

RESTORE ACT Direct Component Multiyear Plan Matrix — Department of the Treasury										OMB Approval No. 1505-0250
Applicant Name:		St. Bernard Parish Government								
1. MULTIYEAR PLAN VERSION (INITIAL OR AMENDMENT NUMBER):		Amendment #4	2a. DATE OF INITIAL MULTIYEAR PLAN ACCEPTANCE (mm/dd/yyyy):			5/30/2017	2b. DATE OF LAST MULTIYEAR PLAN ACCEPTANCE:		11/4/2020	
3. CUMULATIVE DIRECT COMPONENT ALLOCATION AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION TO APPLICANT:			\$6,536,739.75			4. TOTAL ALLOCATIONS PLUS KNOWN FUNDS NOT YET DEPOSITED IN TRUST FUND FOR DIRECT COMPONENT:			\$10,812,508.00	
5. Primary Direct Component Eligible Activity Further Described in Application (Static Field)	6. Activity Title (Static Field)	7. Location (Static Field)	8. Estimated Total Funding Contributions For Proposed Activity(ies)(refer to Instructions)				9. Proposed Start Date mm/dd/yyyy	10. Proposed End Date mm/dd/yyyy	11. Status (refer to Instructions)	
			8a. Direct Component Contribution	8b. Other RESTORE Act Contribution	8c. Other Third Party Contribution	8d. Total Contribution				
Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Shell Beach Fishing Complex	Shell Beach, LA	\$1,624,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,624,000.00	05-2027	12-2027	Amendment #1 activity that was modified in Amendments #2 and #3, and is being modified in Amendment #4 to include updated proposed start and end dates	
Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Hopedale Fishing Complex	Hopedale, LA	\$1,000,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000,000.00	05-2027	12-2027	Initial MIP activity that was modified in Amendments #1, #2, and #3, and is being modified in Amendment #4 to include updated proposed start and end dates	
Restoration and protection of the natural resources, ecosystems, fisheries, marine and wildlife habitats, beaches, and coastal wetlands of the Gulf Coast Region	Lake Lery Marsh Creation (Phase 2)	Delacroix, LA	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	\$2,700,000.00	\$3,000,000.00	08-2019	06-2026	Initial MIP activity that was modified in Amendments #1 and #2 and is being modified in Amendment #4 to include an updated proposed end date	
Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Paris Road Corridor Streetscape Enhancement	Chalmette, LA	\$1,289,640.33	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,289,640.33	03-2018	12-2023	Initial MIP activity that was modified in Amendment #2	
Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Paris Road Corridor Streetscape Enhancement	Chalmette, LA	\$695,312.75	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$695,312.75	03-2018	03-2025	Amendment #4- Budget increase and scope of work modification	
Workforce development and job creation	Nunez Community College Workforce Development Program	Chalmette, LA	\$325,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$325,000.00	01-2018	12-2025	Initial MIP activity that was modified in Amendments #2 and #3	
Workforce development and job creation	Nunez Community College Workforce Development Program	Chalmette, LA	\$195,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$195,000.00	01-2018	12-2025	Amendment #4- Budget increase, scope of work modification, updated end date	
Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Central Wetlands Unit Pedestrian Bridge	Chalmette, LA	\$1,000,000.00	\$0.00	\$4,000,000.00	\$5,000,000.00	06-2025	05-2026	Amendment #1 activity that was modified in Amendments #2 and #3	

Infrastructure projects benefitting the economy or ecological resources, including port infrastructure	Central Wetlands Unit Pedestrian Bridge	Chalmette, LA	\$452,573.60	\$0.00	\$1,810,294.40	\$2,262,868.00	06-2025	05-2026	Amendment #4- Budget increase, third party contribution increase, updated start and end dates
Restoration and protection of the natural resources, ecosystems, fisheries, marine and wildlife habitats, beaches, and coastal wetlands of the Gulf Coast Region	Bayou Terre aux Boeufs Ridge Armoring	Delacroix, LA	\$1,300,178.40	\$1,300,000.00	\$2,600,000.00	\$5,200,178.40	07-2021	12-2024	Amendment #3 activity
Restoration and protection of the natural resources, ecosystems, fisheries, marine and wildlife habitats, beaches, and coastal wetlands of the Gulf Coast Region	Bayou Terre aux Boeufs Ridge Armoring	Delacroix, LA	-\$865,338.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$865,338.40	06-2021	12-2026	Amendment #4- Direct Component budget decrease, total budget decrease, and updated end date
Promotion of tourism in the Gulf Coast Region, including recreational fishing	Islenos Community Archive at Nunez Community College	Chalmette, LA	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100,000.00	01-2022	12-2025	Amendment #3 activity that is being modified in Amendment #4 to include a new proposed end date
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	12. ESTIMATED TOTAL FUNDING CONTRIBUTIONS FOR ACTIVITY(IES) (refer to Instructions)		\$7,416,366.68	\$1,300,000.00	\$11,110,294.40	\$19,826,661.08	Please note: Grant awards may reflect non-material changes in proposed dates and estimated funding.		

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 1505-0250. Comments concerning the time required to complete this information collection, including the time to review instructions, search existing data resources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information, should be directed to the Department of the Treasury, Office of Gulf Coast Restoration, 1500 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20220.

RESTORE ACT Direct Component Multiyear Implementation Plan Narrative

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Directions: Use this form for the Initial Multiyear Implementation Plan and any subsequent amendments to an accepted Multiyear Implementation Plan. For amendments, include only new and/or materially modified activities.

Multiyear Implementation Plan Version (Initial or Amendment Number):	Amendment #4
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Eligible Entity Name:	St. Bernard Parish Government
Name and Contact Information of the Person to be contacted (POC) on matters concerning this Multiyear Implementation Plan:	
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:
1. Please provide the following for EACH proposed activity (i.e. project or program) listed in the matrix: -Description of the proposed activity (i.e. project or program); - If the activity includes third-party funding, describe the amount and current status of funding (e.g., for another grant, whether the funds have been requested or awarded; if requested, where they are in the approval process) from other sources and provide a description of the specific portion of the project to be funded by the RESTORE Act Direct Component; - Need (i.e., What is the problem this activity seeks to address, or the anticipated benefit to the community?); -Purpose and objective(s) (i.e., How will the proposed activity address the need? What are the desired outcomes?); -Anticipated milestones (i.e. What are key phases and milestones by which the entity will monitor progress towards completion?); -Milestones for each activity -Criteria applicant will use to evaluate the success of each activity (project or program), (i.e., How will the entity determine that the activity achieved its objectives and solved or ameliorated the problem the activity(project or

program) sought to address or provided the anticipated benefits? Note that this does not need to be at the level of proposed performance metrics, which will be negotiated with Treasury at the time of application for an award.) Please also provide **either** a) an individual map of each and every proposed activity listed on the matrix, clearly showing the location of the activity or b) a single map showing all proposed activities listed on the matrix. Note that all proposed activities must be carried out in the Gulf Coast Region, as defined by 31 C.F.R. 34.2 and pursuant to 31 CFR 34.201, except activities designed for the promotion of tourism in the Gulf Coast Region, including promotion of recreational fishing; the promotion of the consumption of seafood harvested from the Gulf Coast Region; and planning assistance.

Shell Beach Recreational Fishing Complex

Description: The proposed project includes property acquisition, engineering and design, and construction of a recreational fishing complex in Shell Beach. Project elements include a pier; bulkhead; parking lot; and restroom. The facility will be constructed on publicly owned property in eastern St. Bernard Parish and will be operated by SBPG in perpetuity. There will be no third-party funding for the proposed project and SBPG anticipates a Direct Component budget of \$1,624,000. The breakdown of this proposed request is as follows: \$250,000 for property acquisition (maximum allowance for fair market value); \$130,000 for engineering and design; and \$1,244,000 for construction.

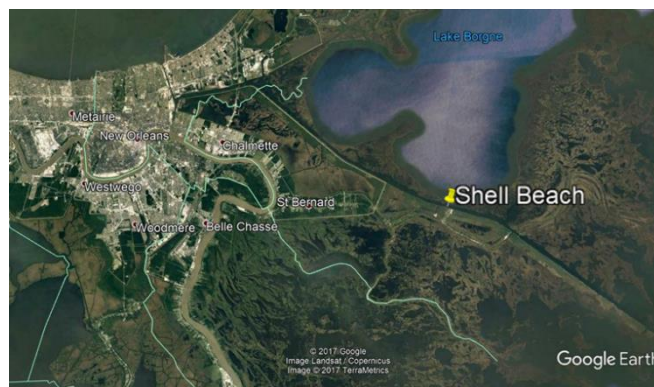
Need: Recreational fishing piers are needed in eastern St. Bernard Parish to provide a space for locals and tourists to safely fish and/or enjoy the natural environment while remaining at a safe distance from area highways. This deficiency has had the effect of limiting economic opportunities in eastern St. Bernard Parish.

Purpose: The proposed project includes the construction of a recreational fishing complex in the Shell Beach area. Site selection for the improvements is ongoing and will be based on the location and availability of waterfront property and the likelihood of public utility and economic benefits. Once site selection and property acquisition are finalized and the project is designed and constructed, SBPG believes the improvements will be invaluable tools for the promotion of ecotourism and the consumption of Gulf seafood in eastern St. Bernard Parish.

Milestones: Property acquisition; 100% design; begin construction; complete construction; and project monitoring.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed project is to design and construct a recreational fishing complex in the Shell Beach area. The complex would include a pier; bulkhead; parking lot; and restroom. Once constructed, the facilities would be operated and maintained by SBPG in perpetuity for the purpose of enhancing economic opportunities in eastern St. Bernard Parish. Facility utilization and economic impact will be used to gauge project performance.

Shell Beach Project Location



Hopedale Recreational Fishing Complex

Description: The proposed project includes the design and construction of a recreational fishing complex and public seafood market in Hopedale. Project elements include a pier; bulkhead; parking lot; restroom; and pavilion. The site will function as both a recreational fishing area and public seafood market. The facility will be constructed on publicly owned or leased property in eastern St. Bernard Parish and will be operated by SBPG in perpetuity. There will be no third-party funding for the proposed project and SBPG anticipates a Direct Component budget of \$1,000,000. The breakdown of this proposed request is as follows: \$100,000 for property acquisition (maximum allowance for fair market value); \$130,000 for engineering and design; and \$770,000 for construction.

Need: Recreational fishing piers are needed in St. Bernard Parish to provide a space for locals and tourists to fish and enjoy the natural environment while remaining a safe distance from area highways. Additionally, the parish is currently lacking available space for commercial fishermen to engage in the direct-to-market sale of fresh seafood. Deficiencies in recreational fishing infrastructure and the lack of a public seafood market have had the effect of limiting economic opportunities in St. Bernard Parish.

Purpose: The proposed project includes the construction of a recreational fishing pier and public seafood market/pavilion complex in the Hopedale area. Site selection for the improvements is ongoing and will be based on the location and availability of waterfront property and the likelihood of public utility and economic benefits. Once site selection is finalized and the project is designed and constructed, SBPG believes the improvements will be invaluable tools for the promotion of ecotourism and the consumption of Gulf seafood in eastern St. Bernard Parish.

Milestones: Property acquisition; 100% design; begin construction; complete construction; and project monitoring.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed project is to design and construct a recreational fishing pier and public seafood market/pavilion complex in the Hopedale area. The fishing pier and public seafood market/pavilion complex would include a pier, covered pavilion, restroom, and parking lot. Once constructed, the facilities would be operated and maintained by SBPG in perpetuity for the purpose of enhancing economic opportunities in eastern St. Bernard Parish. SBPG will gauge performance based on facility utilization by recreational fishermen; number of annual public seafood market events; and the economic impact of direct-to-market sales on the site.

Hopedale Project Location



Lake Lery Marsh Creation (Phase 2)

Description: Lake Lery Marsh Creation (Phase 2) would create 29 acres of marsh and nourish an additional 10 acres of marsh near Delacroix in eastern St. Bernard Parish. The proposed project is a continuation of Phase 1, which created 68 acres of new marsh in the same general area. The project consists of dredging material from Lake Lery and placing the material behind containment berms in the target area. Both the containment berms and the containment cells will also be planted with native vegetation. This project has already been designed and permitted (Coastal Impact Assistance Program) and is currently ready for construction. Third-party funding includes the CPRA Parish Matching Program and \$2,700,000 has already been secured. SBPG anticipates a Direct Component budget of \$300,000. The breakdown of this proposed request is as follows: \$300,000 for construction management and construction costs.

Need: Much of the shoreline of Lake Lery and the surrounding wetlands have degraded over the past decade. Wind-induced waves in the lake have begun to further damage its already eroding shorelines, and the northwestern edge has seen the greatest rate of retreat and loss of emergent marsh habitat. The proposed project would restore a portion of the damaged area and provide additional fish and wildlife habitat.

Purpose: The purpose of the proposed project is to restore marsh in an area where natural ecosystems and wildlife and fisheries habitat have been severely damaged.

Milestones: Begin construction; complete construction; and project monitoring. This award has been made and the project is currently under construction. Due to the impacts of Hurricane Ida, construction was suspended. SBPG anticipates that construction will resume in 2025.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed project is to create or nourish 39 acres of marsh in St. Bernard Parish, which is located in the Gulf Coast region. The proposed project: (1) will restore natural ecosystems, fisheries, and marine and wildlife habitat in the Gulf Coast region; and (2) mitigate damage to fish, wildlife, and natural resources. The proposed activity is therefore eligible for RESTORE Act funding. SBPG will gauge the success of the project by the number of healthy acres of marsh created or nourished during the project.

Lake Lery Marsh Creation Phase 2 (location by phase)



Paris Road Corridor Streetscape Enhancement

Description: The project includes the design and installation of a suite of streetscape enhancements along Paris Road, including landscaping; signage; and new driveway aprons, to accentuate the natural environment along the thoroughfare and promote ecotourism. All improvements will be made on publicly owned land and will be maintained by SBPG in perpetuity. There was no third-party funding involved in the project, although SBPG has covered \$695,312.75 in change orders (construction management and construction) since the project started and anticipates making an additional Direct Component drawdown in this amount pending MIP Amendment #4 and grant amendment approval.

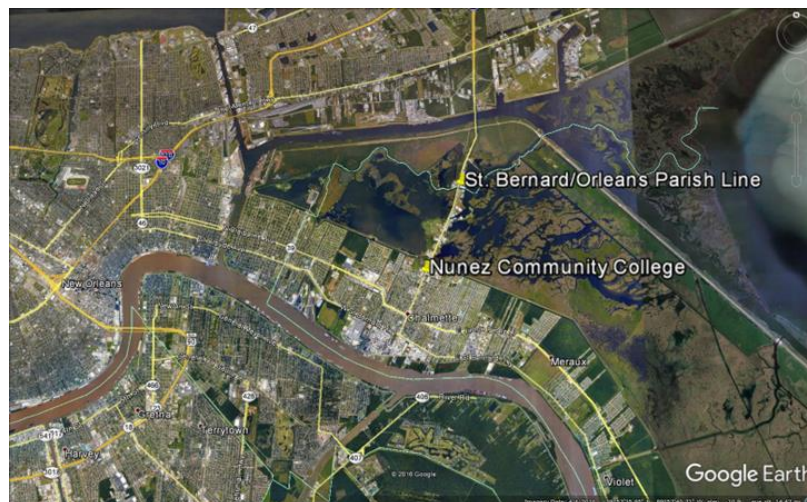
Need: Paris Road runs north—south through the Central Wetlands Unit and is one of only three thoroughfares connecting St. Bernard Parish to New Orleans. While the other major thoroughfares have been enhanced since Hurricane Katrina, the Paris Road corridor remains unimproved. Funds to enhance the streetscape and capitalize on the natural features along the highway have heretofore not been available.

Purpose: The purpose of the project was to promote tourism in St. Bernard Parish.

Milestones: 100% design; begin construction; complete construction; and project monitoring. This award has been made and all milestones are now complete.

Objectives and Criteria: The objectives of the project were to design and install a suite of streetscape enhancements that will improve aesthetics along the Paris Road corridor and increase public awareness of the natural environment and ecotourism opportunities in St. Bernard Parish, located in the Gulf Coast region. The project: (1) constitutes an infrastructure project benefiting the economy or ecological resources; and (2) promotes tourism in the Gulf Coast region, including recreational fishing. The proposed activity is therefore eligible for RESTORE Act funding. A survey regarding the appearance and functionality of streetscape interventions was completed in 2024.

Paris Road Corridor Streetscape Enhancement (parish line to Nunez)



Nunez Community College Workforce Development Program

Description: SBPG collaborated with Nunez Community College (Nunez) to design and implement a workforce development program that is focused on the emerging field of coastal restoration, including coastal ecology, environmental law, and related curriculum. Geographical information systems (GIS) courses were also incorporated to provide students with a relevant and in-demand technical skill that has many applications in the coastal environment. There is no third-party funding involved in the program and the entire proposed Direct Component allocation (\$325,000 currently awarded plus an anticipated additional \$195,000 request pending MIP Amendment #4 and grant amendment approval) amounts to \$520,000. Funding will be utilized for program development and implementation as well as scholarships for qualified students.

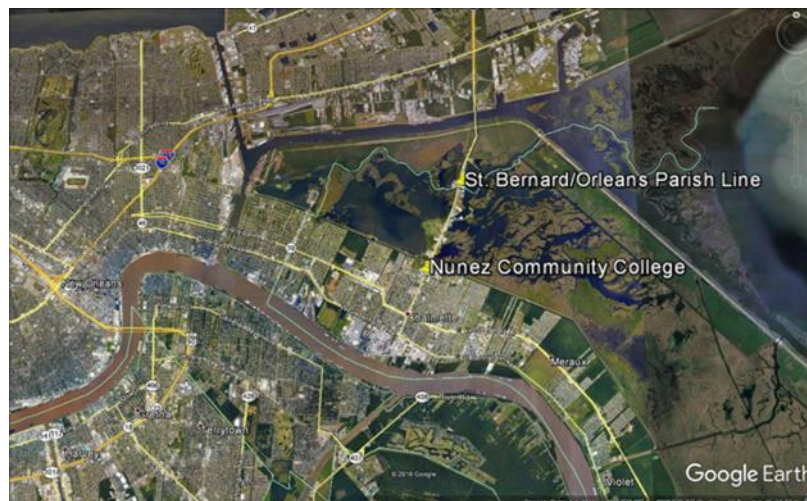
Need: Nunez commissioned *An Assessment for a Fisheries Hub of Excellence at Nunez Community College* (TMG Consulting, 2016) to explore establishing the school as a center for fisheries-oriented workforce development. The study identified several needs for fisheries-oriented businesses in the region. The coastal studies and GIS curriculum was developed after careful coordination with industry partners, the CPRA, and the State of Louisiana.

Purpose: The purpose of the program is to design and implement a workforce development program that is focused on creating or enhancing jobs and entrepreneurship in the emerging field of coastal restoration.

Milestones: Curriculum development; program implementation; and program monitoring. The funded portion of the program was implemented between 2018 and 2024, and program monitoring is ongoing. No additional program expenses will be incurred or paid.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed program is to design and administer a workforce development program that addresses unmet needs relative to the emerging field of coastal restoration in St. Bernard Parish and throughout the region, which is located on the Gulf Coast. The program has been designed to foster workforce development and job creation and is therefore eligible for RESTORE Act funding. SBPG will gauge the success of the program by student enrollment and matriculation, as well as job placement and entrepreneurship. Program monitoring is ongoing.

Nunez Community College and Vicinity



Central Wetlands Unit Pedestrian Bridge

Description: The 26-mile 40 Arpent Trail will feature the Central Wetlands Bike Path (Phase III) on top of the back levee adjacent to this unique wetland area. The trail will be accessible at selected points that connect to existing parks, recreational facilities, neighborhoods and bridges. A major goal of this new plan is to boost eco-tourism utilizing trails to showcase our unique natural environment and capitalizing on the fact that these trails are located less than an 8-mile bicycle ride from New Orleans' French Quarter. The RESTORE Act Direct Component portion of the project includes construction only (\$1,452,573.60, or 20% of the total estimated cost of \$5,810,294.40). A third-party (Regional Planning Commission) has secured the remaining 80% of project funding.

Need: In June 2017, SBPG adopted the *St. Bernard Parish Bikeway and Pedestrian Plan Update*. The purpose of this document is to provide a parish-wide network for non-motorized travel that links local destinations, communities within St. Bernard Parish, and the Parish with neighboring Orleans and Plaquemines Parishes. A major feature of the plan is a regional network that takes advantage of St. Bernard's unique geography by providing trails along the levee system. At the present time, it is difficult for the average citizen to enjoy this natural area if they do not have marine transportation. This new trail will provide that access 24 hours a day, free of charge. The trail will be accessible at selected points that connect to existing parks, recreational facilities, neighborhoods and bridges.

Purpose: The purpose of this proposed project is to construct a pedestrian bridge over Paris Road, thereby connecting the east and west portions of the Central Wetlands Unit Bike Path. The RESTORE Act Direct Component portion of the project includes construction only (\$1,452,573.60, or 20% of the total estimated cost of \$5,810,294.40). Once constructed, this project will connect the east and west portions of the trail, furthering the promotion of ecotourism and increasing public awareness and an appreciation of the natural environment in St. Bernard Parish.

Milestones: Begin construction; complete construction; and project monitoring. The project has already been designed and 80% of construction funding has been secured (Regional Planning Commission). It is anticipated that construction may begin as early as late-2025.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed project are to construct a pedestrian bridge over Paris Road, thereby connecting the east and west portions of the Central Wetlands Unit Bike Path. Once constructed, the bridge will be operated and maintained by SBPG in perpetuity for the purpose of promoting tourism, improving non-motorized mobility, and increasing access to unique natural areas in St. Bernard Parish. Trail utilization and economic impact will be used to gauge project performance.

Central Wetlands Unit Pedestrian Bridge



Bayou Terre aux Boeufs Ridge Armoring

Description: The proposed project included the installation of approximately 6,200 linear feet of riprap along Bayou Terre aux Boeufs at Bayou Gentilly near Delacroix in eastern St. Bernard Parish. The total project budget is \$3,500,000 and third-party funding was secured from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF) and the CPRA. The total proposed Direct Component budget is \$434,840, which has been reduced by \$865,338.40 from the original award amount of \$1,300,178.40 due to the project being completed under budget. Direct Component expenditures to date were applied towards construction, construction management, and monitoring.

Need: The historic Bayou Terre Aux Boeufs Ridge is fading through subsidence, sea level rise, and shoreline erosion due to boat traffic. Historically, ridges and vegetation have provided natural protection for areas such as Delacroix Island by damping storm surge energy. However, the ridges are now lower, and gaps have formed in many places, exposing Delacroix to storm surge, increased tidal exchange, and scouring. Protecting the remaining ridge through strategic armoring is the first step towards restoring the entire ridge (SBPG, 2018, p. 29).

Purpose: The purpose of this proposed project was to protect the historic ridge along Bayou Terre aux Boeufs and other intersecting bayous, thereby sustaining habitat and maintaining a critical storm surge barrier.

Milestones: Begin construction; complete construction; and monitoring. Construction is now complete and monitoring will be ongoing through 2026. No additional Direct Component funding will be utilized during monitoring.

Objectives and Criteria: The objective of the proposed project was to build upon the work completed during Phase 1 of the project by adding an additional 6,200 linear feet of shoreline protection along the most vulnerable reaches of Bayou Terre aux Boeufs and other intersecting bayous. This installation will be maintained by SBPG in perpetuity for the purpose of sustaining habitat and maintaining a critical storm surge barrier. SBPG will monitor pre- and post-construction site conditions to determine the effectiveness of the shoreline protection intervention.

Bayou Terre aux Boueufs Ridge Armoring by Phase (see Phase 2)



Islenos Community Archive

Description: SBPG collaborated with Nunez Community College (Nunez) to renovate an existing wing of the school's library for the purpose of housing Nunez's Islenos Community Archive and promoting tourism at historically significant sites in eastern St. Bernard Parish, including the Islenos Center and Ducros Museum. The archive itself is also intended to be a destination for visiting researchers. No third-party funding was used for the project. The Direct Component funding (\$100,000) was utilized for construction, information technology equipment, and marketing activities.

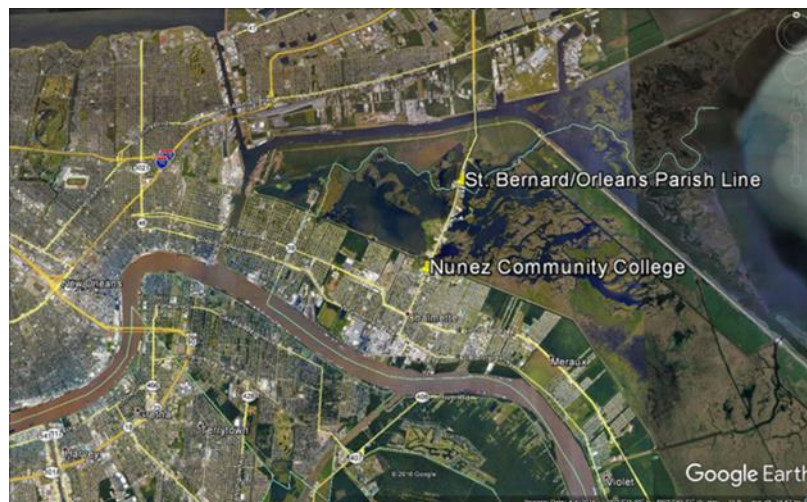
Need: Nunez was donated a significant suite of Islenos artifacts but has not been able to establish a designated site in its existing library to house the archive. In addition to providing a designated wing of the library for the Islenos Community Archive, the project will provide a space for researchers and other visitors to learn more about historically significant sites in eastern St. Bernard Parish.

Purpose: The purpose of the proposed project was to establish an Islenos Community Archive that will be used for research purposes and the promotion of tourist destinations in St. Bernard Parish.

Milestones: Construction begins; construction is completed; and monitoring. Construction has been completed and the facility grand opening and monitoring activities are scheduled to begin in 2025.

Objectives and Criteria: The objectives of the proposed project were to: (1) create a space that will permanently house Nunez's Islenos Community Archive; (2) attract researchers and other visitors; and 3) promote tourism at historically significant destinations in eastern St. Bernard Parish. Nunez will survey researchers and other visitors during the first year of the Islenos Community Archive opening to gauge the utility of the facility and to determine whether the promotional materials present on the site encouraged them to visit any historically significant sites in eastern St. Bernard Parish or to engage in other forms of tourism, such as recreational fishing.

Nunez Community College and Vicinity



2. Please summarize the process for developing the draft multiyear implementation plan, including how projects were initially evaluated and prioritized, and how the entity made the draft multiyear implementation plan available for a minimum of 45 days for public review and comment, in a manner calculated to obtain broad-based participation from individuals, businesses, Indian tribes, and non-profit organizations, such as through public meetings, presentations in languages other than English, and postings on the Internet.

Attach:

- Documentation (e.g., a copy of public notices) to demonstrate that the entity made its multiyear implementation plan available to the public for at least 45 days;
- A copy of all meaningful public comments received (OGCR defines “meaningful” as all comments pertaining to the selection of each activity (projects and programs) or the approach to or design of any proposed activities (projects and program));
- Any responses provided to meaningful public comments;
- A list of changes made as a result of meaningful public comments. If critical comments were received but no changes were made, the entity should explain why incorporating these comments is infeasible or not in keeping with the public interest; and
- A letter from the applicant's leadership approving submission of the multiyear implementation plan to Treasury or a resolution approving the applicant's multiyear implementation plan.

An initial draft of RESTORE MIP Amendment #4 was presented to the St. Bernard Parish Coastal Zone Advisory Committee (CZAC) on August 29, 2024. Please see the attached meeting minutes, which reflect unanimous approval of the draft plan. Pursuant to the 31 CFR, Part 34, the document was subsequently made available for public comment via www.sbpbg.net (electronic version) and in hard copy on September 20, 2024. SBPG published a public notice in the parish's official journal (*St. Bernard Voice*) from September 20, 2024 through October 25, 2024 (five weekly notices), announcing the public comment period and providing instructions for submitting comments in writing and in-person by November 8, 2024 (please see the attached invoice from the St. Bernard Voice). One comment was submitted in writing in support of the Central Wetlands Unit Pedestrian Bridge project (please see the attached letter). Since the subject project was already included in the plan and fully funded, no further changes to the plan were necessary.

RESTORE MIP Amendment #4, including the CZAC minutes, public notice and instructions, public comment, Matrix spreadsheet, and Narrative document, was subsequently presented to the St. Bernard Parish Council at its regular meeting on November 19, 2024. The St. Bernard Parish Council adopted RESTORE MIP Amendment #4 on November 19, 2024 (please see the attached Council resolution).