

You'll have to go way – way – down the list of America's "greenest" states to find Florida.

[Way down.](#)

LINK: <https://wallethub.com/edu/greenest-states/11987>

The latest in an unending string of attempts to build new toll roads through protected natural areas in order to serve new housing developments [comes from the Orlando area.](#)

LINK: <https://floridaphoenix.com/2022/04/14/plan-for-new-central-florida-toll-road-would-split-split-oak-forest-a-treasured-park/>

BIG SUGAR companies not only devastate Florida's environment, imperil South Florida's drinking water, foul the air and impede Everglades Restoration, they are among [America's biggest corporate welfare recipients](#) meaning you and me are paying for them to act this way.

LINK: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=av9FGO-tTA0>

Here's a good video explaining [the historic Everglades waterflow](#) and how man – and BIG SUGAR – has wrecked it in every which way... and why Everglades restoration is so complex.

LINK: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D8o5Ip4SLtI>

Proving to be ever the politician with zero convictions when it comes to conservation or protecting the environment, Joe Biden's Bureau of Land Management announced last week it will resume oil and gas leasing on public lands, [violating his campaign promise](#) to end new oil and gas leasing and locking in new extraction that breaks his promise to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

LINK: <https://wildearthguardians.org/press-releases/biden-administration-to-restart-oil-gas-leasing-on-public-lands/>

Here's a little good news, effective May 4, New Jersey will [ban single use plastic bags.](#)

LINK: https://www.nj.com/business/2022/04/nj-plastic-bag-ban-how-to-keep-your-reusable-bags-clean.html?utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=social&utm_content=nj_twitter_njdotcom&utm_campaign=njdotcom_sf