nearly as tall as the man.


Python Patrol

Thurs, Jan 24th, 2:30-4:30pm
 County Commission Mtg Room
 Monroe County Govt Center
 MM48.5, Bayside



For More Info, Find Keys Task Force on Yahoo Groups:
<http://tech.groups.yahoo.com/group/KeysTaskForce>



Python Patrol EDRR

1) Eyes and Ears: Early Detection

Educated & Timely Notification

***Efficient Networking: Keyswide “Road Warriors”**

(Meter Readers, Mosq. Control, Mail Delivery, LE, Public Works)

2) Hearts & Hands: Rapid Response

Timely & Educated Action:

***Geographic Responder lists: 3-5 regional responders:**

(Key Largo, Islamorada, Marathon, Big Pine, Key West)

***Training: Safety, ethics, capture techniques,
data collection and euthanasia/disposition**

Pics from Training

Next Steps....

1. Grow Efforts Locally:



2. Grow Efforts Statewide:

