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Environmental Stewardship in Central Florida



The agriculture and natural resources industry in Lake, Orange, Osceola, and Seminole counties provides residents with food, erosion control, water-recharge areas, and the beauty of natural areas.

The use of environmental stewardship practices like Integrated Pest Management (IPM) and Best Management Practices (BMP) helps to preserve our water, soil, and the natural areas.

Environmental Stewardship Practices include:

- Voluntary land preservation agreements that preserve natural areas and wildlife
- Integrated Pest Management (IPMs) — An environmentally sensitive approach to pest management that relies on using a combination of different practices
- Best Management Practices (BMPs) — The use of different methods to prevent or reduce the movement of sediment, nutrients, pesticides and other pollutants from the land to surface or ground water, ultimately protecting water quality



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