Florida Restoration Area

Florida Artificial Reef Creation and Restoration – Phase 2 (preferred)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION
This project would construct artificial reefs off the coasts of Escambia, Santa Rosa, Okaloosa, Walton, Bay, Gulf, Franklin, and Wakulla Counties, creating new marine recreational fishing and diving opportunities for residents and visitors across the region. Materials such as rock boulders, prefabricated concrete, or designed modules would be used. The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission would be the Implementing Trustee for this project.

RESTORATION TYPE
Provide and Enhance Recreational Opportunities

ESTIMATED COST
$10,342,500

ONLINE RESOURCE
www.gulfspillrestoration.noaa.gov/restoration-areas/florida

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