JACKSONVILLE HARBOR (MILE POINT) NAVIGATION STUDY

Duval County, Florida

Feasibility Report and Environmental Assessment

Jacksonville Waterways Commission October 12, 2011





Study Purpose

- Eliminate or alleviate the crosscurrents occurring during the ebb flow at the confluence of the St. Johns River with the Intracoastal Waterway (IWW)
- Develop/evaluate alternative plans to reduce the effects of the crosscurrents on the Mile Point shoreline and restrictions to navigation for vessels transiting Jacksonville Harbor

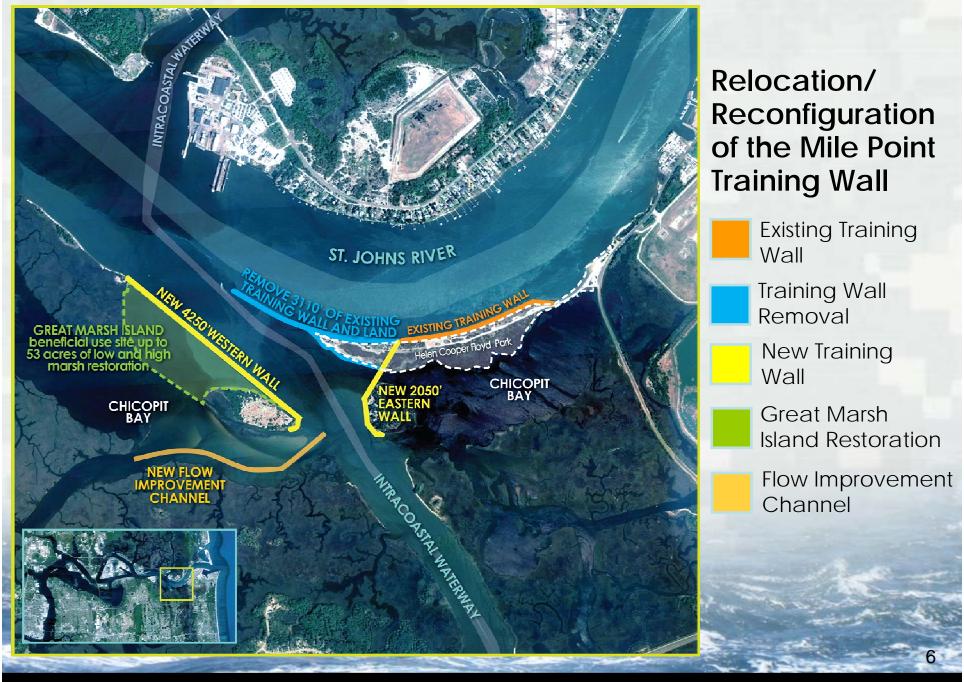


Mile Point Problems/Opportunities

- Difficult crosscurrents at the confluence of the IWW and the St. Johns River during the ebb tide result in:
- 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







Project Implementation

- Key Dates:
 - > July 2011: Public Coordination of Draft Report
 - October 2011: Division Engineer Transmittal Letter, Initiate Design
 - March 2012: Chief of Engineer's Report
 - 2013: Begin Construction Pending Authorization and Appropriations
- Construction Duration: 465 Days*
 - > 375 days: Construction of Relocated Training Wall (Phase I)
 - > 90 days: Great Marsh Island Final Grading (Phase II)
 - *Does not include 365 day material consolidation period between completion of Phase I and Phase II