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PROGRESS REPORT
FOR
MOBILE BAY NATIONAL ESTUARY PROGRAM PROJECTS

Project: Fowl River Watershed Management Plan

Project Manager: Lee Walters

For the Period: Ending 3/31/15

This report can be as brief as one page as long as you can provide the information. The items listed below should be addressed as appropriate:

1. What work was accomplished for this reporting period? Work accomplished and ongoing efforts include:

GIS
Various GIS data sets acquired during last quarter were utilized to:
- Created eight sub-watershed delineation of Fowl River Watershed;
- Calculate land use/land cover acreages and percentages for the Watershed and the sub-watersheds.

Watershed Characterization
- Completed driving survey of each sub-watershed to document issues and concerns;
- Selected 24 sampling locations on tributaries and the main stem;
- Completed first water quality sampling event of the 24 locations on tributaries and the main stem;
- Coastal research completed by SCS, Inc;
- Preliminary regulatory overview and funding sources research performed.

Public Involvement
- Conducted two Public Involvement Meetings on 2/24 and 2/26;
- Conducted Steering Committee meeting on March 17.

2. What problem (or sources of error) were encountered, if any? Limited public involvement/awareness from sub-watersheds 1, 2, and 3.

3. If a problem was encountered, what action was taken to correct it? Discussion of strategies to inform/make population aware that they live in watershed.

4. What work is projected for the new quarter activity?

- Water quality sampling will continue throughout the watershed;
- Work on A P-LOAD model will continue;
- Work on a Sea Level Affecting Marshes Model (SLAMM) will continue;
- Watershed characterization will continue with a focus on tributary sampling and analyses;
- A watershed survey will be conducted April 7-8 to identify potential restoration and preservation opportunities;
• Additional Steering Committee meetings will be held (3rd Tuesday of each month, excluding April); additional large format public meeting in June or July
• Sections of the report will be written;
• Future population growth statistics will be calculated.

5. Is the project work on schedule?
   (a) This quarter - Yes
   (b) For this project - Yes

6. If you will not complete the project as projected, have you submitted your request for a funding amendment? N/A

7. What has been spent to date? $71,250 has been paid to GMC through 3/31/15.

8. What is your plan for spending the remaining funds? The project will be run on a percent completion basis and based upon the approved scope and fee within the contract. Those 15 tasks will be billed monthly.

9. Have you submitted an invoice for reimbursement? A copy should be attached to the progress report. See attached invoices that have been sent to date.

10. Is there a change in project manager? No