

Jerrie Lindsey – Director of Public Access and Wildlife Viewing Services Office



Jerrie Lindsey is the director of the Public Access and Wildlife Viewing Services Office for the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. Her office plans and develops wildlife recreation opportunities on FWC-managed lands; promotes wildlife viewing through programs such as the Great Florida Birding and Wildlife Trail and Wings over Florida, and recruits and manages volunteer citizen scientists and conservation stewards. A major focus for the office is to develop interpretive materials for visitors to wildlife management areas and to support conservation education and outreach programs throughout the agency. Jerrie's education is in Sociology and Recreation Planning. Prior to joining FWC she worked for the Florida Advisory Council on

Environmental Education, the Florida Park Service and the Florida Recreation and Park Association. She is an enthusiastic though nearsighted birder and enjoys canoeing and kayaking Florida's rivers.

Travis Blunden - Wildlife Viewing Program Specialist



Travis Blunden works for the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) as the coordinator for Wings Over Florida. Prior to this he held other positions within the land management section of FWC, first as a biologist and then as the Northeast Region's Conservation Biologist. He has worked with many different species including Florida Scrub-jays, Kestrels, Red-cockaded Woodpeckers, Florida mice, and gopher tortoises. He received his master's degree in Wildlife Ecology from the University of Florida in 2010. Prior to that he interned with the Audubon

Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary and worked for the Florida Park Service. Travis and his wife, Claire (who also works for FWC), live in Tallahassee. An experienced naturalist, Travis enjoys being outside and sharing the natural world with others, especially his young daughter. In his free time, he likes to discover new places, fish, hunt, garden and hang out with his chickens in the backyard.