

THE IMPORTANCE OF CO-OPERATIVE AGREEMENTS IN SUCCESSFULLY WORKING TO BUILD RESILIENCY

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Coastal Texas Protection and Restoration
Feasibility Study

GLO Overview

Since 1836 – GLO manages state owned land

- Including tidally-influenced state-owned submerged lands

Generate Revenue to Support Public Education K-12

Lead Agency Responsible for:

- Coastal Management Program
- Beach and Dune Protection
- State Coastal Erosion Program
- Coastal Oil Spill Response
- Disaster Recovery Program

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TEXAS COASTAL RESILIENCY MASTER PLAN

MARCH 2019

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GLO Resiliency Efforts

Developed the Texas Coastal Resiliency Master Plan:

- The Texas Coast: Shoring up our Future
- TCRMP 17 & 19
- Developing the 2023 TCRMP

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COASTAL TEXAS PROTECTION AND RESTORATION FEASIBILITY STUDY

COASTAL
TEXAS
STUDY

DRAFT REPORT

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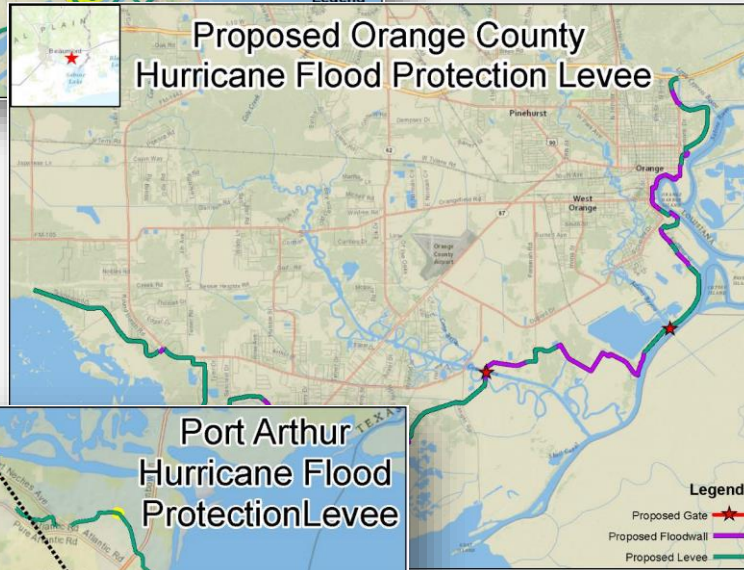
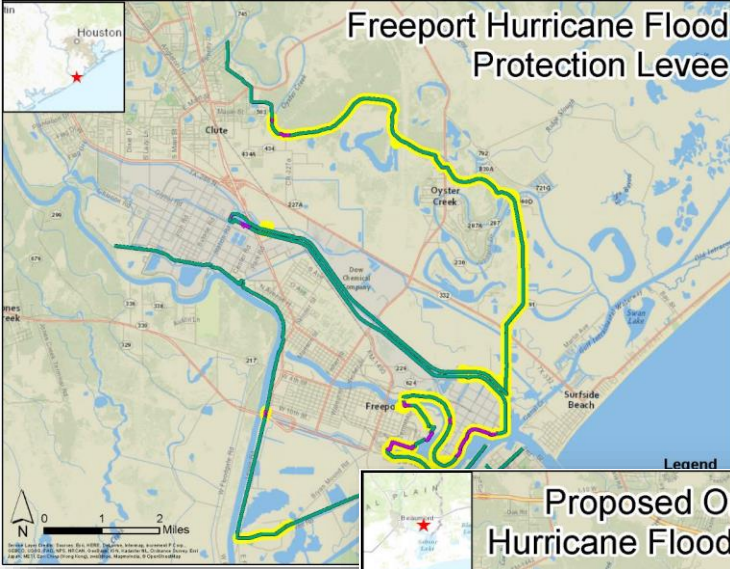


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Partnered with the USACE for the Sabine to Galveston Study (Post Ike), and Coastal Texas Study

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SB500 Local Cooperation Agreements (LCA)

The 2019 Texas Legislature directed \$200 M to the GLO to fund the non-federal share of projects identified in the Sabine to Galveston Study

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Coastal Erosion Planning and Response Act (CEPRA)

- Dedicated funding source in 2019 legislature
- GOMESA & CMP
- Implements TCRMP



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GLO-USACE BU-DM MOA

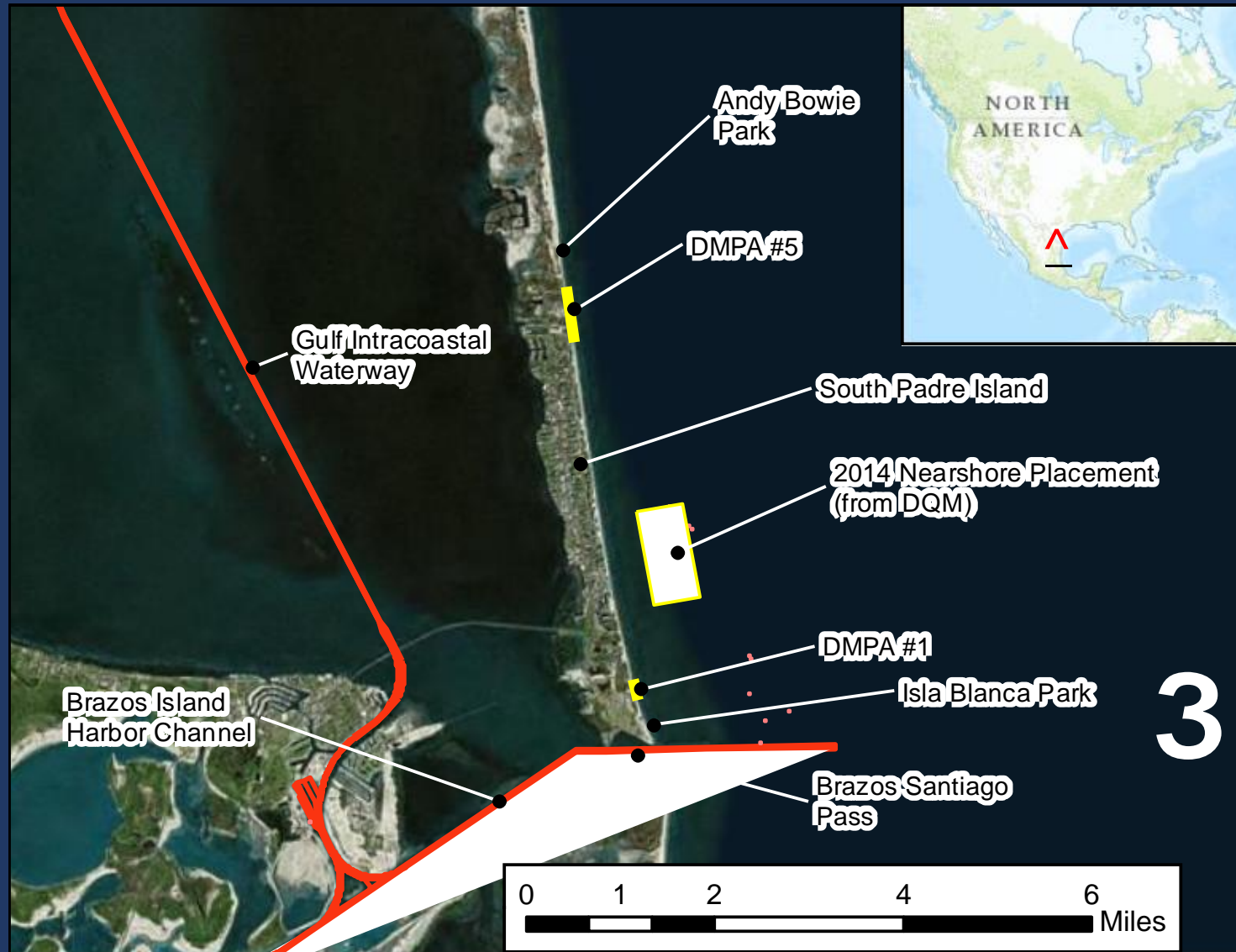
2001 MOA between USACE and GLO for the Beneficial Use of Dredge Material

“This MOA applies only to projects which are the primary responsibility of the Corps, During various dredging cycles of the GIWW and federally maintained navigation channels, the Corps and the Land Office shall cooperate in the construction of multiple beneficial use of dredged material projects, The Corps will provide assistance as necessary to carry out the Land Office's request for beneficial use of dredged material pursuant to this agreement- The assistance which will be specifically described in Supplemental Agreements (SAs) to this MOA (attached as Appendix II), may include, but are not limited to, providing the design for multiple disposal of material for erosion protection and beach nourishment, construction management, contract preparation and administration, management of periodic examinations to determine the needs for maintenance, replacement and rehabilitation of each project, 0

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Thank you!

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