

We are Floridians from all walks of life....

We are representative of all areas of the state...

We believe too many decisions about land use (wetlands, forest and farmland protection, water management and coastal setbacks) have been made on the theory that all growth is good and profit is more valued than protection of our resource base...

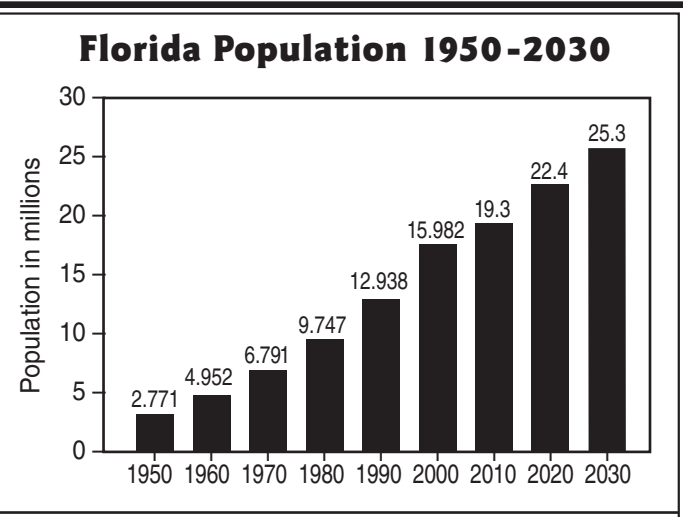
We believe that human numbers must be managed to insure the long-term livability of our land with protection of habitat for other species...

We believe we must become a strong and aggressive citizen force to make our state and federal leaders deal with the dire future we face if we do not reduce our levels of growth, consumption and waste...



### Why the U.S needs to address immigration inflows – legal and illegal...

Because of the U.S. economic disaster, Florida did not grow its population in 2008. That is temporary. U.F.'s Bureau of Economic & Business Research projects a "...normal growth of about 317,000 a year between 2010 and 2020..." The Legislature's Office of Economic & Demographic Research projects a population of 20 million in Florida, possibly as early as 2015. In the seven years from April 2000-April 2007 we grew by 16.9% to 18,680,367. During those seven years natural increase accounted for 12.5% and net migration topped 87.5%. Those same years saw three counties, Flagler, Sumter and Osceola increase by over 50% while St. Johns, St. Lucie and Walton counties experienced population growth from 40.6% to 41.3%. In March 2009 U.S. population was 306,019,421 with a net gain of one person every 13 seconds. The growth included the addition of one international migrant every 36 seconds. While the U.S. is growing at a rate of 0.6%, approximately 3 million added annually, Europe and Japan have a growth rate of minus zero. **YOU NEED TO GET INVOLVED! Join us, get in the loop...**



Join F.S.P. at the \$15 Individual level, \$20 Family level, or \$100 Supporting level, and help us win population stabilization. Fill out and return the form below. And be sure to visit our website www.flsuspop.org.

Percent of growth from natural increase (does NOT include immigration):

Palestine..... 3.3%	Afghanistan..... 2.6%	Pakistan..... 2.2%	Haiti ..... 1.8%	Mexico ..... 1.6%	Canada ..... 0.3%
Uganda..... 3.1%	Jordan..... 2.4%	Sudan ..... 2.1%	India ..... 1.6%	U.S. .... 0.6%	Japan ..... -0.0%
Saudi Arabia ..... 2.7%	Iraq..... 2.4%	Egypt ..... 2.0%	Israel ..... 1.6%	China..... 0.5%	Europe..... -0.0%

Source: Population Reference Bureau 2008 World Data Sheet

**Why you should join Floridians for a Sustainable Population...**  
*A 1% growth rate doubles a population in 72 years, a 2% growth in 36 years, and a 3% growth in 24 years.*

**Current U.S. population projected to March 16, 2009 is 306,019,421 – a net gain of one person every 13 seconds!**

Your F.S.P. membership entitles you to a year's subscription of our quarterly newsletter, Florida Population Forum; notices of all conferences and meetings; reduced registration fees; papers and reports as they become available; and you are supporting F.S.P.'s fight to limit population growth. Membership contributions are tax-deductible.

- \$15 Individual Member
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Fill out this form (please print legibly), and mail with your check or money order (made out to "Floridians for a Sustainable Population") to: **Floridians for a Sustainable Population, P.O. Box 2641, Cross City, FL 32628**  
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**Our purpose is to make all Floridians aware of the disadvantages of unrestricted population growth and the advantages associated with a stable population. We propose population stabilization and sustainable lifestyle practices to assure a reasonable quality of life for this and future generations and to pursue policy changes that will accomplish these objectives.**

These people are also interested in joining our effort to stabilize Florida's population. Please let them know I submitted their name.

Name (please print)

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