

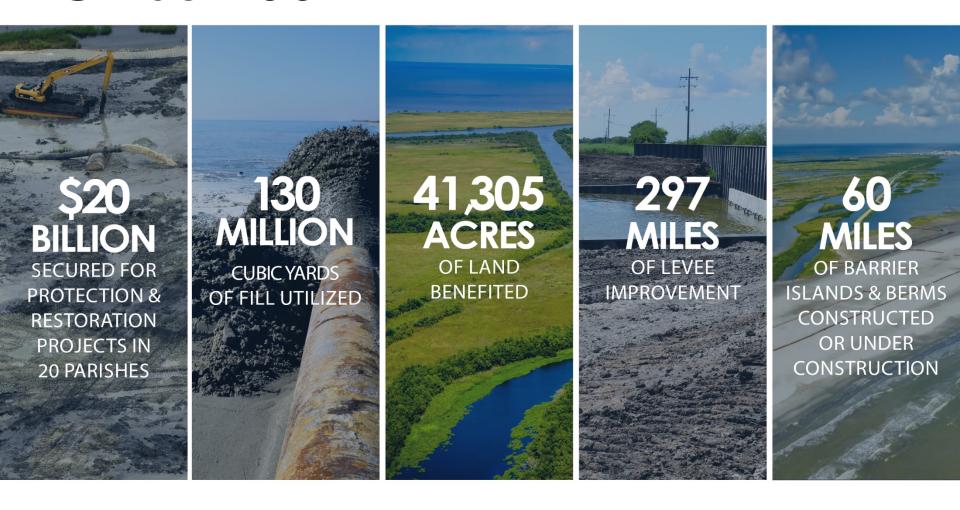




East Timbalier Island Restoration Project (TE-0118) and Terrebonne Basin Barrier Island & Beach Nourishment (TE-0143) November 29, 2018



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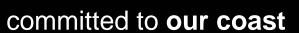
Our Coast. Our Future.

Coastal Restoration in Louisiana Began in 1990's



At that time big projects were:

- 5 miles of 30 inch dredge pipe, no booster pumps
- Create 100+ acres
- \$ 20 M One funding source
- Using Sand From Mississippi River & Ship Shoal were dreams.



2018:

- 22 miles of 30 inch dredge pipe
- \$ 150 M+ projects
- Create 500+ acres per project
- Combining Projects for efficiency
- Multiple funding sources
- 6 projects sand out of MS River
 - 3 projects sand Ship Shoal



TODAY'S DREAMS:

- \$ 500 M Projects;
- Diversions;
- Basin-Wide Ecological Restoration;
- Increased Funding;
- ETC.

ARE TOMORROW'S REALLTY



Ship Shoal

- Ship Shoal reworked remnants of Maringouin delta complex/ Mississippi River.
- Ship Shoal estimate 900 million cubic yards sand.
- Shea Penland advocated use of Ship Shoal sand for shoreline restoration.
- Clean sand grain size ranging 0.15 to 0.20mm.

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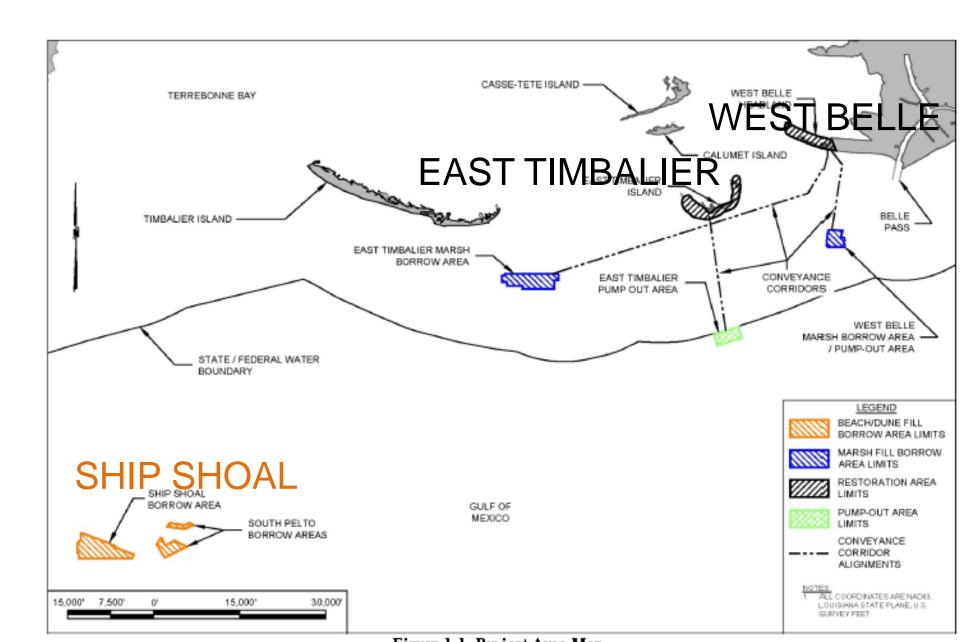




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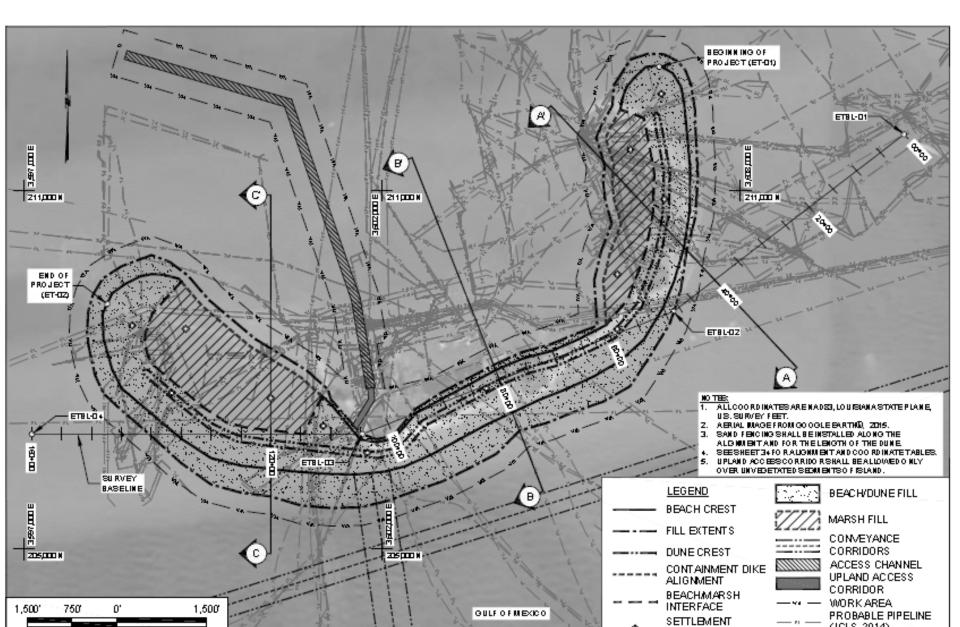


EAST TIMBALIER (TE-0118) PROJECT FEATURES



EAST TIMBALIER FOOT PRINT





PIPELINES



PREVIOUS 18

BARRIER ISLANDS: ~ 80 PIPELINES

EAST TIMBALIER: OVER 100 PIPELINES

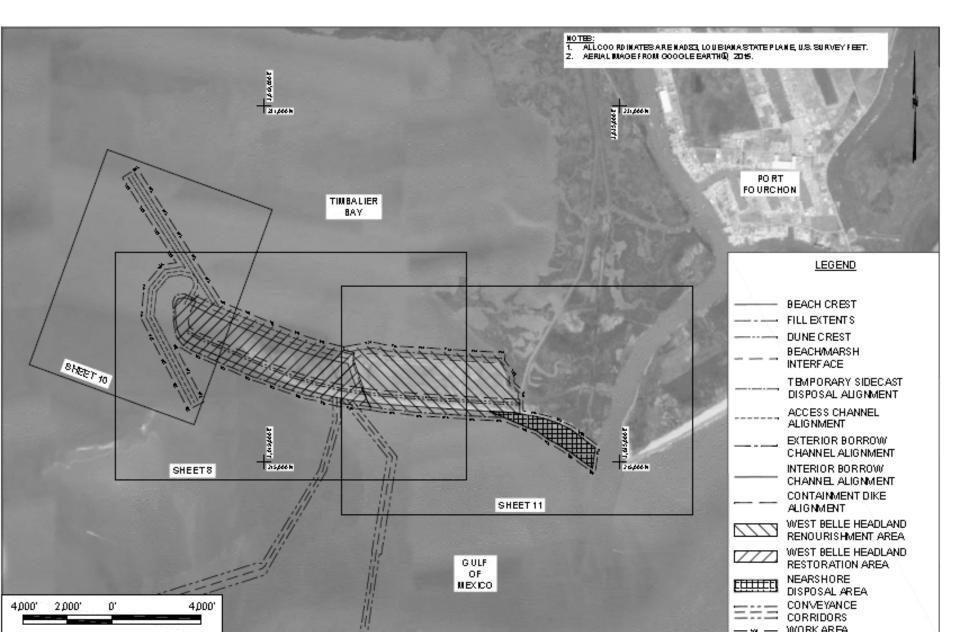
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WEST BELLE FOOT PRINT





PROJECT CONSTRUCTION NEEDS



- 1) PERMITS
- 2) BUDGET (SEDIMENT)
- 3) BUDGET (\$\$\$)
- 4) LAND RIGHTS





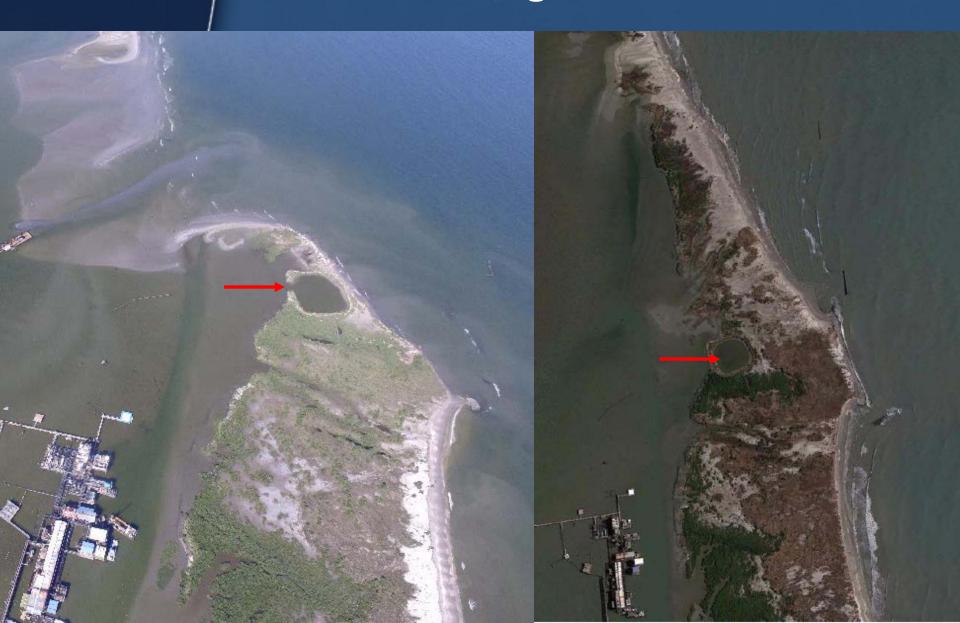








2017 Drone Photo & Google Jan 2015 Photo





October 2017 - Krewe Energy Drone Photo

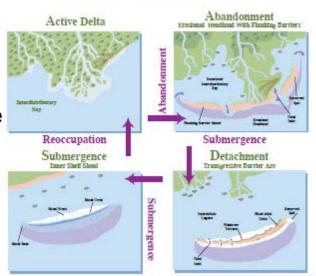


Causes of Breach

- Regressive Barrier Island System
 - Transition from detachment to submergence
- Impacts from oil and gas infrastructure
 - Access channel dredging
- Existing Coastal Structures
 - Belle Pass Jetties
 - East Timbalier Breakwaters

Winter and tropical storm systems

Barrier Island Evolution





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ULTIMATE CAUSE IS THE LACK OF SEDIMENT!



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BREACH IN EAST TIMBALIER



Approximately 2.3 mcy lost
Or
44% of Island lost since 2015

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RECOMMENDED OPTION



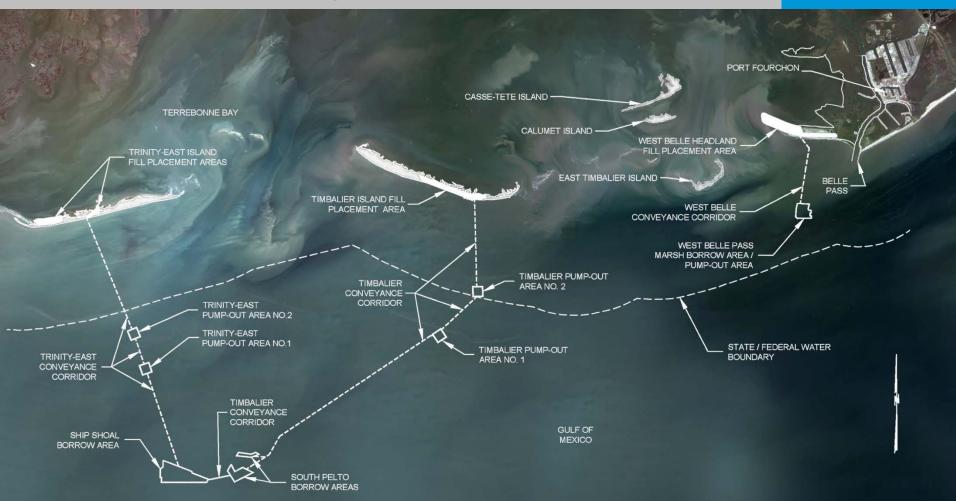
West Belle Pass Headland

 Terrebonne Basin Barrier Island and Beach Nourishment (Trinity and Timbalier Islands)



- Nourishment of 3 sites using ~10 MCY
 - 8 MCY from Ship Shoal/South Pelto
 - 2 MCY from state waters
 - 1,310-acre footprint





Timeline

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Construction funding: Oct 2018

Final EA/FONSI: Spring 2019

BOEM lease: Summer 2019

Land Rights: Spring 2019

Bid Package: Summer 2019

Construction duration ~24 months



Why these islands? Why now?





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ISLAND

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Why these islands? Why now?



- Criteria for breach potential:
 - Min. island width (200 ft)
 - Min. width to Updrift length ≤ 3%
 - Up and downdrift length: total length ≥ 27%
 - Min. island density ≤ 350 cf/f

RACCOON EAST/TRINITY WHISKEY ISLAND **ISLAND**

TIMBALIER ISLAND

EAST TIMBALIER ISLAND

WEST BELLE

PASS





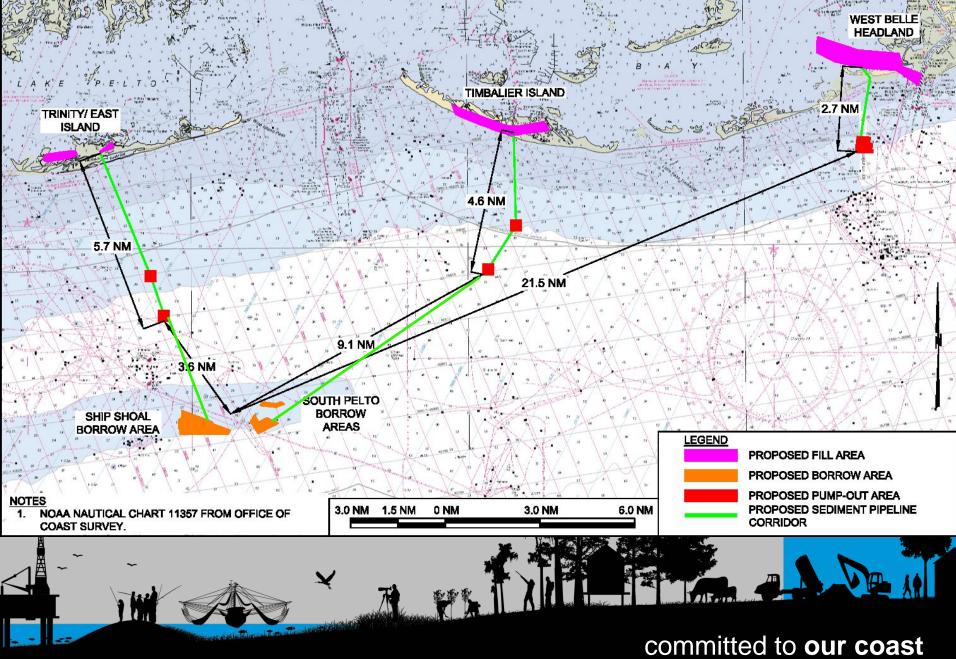
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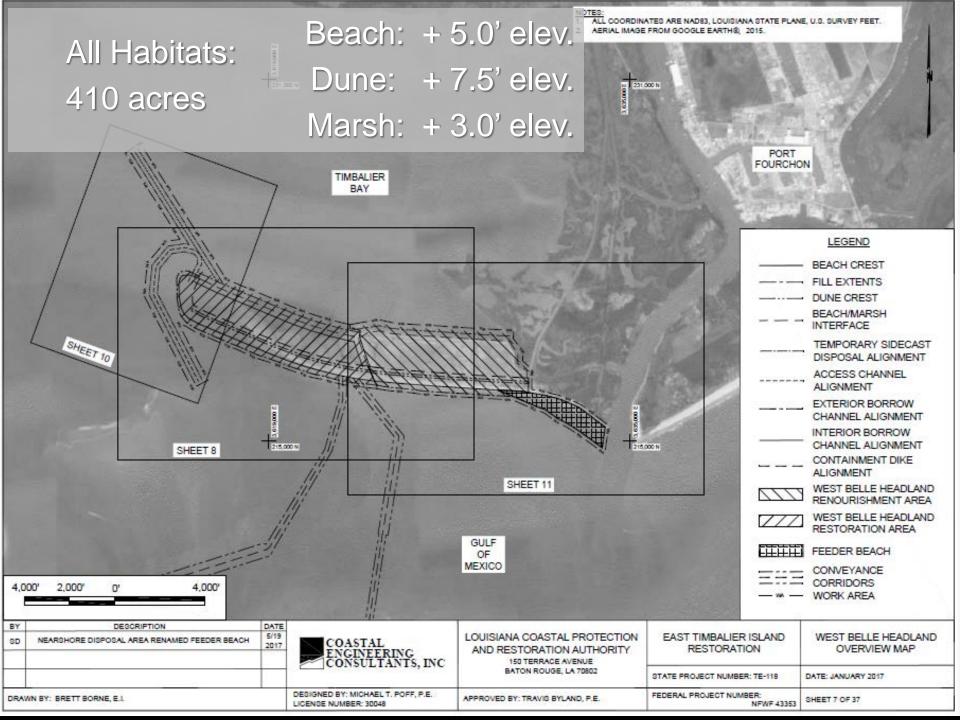




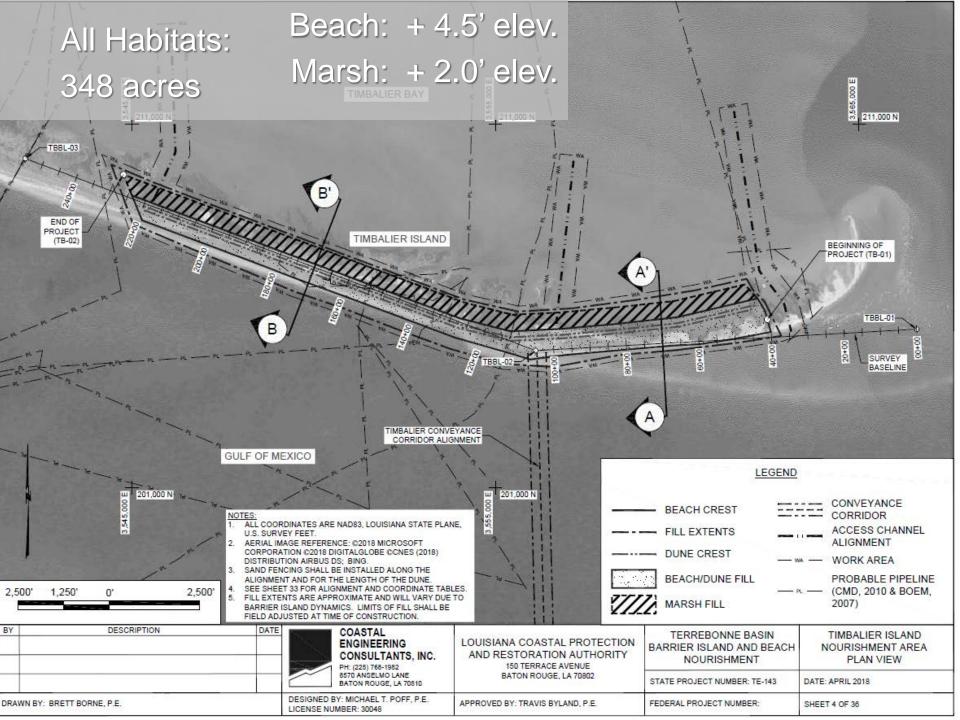
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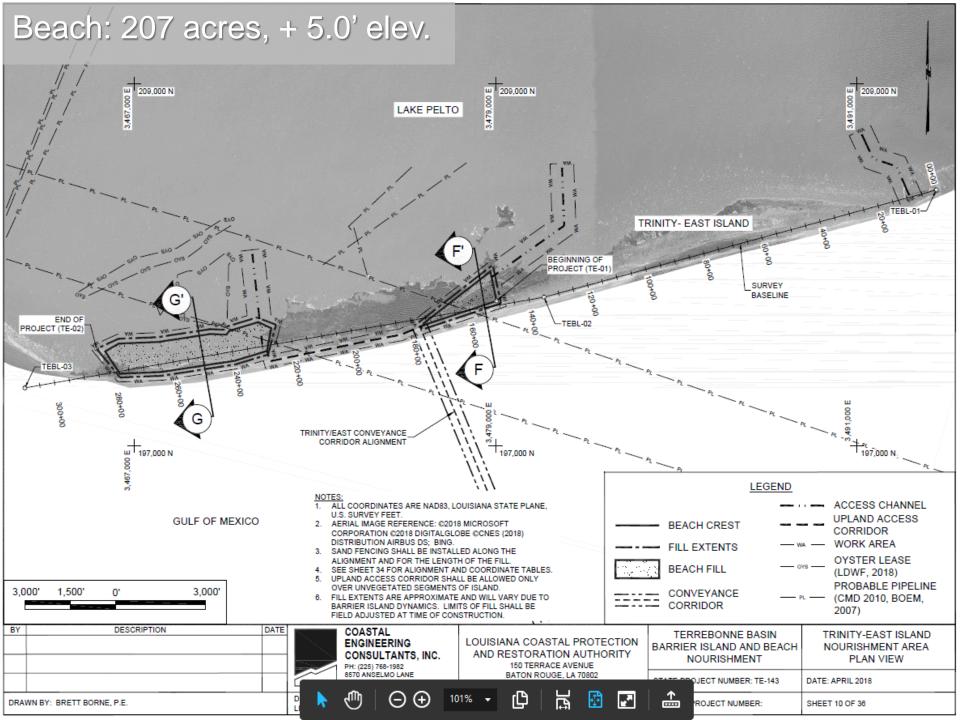


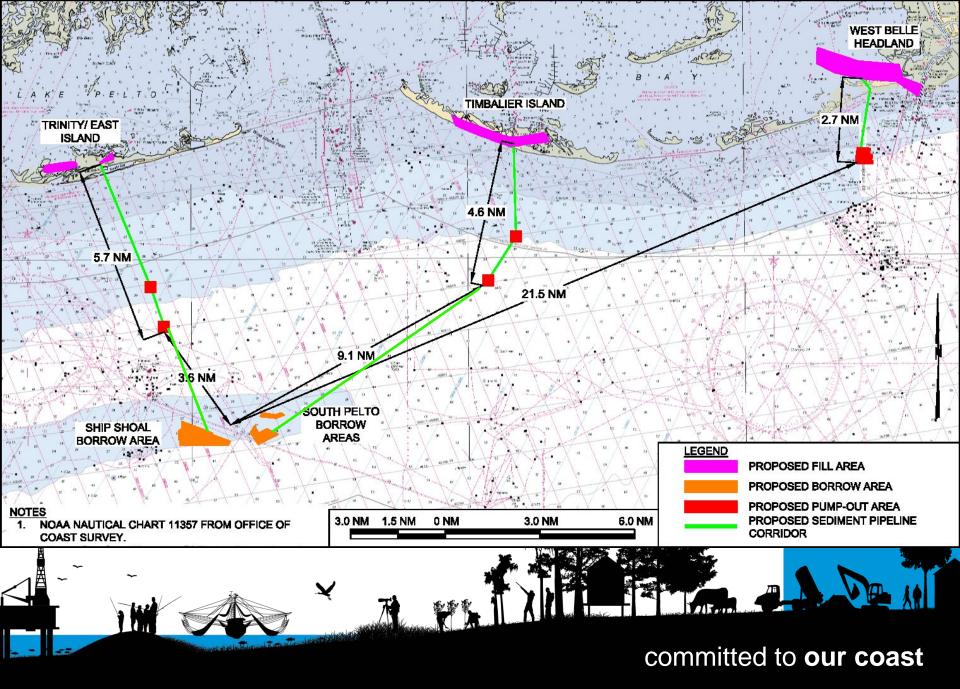


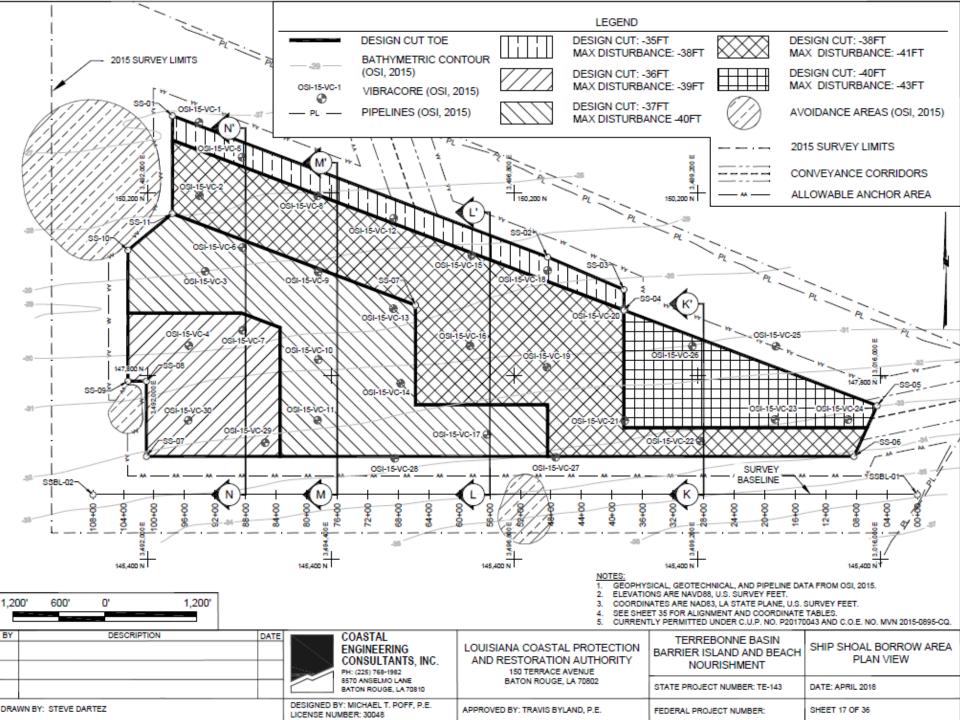


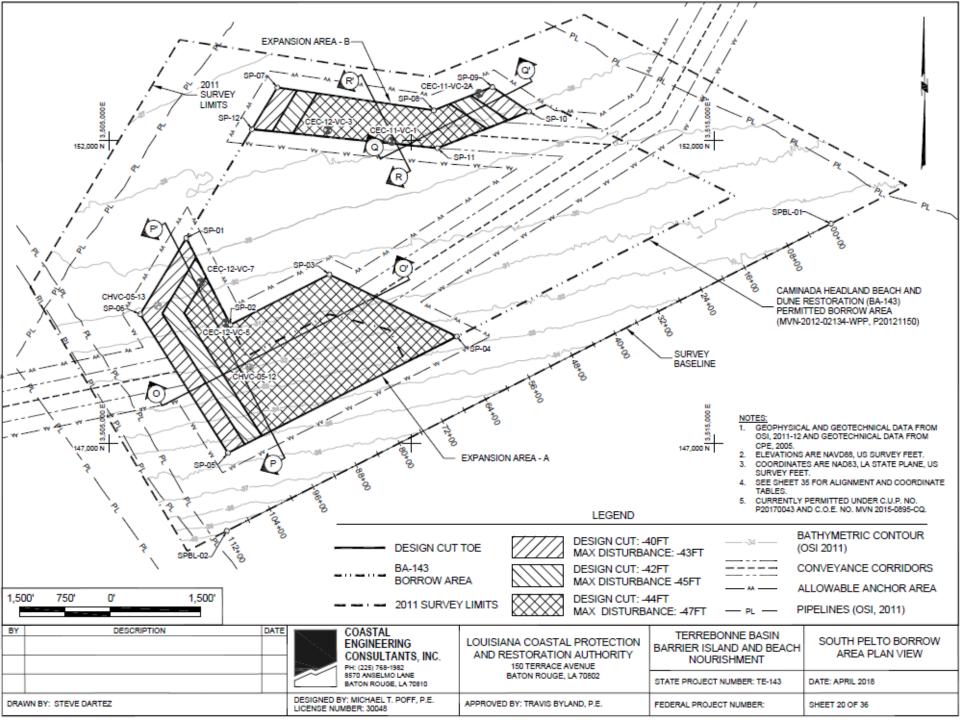








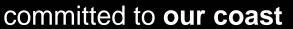




Monitoring and Adaptive Management

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- Topography/bathymetry
- Borrow area surveys (Y2 and Y4)
- Vegetation Surveys
- Habitat Mapping
- Shoreline Position Surveys
- Sediment Characteristics
- Benthic Surveys
- Wintering Bird Surveys,



Barrier Island Renourishment Program

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Systematic approach to categorizing, prioritizing, selecting, and funding future projects

- Develop framework
- Formalize structured decision making process
- Prepare action plan





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