ENDANGERED SPECIES OBSERVER PROGRAM

Dredge: B.E. Lindholm

Project: Sabine Pass, Texas

DAILY REPORT

Date: 08 / 11 / 02 Loads: 215 - 220

Area(s) Worked STN: 40+00 - 45+00 + 80+00 - 86+00

Weather Conditions (incl. sea conditions) P-m/c, wind 10-20kts, sea 4-6'

Range of Water Temp., Surface 87° Below Mid-Depth 85°

Condition and Effectiveness of Screening Aft 0%; Mid + Forward good

Are there incidents involving endangered or protected species? Yes No

Comments (details of turtle takes or whale sightings, dredged material, screening, biological by-catch, etc.)

Material: silt, mud, + clay

Samples: 1 Loggerhead sea turtle, trash

Load 216: a portion of carapace + plastron from a loggerhead sea turtle (Caretta caretta) was found in the forward inflow box. See report for further details.

Bridge Watch Summary

Species	# of Animals	Time/ Location/ Comments

Observer(s) on Duty: Andrew Jackson / Jim Dickey

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DAILY REPORT

Date: 08 / 12 / 02 Loads: 221 - 226

Area(s) Worked STN: 35+00 - 40+00 & 80+00 - 86+00

Weather Conditions (incl. sea conditions) Cloudy, wind 10-20kts, sea 4-6'

Range of Water Temp., Surface 87° Below Mid-Depth 85°

Condition and Effectiveness of Screening Aft 0%, mid forward good

Are there incidents involving endangered or protected species? Yes No

Comments (details of turtle takes or whale sightings, dredged material, screening, biological by-catch, etc.):

Material: silt, mud, & clay.

Samples: flippers (C.C.)*, trash

* Rear flippers to the turtle taken on 08-11-02 found in mid inflow box. Size & state of decomposition lead observer to believe they were from the previous turtle.

Bridge Watch Summary

Species	# of Animals	Time/ Location/ Comments
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Observer(s) on Duty: Andrew Jackson / Jim Dickey

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WEEKLY SUMMARY

Date: 08 / 10 / 02 - 08 / 13 / 02 Load Numbers 209 - 231

Range of Water Temp., Surface 87° Below Mid-Depth 85°

Areas Worked (lat/longs, stations) 30+00 - 50+00 + 80+00 - 86+00

Are there incidents involving endangered or protected species? Yes No

Comments (turtle takes, whale sightings, effectiveness of screening, by-catch, material, other info):

Material dredged is silt, mud, + clay.

Samples included Two portions of a loggerhead sea turtle (Caretta caretta) + trash

On 08-11-02 a portion of carapace + plastron from C.C. was found in the forward box. Sample was a fresh take. On 08-12-02 the rear flippers of a C.C. were found in the mid box. Size + state of decomposition lead the observer to believe they were from the turtle taken on 08-11-02.

Bridge Watch Summary

Date	Various Species and Respective Number	Comments

Observer(s) on Duty: Andrew Jackson / Jim Dickey