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## **OK expected in land deal**

Orange County commissioners are expected to approve a \$7.5 million deal today to purchase half of a 5,200-acre ranch in east Orange. The purchase of the Holland ranch is seen as a way to protect the Econlockhatchee River in the face of growth. The purchase price will be split evenly with the St. Johns River Water Management District, which is expected to sign off on the deal in coming weeks.