

Natural Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA)

Restoration Project Information Sheet

A General Information

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B Project Information

Project Name Gulf County Geospatial Data Quality Assurance			
Location (e.g. John Smith National Wildlife Refuge) Gulf County's St. Joseph Bay, coastline including beaches and dunes, rivers, lakes, streams			
State(s) (Use 2-letter abbreviations separated by commas) FL		County/Parish Gulf	Watershed/Basin St Andrew-St Joseph Bay
Latitude (decimal degrees) 0	Longitude (decimal degrees) 0	Project Size (Choose one) miles 240,000 acres	Affected Area tons 70,000 acres

C Project Description

Please provide more information about the proposed project. (Limit 2,750 characters.)

Geospatial data can play a vital role in any disaster so it becomes extremely crucial for the data to be up to date and most importantly ACCURATE in order to make timely and important decisions. This project will cover a span of 3 years and will require a minimum of 2 Geospatial Professionals to coordinate, create, collect new data-sets as well as edit existing data and help bring the counties data together to integrate it with today's current geospatial data. The Project Area covers numerous environmental concerns including endangered and threatened species, aquatic preserves with protected seagrass beds, beaches that bring tourism and are homes to endangered species such as the St. Andrews beach mouse, plovers and not to mention are the nesting grounds for sea turtle nesting. The project area was marked with 3 black diamond's indicating that the area is a sensitive area and needed priority protection. Having good and accurate geospatial data will help educate people and help responders make tough but quick decisions on how to protect the area better if an event such as the Deep Water Horizon Oil Spill were to happen again.

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D	Project Type(s)	(Check all that apply)		
		☒ Restoration	☐ Debris Removal	☒ Maintenance/Management
		☒ Protection	☐ Land Acquisition	☒ Education
E	Project Habitat(s)	(Check all that apply)		
		☒ Upland	☒ Marine/Estuarine Wetlands	☒ Beach/Dune
		☒ Riverine	☒ Freshwater Wetlands	☒ Subtidal (Nearshore/Offshore)
F	Resource Benefit(s)	(Check all that apply)		
		☒ Marine Mammals	☒ Shellfish	☒ Water Column
		☒ Birds	☒ Terrestrial Wildlife	☒ Sediment/Benthos
		☒ Reptiles/Amphibians	☒ Corals	☒ Shoreline
		☒ Fish	☒ Vegetation	☒ Human Use (Recreational, Cultural)
		Will the project directly benefit State- or Federally-listed species? If so, please list them. If not, please indicate N/A.		
		Sea turtles-Loggerhead and Kemps Ridley, Plovers, St. Andrews beach mouse		
G	Project Status	Property/Resource Acquisition N/A		Time to Implementation
		Project Planning/Design Not Started		4-6 months
		Project Permitting. N/A		Time to Project Completion
				1-5 years
		Is this project included under a regional or statewide plan? No		
		If so, please list:		
H	Project Costs	Estimated Cost		Funding Available
		\$353,000.00		\$0.00
I	Project Partners	Partner 1 Organization		
		Partner 1 Contact		Partner 1 Involvement
		Partner 2 Organization		
		Partner 2 Contact		Partner 2 Involvement
		Partner 3 Organization		
		Partner 3 Contact		Partner 3 Involvement

Disclaimer:

The submission of project information does not guarantee project funding. Projects will be evaluated using criteria identified in OPA, NEPA, implementing regulations, and related laws. Selection and funding determinations will be made by the Trustee Council.