







# **Balancing Land-Use Conflicts and Solutions**

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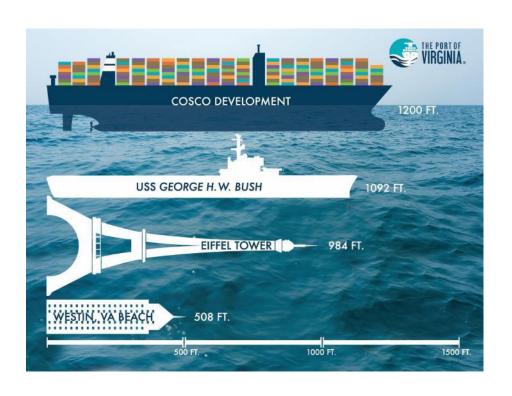
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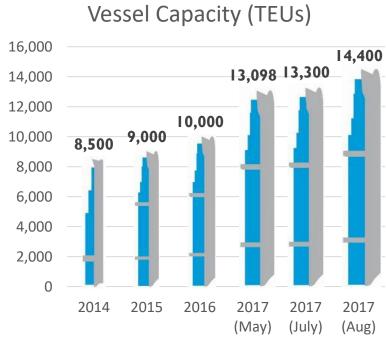
# **Craney Island Marine Terminal**

- The Port & Project Overview
- Land-use Constraints Construction & Mitigation
- Challenges and the Path Forward
- Creative Solutions Think Outside of the Box



#### THE PORT - A HISTORY OF WELCOMING BIG SHIPS







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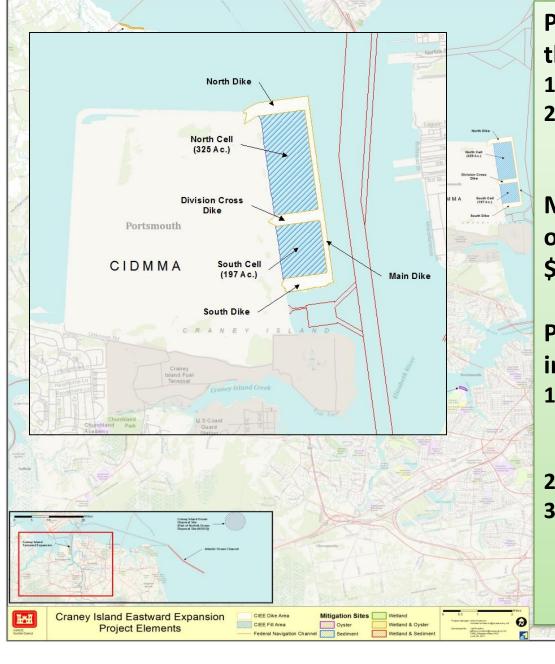
#### **Project Overview**

#### **FUTURE CONSTRUCTION: TERMINAL**

- Craney Island Marine Terminal (CIMT)
  - 2.87 million container capacity
  - 522 acres
  - 8,400 ft long berth
  - 15 container cranes
  - On-terminal rail access to NS & CSX







Project includes expanding CI to the East by 522 Acres.

- 1. Extend useful life by 10 years
- 2. Suitable platform for a Port Facility

Mitigation work represents \$65M of the overall project cost of \$976M.

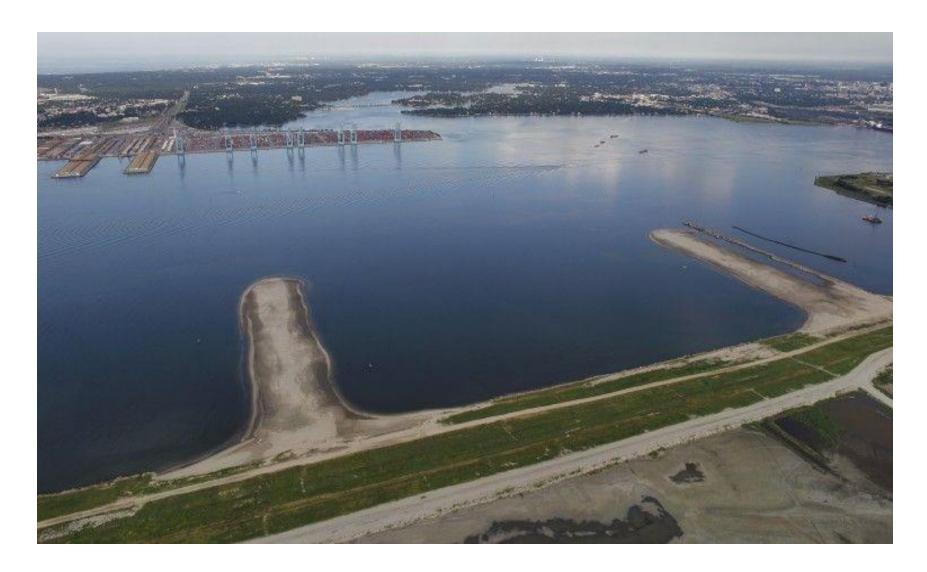
**Primary Mitigation Components include:** 

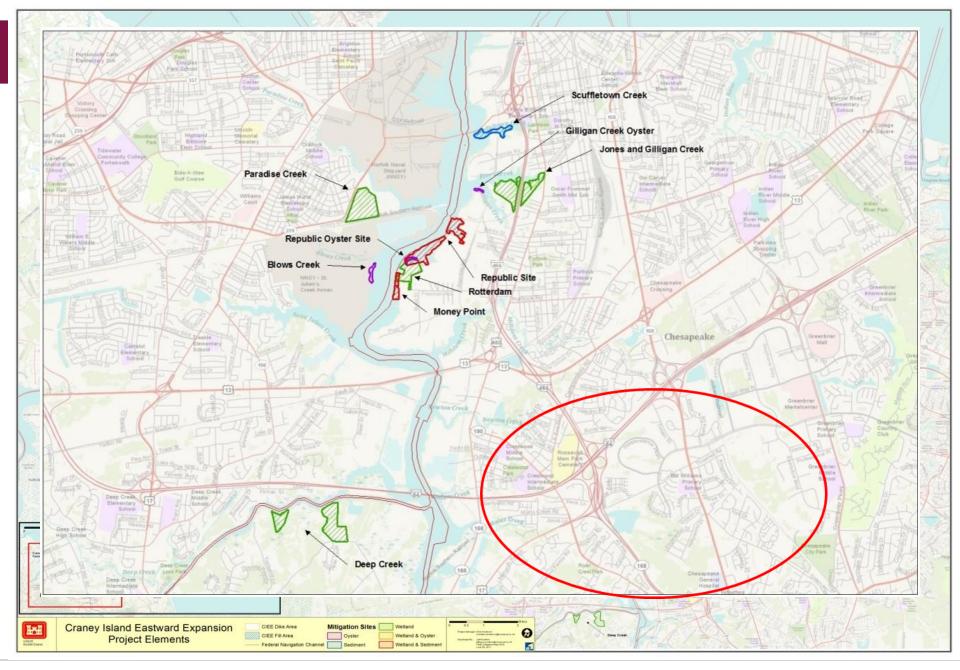
- Creating or restoring 56 acres of wetlands within the Elizabeth River Watershed
- 2. Three Sediment Remediation Sites
- 3. Creating 16 Acres of Oyster Reefs

### The Land Use Challenges - CIMT

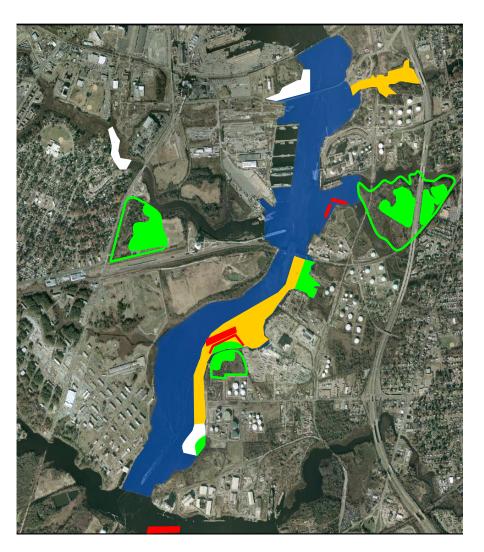


## The Land Use Challenges - CIMT





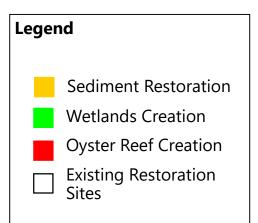
### A Creative Solution to Permitting



#### A "LANDSCAPE APPROACH"



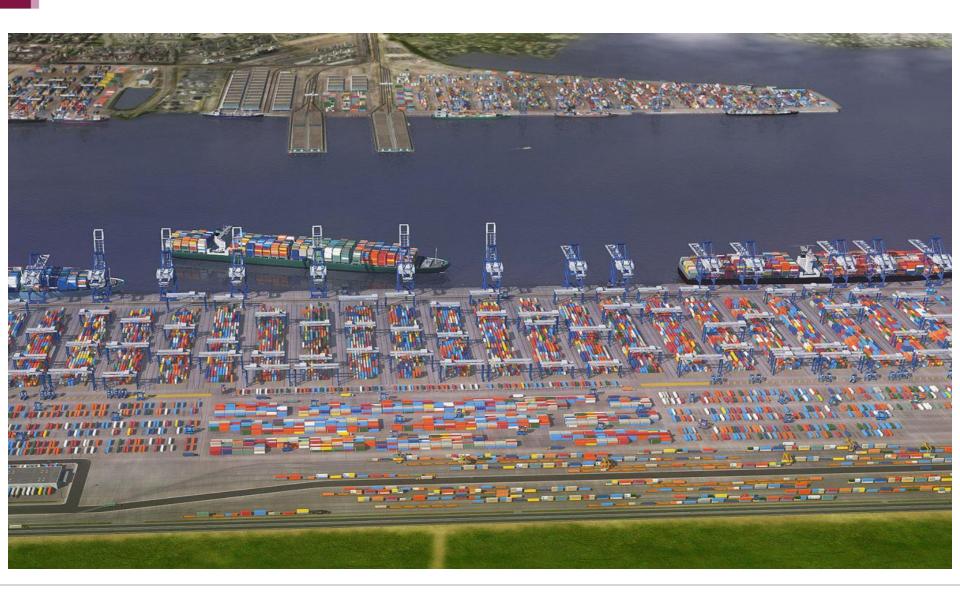
**411 ACRES RESTORATION** 



# **Land Use Challenges - Mitigation**



### **The Path Forward**



#### **A Creative Solution - Construction**

Beneficial Use of Dredged Material Pilot Program — WRDA 2016 Section 1122
Pilot Project Proposal for the Hampton Roads Regional Sediment Management Project

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Pilot Project Proposal for the Hampton Roads Regional Sediment Management Project

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#### 1. Name and location of the proposed project.

Hampton Roads Regional Sediment Management Project located in Hampton Roads, Virginia.

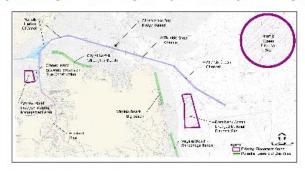


Figure 1: Federal Projects Associated with the Hampton Roads Regional Sediment Management Project



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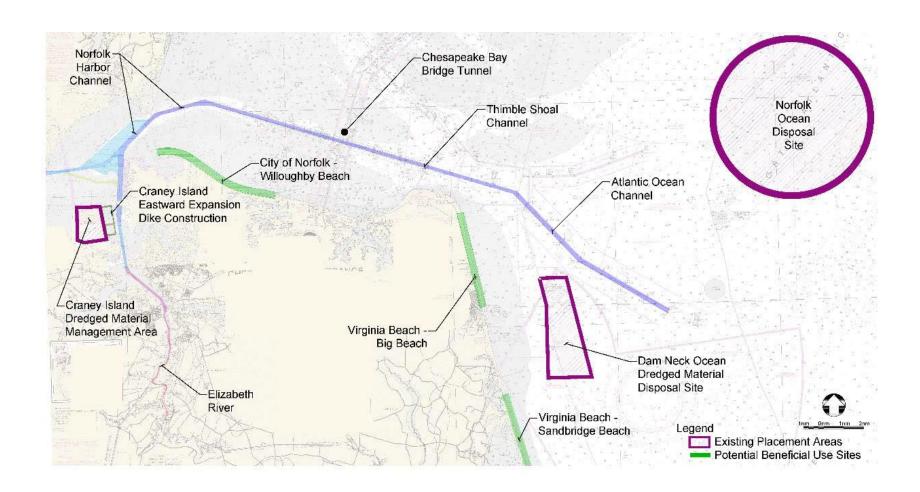
The cross dikes have been constructed to  $\approx 8$  ft. above water



SE Cell construction rendering



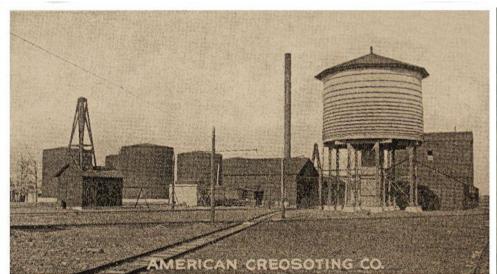
#### **A Creative Solution - Construction**



# A Creative Solution - Mitigation



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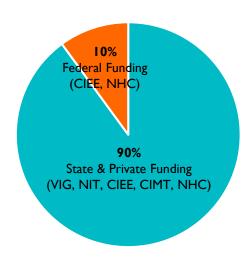




#### LEVERAGING FEDERAL INVESTMENTS

- The Port contributing 9 state & private dollars for every one federal dollar
- \$300M federal funding needed to complete SE Cell Main Dike

| Project          | State \$M | Federal \$M | Status                        |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| VIG              | \$350     |             | Funded                        |
| NIT              | \$375     |             | Funded                        |
| CIEE SE Cell     | \$175     | \$175       | \$300M Needed to Complete     |
| NHC              | \$200     | \$100       | Chief's Report 6/18 – to WRDA |
| CIEE NE Cell     | \$225     | \$225       | Not Funded                    |
| CIMT             | \$2,500   |             | Not Funded                    |
| CIMT Road & Rail | \$650     |             | Not Funded                    |
| Total            | \$4,475   | \$500       |                               |

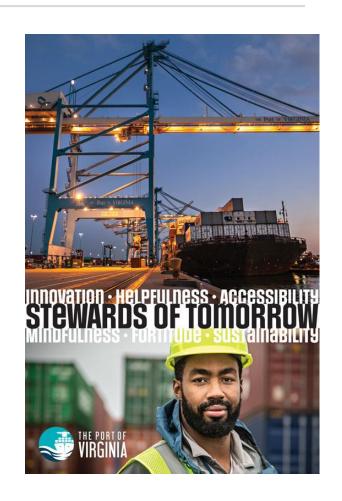




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#### LEVERAGING FEDERAL INVESTMENTS

- Providing \$300M (FY19 & FY20)
   to complete Phase I will:
  - Create 1,100 immediate jobs
  - Produce \$16B in national economic benefits & 54,000+ sustainable jobs after port construction
  - Benefit-to-Cost Ratio of 9.4 @
    3.375% discount rate (4.7 at 7%)





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