

# AMITE RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES – COMITE RIVER DIVERSION PROJECT

Briefing to the Amite River Basin Task  
Force

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# PROJECT STATUS

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## 23 separable construction contracts

### (20) USACE contracts

- 14 of 20 contracts awarded
- 13 construction contracts complete
- 1 contracts under construction
- 6 remaining contracts

### (3) LaDOTD contracts

- All 3 Railroad/Bridge contracts under construction

## 6 Unawarded Contracts

### (3) Awaiting utility relocations

- Channel Segment 3 – Florida Gas
- Channel Segment 2B – Florida Gas + Formentera
- Bayou Baton Rouge Rock Chute – AT&T

### (1) Finalizing Design

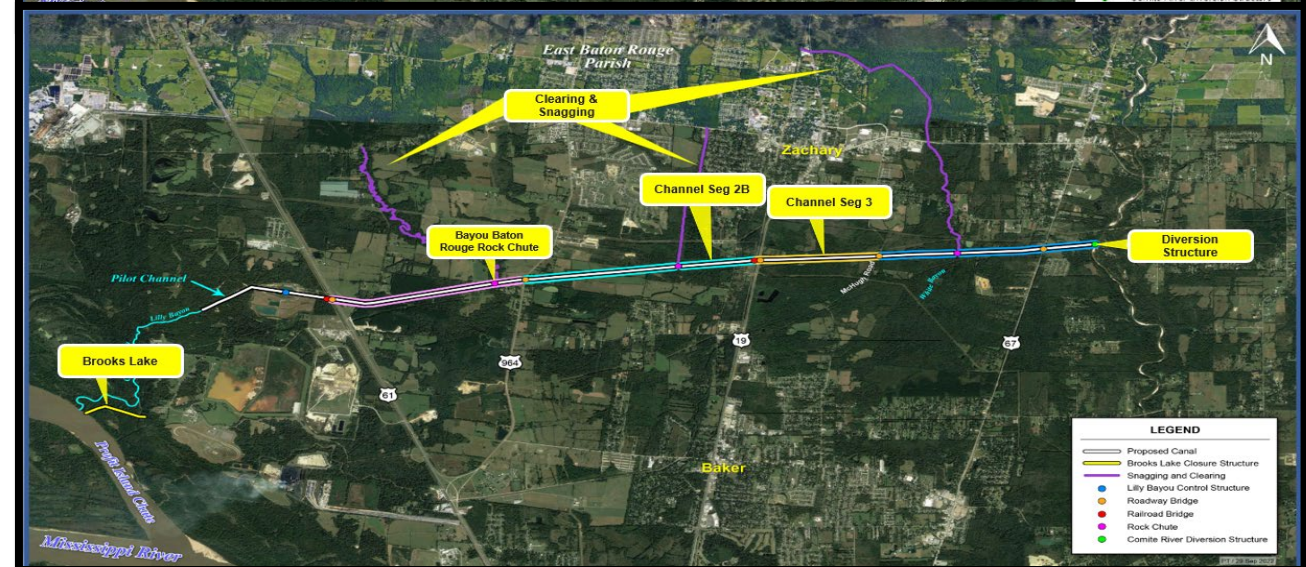
- Comite Diversion Structure

### (1) Awaiting Construction ROE

- Brooks Lake

### (1) Final Project Award

- Clearing & Snagging of 3 Bayous (also removing plugs and misc. repairs)





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# ACTIONS NEEDED FOR REMAINING CONTRACT AWARDS

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<i><b>Contract</b></i>	<i><b>Requirement for Award</b></i>	<i><b>Lead Organization</b></i>	<i><b>Award Date</b></i>
<b>Bayou Baton Rouge</b>	<b>Utility Relocation – AT&amp;T</b>	<b>LADOTD (AT&amp;T)</b>	<b>Q1CY25</b>
<b>Comite Diversion Structure</b>	<b>Final Plans and Specs – April 2025</b>	<b>USACE</b>	<b>Q2CY25</b>
<b>Channel Segment 3</b>	<b>Utility Relocation – Florida Gas</b>	<b>LADOTD (Florida Gas) USACE</b>	<b>Q3CY25</b>
<b>Channel Segment 2B</b>	<b>Utility Relocations – Florida Gas and Formentera</b>	<b>LADOTD (Florida Gas and Formentera)</b>	<b>Q3CY25</b>
<b>Brooks Lake</b>	<b>Real Estate Acquisition</b>	<b>LADOTD</b>	<b>Q4CY25</b>
<b>Clearing and Snagging</b>	<b>Final Project to Award</b>	<b>USACE</b>	<b>Q4CY25</b>





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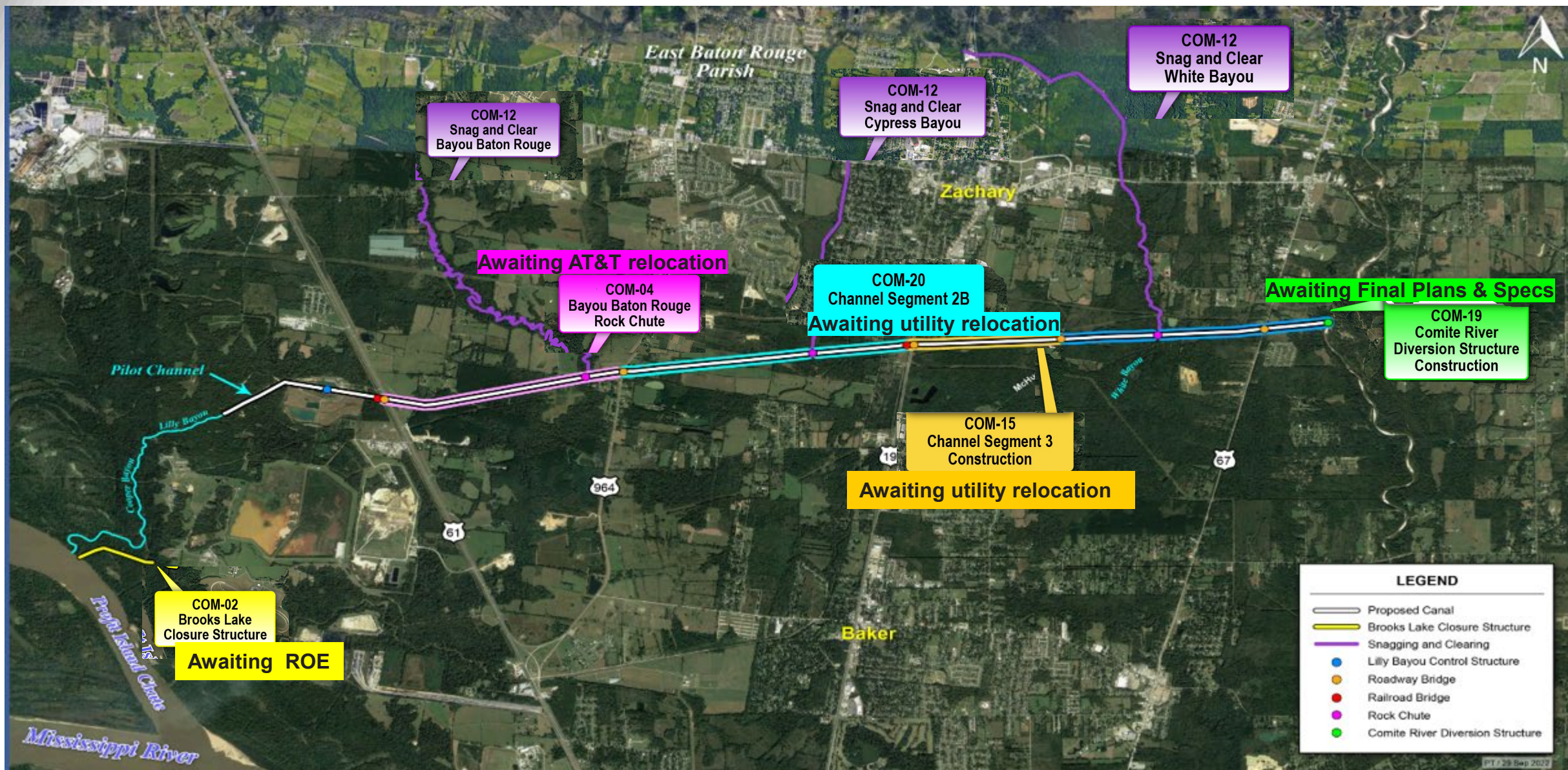


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# REMAINING USACE CONTRACT AWARDS

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# FLORIDA GAS CONCURRENT WITH USACE CONTRACT AWARD

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	2024		2025							
	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.
<b>FLORIDA GAS RELOCATION</b>	Mobilization	Relocation (Dec 24 - Jul 25)								
<b>Formentera</b> (Channel Segment 2B only)				Mobilization	Relocation (Mar - Jul 25)					
<b>Channel Segment #3</b>	P&S Review & Completion					Procurement Process	Synopsis	Solicitation	Award	
<b>Channel Segment #2B</b>	P&S Review & Completion					Procurement Process	Synopsis	Solicitation	Award	

- USACE has committed to leaning forward with the advertisement of Channel Segment 3 and Channel Segment 2B once FL Gas meets their 50% complete relocation milestone
- FL Gas began relocation efforts in November of 2024 and current schedule has relocation completed by early July 2025
- USACE will begin solicitation preparation and advertise by June of 2025 (pending FL Gas maintaining schedule)
- USACE Award of Channel Segment 3 and 2B will occur by August 2025 if no significant delays occur



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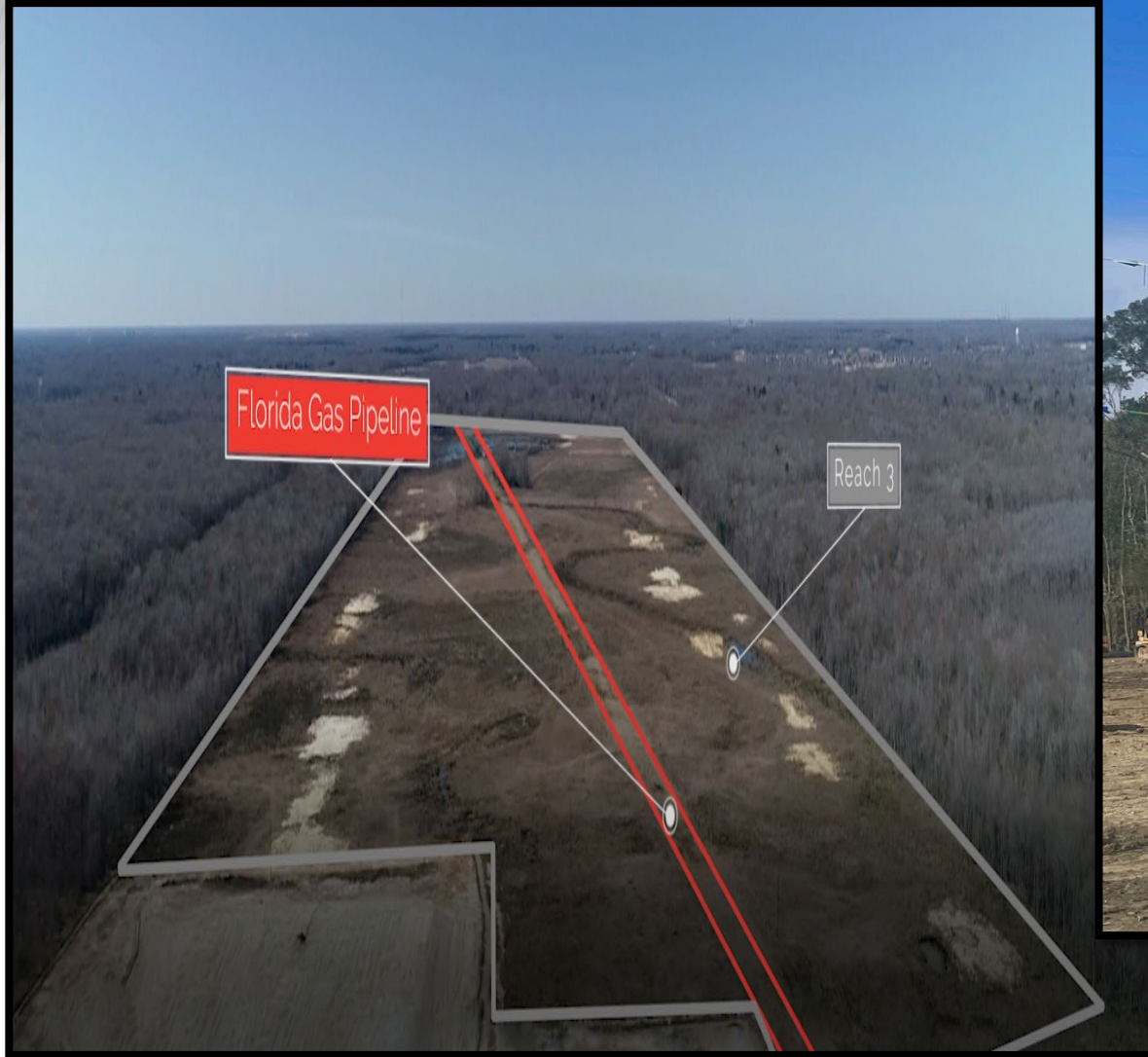


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# FLORIDA GAS RELOCATION

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# BROOKS LAKE GUIDE LEVEE

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## Challenges:

- ***Final Design***  
Completed 12/31/24
- ***Right of Entry Request***  
Completed 12/20/24
- ***Utility Questionnaires***  
(Pennington Pipelines- Completed 11/7/24)
- ***Compensability Determination***  
(N/A-pipeline is abandoned)
- ***Right of Entry Approval***  
PENDING





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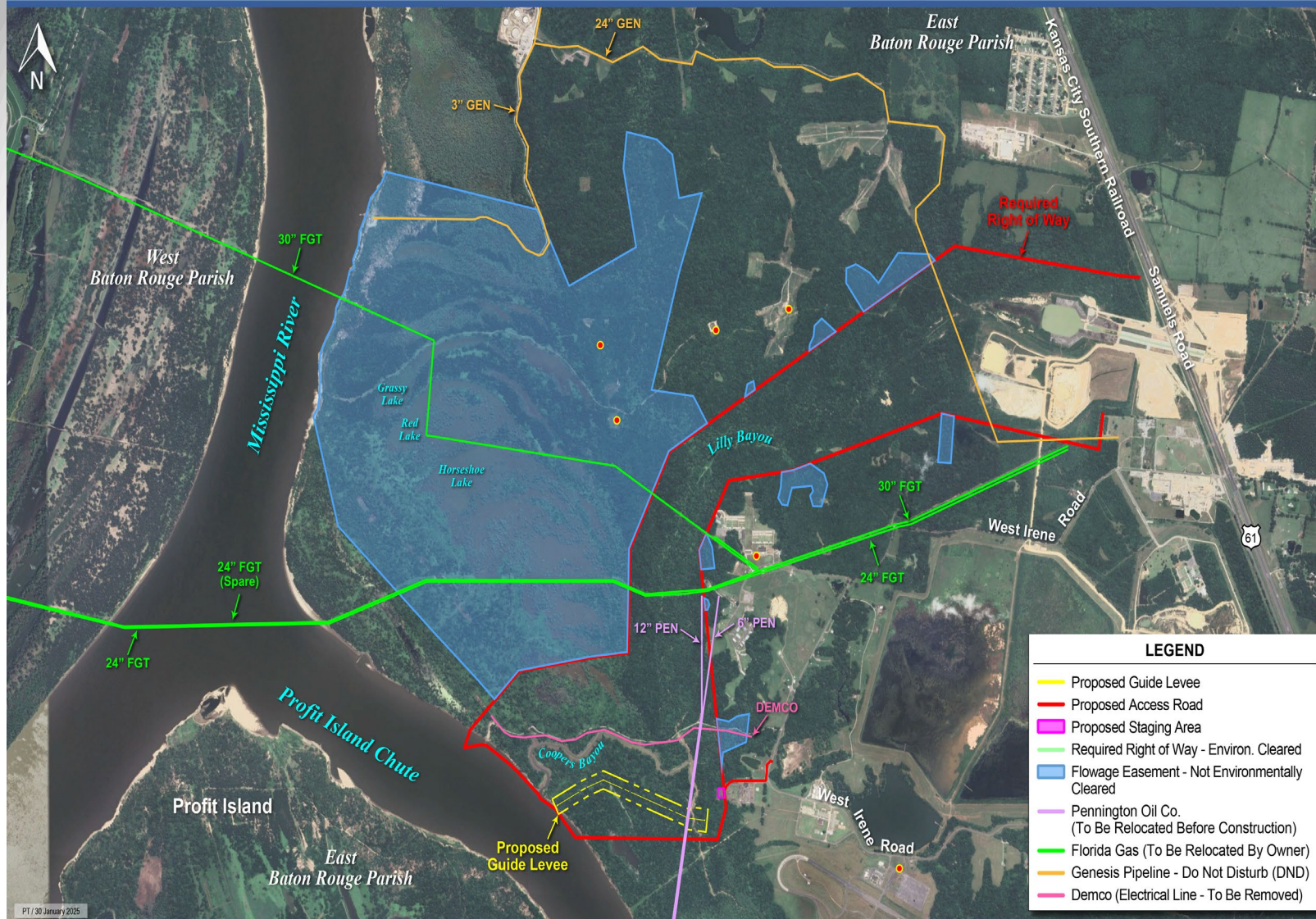


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# BROOKS LAKE - OPERATION

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## Challenges:

### Scour & Sheet Flow Impacts

- **Final Design**  
Completed 12/31/24
- **Right of Entry Request**  
Completed 12/20/24
- **Supplemental Environmental Assessment (EA)**  
Scheduled completion: June 2025
- **Utility Questionnaires**  
(DEMCO- Completed 11/15/24)  
(Florida Gas- PENDING)
- **Compensability Determination**  
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- **Right of Entry Approval**  
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# COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION

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## COM 21: Lilly Bayou Control Structure (100% Complete)



## COM 01: Hwy 61 & KCS RR (100% Complete)







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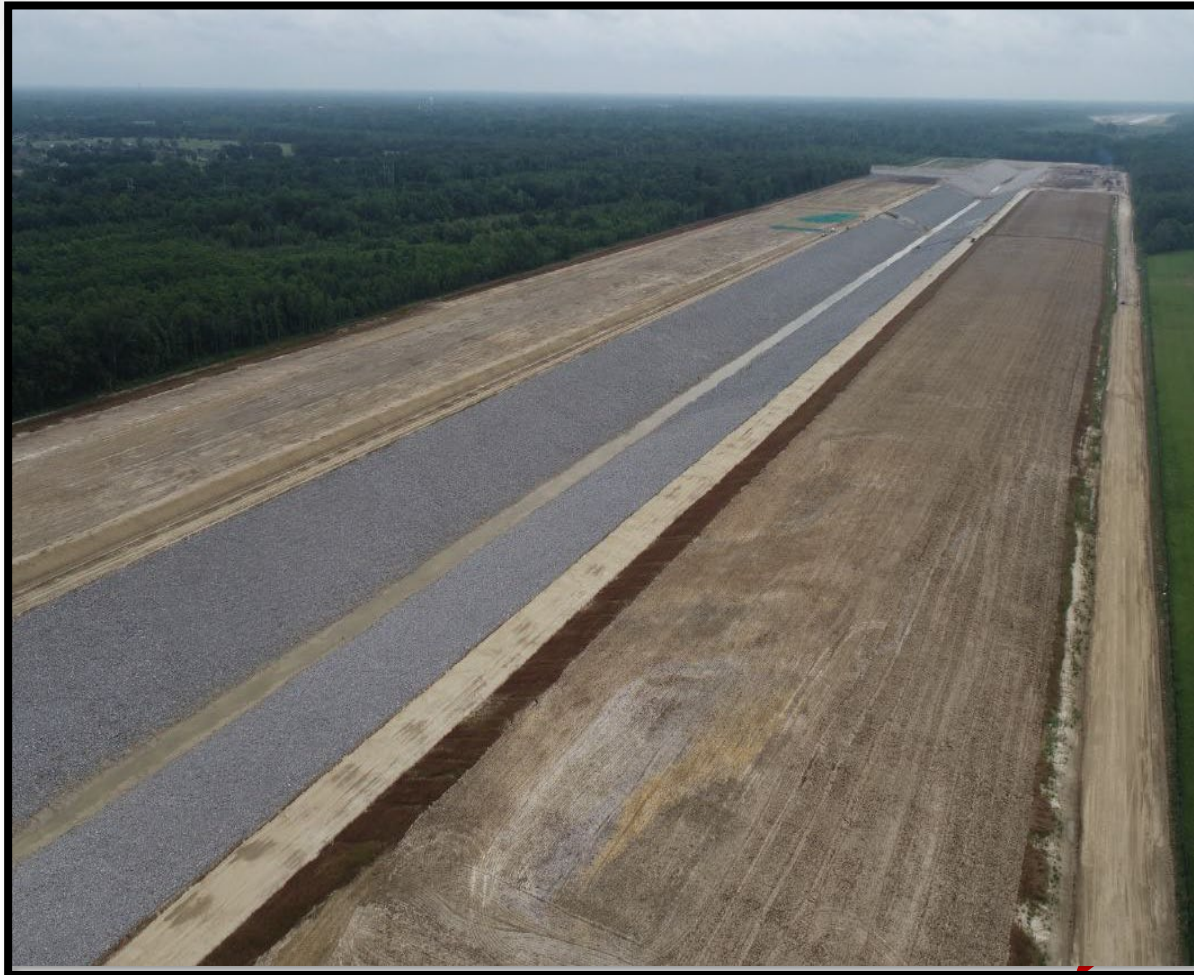
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# COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION

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**COM 05: Channel Segment 2A**  
**(100% Complete)**



**COM 06: Cypress Bayou**  
**(100% Complete)**







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# COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION

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**COM 18: White Bayou Rock Chute**  
**(100% Complete)**



**COM 17: Channel Segment 4**  
**(100% Complete)**







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# ON-GOING CONSTRUCTION

## COM 03: Channel Segment 1 (40% Complete)



(Before)



(After)





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# USACE WELCOMES COLONEL AUTIN

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The team welcomed the incoming USACE Commander to Channel Segment 1. Commander Autin will transition in July 2025.







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# QUESTIONS?