



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, MOBILE  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
P.O. BOX 2288  
MOBILE, ALABAMA 36628-0001**

**Regulatory Division  
Coastal Branch**

**24 September 2008**

**JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE NUMBER SAM-2008-0906-TLW  
U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

**ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

**PROPOSED EXCAVATION TO ENLARGE A BOAT SLIP  
ON TERRY COVE, ORANGE BEACH, BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA**

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This District has received an application for a Department of the Army permit pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344). Please communicate this information to interested parties.

**APPLICANT: Mr. Keith Waid  
7993 Overlook Circle  
Morris, AL 35116**

**AGENT: Taylor Engineering, LLC  
Attention: Mr. Brice Cocke  
P. O. Box 1875  
Daphne, Alabama 36526**

**LOCATION:** 26974 Martinque Circle, Orange Beach, Alabama 36561. Latitude North 30.283796 and Longitude West -87.565067.

**WORK:** The applicant has requested authorization to enlarge an existing boat slip by mechanically excavating approximately 89 cubic yards of sandy upland bank to create a 55-foot-wide by 65-foot-long indented slip to accommodate a larger boat. The excavated material would be hauled by dump truck to the City of Orange Beach disposal site on Canal Road. A boat shelter would be constructed over the expanded boat slip and existing walkway. Approximately 85-linear feet of bulkhead would be installed within the slip and would to connect to an existing bulkhead.

An application to request state clean water certification in accordance with Section 401(a)(1) of the Clean Water Act is also being submitted. A certification that the proposed activity complies with, and is consistent with, the State Coastal Zone

Management Program must also be obtained. Upon completion of the required advertising and public comment review, a determination relative to consistency will be made by the Alabama Department of Environmental Management.

This public notice is being distributed to all known interested persons in order to assist in developing facts on which a decision by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers can be based. For accuracy and completeness of the record, all data in support of or in opposition to the proposed work should be submitted in writing setting forth sufficient detail to furnish a clear understanding of the reasons for support or opposition. The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts, including cumulative impacts, of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and use of important resources. The benefit which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the proposal must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, cultural values, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, flood plain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food production, and in general, the needs and welfare of the people.

The Corps is soliciting comments from the public; Federal, State, and local agencies and local officials; Indian Tribes, and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this proposed activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps to determine whether to issue, modify, condition or deny a permit for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the proposed activity.

Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Requests for public hearings shall state with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

Evaluation of the probable impacts involving deposits of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States will include the application of guidelines established by the Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The National Register of Historic Places must be contacted to determine if properties listed in or eligible for the National Register would be affected by the proposed work.

This review will constitute the full extent of cultural resource investigations unless comment to this notice is received documenting that significant sites or properties exist which may be affected by this work, or that adequately documents that a potential exists for the location of significant sites or properties within the permit area. Copies of this notice are being sent to the U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service, Division of Archeological Services.

The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service must be contacted to determine if Threatened and or Endangered Species may be present at the site of the proposed work. It must also be determined if the proposed action would adversely impact Essential Fish Habitat or associated fisheries managed by the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council or the National Marine Fisheries Service.

Correspondence concerning this Public Notice should refer to **Public Notice Number SAM 2008-0906-TLW** and should be directed to the District Engineer, U.S. Army Engineer District, Mobile, Post Office Box 2288, Mobile, Alabama 36628-0001, Attention: Coastal Branch; with a copy furnished to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management, 4171 Commanders Drive, Mobile Alabama 36615. Comments should be received no later than **30 days from the date of this Public Notice**.

If you have any questions concerning this publication, you may contact the Project Manager Mr. Terry L. Williams via email at [terry.l.williams@usace.army.mil](mailto:terry.l.williams@usace.army.mil) or telephone number (251) 694-3773. Please refer to the Public Notice SAM-2008-0906-TLW.

For additional information about our Regulatory Program, please visit our web site at [www.sam.usace.army.mil/RD/reg](http://www.sam.usace.army.mil/RD/reg), and please take a moment to complete our customer satisfaction survey while you're there. Your responses are appreciated and will allow us to improve our services.

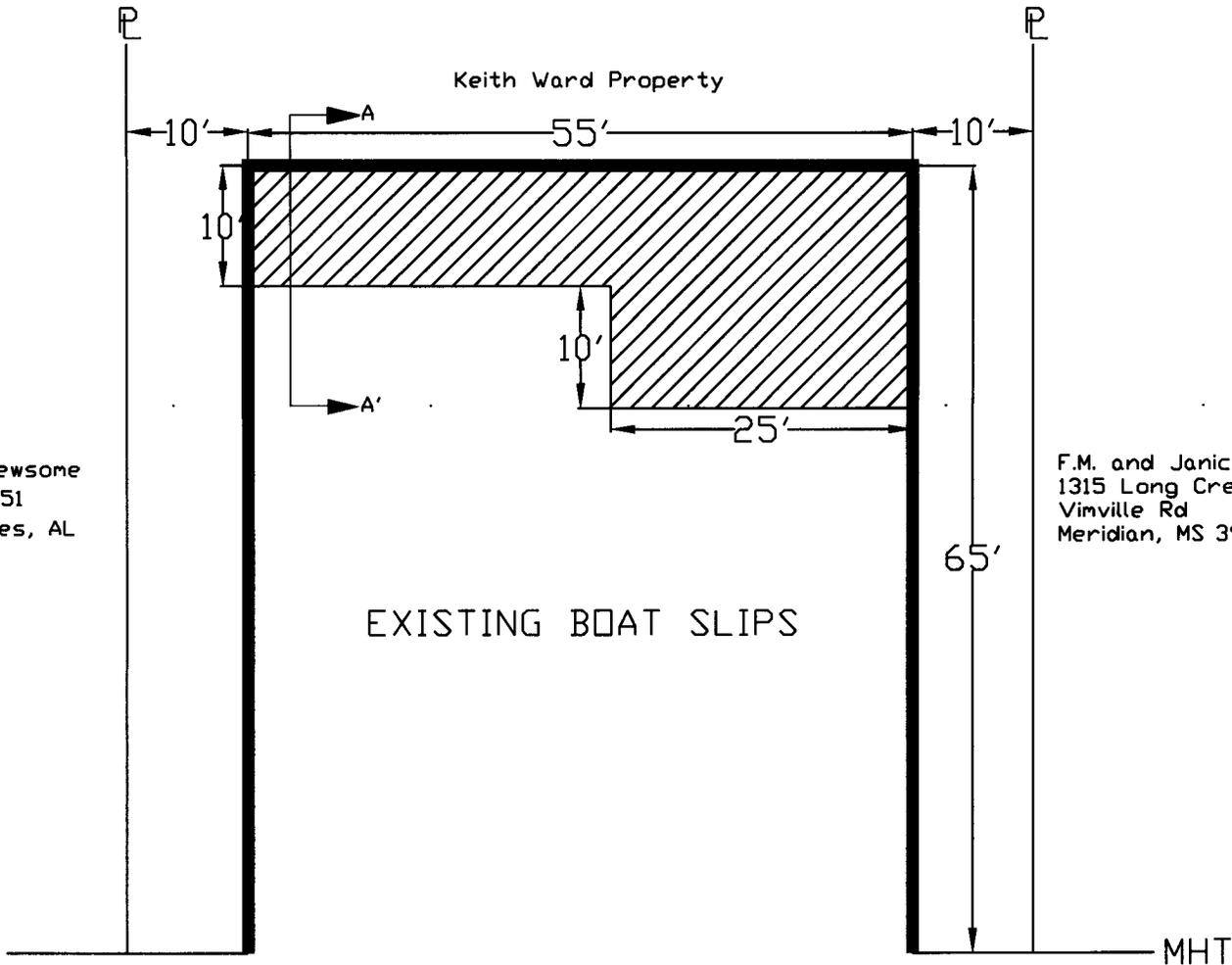
**MOBILE DISTRICT  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers**

- Enclosures
1. Vicinity map
  2. Plan View
  3. Cross-Section View



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 DREDGED MATERIAL = 89 CU. YDS.

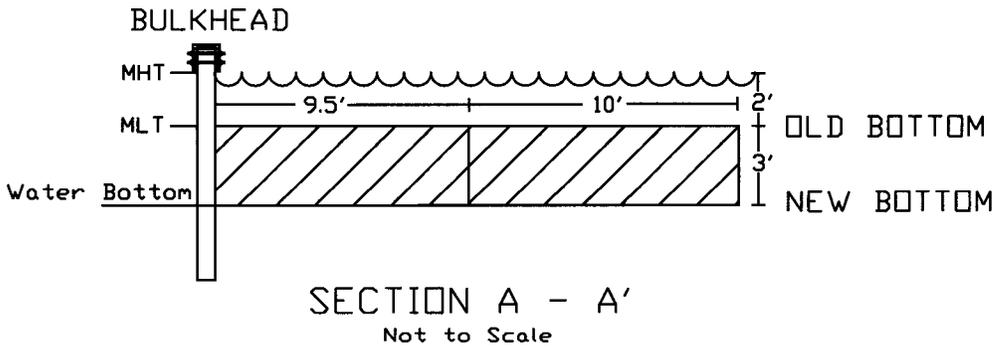
Mechanically excavate directly into truck and dispose at city permitted disposal area.  
 25015 Canal Rd at Oak St.



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 Gulf Shores, AL  
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DREDGE PLAN



DREDGE PLAN & SECTION  
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 BOAT SLIP DREDGING

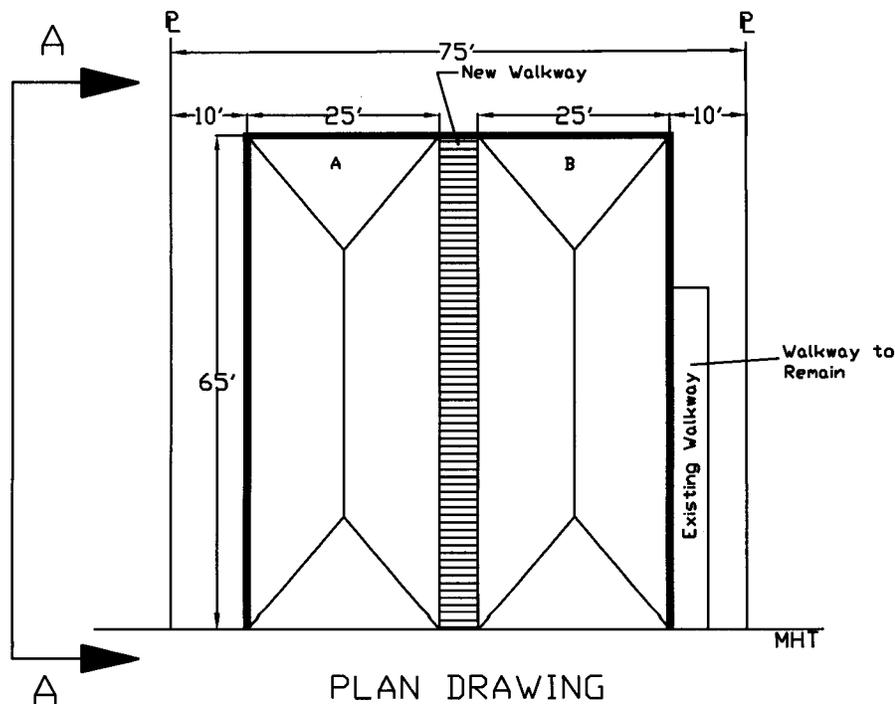
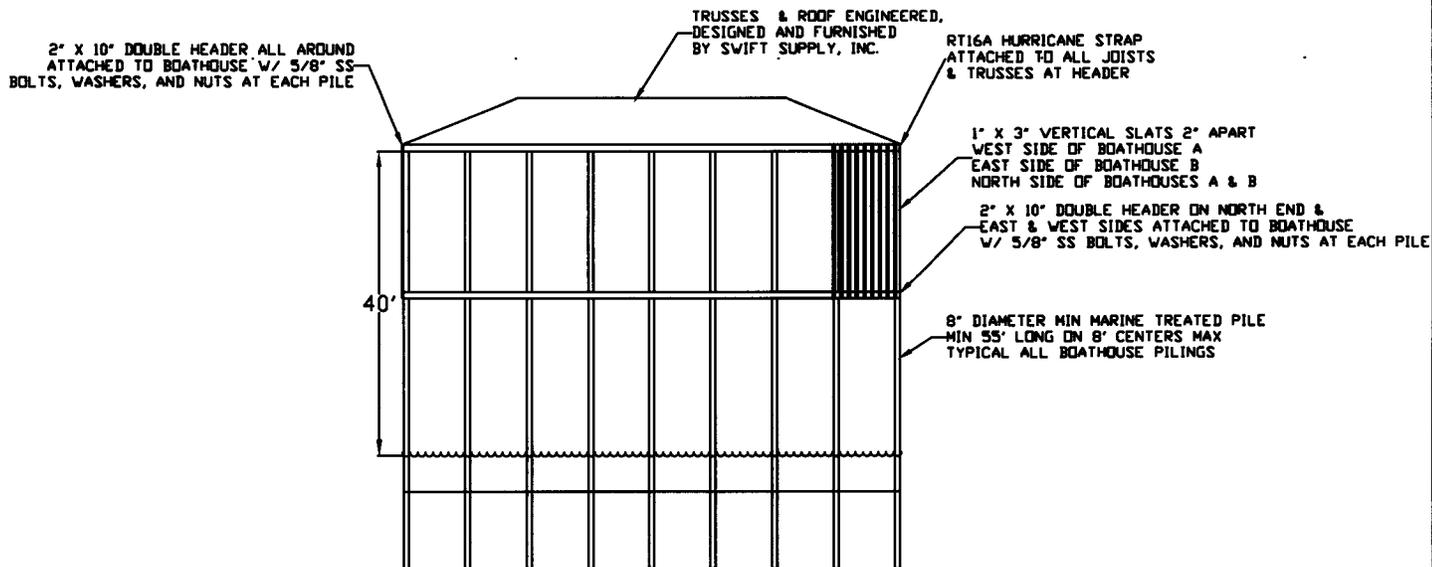
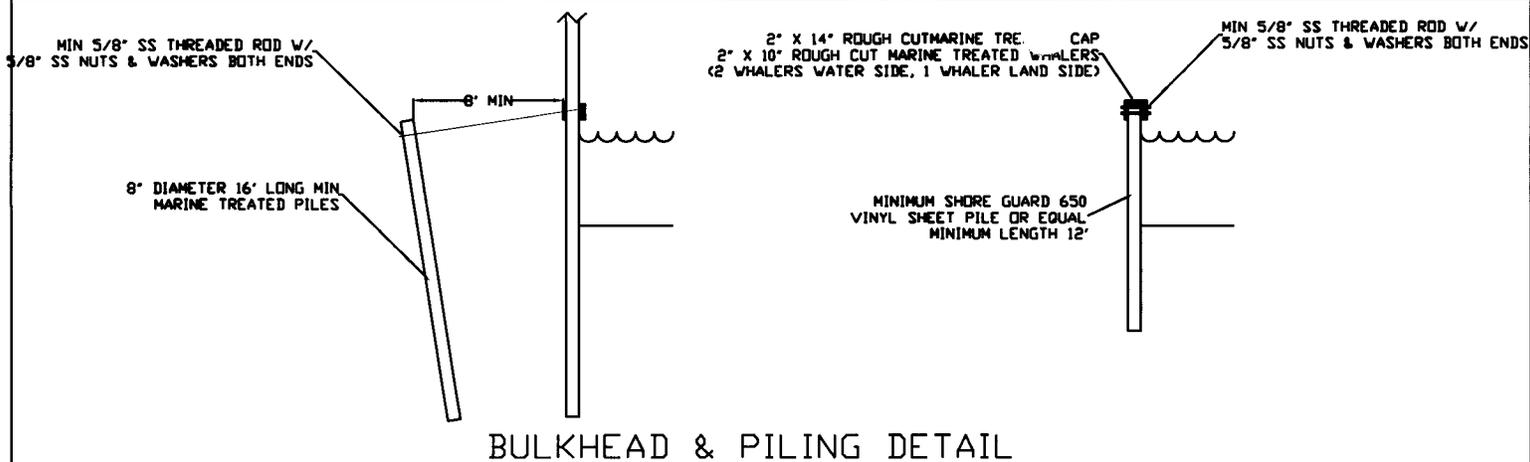
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PLAN & SECTION  
KEITH WAID  
BOATHOUSE & BULKHEAD

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