

Natural Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA)

Restoration Project Information Sheet

A General Information

<i>Organization</i>			
Gulf County Board of County Commissioners			
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B Project Information

<i>Project Name</i>			
Gulf County Sand Dune & Vegetation Restoration Project			
<i>Location (e.g. John Smith National Wildlife Refuge)</i>			
Beacon Hill, St. Joe Beach, Windmark, Highland View, Cape San Blas, Indian Pass			
<i>State(s) (Use 2-letter abbreviations separated by commas)</i>	<i>County/Parish</i>	<i>Watershed/Basin</i>	
FL	Gulf	St. Andrew/Apalach Bay	
<i>Latitude (decimal degrees)</i>	<i>Longitude (decimal degrees)</i>	<i>Project Size (Choose one)</i>	<i>Affected Area</i>
		miles acres tons	acres

C Project Description

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

In 2005, 7 miles of sea oats were planted in conjunction with the nourishment project in the Cape San Blas area. Gulf County's sand dunes, sand fencing, sea oats and other native vegetation were directly impacted by oil product, vehicular traffic, and foot traffic by response teams during the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill.

The proposed project would evaluate and restore sands dunes, sand fencing, sea oats and other native vegetation to mitigate the damages relating to the Oil Spill.

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D	Project Type(s)	<i>(Check all that apply)</i>		
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restoration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debris Removal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maintenance/Management
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Protection	<input type="checkbox"/> Land Acquisition	<input type="checkbox"/> Education

E	Project Habitat(s)	<i>(Check all that apply)</i>		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Upland	<input type="checkbox"/> Marine/Estuarine Wetlands	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Beach/Dune
		<input type="checkbox"/> Riverine	<input type="checkbox"/> Freshwater Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/> Subtidal (Nearshore/Offshore)

F	Resource Benefit(s)	<i>(Check all that apply)</i>		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Marine Mammals	<input type="checkbox"/> Shellfish	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Column
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Birds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Terrestrial Wildlife	<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment/Benthos
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reptiles/Amphibians	<input type="checkbox"/> Corals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shoreline
		<input type="checkbox"/> Fish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vegetation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Human Use (Recreational, Cultural)
<p><i>Will the project directly benefit State- or Federally-listed species? If so, please list them. If not, please indicate N/A.</i></p> <p>Yes. Turtles, Beach Mice, Sea Oats</p>				

J	Project Status	Property/Resource Acquisition	Time to Implementation
		Project Planning/Design	Time to Project Completion
		Project Permitting.	
		Is this project included under a regional or statewide plan? If so, please list:	No

H	Project Costs	Estimated Cost	Funding Available
		\$800,000.00	

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.