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Benjamin Frater, Assistant Gulf Restoration Manager  
U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
Deepwater Horizon Gulf Restoration Office  
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RE: State of Alabama Coastal Consistency Concurrence  
FWS/R4/DH NRDAR  
Draft Restoration Plan "Alabama Trustee Implementation Group Draft Restoration Plan III and Environmental Assessment: Provide and Enhance Recreational Opportunities; and Birds"  
Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) Tracking Code: ACAMP-2018-154.1

Dear Mr. Fratar

On November 18, 2019 the ADEM received the Alabama TIG's Consistency Determination (CD) that the proposed federal action, referenced above, is consistent with the Alabama Coastal Area Management Program (ACAMP). This Restoration Plan identifies and analyzes 10 restoration alternatives, seven of which have been designated by the Alabama TIG as preferred for funding. Of the seven preferred restoration alternatives, six are within Alabama's coastal zone. Those six alternatives are: 1) Bayfront Park Restoration and Improvement Phases IIa and IIb, 2) Gulf State Park Pier Renovation, 3) Perdido Beach Public Access Coastal protection, 4) Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuge Recreation Enhancement (BSNWR) – Mobile Street Boardwalk, 5) Stewardship of Coastal Alabama Beach Nesting Bird Habitat, and 6) Dauphin Island West End Acquisition. The Alabama TIG has determined that the six alternatives located within Alabama's coastal zone are consistent to the maximum extent practicable with the enforceable policies of the ACAMP.

Public noticing requirements of Title 15 C.F.R. §930.42 have been completed. Pursuant to Title 15 C.F.R. §930.41, by this letter the ADEM hereby notifies the Alabama TIG of its concurrence with the Alabama TIG's CD.

Contact the Mobile-Coastal office anytime with questions. Always include the ADEM tracking code above when corresponding on this matter. J. Scott Brown is the Mobile-Coastal office contact for this project; he may be reached by phone at 251.304.1176 or by e-mail at [jsb@adem.alabama.gov](mailto:jsb@adem.alabama.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anthony Scott Hughes".

Anthony Scott Hughes, Chief  
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