

# Perdido Key Dune Restoration

## NATURAL RESOURCE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT (NRDA) – PHASE III

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The proposed project will restore appropriate dune vegetation to approximately 20 acres of degraded beach dune habitat in Perdido Key, Florida, including habitat used by the federally endangered Perdido Key Beach Mouse. The project takes place approximately 2.2 miles east of Perdido Pass at the Alabama/Florida state line and extends approximately 6 miles to the east. The project will consist of planting appropriate dune vegetation (e.g., sea oats, panic grasses, cord grasses, sea purslane, beach elder) approximately 20 – 60' seaward of the existing primary dune to provide a buffer to the primary

dune and enhance dune habitats. In addition, gaps in existing dunes within the project area will be re-vegetated to provide a continuous dune structure. All plants will be previously isolated and propagated cuttings from vegetation already found at the site to ensure appropriate genetic stock.

Source:

<http://www.restoration.noaa.gov/dwh/storymap/>

### PROJECT DETAILS

Total Funding Allocated: \$611,234.00

Status: Planning

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