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**Allstate Resource Management Creates Unique Wetlands and Educational Opportunity for Heron Heights Elementary School**

**DAVIE, FL** – Allstate Resource Management, Inc has completed planting a wetlands sanctuary at Heron Heights Elementary School in Coral Springs, Florida. Allstate will maintain the sanctuary for six months. During that time professionals from Allstate will train students and volunteers to maintain the site.

This wetlands sanctuary is unique because it was built in a stormwater area that originally was all rock. Allstate removed the rock, added a rubber liner and then added a foot of muck. Native plants, shrubs and trees were planted in the muck by Allstate, which has a Certificate of Nursery Registration and a Commercial Landscape License to transplant native plant species. Allstate's biologists selected appropriate flora for the existing ecology of the area. These plants will restore the natural beauty of the site and will accomplish environmental objectives.

The wetlands sanctuary at Heron Heights will give students the opportunity to experience firsthand how native plants become vital components of a well balanced aquatic ecosystem.

"Students will learn how the plants attract wildlife, provide a habitat with food and nesting areas for waterfowl, stabilize shorelines, filter the water supply and improve the quality of our drinking water" says Steve Weinsier, President of Allstate Resource Management, Inc and South Florida Aquatic Plant Management Society board member, "The Heron Heights wetlands sanctuary also compliments projects to restore the Everglades."

Groups or individuals interested in learning more about cultivating wetlands can contact Steve Weinsier at Allstate Resource Management in Davie, Florida by calling 954.382.9766

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