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The Future of Local Collections

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Overview

- Motivating Factors
- Digital Collections at FIU
- dPanther
- Local Documents
Digital Collection Center @ FIU

- Background
- Digitization of Government Information
- Collections
  - Everglades Digital Library: Reclaiming the Everglades
  - Miami Metropolitan Archive
  - State of Florida: Internal Improvement Fund
  - Coral Gables Memory
  - South Florida Research Center
  - Sea Level Rise
  - Disaster Risk Management
  - South Florida Water Management District
  - Southeast Environmental Research Center
  - Florida Coastal Everglades Long Term Ecological Research Network
  - Special Collections
dPanther

- What is dPanther?
- Key Components
- What Can dPanther Do?
- User Community
Why use dPanther?

- Accessibility
- Born digital resources
- Aggregation
Themes within Local Documents

- Topic specific
- Local issues
- Academic programs
Working with the community

- Government agencies
- Research Centers
- Non-government organizations
- Consultants
Thank you for coming

Questions?
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