

Accomplishments

To date, the program has acquired nearly 30,000 acres of environmentally sensitive lands – from preserves on barrier islands to upland habitats, wetlands, and buffer land to rivers and streams. Our most recent and one of our biggest accomplishments was the acquisition of Edison Farms. Edison Farms is a very important 3,900-acre parcel of land located off of Corkscrew Road and I-75. This is an important parcel of land for conservationists because of its role in water management and providing habitat for our areas wildlife.

Conservation 20/20 manages preserves throughout Lee County. Many of the preserves are open to the public for resource-based recreational opportunities. There are more than 30 miles of marked hiking trails and hundreds of unmarked maintenance/fire lines trails available to adventurous hikers to seek out and discover.