Duval County Maritime Management Plan Recommendations



Waterway-Waterfront Activation Meeting February 8, 2018

Duval County Maritime Management Plan

- Planning Team (NEFRC, JU, UNF)
 - NEFRC
 - Margo Moehring, AICP, Policy Director
 - Jacksonville University
 - Dr. Quinton White, Executive Director, Marine Science Research Institute
 - Dr. Ashley Johnson, Faculty, Geography and the Environment
 - Dr. Ray Oldakowski, Director, Social Science Research Center
 - University of North Florida
 - Dr. David Lambert, Associate Professor and Director, UNF Environmental Center
 - Dr. Raphael Crowley, Assistant Professor, Construction Management

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Oversight

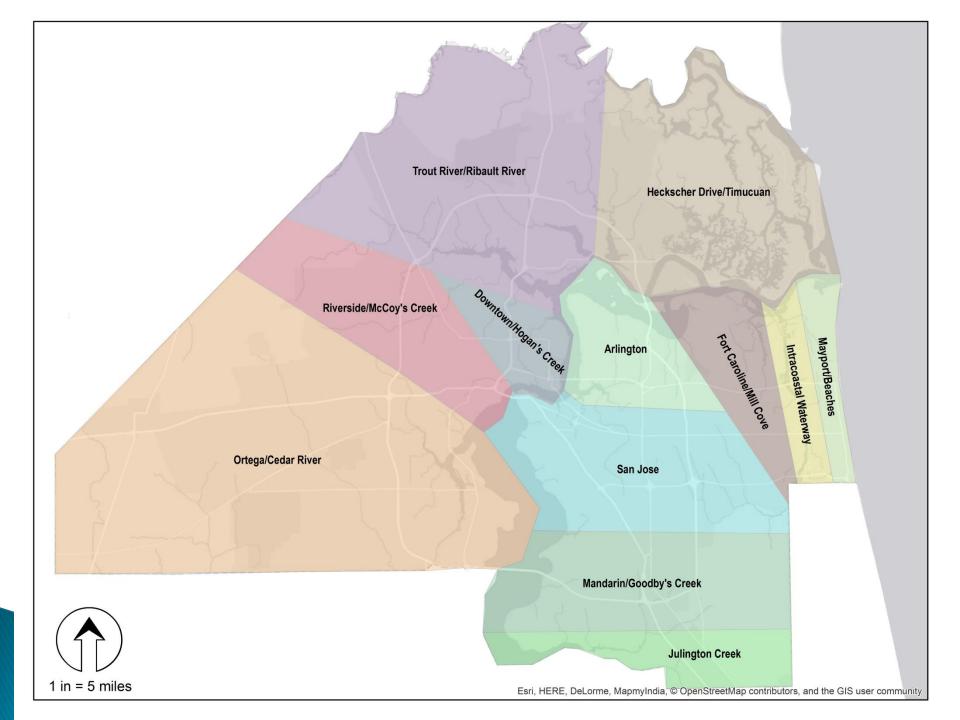
- Cities Team (Jacksonville, Beaches Communities, Baldwin)
- Jacksonville Parks, Recreation and Community Services
- Waterways Commission

Project Phases

- Research (Late 2015, Early 2016)
 - Approach, Kickoff, Survey, Public Discussion, Strategy for Facilities/Resources Assessment
- Assessment (Through 2016)
 - Facilities, Natural Resources, Economic Factors, Risk, Needs, Public Input
- Action Plan (2017, Early 2018)
 - Need/Opportunity/Cost/Benefit
 - Recommendations
 - Draft Action Plan and Public Comment
- Final Plan (Early 2018)
 - Final Plan
 - Expression of Approval by Waterways & all Local Governments
 - Approval by FIND

Plan Outline

- Intro and County Context
- Waterway Districts
- Existing Facilities and Assessments
- Mooring and Docking
- Waterways and Navigation Channels
- Waterfront Park and Facilities Expansion
- Waterways Transportation
- Waterfront Land Use and Working Waterfronts
- Economics
- Environment and Risk
- Public Input
- Overall Recommendations



Specific Recommendations

- City Sites: Existing Facilities, Parks and City owned Property
 - Sources: Team, Assessments, Public Input, Parks
- Private Opportunity Sites
 - Sources: GIS Site Review, Plans, Team, Public Input, Parks
- Other Public Sites
 - Sources: Team, Assessments, Plans, Public Input, Cities Team, State, NPS
 - Adding non-profit partnerships
- Draft lists are posted on Jaxboatplan.com
- Priorities will be added

Overall Recommendations

- Maintenance
- Focus on Waterway–Waterfront Activation
- Education on How to Preserve Waterways
- Importance of Resiliency in Planning and Design
- Preservation of Working Waterfront

