



Franklin Point Park, Anne Arundel County, MD

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FACT SHEET as of February 1, 2015

AUTHORIZATION: Continuing Authorities Program (CAP), Section 206 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1996, as amended

TYPE OF PROJECT: Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration

CONTRIBUTION TO CHESAPEAKE BAY: Directly contributes to achieving protection and restoration goals established by the 2009 Executive Order 13508 and the 2014 Chesapeake Bay Program Agreement by restoring clean water and recovering vital habitat.

PROJECT PHASE: Feasibility

CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: Senators **Mikulski** and **Cardin** (MD); Congressman **Hoyer** (MD-05)

NON-FEDERAL SPONSOR: Maryland Department of Natural Resources (MD-DNR) with additional support from Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works

BACKGROUND: The project is located in Anne Arundel County, Maryland at Franklin Point Park and Natural Area that is bound by Flag Pond to the west, and the Chesapeake Bay to the east. The project area is an approximately 30-acre peninsula of bay front land owned by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources (MD-DNR). It contains approximately 6,500 linear feet of shoreline on the Chesapeake Bay. The area was severely impacted by Hurricane Isabel in September 2003, resulting in significant loss of shoreline.

Approximately 2,200 linear feet of that shoreline is being investigated to determine if there is a Federal interest in developing an ecosystem restoration project in the area. The project will stabilize the shoreline and protect the integrity of an adjacent tidally influenced pond and natural resource area. It is intended to create habitat for both flora and fauna, and to prevent shoreline erosion along the property.

STATUS: The Initial Assessment Factsheet was resubmitted to North Atlantic Division and received approval on 10 July 2012. Due to higher funding priorities at MD-DNR, they are unable to negotiate and execute Feasibility Cost Sharing agreement at this time. The Baltimore District will follow up with the sponsor to determine if there is still interest in pursuing or terminating the study.



View of Franklin Point Park, Anne Arundel

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BUDGET (\$):

Construction

	<u>FEAS</u>
<u>Total Estimated Cost</u>	\$ 500,000
Federal Cost Estimate	300,000
Non-Federal Cost Estimate	200,000

<u>Federal Funds Data</u>	
Allocations thru FY 2013	\$ 95,584
Allocation for FY 2014	\$0
President Budget FY 2015 ¹	\$0
Allocation for FY 2015 ²	\$0
Balance to Complete	\$204,416

NOTES:

¹ The President typically sends the budget to Congress in February each year. Upon release, budget amounts for the USACE Civil Works programs and specified projects are posted online at the HQUSACE website in a Program Budget Press Book at <http://www.usace.army.mil/Missions/CivilWorks/Budget.aspx>.

² The final FY 2015 allocation amounts will be made available upon final approval pursuant to the Energy and Water Appropriations Act's continuing funding requirements .

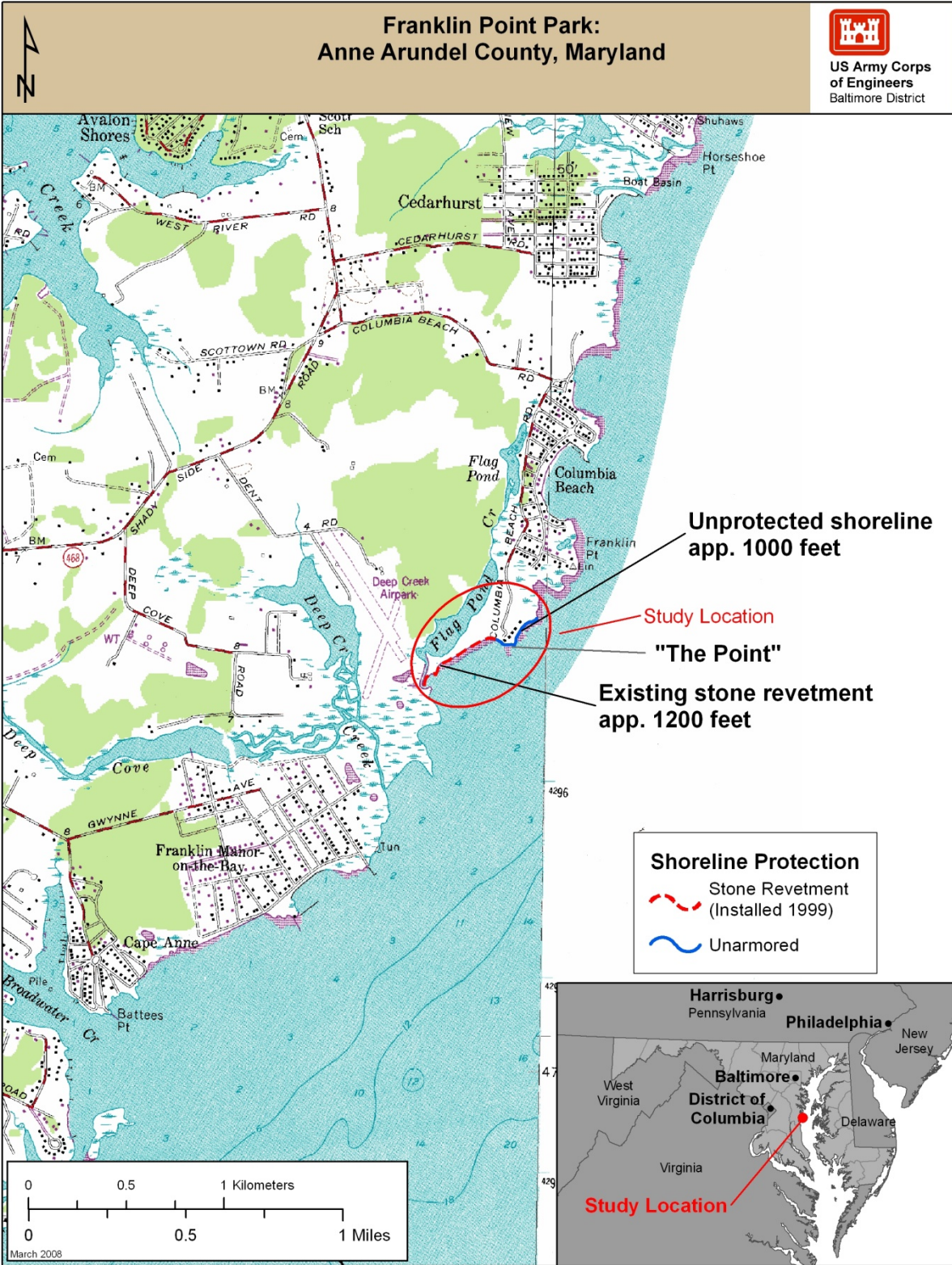
SCHEDULE:

FY 2014 Completed Work: None

FY 2015 Scheduled Work: The Baltimore District will follow up with the sponsor to determine if there is still interest in pursuing or terminating the study.

COMPLETION: TBD

For more information regarding the Franklin Point Park Feasibility Study, contact Mr. Anthony A. Clark, CENAB-PL-P, (410) 962-3413, or e-mail anthony.a.clark@usace.army.mil.



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