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## San Francisco Bay Regional Dredge Material Management Plan (RDMMP)

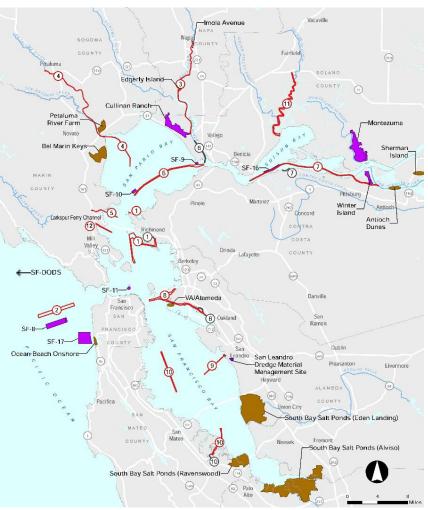
**The Corps Mission:** to maintain safe and efficient navigation in the Bay, has been complicated over the past decade by rising costs and a flat Operations and Maintenance budget. There is a need to develop a San Francisco Bay-wide long-term plan for placing dredge material. Under Corps policy, this plan is called a Dredge Material Management Plan (DMMP). The regional DMMP planning effort will include the twelve federally authorized channels in or adjacent to San Francisco Bay.

**PURPOSE:** The Corps requires that all of its federally maintained navigation projects identify sufficient dredged-material disposal capacity for a minimum of 20 years. The Dredge Material Management Plan is a detailed assessment of dredge-material placement alternatives and serves as a verification that there is federal interest in continued maintenance dredging for a particular authorized project. The Dredge Material Management Plan estimates future maintenance dredging volumes, evaluates dredged material

management alternatives for 20 years and selects a recommended plan (the "Federal Standard"). A supporting National Environmental Policy Act document will accompany the Dredge Material Management Plan.

*Key drivers* behind the need to develop a regional DMMP plan include the following:

- Uncertainty with future placement site availability
- Changing environmental conditions
- Potential new beneficial use opportunities



12 Federal navigation sites and 7 placement sites



# FACT SHEET

## San Francisco Bay - Regional Dredge Material Management Plan (RDMMP)

**ROAD MAP** (*Project Management Plan, PMP*): The PMP outlines the process for completing a regional DMMP, and more importantly, provides a forum for your comments and recommendations about the scope for this planning effort.

The PMP serves as a guide and reference on:

- overall scope, schedule, and budget
- quality of work products
- changes to the project
- risks to project execution
- internal and external communications

#### Targeted Timeline\*\*

- Stakeholder meeting to release draft PMP: July 2019
- Stakeholder review of PMP: July- December 2019
- Series of Charettes: July 2020
- Draft Final PMP with Phase 1 Scope of Work (SOW): Fall 2022
- Final PMP with Phase 1 Scope of Work (SOW): Winter 2022
- Complete Phase 2A: Execution of high priority SOWs: Winter 2024
- Complete Phase 2B: Management Plan Report & Approval of RDMMP Recommended Base Plan: Winter 2027

\*\*Targeted timeline is contingent upon full funding

### PARTICIPATE:

- Actively engage
- Comment on the draft PMP
- The draft PMP and current updates are posted at: <u>https://www.spn.usace.army.mil/Missions/Projects-and-Programs/Regional-Dredge-Material-Management-Plan/</u>
- Email your questions and comments to: CESPN-RDMMP@usace.army.mil