# JACKSONVILLE HARBOR MILE POINT Duval County, Florida Industry Day Presentation

November 13, 2014



# AGENDA

Opening Remarks (10:00 – 10:05) Technical Presentation (10:05 – 10:35) Break (10:35 – 10:45) Discussion/Q&A (10:45 – 11:15) Closing Remarks (11:15 – 11:25)





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### **TOPICS OF DISCUSSION**

- 1) Project Overview Jason Harrah, Project Manager
- 2) Engineering Aspects Steve Conger, Lead Engineer
  - West Leg Training Wall
  - Geo-textile Tubes
  - Flow Improvement Channel
  - East Leg Training Wall
  - Existing Training Wall Demolition
  - Sequencing of Work (USCG, etc.)
  - Height Restrictions (Navy Flight Path)

- 3) Coast Guard Range Towers Mike Tomasi, AtoN Officer, USCG
- 4) Environmental Monitoring Paul Stodola, Biologist Mike Hollingsworth, Biologist
- 5) Procurement Strategy Tedra Thompson, Contract Specialist
- 6) Schedule(Jason Harrah, Project Manager)
- 7) Small Business Opportunities Beth Myers, Small Business Deputy
- 8) Discussion/Questions



### **JACKSONVILLE HARBOR MILE POINT**



### **MILE POINT PROJECT PURPOSE**

Eliminate or reduce difficult crosscurrents at the confluence of the IWW and the St. Johns River at ebb tide:

- Navigation Restrictions during the ebb tide on vessels transiting with a draft >33 feet or 34 feet depending upon the vessel type
- Concerns about how the crosscurrents impact the Mile Point shoreline





#### **MILE POINT: THE BOTTOM LINE**







**Economic Costs** (tidal delays to reach terminals)

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Authorization: ".... in the interest of navigation and related purposes, with particular reference to erosion of the Mile Point shoreline."

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#### ENGINEERING Steve Conger Lead Engineer

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#### MILE POINT TRAINING WALL **RELOCATION/RECONFIGURATION**

**Existing Training Wall** 

**Training Wall Removal** (western ~3110 feet)

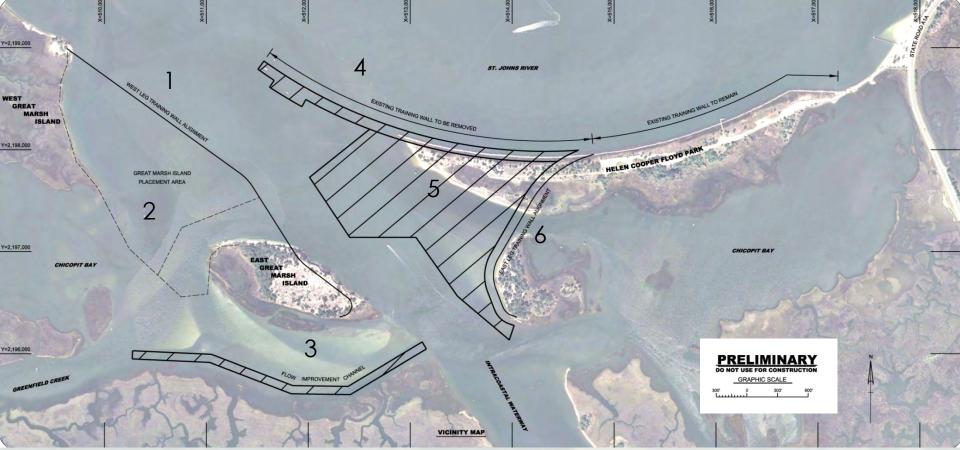
**New Training Wall** (western leg ~4250 feet; relocated eastern leg ~2050 feet)

**Great Marsh Island Restoration** (beneficial use of dredged material)

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**Flow Improvement Channel** (~80 feet wide, ~6 feet deep, ~3623 feet length)

### PROJECT FEATURES OVERVIEW



- 1: West Leg Training Wall
- 2: Material Placement Area
- 3: Flow Improvement Channel
- 4: Existing Training Wall Demolition
- 5: Main Dredging Area
- 6: East Leg Training Wall

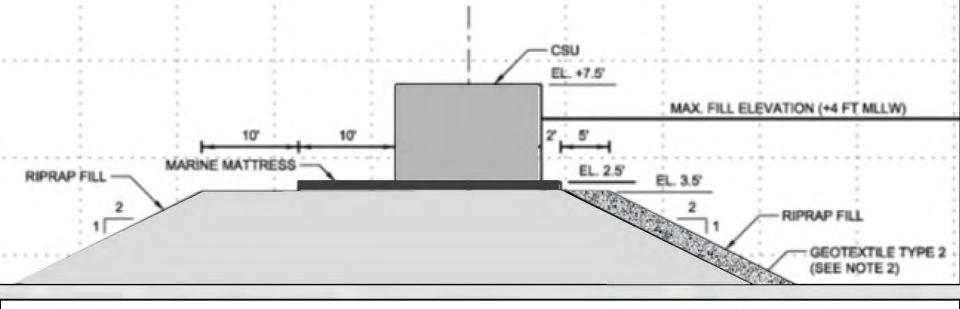


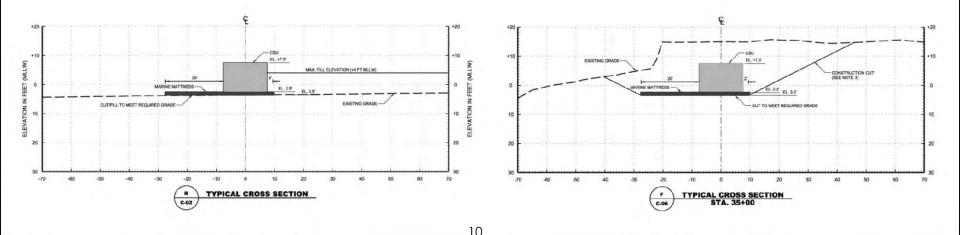




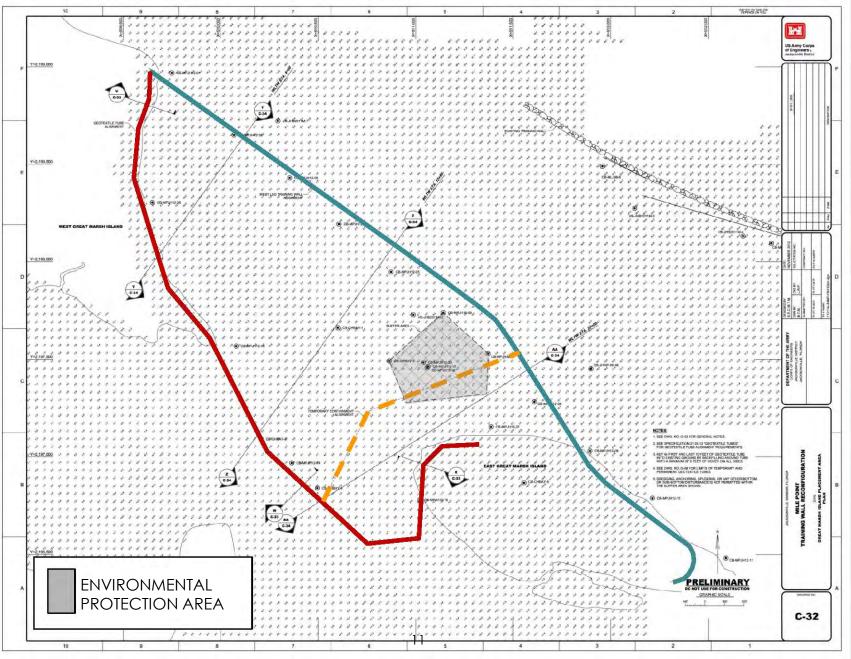
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### (2) MATERIAL PLACEMENT AREA



#### MARSH DEVELOPMENT WITH GEOTUBE CONTAINMENT

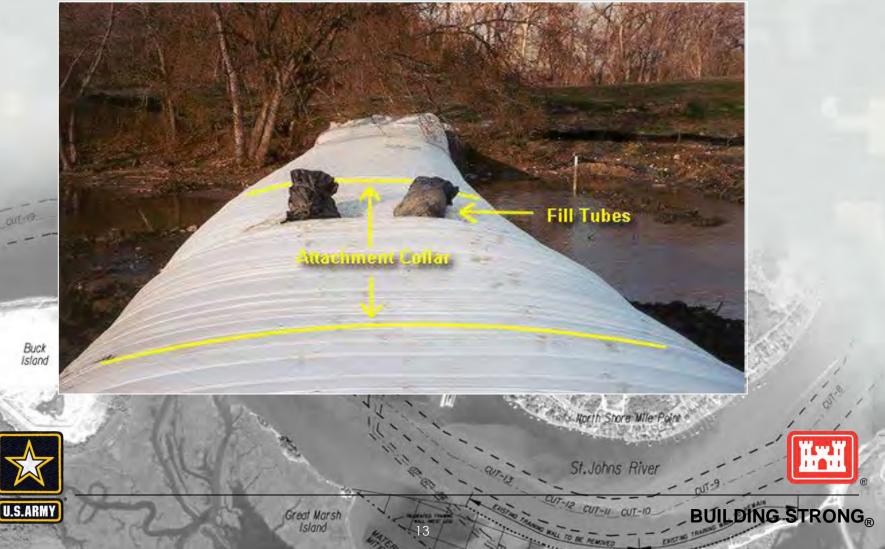
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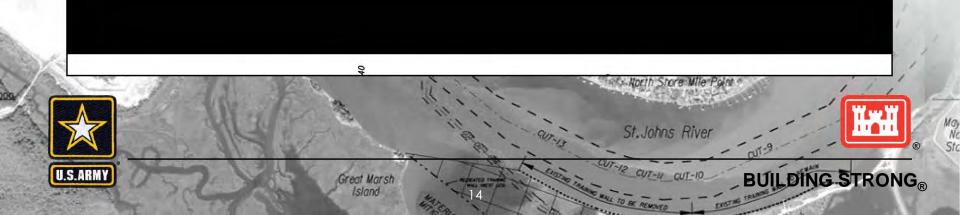


#### MITIGATION CONTAINMENT ALTERNATIVES AQUA-DAM WATER CONTAINMENT APPLICATIONS

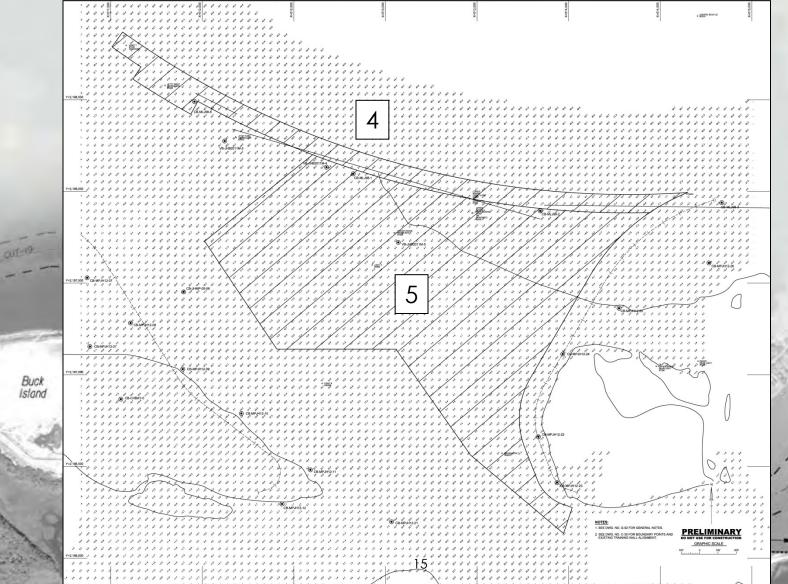


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### (3) FLOW IMPROVEMENT CHANNEL

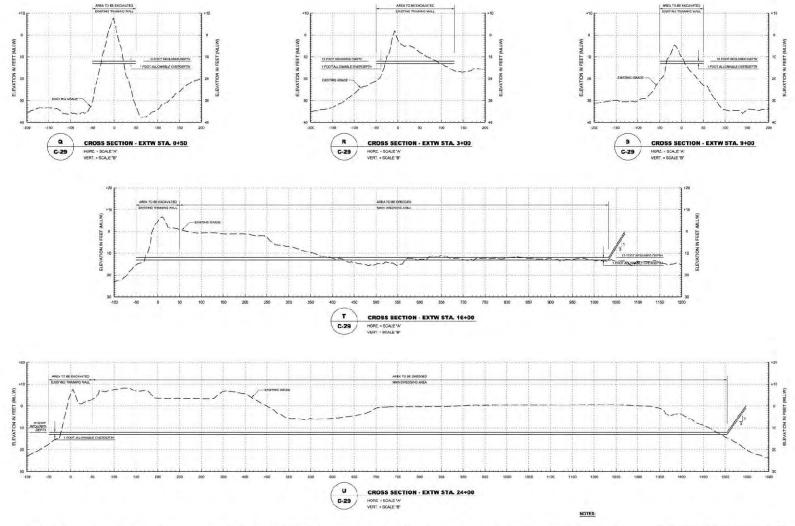


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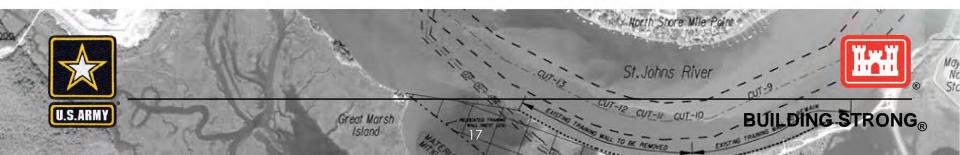
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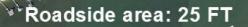
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### (6) EAST LEG TRAINING WALL



### **HEIGHT RESTRICTIONS DISCUSSION**



Narrow area 36 FT

All areas west of parking: 150 FT

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Parking area: 150 FT

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120 FT

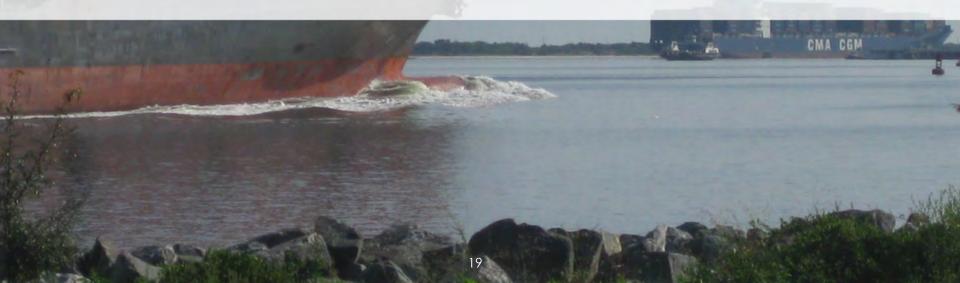
Pier: 120 FT

Airspace Height Restrictions

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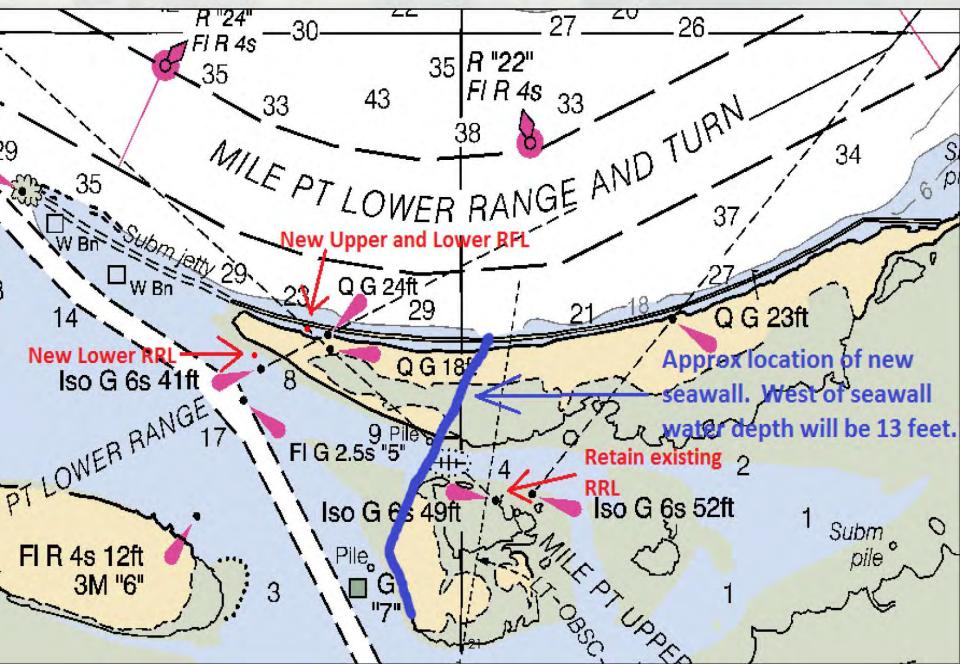
#### COAST GUARD RANGE TOWERS Mike Tomasi, AtoN Officer USCG Sector Jacksonville



#### CURRENT MILE POINT UPPER AND LOWER RANGE FRONT LIGHT



**PROPOSED SITE PLAN FOR MILE POINT RANGES** 



### **PROPOSED RANGE DESIGN**



# ENVIRONMENTAL

Paul Stodola Senior Biologist (NEPA Lead)

Mike Hollingsworth Senior Biologist (Permit Lead)



### **ENVIRONEMNTAL COMPLIANCE**



EA prepared and coordinated (Includes mitigation plan)



**ESA coordination completed** 



SHPO coordination completed



Coordination on Section 401 WQC completed







### **ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING**

#### Turbidity

 Standard 29 NTUs over background

#### **Endangered Species**

- Manatees
- Sea Turtles
- Sturgeon

#### **Migratory Birds**

#### WATER QUALITY PERMIT SITE:

http://www.saj.usace.army.mil/About/Divisions Offices/Planning/EnvironmentalBranch/ EnvironmentalCompliance.aspx#Duval







### PROCUREMENT STRATEGY Tedra Thompson, Contract Specialist



# **COMPETITIVE ACQUISITION**

#### **Best Value Continuum**

- Award will be made based on the best overall (i.e., best value) proposal that is deemed most beneficial to the Government, with appropriate consideration given to the evaluation factors
- To receive consideration for award, a rating of no less than "Acceptable" must be achieved for the Technical Merit factor





# **COMPETITIVE ACQUISITION**

#### **Best Value Continuum**

- This process permits Tradeoffs among cost/price and non-cost factors and allows the Government to accept other than the lowest priced proposal
- Offerors are cautioned that the award may not necessarily be made to the lowest priced offer
  - Award could be made to other than lowest priced offeror
  - Award could be made to other than highest technically rated offeror





### PROJECT SCHEDULE Jason Harrah, Project Manager



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# **PROJECT SCHEDULE**

- Key Dates (tentative dates)
  - Dec 2014: Synopsis/Advertisement (subject to approval of key waivers by USACE)
  - Feb 2015: Award (subject to approval of key waivers by USACE)

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- Construction Duration: 18 months
- Cost Magnitude: \$25M-\$50M





#### **SMALL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES Beth Myers, Deputy Small Business**



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### **SMALL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES**

#### FAR 19.201 – Government policy

(a) It is the policy of the Government to provide maximum practicable opportunities in its acquisitions to small business, veteran-owned small business, service-disabled veteran-owned small business, HUBZone small business, small disadvantaged business, and women-owned small business concerns. Such concerns must also have the maximum practicable opportunity to participate as subcontractors in the contracts awarded by any executive agency, <u>consistent with efficient contract performance</u>.

- Small Business Participation
- Subcontracting Plan (Large Business concerns only)

#### FAR 19.701 "Subcontract"

Any agreement (other than one involving an employer-employee relationship) entered into by a Government prime contractor or subcontractor calling for supplies and/or services required for performance of the contract/or subcontract.





#### WHAT ACTIONS SHOULD OTHER THAN SMALL BUSINESS CONTRACTORS TAKE TO ENHANCE MAXIMUM PRACTICABLE OPPORTUNITY (MPO)?

Efforts to provide the maximum practicable subcontracting opportunities for small business concerns may include, as appropriate for the procurement, one or more of the following actions:

- Breaking out contract work requirements into economically feasible units, as appropriate, to facilitate small business participation
- Conducting market research to identify small business subcontractors and suppliers through all reasonable means, such as performing on-line searches on the Central Contractor Registration, posting Notices of Sources Sought and/or Requests for Proposal on SBA's SUB-Net, participating in business Matchmaking events, and attending pre-bid conferences
- Soliciting small business concerns as early in the acquisition process as practicable to allow them sufficient time to submit a timely offer for the subcontract
- Providing interested small businesses with adequate and timely information about the plans, specifications, and requirements for performance of the prime contract to assist them in submitting a timely offer for the subcontract



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Efforts to provide the maximum practicable subcontracting opportunities for small business concerns may include, as appropriate for the procurement, one or more of the following actions:

- Negotiating in good faith with interested small businesses
- Directing small businesses that need additional assistance to SBA
- Assisting interested small businesses in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, required insurance, necessary equipment, supplies, materials, or services
- Utilizing the available services of small business associations; local, state, and Federal small business assistance offices; and other organizations, and
- Participating in the formal mentor-protégé program with one or more small business protégés that results in developmental assistanceto the protégé(s)



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Additional actions may include:

- Advertising subcontracting opportunities in FedBizOpps
- Encouraging joint ventures
- Providing technical, management and financial training and counseling
- ► Keeping the playing field level, allowing all bidders equal time to respond
- Providing the same information to all prospective subcontractors at the same time
- Notifying SB, SDB, WOSB, VOSB, SD/VOSB, and HUBZone SB firms that trade union membership is not a FAR (contract) requirement but that payment of the Davis-Bacon prevailing wage rates is a FAR (contract) requirement, and
- Providing debriefings to unsuccessful small business offerors



# SMALL BUSINESS/SUB-CONTRACTING

#### Potential Opportunities exist for:

- Various environmental monitoring requirements (turbidity, endangered species, migratory birds, etc.)
- Hydrographic surveying
- Procurement & Delivery (i.e., stone)
- Geo-tubes
- West Leg Training Wall Concrete Structural Units
- Dredging (potential)
- Fuel Delivery





#### LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNITIES IN ALL THE RIGHT PLACES

#### System for Award Management

www.sam.gov

#### **Dynamic Small Business Search**

http://dsbs.sba.gov/dsbs/search/dsp\_dsbs.cfm

- SB firms keep profile current w/bonding, past performance, and capabilities
- LB/prime contractors can use many filters to locate SDB, HUBZone, WOSB, SDVOSB specific firms and their location

#### **FEDBIZOpps**

#### www.fbo.gov

SB firms register as an interested party for the solicitation





# **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Florida Procurement Technical Assistance Center http://www.fptac.org/contactus.htm

> Jacksonville District WebPages www.saj.usace.army.mil How do I contact Small Business? FY2015 Forecast Frequently Asked Questions





### **WORKING SAFELY ON THE RIVER**



Communication among all was critical for the successful completion of the drilling program. Ship traffic is extremely heavy throughout Jacksonville Harbor. Working near the channel takes tremendous coordination with the Bay Pilots and the Port.









# **CLOSING REMARKS**

#### http://www.saj.usace.army.mil/Missions/ **CivilWorks/Navigation/**





