

**NOYO RIVER AND HARBOR
OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE**

PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: This project is a shallow-draft harbor of refuge, supporting a Coast Guard search and rescue station, commercial and sport fishing, and recreational boating. It is located at Fort Bragg, California, about 140 miles north of San Francisco. The operations and maintenance schedule provides for annual inspection and periodic repair of entrance jetties, and for 2-year cycle maintenance dredging of the Entrance and River Channels to -10 feet Mean Lower Low Water.

TOTAL FUNDING:

TOTAL COST:	\$ N/A
FEDERAL COST:	\$ N/A
NON-FEDERAL COST:	\$ N/A
TOTAL FEDERAL COST THROUGH FY 2007:	\$ 222,000
FY 2008 BUDGET:	\$ 0
COST TO COMPLETE:	\$ N/A

FY 07 AND 08 ACCOMPLISHMENTS: A preliminary Dredged Material Management Plan (DMMP) study has been completed and supports an economically justified long-term upland disposal site for maintenance dredging of the project.

ISSUES AND OTHER INFORMATION: The harbor entrance was experiencing severe shoaling, which limited the Coast Guard missions of Homeland Security and Search and Rescue. Dredging of the harbor entrance was done by the Local Sponsor, Noyo Harbor District, with FEMA funding in FY06. However, the entrance was not completely dredged due to upland disposal site capacity limitations. The upland disposal site is currently full and incapable of receiving additional dredged material. The local sponsor is presently responsible for furnishing a suitable upland disposal site for the project.

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: 1st District, Rep. Mike Thompson

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