Natural Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA)
Restoration Project Information Sheet

A General Information

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B Project Information

Project Name	Walton County Fishing Pier
Location (e.g. John Smith National Wildlife Refuge)	Santa Rosa Beach, Walton County
State(s) (Use 2-letter abbreviations separated by commas)	FL
County/Parish	Walton
Watershed/Basin	Gulf of Mexico
Latitude (decimal degrees)	0
Longitude (decimal degrees)	0
Project Size (Choose one)	miles 5 acres tons
Affected Area	5 acres

C Project Description

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

Walton County does not currently have a dock, pier or marina directly on the Gulf of Mexico. The construction of a county fishing pier projecting into the Gulf of Mexico 1000+ feet would provide recreational opportunities to visitors and residents not currently available, such as fishing and wildlife viewing. It would also serve to accelerate the economic recovery from the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill by providing additional recreational opportunities and direct access to the Gulf of Mexico for visitors, fishermen, and residents alike. With loss of recreational opportunities as a result of the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill response effort, this proposal is made to offset that loss and provide for future public access to the Gulf, which will enhance tourism and public enjoyment of the area.

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D Project Type(s)

(Check all that apply)

- [x] Restoration
- [ ] Protection
- [ ] Debris Removal
- [ ] Land Acquisition
- [x] Maintenance/Management
- [ ] Education

E Project Habitat(s)

(Check all that apply)

- [ ] Upland
- [ ] Riverine
- [ ] Marine/Estuarine Wetlands
- [ ] Freshwater Wetlands
- [x] Beach/Dune
- [x] Subtidal (Nearshore/Offshore)

F Resource Benefit(s)

(Check all that apply)

- [ ] Marine Mammals
- [ ] Birds
- [ ] Reptiles/Amphibians
- [x] Fish
- [x] Shellfish
- [ ] Terrestrial Wildlife
- [ ] Corals
- [ ] Vegetation
- [ ] Water Column
- [ ] Sediment/Benthos
- [x] Shoreline
- [x] 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.

G Project Status

Property/Resource Acquisition	N/A	*Time to Implementation*	1 year +
Project Planning/Design	In Progress	*Time to Project Completion*	1-5 years
Project Permitting.	Not Started		

Is this project included under a regional or statewide plan? If so, please list: No

H Project Costs

Estimated Cost	*Funding Available*
$10,800,000.00	$0.00

I Project Partners

Partner 1 Organization	Grayton Beach State Park
Partner 1 Contact	Dale Shingler
Partner 1 Involvement	Pier location proposed to be within state park
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.