

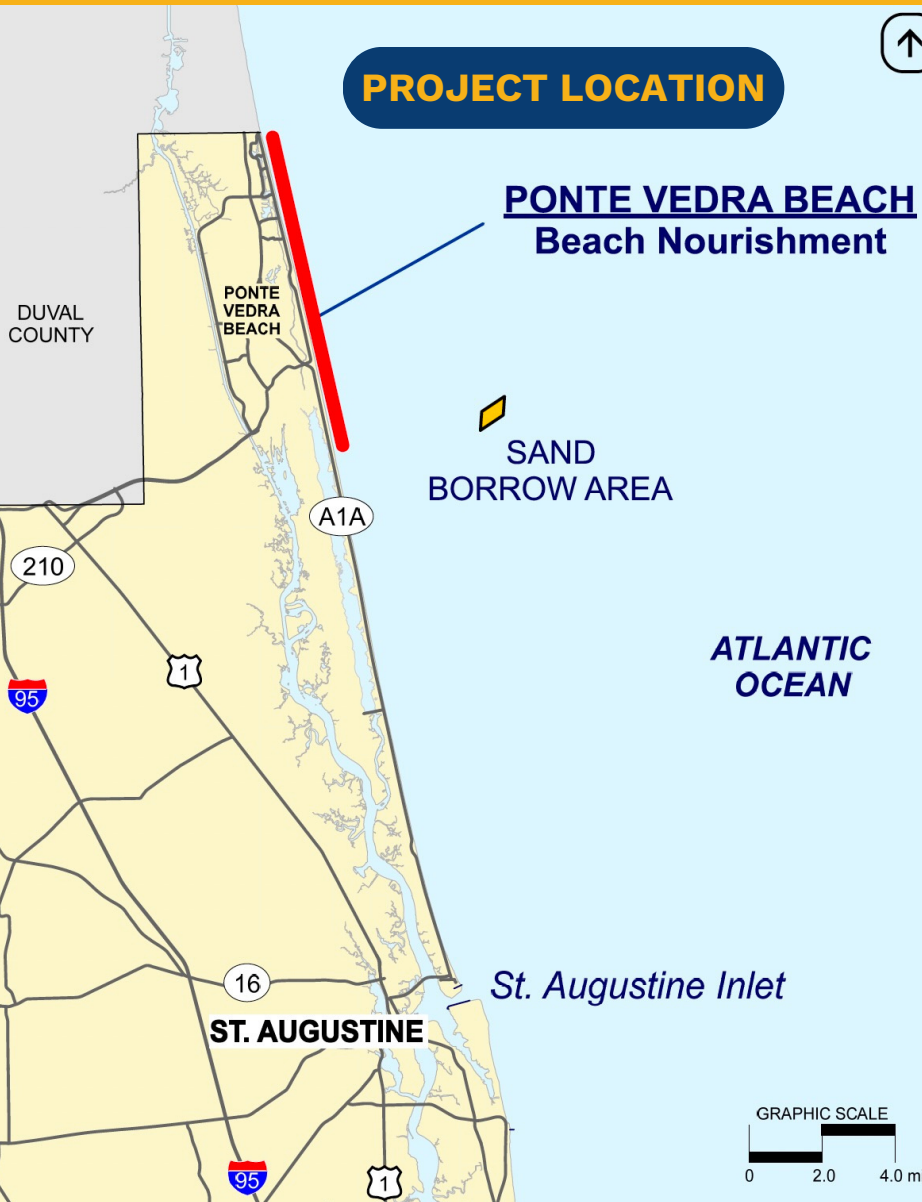
The restoration project will reconstruct the dunes and increase the beach width to between 40 feet and 120 feet.



BEACH RESTORATION IN PONTE VEDRA BEACH



PROJECT LOCATION



A PARTNERSHIP TO PROTECT OUR COASTLINE

The St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners voted on February 20 to proceed with a Beach Restoration Project in Ponte Vedra Beach that will pump sand from the ocean onto the entire length of Ponte Vedra Beach in the form of an engineered beach with a vegetated dune system. This project is a partnership between the Ponte Vedra Beach community, the County, and the State. The nourishment will provide:

- Increased protection from storm damage to private property
- Improved recreational opportunities
- Enhanced environmental habitat
- Resiliency for future erosion

ESTIMATED PROJECT TIMELINE

Mobilization & Mickler's Landing Beach Parking Closure: Begins March 18
Intermittent Closures of Mickler's Landing Parking & Beach Sections: April - August
Sand Placement: Begins April 1
Demobilization: mid-late August
Timeline contingent on weather conditions

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TYPICAL RESTORATION PROJECT SITE



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PROJECT DETAILS

Who: Weeks Marine, Inc. will complete the project work.

What: Approximately 2 million cubic yards of sand will be dredged from the ocean and pumped onto the existing beach to restore dunes and berms and bring uniformity while providing resiliency against future erosion.

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Where: Ponte Vedra Beach, from the Duval County Line to Guana Tolomato Matanzas National Estuarine Research Reserve; approximately 8.9 miles total.

Why: Restore storm-damaged dunes and berm to provide storm protection to upland infrastructure, create additional environmental habitat, and enhance the recreational amenity value of the beach.

How: Work will be completed using large construction equipment and pipe.

Impact on beachfront property:

- 2-4 days of construction activity per area
- 1-4 weeks of shore pipe presence per area
- Once started, work will be performed everyday, around the clock
- Temporary beach access will be provided over the shore pipe

MICKLER'S LANDING

- Temporary park/beach access closures for mobilization and demobilization activities and intermittently during work periods
- Western portion of parking lot is reserved for contractor parking and storage
- Contractor and security will guide pedestrian activity
- Pedestrian walkway will be removed and replaced with an ADA-friendly permanent mobi-mat

PUBLIC SAFETY

- Safety personnel will be positioned to manage access and travel corridors
- Notification of closures will be posted on all County social media platforms and the project website

SOCIAL MEDIA

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PROJECT SITE

sjcfl.us/PVBeach

