**Parcel Name: Hamilton Target Protection Area: Non TPA Estimated Market Value: \$1.54 million** 

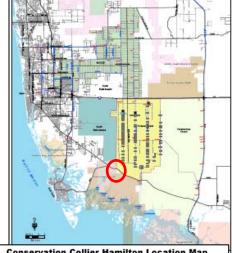
## **Highlights:**

- Location: S36 T51 R27 along U.S 41 east of and adjacent to Collier Seminole State Park
- Met 5 out of 6 Initial Screening Criteria: Native habitat-yes; human social values-yes; water resource values-yes; biodiversity-yes; connectivity-marginal; within another Agency project boundary-no
- Habitat: 5 native plant communities marsh, swamp, prairie & hammock
- Listed Species obsvd: plants bromeliads and orchids; wildlife numerous wading birds, snail kite, wood storks, bald eagle, bears
- Water Resource values: low Tamiami aquifer & moderate surficial aquifer recharge; wetland soil type (100% tidal soils except for developed area)
- Connectivity: Connects on all sides to other conservation areas see map
- Utilities/Transportation interest: Utilities-No; Transportation-No
- Access: direct access from U.S. 41 with paved parking area
- Restoration needs: Less than 25% exotics;
- Management issues / estimated costs: Exotics removal \$68,000; signs \$1,600; existing buildings, management of water trails, security, ongoing code issues
- Partnership Opportunities: U.S Fish and Wildlife Service management and possible future acquisition for 10,000 NWR; Big Cypress Basin (South Florida Water Management **District**) – **funding** (\$500,000)
- TDRs associated: None

## **Surrounding land uses:**

- **North: Picayne Strand State Forest**
- East: 10,000 Islands NWR and Picayune Strand State Forest
- South: 10,000 Islands NWR
- **West: Collier Seminole State Park**

Acreage: 194 ac



Conservation Collier Hamilton Location Map



