Southeast Region
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HIGHLIGHTS

Thinking Like a Network: HMS Workshops

In November, FPAN SE staff partnered with Windley Key Fossil Reef Geological State Park to host a small, socially distanced HMS workshop that would be compliant with COVID 19 policies. Accordingly, scouts completed the classroom portion of the training virtually online, before meeting up with FPAN and park staff to complete the in person portion. Monroe County is vulnerable to sea level rise, and tracking changes to these archaeological sites over time will provide valuable data about threats to site.
Outreach and Education: Virtual Artifact Illustration Workshop

In December, FPAN SE led a virtual artifact illustration workshop. Prior to the workshop, participants were mailed a small kit with necessary supplies, including a 3D print of a Florida artifact. Over the course of the hour and a half long workshop, participants learned the basics of illustration, including plotting, creating a scale, and shading.

Progress on Strategic Objectives

- Goal 1: Thinking Like a Network By Delivery of Standardized Programs
  - FPAN SE/SW Staff have led two HMS programs for interested volunteers
- Goal 2: Increase Protection of Archaeological Resources By Working at the Local Level
  - FPAN SE staff continue to document sites impacted by climate change through the HMS program
• Goal 3: Provide for the Long-Term Viability of the Network
  o Mal Fenn has curated a video library of virtual site visits to help promote a safe way to explore archaeological sites virtually.