



US Army Corps
of Engineers

Charleston District

Project Fact Sheet

CAP - Continuing Authorities Program

P2#: CAP-0001

Congressional Districts:

Nancy Mace (SC-01) Joe Wilson (SC-2) Jeff Duncan (SC-3)
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Appropriation: Construction - Continuing Authority

Phase: N/A

Business Line: N/A

Authority: Each section has its own authority.

Location N/A

Description The Continuing Authorities Program (CAP) is 10 individual sections of public law that Congress has granted continuing authority to the Secretary of the Army through the Chief of Engineers to conduct feasibility investigations and construction of certain water resource or environmental improvement. This has the effect of allowing the Secretary, via the Corp of Engineers, to complete projects of limited scope and cost that conform to the text of the individual authorities without the time delay and political process of awaiting specific congressional approval. 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. CAP projects are cost shared between the Federal Government and a non-federal sponsor.

Status The Charleston District meets with potential sponsors to determine federal interest for a variety of potential CAP projects.

Sponsor N/A

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