MITIGATION GRANTS

HOW THEY WORK

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The scope of work is the construction of approximately 1200 linear feet of new seawall in front of flood damaged portions of the existing seawall located along Avenida Menendez south of the Bridge of Lions and extending southward from the Santa Maria Restaurant up to the Florida National Guard facilities.
The goal of the St. Augustine Seawall Flood Mitigation Project was to provide Category 1 storm surge protection for businesses and residents in St. Augustine’s Historic Districts 1 and 2, while protecting the existing historic coquina seawall and creating a promenade between the existing and proposed seawalls.
ST AUGUSTINE SEAWALL

FUNDING SOURCE

Flood Mitigation Assistance project 2010-002 was submitted to the State of Florida seeking mitigation funds by the City of St. Augustine for the amount of $6,325,000 and federal share of ($4,743,750)
ARCHEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT

In order to get approval from FEMA, this project required to have an archeological assessment, becoming one of the biggest assessment that FEMA conducted in the State of Florida.
NEPA COMPLIANCE

- Clean Water Act
- Clean Air Act
- Endangered Species Act
- Farmland Protection Policy Act
- Wild and Scenic Rivers Act
  - (Wekiva and Loxahatchee)
- National Historic Preservation Act
- Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act
- Magnuson–Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act
- Coastal Barrier Resources Act
- Coastal Zone Management Act
- Migratory Bird Treaty Act
- 11988: Floodplain Management
- 11990: Wetland Protection
- 13175: Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments
- 12988: Environmental Justice
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