

## Dredging Inspection Field Report

### Site Observations

Date: 7/21/2021 Field Engineer: Mike Triano  
 Weather Conditions: Breezy, overcast, scattered Thunderstorms Temperature: 80s  
 Wood Project Number: 2402210005.01.01 Client: Isle of Palms  
 Contractor: Branch Diversified (BDI) Foreman Onsite: Lance Young

| Item                            | Observations   | Photo                                      |
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| <b>Crew Size &amp; Location</b> | <p>30' x 80' barge, moored off to the large Hopper barge in the intracoastal<br/>This barge is used to unload the smaller barges.</p> <p>One 26' Thruster Barge actively dredging within Baseline 1.<br/>Two 20' Wide push barge actively dredging Baseline 7. Lance advised that to.<br/>Two Tugs operating to move the 20' push barges.<br/>One large tug moving large Hopper barges to the DMMA<br/>One ~ 50' X 100'+ Hopper barge staged in intracoastal east of mooring canals used to transport material to DMMA.</p> <p>20' aluminum boat</p> | <p>Photo: 1, 2, &amp; 3</p> <p>See Map</p> |
| <b>Equipment on Site</b>        | Same as Crew size, 4 mechanical dredges (excavators)   | Photos: 1, 2, & 3                          |
| <b>Work Completed</b>           | <p>S Baseline 1 from POB to ~ Station 31<br/>Majority of N Baseline 1 to terminus:<br/>Correction of High Spots within Baseline 1 was occurring at the time of this inspection with 26' Thruster Barge</p> <p>Mooring Canals<br/>Portions of N Baseline 2, 3, 4, 5, &amp; 6</p> <p><u>BDI advised dredging occurs in two phases: on the way in for access &amp; removal of top layer of sediment and on the way out for getting canal to specified grade. This is true for all canals that barges cannot initially access.</u></p>                   | See Map                                    |
| <b>Work Underway</b>            | Baseline 1<br>Baseline 7   | See Map                                    |
| <b>Materials on Site</b>        | <p>Stored in ~100'+ X 50' Hopper barge and One 30' x 80' barge. Both barges are moored in the intracoastal.</p> <p>Lance indicated that once dredging commences in the South IOP Canals, a second Large ~100'+ 50' will be stored on pilings east of the entrance to the southern canals.</p>  | Photo: 1, 2, 3, & 6 (Future)               |
| <b>Manatee Observer</b>         | All crew on barges were advised to keep eye out for Manatees - signs posted on northern and southern canals.   | Photos: 4                                  |



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| <b>Turbidity Monitoring</b> | 0800 reading was 15.8 NTU<br>1530 reading was 17.3 NTU  | Photos: 4 & 5            |
| <b>Dewatering</b>           | Lance advised dewatering does not occur - drain holes are located in bottom of containers. Lance advised inner canals are mixing zones and therefore sediment/water returning to canals are not of concern.   |                          |
| <b>Dredging</b>             | Mechanical  |                          |
| <b>Offloading Location</b>  | <p>Large ~50' -100'+ Hopper barge – east of the north IOP Canals.<br/>A second Large ~50' x 100'+ Hopper Barge will be staged east of the entrance to the south IOP Canals.</p> <p>One 30' X 80' Barge located in the Intracoastal east of the Mooring Canals, moored to the large Hopper.</p> <p>Both barges are moored in the intracoastal.</p> <p>Trips to the DMMA are taken once these large barges are full, that usually occurs once a day – will resume once large tug is repaired.</p> | Photo: 3 & 6<br>(Future) |
| <b>Posted Permit</b>        | Permits are not posted. BDI was provided with additional copies.  |                          |
| <b>Other...</b>             | See Additional Comments Below   |                          |

## Additional Notes

### **Projected Schedule:**

- Lance Young indicated dredging of the wider entrances will begin in South IOP Canals next week with ~30' wide by 80' long barge.
- Dredging within Baseline 7 will continue for approximately 1-2 additional weeks.
- Lance Young indicated Arc will be coming out to stake identified areas that need touching up and/or areas that were missed within the Northern Canals. It is my understanding that one Barge will be dedicated to this effort while dredging begins in the south.

### **Anticipated Obstacles to Meeting Schedule:**

- Equipment malfunctioning / no operator to dig.
- The very end of Baseline 3, 6 and 2 will have to be finished at a later time, current dredges do not have a long enough boom to reach past the two docks at the end of the canal. Lance Young indicated a smaller 15' barge will be utilized to reach these areas at a later time. He indicated that this sized barge is unavailable as a rental at the moment and is looking at additional options.
- Displaced material causing contractor to re-work areas to correct high spots.

### **Engineer's Notes:**

- Lance Young advised that final cleanup of North IOP Canals will coincide with Arc Surveying staking out areas that need to be re-worked. Correcting these areas will begin next week. Lance indicated that Arc would be on-site to perform this task late this week, early next week.
- Lance Young is the contact for weekly inspections.

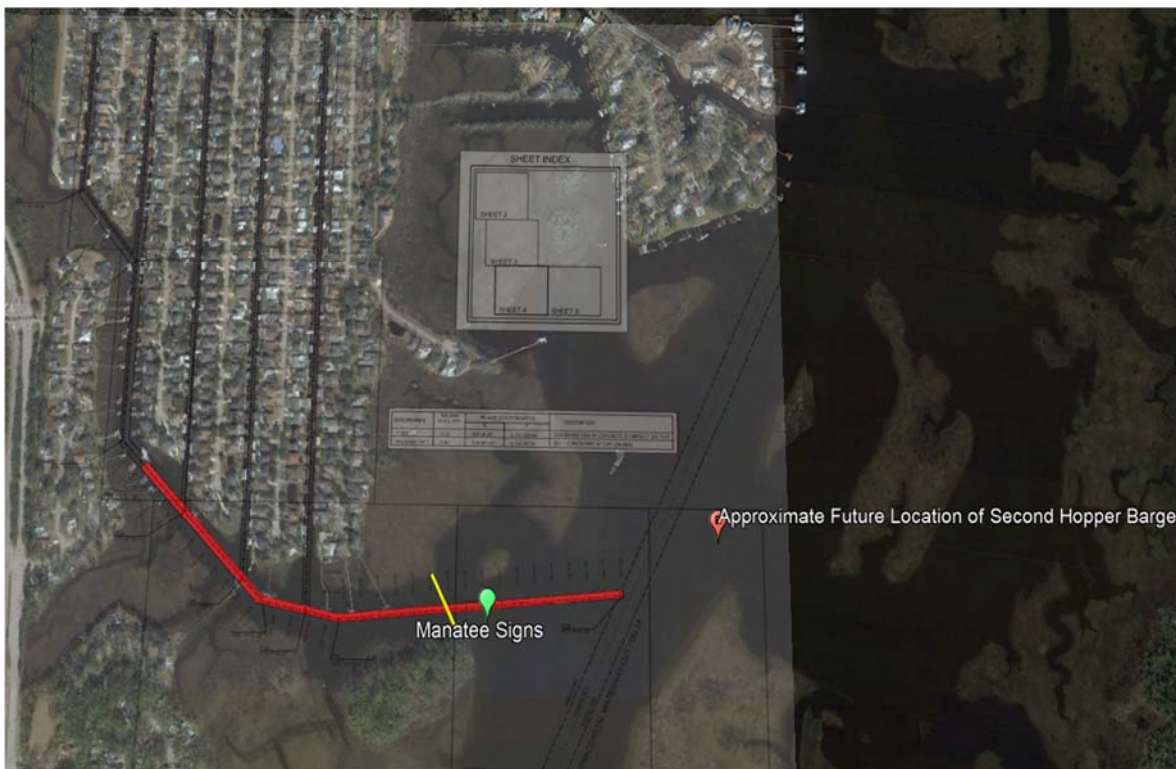
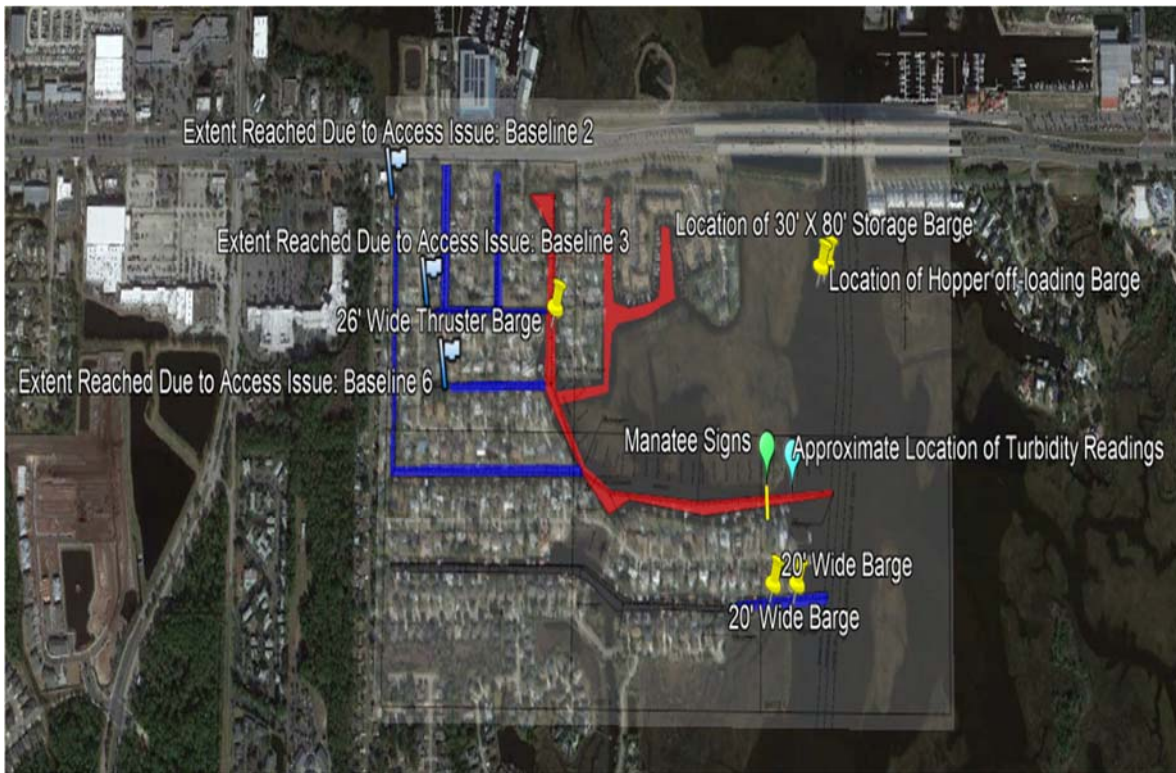
- Lance Young indicated that turbidity readings are being conducted daily by the job superintendent Anthony. BDI Provided the entire month of July's reading for review.

Field Engineer Signature:



Date: 7/14/2021

Maps: **Red** is completed Work **Blue** is Work to be completed



**Photograph Log:**



**Photo 1:** View of two 20' wide Push Barges actively dredging Baseline 7.



**Photo 2:** View of Thruster Barge (in the distance) heading back into Baseline 1 to continue re-work of high spots previously identified.



**Photo 3:** View of 20' Push Barge being off-loaded.



**Photo 4:** Typical view of turbidity barrier and manatee signs.

**Isle of Palms  
TURBIDITY MONITORING REPORT**

DATE: 7-21-21 TIME: 2:00 MACHINE: Z1900 HACH TURBIDITY METER  
COLLECTOR: [Signature]

**1. WEATHER AND WATER OBSERVATIONS:**

Atmospheric Conditions:  
 Wind Speed: 5 mph  
 Wind Direction: W    E    N    S     
 NW    NE    SW    SE     
 Weather Condition: Rain    Clear    Cloudy   

Water Conditions:  
 Tide Stage: Low    Medium    High     
 Water Current:    mph  
 Water Direction to: W    E    N    S     
 NW    NE    SW    SE     
 Harbor seas: Calm    (little or no waves)  
 Moderate    (waves 1' to 2' high)  
 Rough    (waves > 2' high)

**2. BACKGROUND SAMPLES:**  
 Location Taken: North BL 41 Time of Sample: 2:00 Date: 7-21-21

| Sample No.:      | Surface Sample | Mid-Depth Sample | Bottom Sample |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| 0705             |                |                  |               |
| Analysis Date:   | <u>7-21-21</u> |                  |               |
| Analysis Time:   | <u>2:00</u>    |                  |               |
| Turbidity (NTU): | <u>15.3</u>    |                  |               |

Comments (if any): N/A

**3. MONITORING SAMPLES (taken every 4 hours):**  
 Location Taken: North BL 41 Time of Sample: 3:30 Date: 7-21-21

| Sample No.:      | Surface Sample | Mid-Depth Sample | Bottom Sample |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| 6742             |                |                  |               |
| Analysis Date:   | <u>7-21-21</u> |                  |               |
| Analysis Time:   | <u>3:30</u>    |                  |               |
| Turbidity (NTU): | <u>17.3</u>    |                  |               |

Comments (if any): N/A

**Photo 5:** 7/21/2021 Turbidity Form.



**Photo 6:** Future location of ~50' Wide x 100' Long hopper barge.

**Note:** Solar lights on the top of the pilings.