



US Army Corps  
of Engineers

Charleston District

# Project Fact Sheet

## CAP - Continuing Authorities Program

**P2#:** CAP-0001

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**Congressional Districts:** Joe Cunningham (SC-1) Joe Wilson (SC-2) Jeff Duncan (SC-3)  
William Timmons (SC-4) Ralph Norman (SC-5) James Clyburn (SC-6)

**Appropriation:** Construction - Continuing Authority  
**Phase:** NA  
**Business Line:** NA

**Authority:** Each section has its own authority.

**Location Description:** NA

**Project Description:** The Continuing Authorities Program (CAP) is a group of 10 legislative authorities under which the Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, is authorized to plan, design and construct certain types of water resources and environmental improvements without specific Congressional Authorization.

The purpose of the CAP is to plan and implement projects of limited size, cost, scope, and complexity. Although there is no specific minimum project size or cost, very small projects are not pursued under CAP as they should be implemented by other Federal or non-Federal entities, and large or complex problems are pursued under the specifically authorized programs. This program is cost shared between the Federal Government and the non-federal sponsor.

**Current Status:** As of 15 April 2020 - The Charleston District to meets with potential sponsors to determine federal interest for a variety of potential CAP projects.

**Sponsor:** NA

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