

AMITE RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES – COMITE RIVER DIVERSION PROJECT

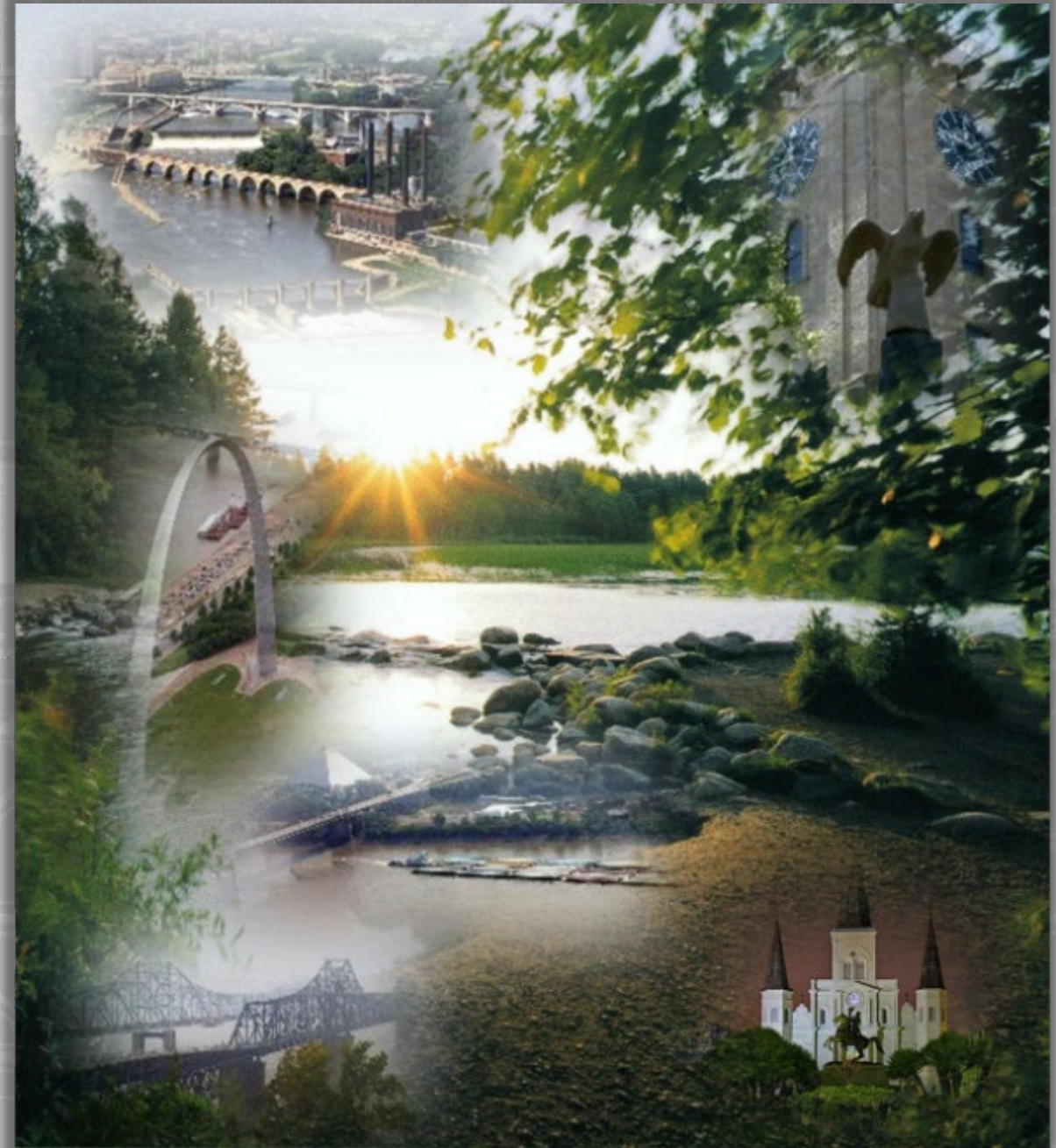
Briefing to the Amite River Basin Task Force

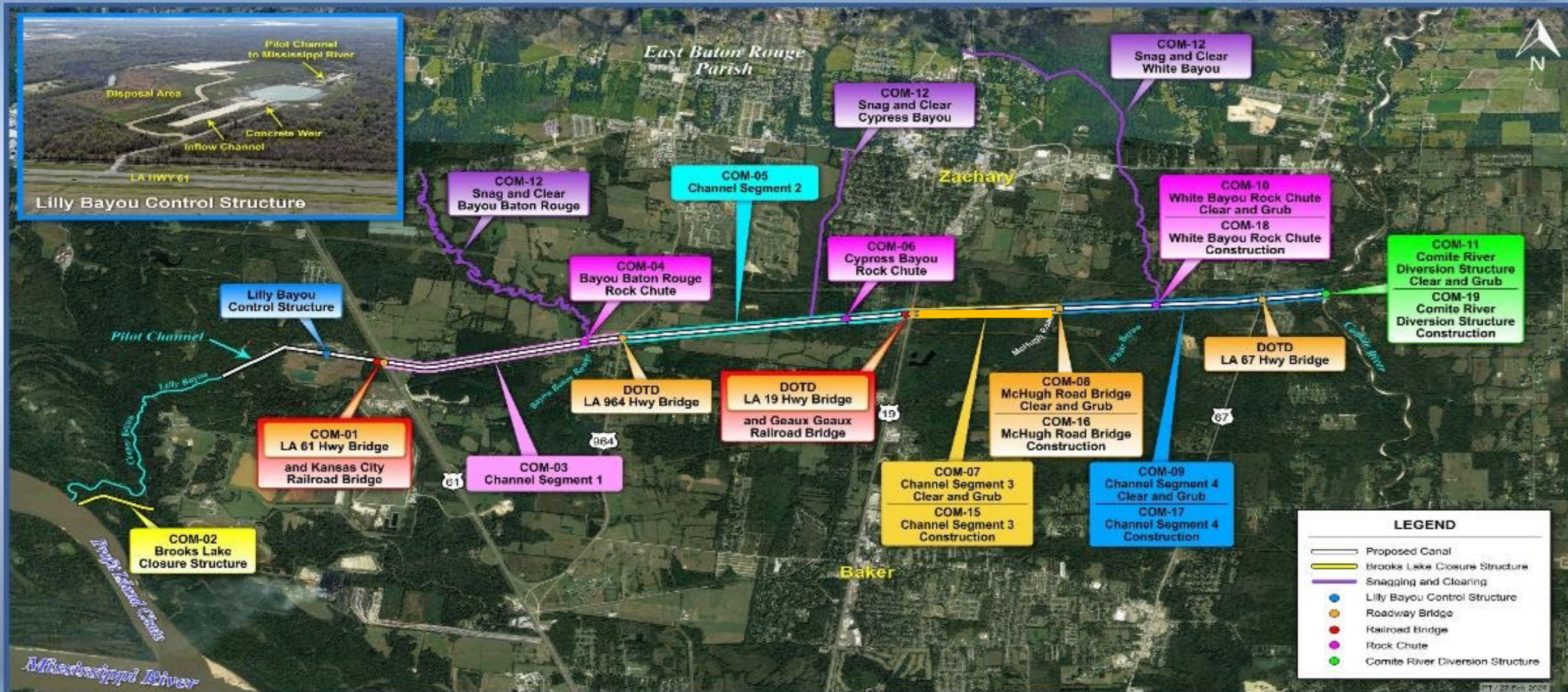
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LADOTD will deliver 3 construction contracts, to include three vehicular bridges, one railroad bridge, land acquisition, and utility relocations.



COMITE RIVER DIVERSION OVERVIEW



The Project consists of 22 separable contracts:

- **19 USACE Construction Contracts**
 - ❖ 13 of 19 contracts awarded
 - ❖ **6 construction contracts are complete**
 - ❖ 7 construction contracts are ongoing
 - ❖ **6 remaining contracts**
- **3 DOTD Construction Contracts**
 - ❖ LA 964
 - ❖ LA67
 - ❖ LA19





ONGOING CONSTRUCTION



COM 01: Hwy 61/ KCS Bridge
(95% Complete)





ONGOING CONSTRUCTION



COM 05: Channel Segment 2A
(75% Complete)



COM 18: White Bayou Rock Chute Phase 2
(70% Complete)





ONGOING CONSTRUCTION



COM 17: Channel Segment 4 Phase 2
(80% Complete)

COM 16: McHugh Road Bridge
(90% Complete)





ONGOING CONSTRUCTION

COM 21: Lilly Bayou Phase 2

(95% Complete)





COMITE RIVER DIVERSION PROGRESS



8 of 10 ongoing construction contracts will be complete in CY23

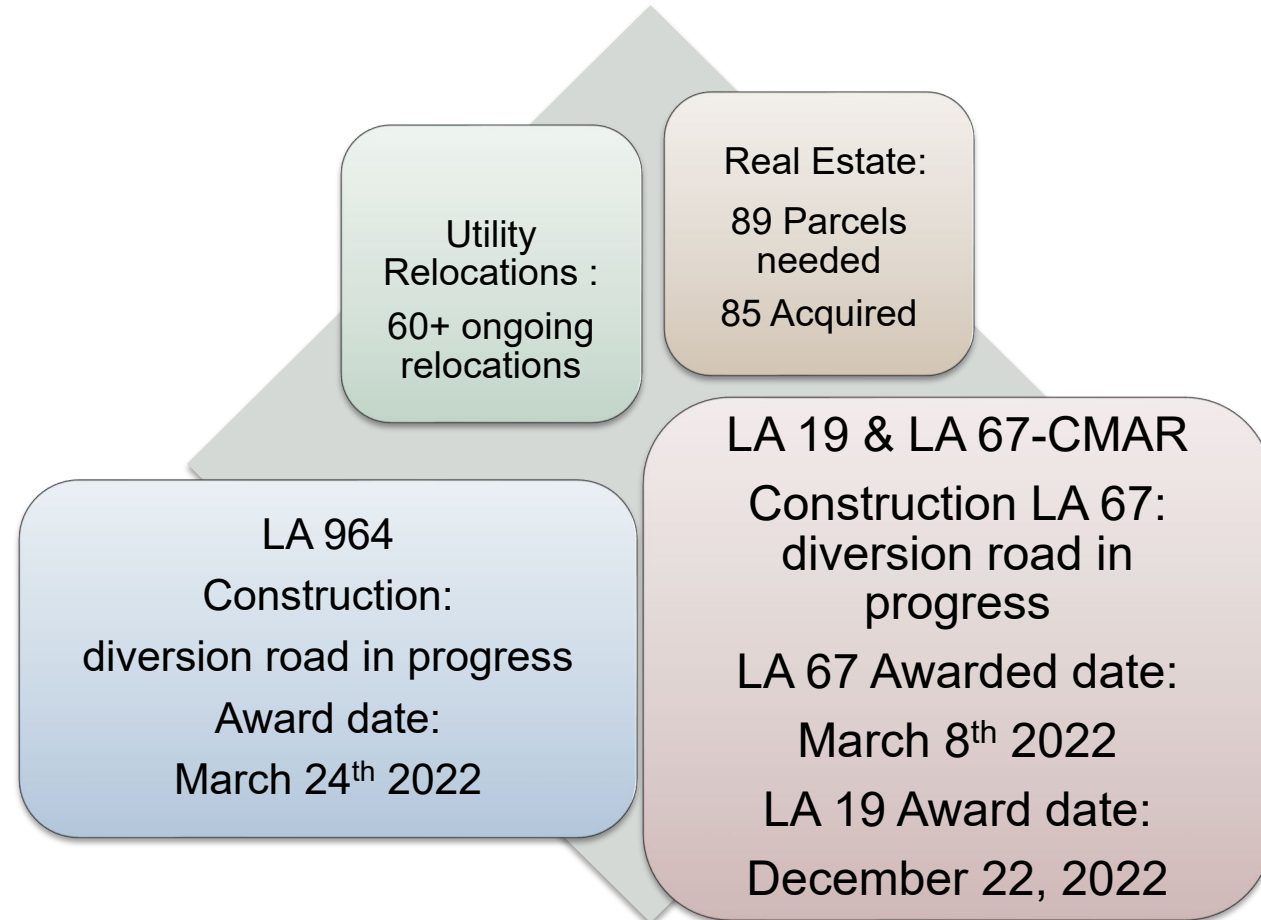
- ❖ **Channel Excavation:** 2 of 4 Segments under construction
4.3M of 8.4M CY excavated to date
- ❖ **Vehicular Bridges:** 2 of 5 five vehicular bridges are complete.
Remaining 3 under construction
- ❖ **Railroad Bridges:** 1 of 2 railroad bridges are complete
Remaining bridge under construction
- ❖ **Rock Chutes:** 2 of 3 rock chutes under construction



DOTD PROJECT TASKS 2022-2023



Ongoing DOTD tasks





DOTD CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS



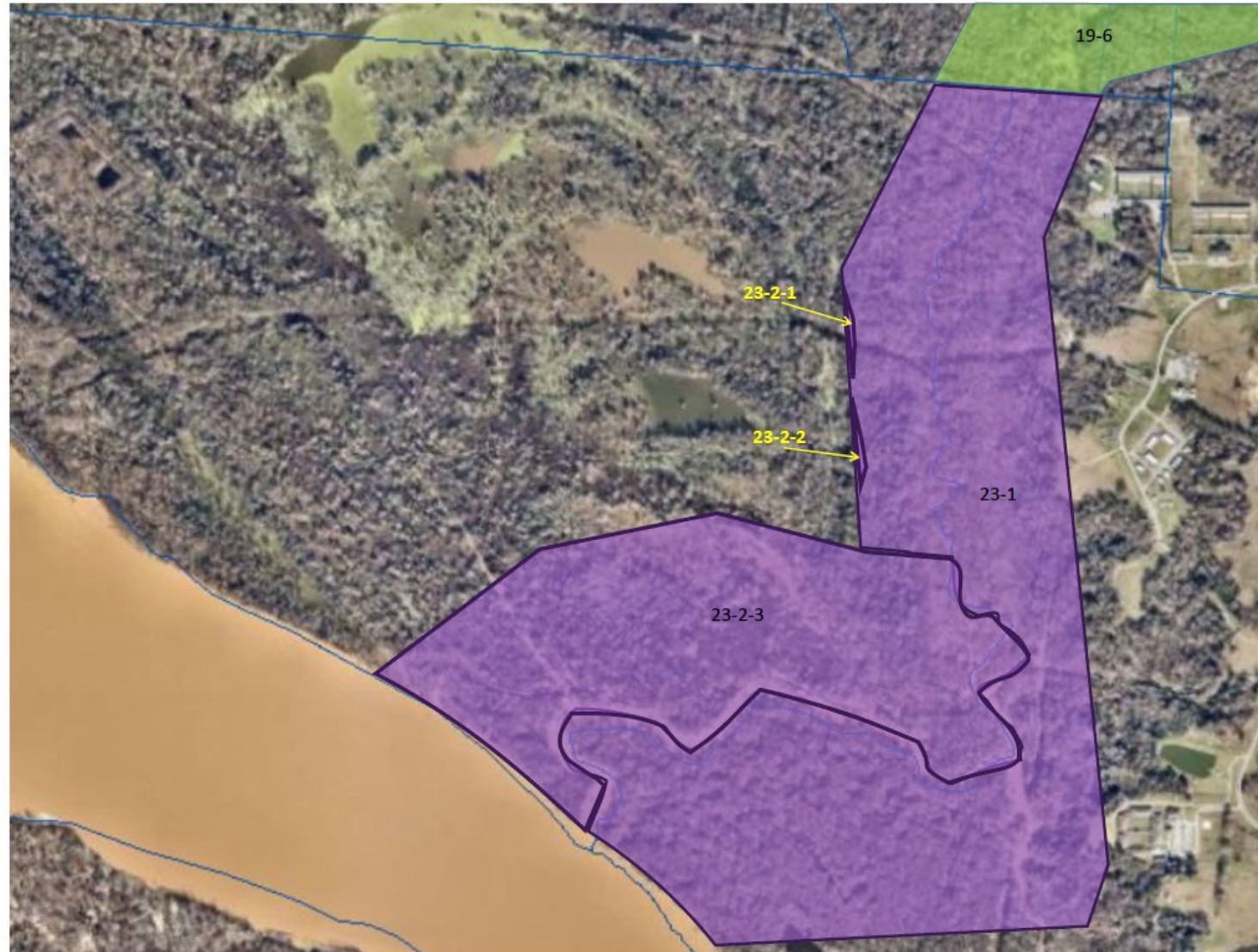
LA964

(20% Complete)





REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS TO DATE-BROOKS LAKE ON-HOLD FOR DESIGN



Status Key

- Public Right of Way
- Waiting for Appraisal Approval
- Negotiating
- Closing
- Expropriation Suit Pending
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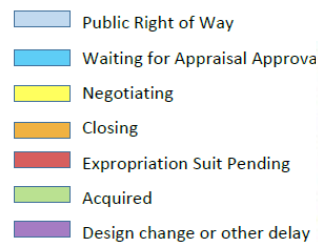
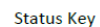
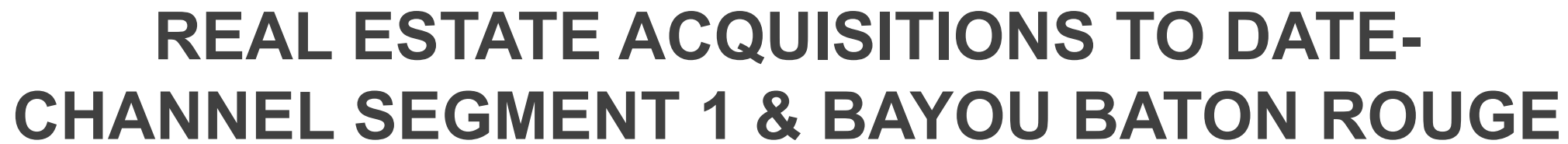
REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS TO DATE-US 61



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REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS TO DATE- LA 964 & CHANNEL SEGMENT 2

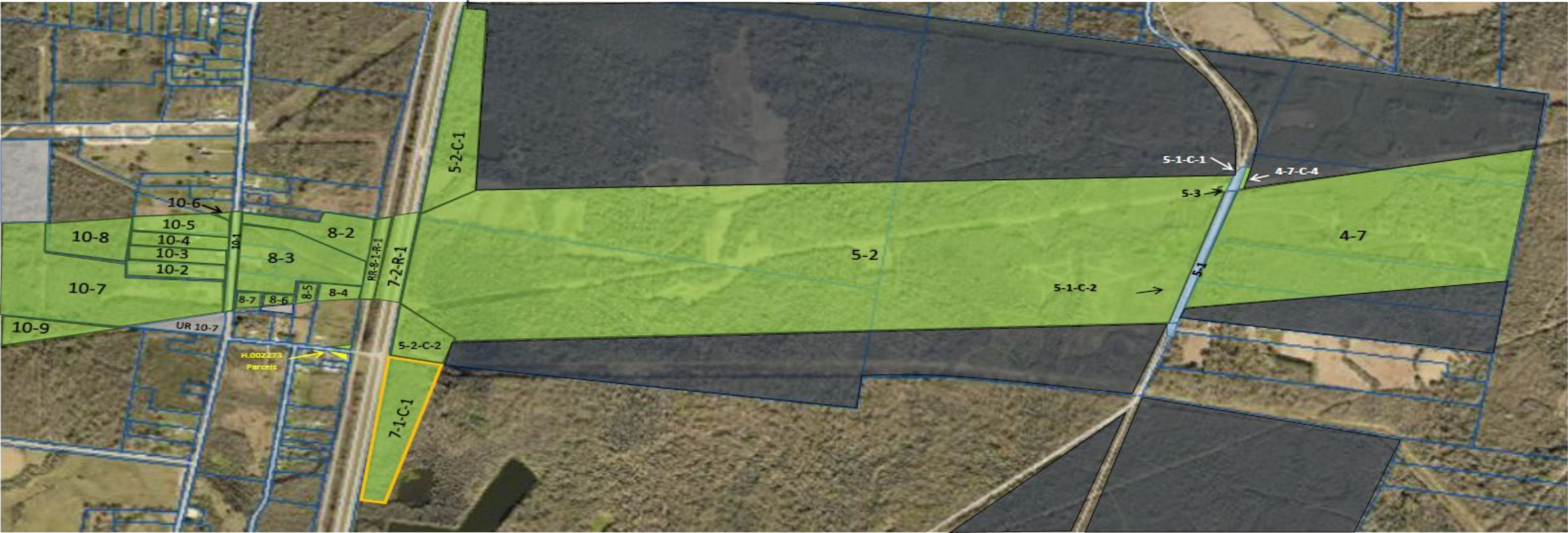


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REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS TO DATE-LA 19 & CHANNEL SEGMENT 3 & MCHUGH RD.

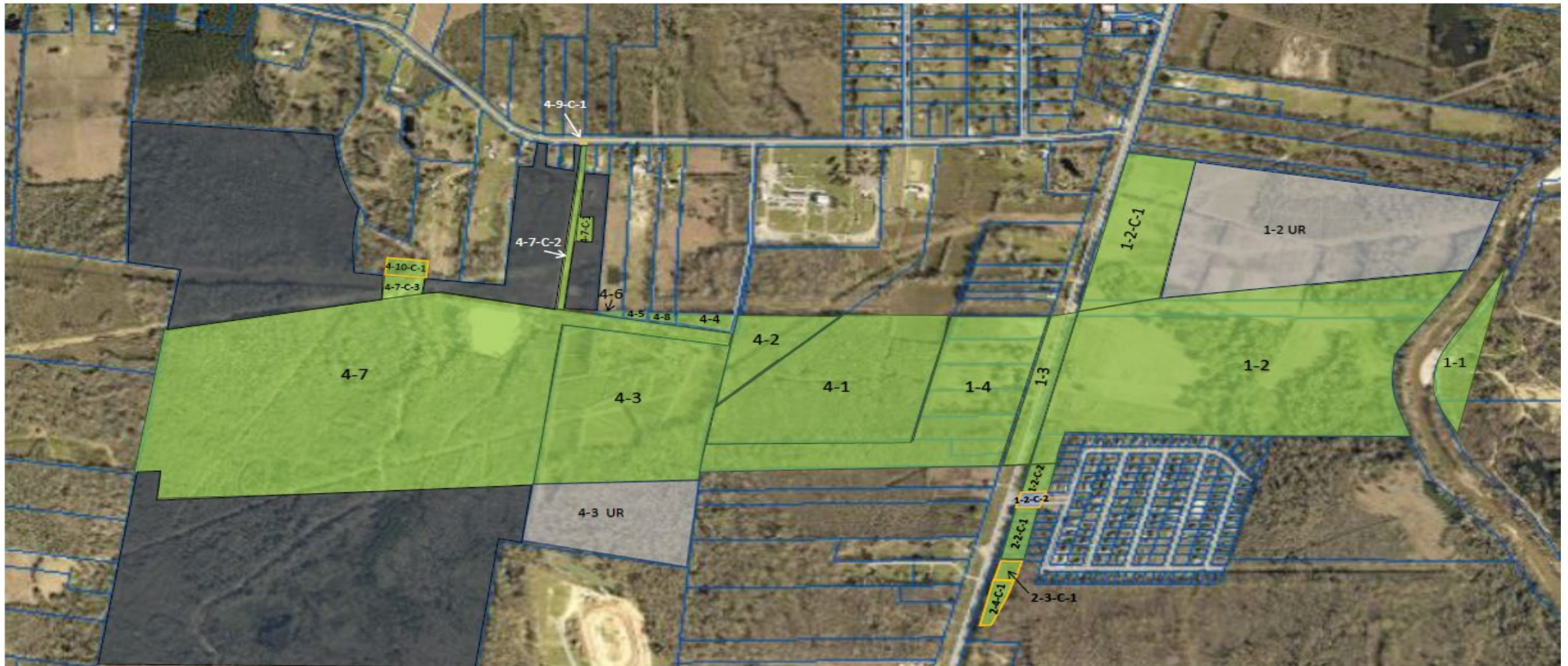


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REAL ESTATE ACQUISITIONS TO DATE- CHANNEL SEGMENT 4 & LA 67



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QUESTIONS



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