

# Natural Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA)

## Restoration Project Information Sheet

### A General Information

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### B Project Information

Project Name <b>Walton County Beach Restoration</b>			
Location (e.g. John Smith National Wildlife Refuge) <b>Santa Rosa Beach, Walton County</b>			
State(s) (Use 2-letter abbreviations separated by commas) <b>FL</b>		County/Parish <b>Walton</b>	Watershed/Basin <b>Gulf of Mexico</b>
Latitude (decimal degrees) <b>0</b>	Longitude (decimal degrees) <b>0</b>	Project Size (Choose one) <b>25.6</b> miles <input type="text"/> acres <input type="text"/> tons	Affected Area <b>5,714</b> acres

### C Project Description

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

**Walton County beaches have been subject to continual impacts from vehicular traffic and sand manipulation to locate and remove oil and tar that has washed ashore from the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill. Additionally, areas of the beach near the Coastal Dune Lake Outfalls were re-contoured to protect the outfalls from being inundated. Continued national media has degraded the perceived aesthetic value of Walton County beaches. This proposal is intended to restore the natural, functional, and aesthetic value of Walton County beaches.**

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

<b>E</b>	<b>Project Habitat(s)</b>	<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subtidal (Nearshore/Offshore)

<b>F</b>	<b>Resource Benefit(s)</b>	<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 checked="" 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)
		Will the project directly benefit State- or Federally-listed species? If so, please list them. If not, please indicate N/A.		
		nesting sea turtles, nesting shorebird-piping plover, Choctawhatchee beach mouse		

<b>G</b>	<b>Project Status</b>	Property/Resource Acquisition	Not Started	Time to Implementation
		Project Planning/Design	In Progress	1 year +
		Project Permitting	In Progress	Time to Project Completion
				1-5 years
		Is this project included under a regional or statewide plan? No		
		If so, please list:		

<b>H</b>	<b>Project Costs</b>	Estimated Cost	Funding Available
		\$60,000,000.00	

<b>I</b>	<b>Project Partners</b>	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.