

# West Bank & Vicinity



## Location

The project is located on the West Bank of the Mississippi River within the Greater New Orleans Area.

## Project Overview

This project provides 100-year protection levels and is part of the Greater New Orleans Hurricane Storm Damage Risk Reduction System. It provides protection to approximately 123 total square miles in the form of 57 miles of levees and 13 miles of floodwalls that comprise the perimeter, and 25 miles of interior levees that now serve as a retention basin.

## Issue Addressed

Risk reduction measures are needed for the protection of vulnerable communities, businesses, and infrastructure.

## Project Benefits

Project provides risk reduction measures for the protection of vulnerable communities, businesses, and infrastructure in St. Charles, Jefferson, Orleans, and Plaquemines Parishes.



## Project Information

### Project Type(s):

Structural Risk Reduction

### Project ID:

BA-0066

### Basins:

Barataria

### Funding Program(s):

HSDRRS

### Project Phase:

Construction

### Parish(es):

Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Charles

### Estimated Cost:

\$4.3 billion

## Project Benefits



### Risk Reduction:

- 76 miles of levee improved



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