

FACT SHEET  
**Manatee County, FL BEC**  
Construction (C)  
Congressional District: 14, 16

**1. DESCRIPTION**

The project area is located just south of Egmont Key at the entrance to Tampa Harbor. Section 201, Public Law 98-298, authorized the project for construction. The Manatee County Shore Protection Project provides for 4.7 miles of initial beach fill and periodic nourishment along Anna Maria Island. The project dimensions provide a berm 75 feet wide at elevation 5 feet above mean low water and a natural seaward slope shaped by wave action. Initial construction consisting of 2.6 million cubic yards of beach fill along 3.2 miles of shorefront was completed in March 1993 by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

**2. FUNDING**

Estimated Total Cost	\$ 98,400,000
Estimated Federal Cost	53,500,000
Allocation thru FY14	18,061,587
Allocation for FY15	0
President's Budget FY16	0

**3. SPONSOR**

Manatee County Board of County Commissioners  
202 6th Avenue  
East Bradenton, Florida 34208

**4. STATUS**

The second periodic nourishment of Anna Maria Island was completed in April 2014. The Corps performed this event due to impacts encountered by Tropical Storm Debby. Approximately 900K cubic yards of material was placed.

*Tampa Bay*

# *Manatee County*



## **Manatee County Shore Protection Project (SPP)**



**ANNA MARIA ISLAND**

**MANATEE RIVER**

**BRADENTON**

**LONGBOAT PASS**

**LONGBOAT KEY**

**SARASOTA COUNTY**

*Gulf of Mexico*

