

Implementation Update

BREN HAASE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



109 ACTIVE PROJECTS

42

66

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<i>PROJECT TYPE</i>	CONSTRUCTION	E & D	PLANNING
HURRICANE PROTECTION (32)	16	14	2
MARSH CREATION (40)	13	27	
RIDGE RESTORATION (4)	1	3	
SHORELINE PROTECTION (9)	3	6	
BARRIER ISLANDS/HEADLANDS (3)		3	
DIVERSIONS (4)	1	3	
HYDROLOGIC RESTORATION (6)	2	4	
OYSTER BARRIER REEF (1)	1		
RECREATIONAL USE (5)	4	1	
OTHER (7)	1	5	1



FRESHWATER BAYOU SHORELINE PROTECTION
Vermilion Parish



FRESHWATER BAYOU SHORELINE PROTECTION

Vermilion Parish

Attakapas
District Wildlife
Management
Area

Atchafalaya



Project Site



State Wildlife
Refuge

Marsh





FRESHWATER BAYOU SHORELINE PROTECTION

Vermilion Parish

7,500+

*Linear feet of
foreshore rock dike*



**\$3.6 MILLION
STATE**





FRESHWATER BAYOU
SHORELINE PROTECTION

VIDEO



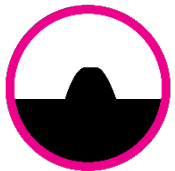
FRESHWATER BAYOU SHORELINE PROTECTION

Vermilion Parish

30 JOBS

*NOT INCLUDING
GOVERNMENT WORKERS*

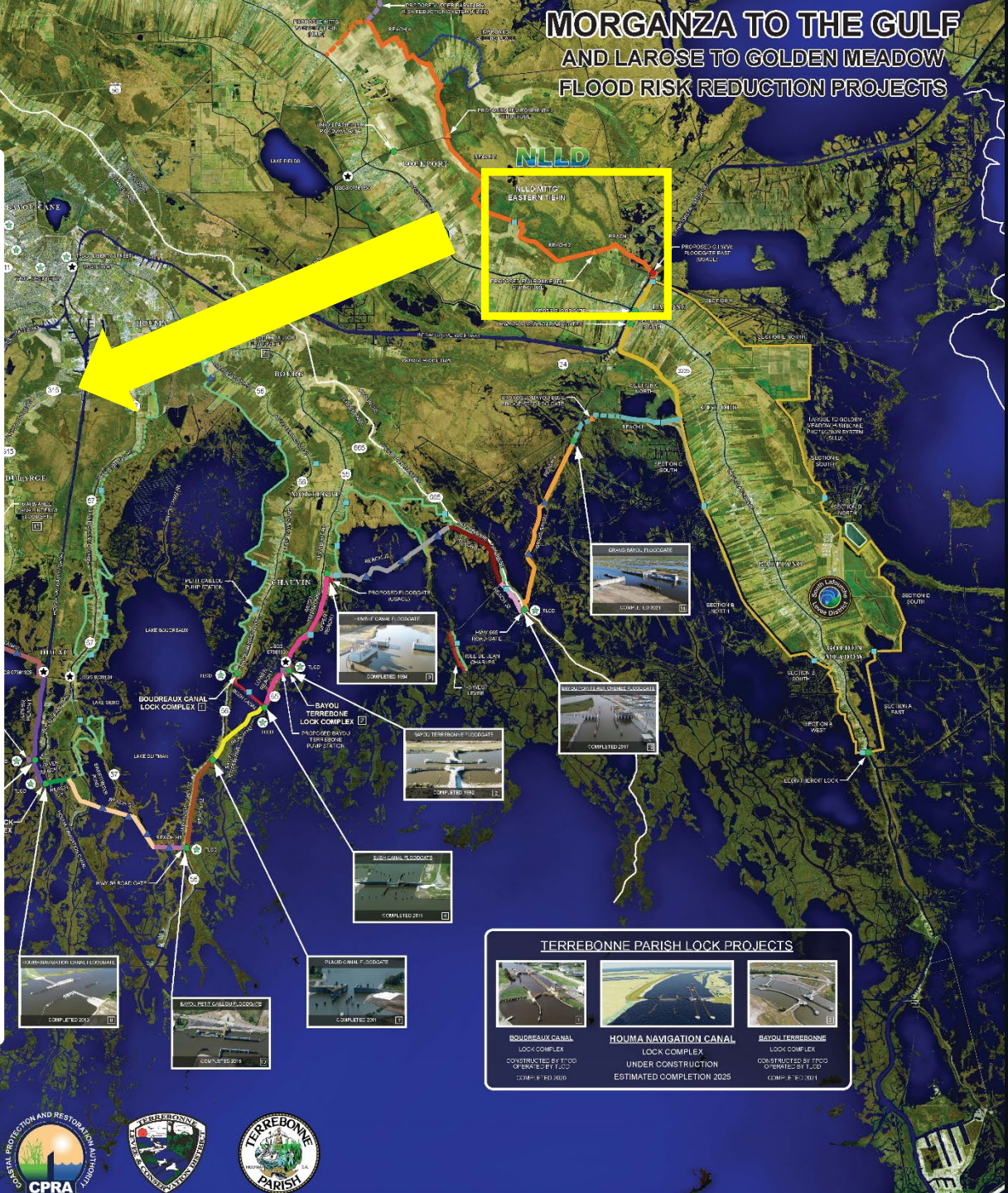




NORTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE IMPROVEMENTS




Lafourche Parish

MORGANZA TO THE GULF AND LAROSE TO GOLDEN MEADOW FLOOD RISK REDUCTION PROJECTS

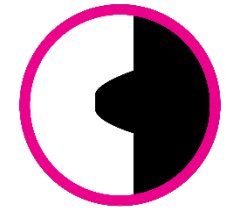


- NUMBERED LOCK LEVEL
- PARISH LOCKS/WEIR
- TUG/PCB MONITORING STATION
- JESS MONITORING STATION

TERREBONNE PARISH LOCK PROJECTS

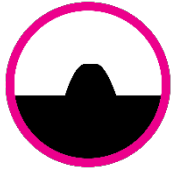
 BOUDREAU CANAL LOCK COMPLEX CONSTRUCTION SET TO OPERATE BY FY2022 COMP. EST. 2022	 HOUMA NAVIGATION CANAL LOCK COMPLEX UNDER CONSTRUCTION ESTIMATED COMPLETION 2025	 BAYOU TERREBONNE LOCK COMPLEX CONSTRUCTION SET TO OPERATE BY FY2021 COMP. EST. 2021
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**NORTH LAFOURCHE
LEVEE IMPROVEMENTS**

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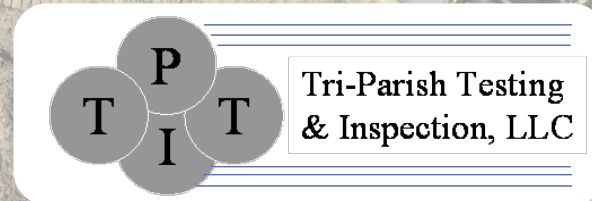


NORTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE IMPROVEMENTS

Lafourche Parish

70 JOBS

*NOT INCLUDING
GOVERNMENT WORKERS*



SPANISH PASS CELEBRATION

Plaquemines Parish



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SEE THIS WEEK'S WALT HANDELSMAN CARTOON CAPTION CONTEST WINNER 58

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Jefferson Parish Council eyes projects

Flush with millions, members target spending, needs around districts



STAFF PHOTOS BY CHRIS GRANGER

A pipe transporting sand crosses an area just west of Venice that was covered in water about a year ago. Trees and plants are taking root in this new soil at Spanish Pass. About 6 miles of land has been restored in the area thanks to the 2017 Coastal Master Plan. State, parish and other officials, top right, gather to celebrate this land building on Friday.

Protecting the coast

Six-mile stretch of land hailed as regional buffer against storm surge

BY TRISTAN SAURICK
Staff writer

Plaquemines Parish President Keith Hinkley veered off the road in Venice and drove for 2 miles on a sandy spit lined with freshly planted trees. "Look at this," he said, opening a GPS map on his phone. "Right now, it shows us in the middle of the bay."

Not long ago, this spot was open water surrounded by rapidly disappearing marsh. But after piping in two Superdome's worth of Mississippi River sediment, the state Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority has created nearly 1,700 acres of freshly formed land extending about 6 miles into Yellow Cotton Bay.

The new land replicates one of the low natural ridges that once gave structure and stability to much of Louisiana's soft, marshy coastline. Many of these ridges, which were stable enough to support oak trees, have eroded away along with more than 2,000 square miles of land in the state's coastal parishes since the 1930s.

"This project means the communities around here will be here in the future," Keith Hinkley, Plaquemines Parish president



Gov. John Bel Edwards, left, and Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority Chairman Chip Kline stand on recently created land Friday. The land was created due to the Barataria Basin Ridge and Marsh Creation Project, west of Venice at Spanish Pass.

Gov. John Bel Edwards. "Nine parishes will benefit," said Edwards, who flew by helicopter to attend a Friday morning ribbon-cutting for what's known as the Spanish Pass project. "This is literally going to protect our way of life."

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heating up

Colleagues face off in governor, House, Senate matchups

RESTORING BRETON ISLAND

Completion of Restoration



An aerial photograph of a coastal landscape. The foreground shows a dark blue body of water, possibly a lagoon or bay, with a small white boat visible. The middle ground features a strip of green, vegetated land with a winding path or canal. To the right, a sandy beach meets the ocean. The background is a vast expanse of blue water under a clear sky with a few small clouds. The word "VIDEO" is superimposed in large, bold, white, sans-serif capital letters across the center of the image.

VIDEO



\$40.3 MILLION

For projects in Louisiana

<p>\$14.9 Million</p> <p>National Marine Sanctuary Foundation</p> <p><i>High-Impact and Large Marine Debris Removal throughout the National Marine Sanctuary System</i></p>	<p>\$7.7 Million</p> <p>Gulf of Mexico Alliance</p> <p><i>Coordinated Large Marine Debris Removal in the Gulf of Mexico</i></p>	<p>\$4.9 Million</p> <p>Restore America's Estuaries</p> <p><i>Gulf of Mexico Community-based Oyster Recycling and Reef Restoration Network</i></p>	<p>\$4.5 Million</p> <p>Jefferson Parish</p> <p><i>Bucktown Marsh Restoration and Living Shoreline</i></p>
<p>\$4 Million</p> <p>Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries</p> <p><i>Coastal Land Conservation at Rockefeller Wildlife Refuge - Cameron Parish, Louisiana</i></p>	<p>\$1 Million</p> <p>Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government:</p> <p><i>Restoring Louisiana Marshes: Protecting Sacred Sites, Increasing Tribal Resilience, and Reducing Flood Risk</i></p>	<p>\$822,000</p> <p>The Water Institute of the Gulf</p> <p><i>Enhancing Resilience of Southeast Louisiana's Asian American Fisherfolk Communities</i></p>	<p>\$737,000</p> <p>Wayti Services, LLC</p> <p><i>Caad Kuujaamnix/Bayou Sale Living Shoreline Design</i></p>
<p>\$715,000</p> <p>Coalition to Restore Coastal Louisiana</p> <p><i>Restoring Resilience Through Central Wetlands Reforestation Collective</i></p>	<p>\$490,000</p> <p>City of New Orleans</p> <p><i>Bayou Bienvenue Wetlands Triangle Habitat Restoration - Planning and Design</i></p>	<p>\$299,000</p> <p>Louisiana Sea Grant</p> <p><i>Fostering Community Partnership and Understanding Financial Vulnerabilities to Reduce Marine Debris and Enhance Louisiana's Resilience to Disaster</i></p>	<p>\$295,000</p> <p>Louisiana Sea Grant</p> <p><i>Consider Litter: Data-Driven, Community-Centered Marine Debris Prevention and Mitigation</i></p>

COASTAL DAY 2023 - April 24th



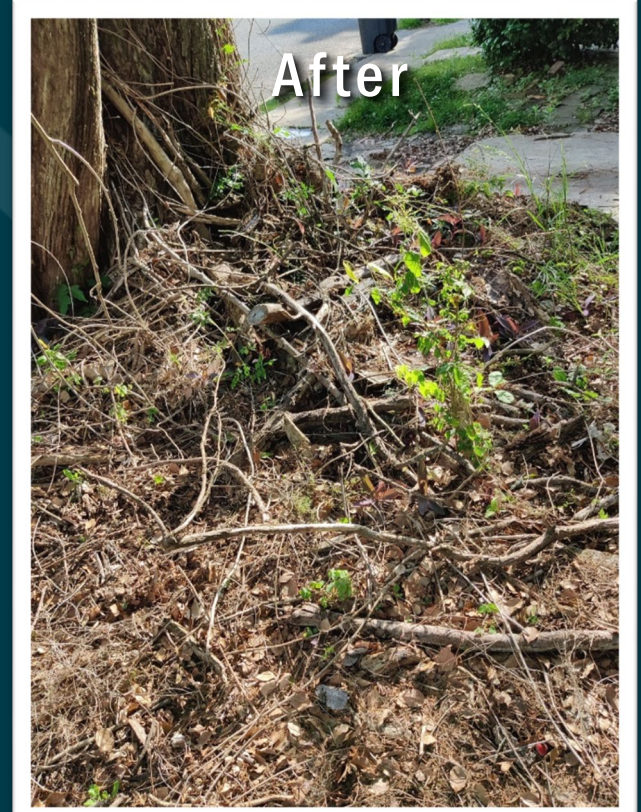
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- Coastal Construction Project Forecast – CPRA Led
- Coastal Construction Project Forecast – Partner Led
- CPRA Contracting Overview and Update
- CRMS Sites Capture Coastal Change – Insights from Louisiana’s Coastwide Reference Monitoring System
- Master Plan Data Viewer and Data Accessibility
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