

Natural Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA)

Restoration Project Information Sheet

A General Information

Organization Walton County			
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B Project Information

Project Name Water Quality Monitoring and Restoration of Choctawhatchee Bay			
Location (e.g. John Smith National Wildlife Refuge) Choctawhatchee Bay			
State(s) (Use 2-letter abbreviations separated by commas) FL	County/Parish Walton	Watershed/Basin Gulf of Mexico	
Latitude (decimal degrees)	Longitude (decimal degrees)	Project Size (Choose one) <input type="text"/> miles 37,000 acres <input type="text"/> tons	Affected Area <input type="text"/> 37,000 acres

C Project Description

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

This proposal is to fund water and sediment monitoring in Choctawhatchee Bay to determine potential post-oil spill impacts. Conduct species inventory, including fisheries, long-term seagrass and phytoplankton monitoring. Establish living shorelines and habitat improvement projects in the Choctawhatchee Bay.

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D Project Type(s) *(Check all that apply)*

<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Education

E Project Habitat(s) *(Check all that apply)*

<input type="checkbox"/> Upland	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Marine/Estuarine Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/> Beach/Dune
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Riverine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Freshwater Wetlands	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subtidal (Nearshore/Offshore)

F Resource Benefit(s) *(Check all that apply)*

<input type="checkbox"/> Marine Mammals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shellfish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Column
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Birds	<input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vegetation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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.

N/A

G Project Status

Property/Resource Acquisition	N/A	▼	Time to Implementation	4-6 months	▼
Project Planning/Design	In Progress	▼	Time to Project Completion	6-10 years	▼
Project Permitting	N/A	▼			

Is this project included under a regional or statewide plan? If so, please list: Yes ▼

H Project Costs

Estimated Cost	\$10,000,000.00	Funding Available	\$0.00
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I Project Partners

Partner 1 Organization
Choctawhatchee Basin Alliance

Partner 1 Contact Sarah Kalinoski	Partner 1 Involvement Testing
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Partner 2 Organization

Partner 2 Contact	Partner 2 Involvement
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Partner 3 Organization

Partner 3 Contact	Partner 3 Involvement
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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.