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SRP Grant Funding as a Project Driver - Two Florida Redevelopment Success Stories

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State and Tribal Response Grant

- Grant funding provided by EPA Section 128(a) of CERCLA (\$50M annually for state and tribal programs – max \$1M per state or tribe).
- Program administered in Florida by FDEP but executed BSRA not required.
- Services conducted by FDEP contractors
 - Up to \$200K for site assessment
 - Up to \$200K for remediation (source removal)
- Since 2003, funding utilized in all 50 states plus over 50 other tribal entities

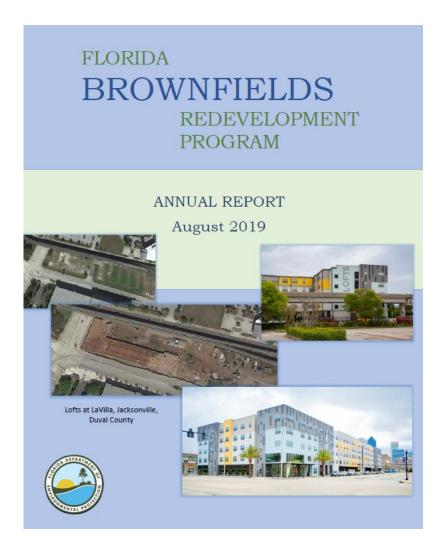






FDEP Administration of Program

- Florida is one of 25 states that utilize an MOA with EPA
- In 2018, FDEP was given \$637K in funding by EPA (includes admin costs for FDEP to run the program and track progress)
- SRP funding issued to FDEP for the last 16 years, totaling over \$11.5M.
- Program has assisted over 95 applicants with 116 projects.
- Interested parties submit application to FDEP









Eligibility of Sites and Applicants

- Property meets federal definition of a brownfields site
- Includes petroleum cleanup sites: lower risk, no liable RP, not subject to RCRA CO, and not in the FDEP PRP
- Priority order for projects:
 - owned by local government or non-profits,
 - sponsored by CRAs or similar,
 - sites under consideration for purchase by local gov't,
 - located in rural areas,
 - not awarded a competitive EPA grant, and
 - privately-owned sites.
- Other considerations (site access, timeliness of work, long-term redevelopment plan, serves community need)

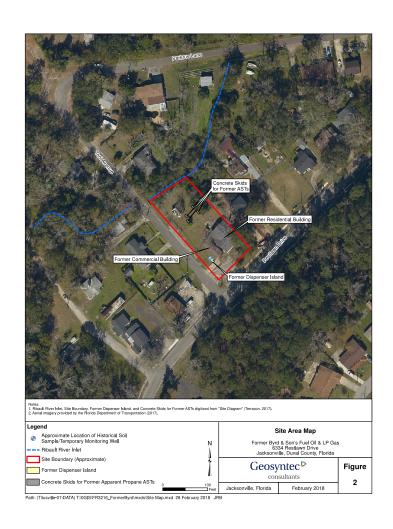






First Case Study: Byrd & Sons Fuel Oil and LP Gas Site

- Small minority-owned real estate company purchased the property through a city tax deed sale with historical petroleum release
- Finger, Nelson & Maguire partnered with Geosyntec to prepare a successful grant application









Site History:

- One residential structure and 2 office buildings on a half acre site
- Site utilized as a fuel oil and LP gas retail from the 1950s until 2000s, known as Byrd & Sons Fuel Oil & Bottle Gas
- Purchased by client in 2016 from the City through a tax deed sale and soon thereafter client discovered it was contaminated
- February 2017 Phase I performed by City of Jacksonville through the Brownfield Assessment Grant awarded to the City via EPA
- July 2017 DEP issues Warning Letter
- October 2017 Screening email sent to DEP
- November 2017 Submitted grant application to DEP







Site History:

- Historical aerials indicated 2 ASTs were located on the central portion of the site
- Regulatory information indicated that kerosene oil was stored in a 16,000 gallon AST with 50 feet of aboveground piping to one dispenser unit
- System removed in 2002; however, petroleum impacted soil and groundwater above GCTLs remained









Assessment Activities December 2017-2019:

- Site assessment included geophysical survey, soil sampling, temporary well installation & sampling and permanent well installation and sampling
- Quarterly groundwater sampling required to comply with Chapter 62-780, FAC closure requirements
- Success! SRCO without conditions obtained in Spring 2019
- Cleanup-related costs fully funded by SRP grant







Costs:

Activity	EPA Funding
Phase II ESA	\$41,337
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Supplemental Assessment	\$4,150
Supplemental Assessment	\$3,961
Supplemental Assessment	\$4,680
Phase I ESA	\$4,500
Total	\$58,628
Leveraged Funding by Owner	\$160,000



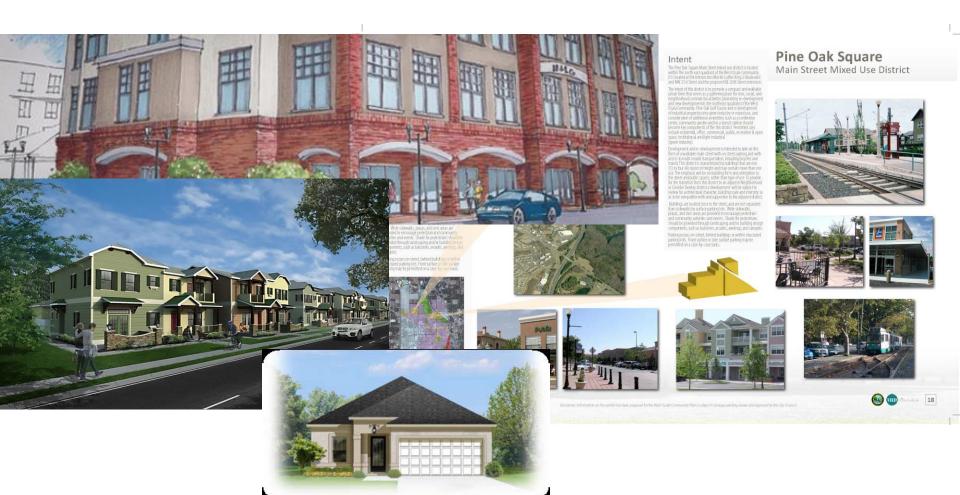




Second Case Study: Former Royal Oak Charcoal Plant; Ocala, Florida



Redevelopment Vision









It Takes Teamwork





Your Team at This Stage:

- Elected Officials
- Growth Management
- Community
- Senior Management
- Code Enforcement
- Police Department
- Real Estate
- Attorney
- EPA
- FDEP
- Engineering Consultant
- Procurement







Previous Views of the Site









Work Underway









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