NEW SAND IS COMING TO Longboat Key's Beaches

Here's what you need to know about the 2016 beach nourishment project.

Several eroded stretches of Gulf of Mexico beaches on Longboat Key will receive new sand in 2016. The beach nourishment project will enhance storm protection and recreation, while creating more beach habitat for nesting sea turtles and shorebirds.

Sand for some portions of the beach will be delivered by truck, while other areas will receive sand dredged from Longboat Pass and New Pass. Turtle nests will be relocated from areas that will be affected by beach construction activities to unaffected areas, while nesting shorebirds will be protected.

Beach access will be limited along various portions of the beach as work progresses from April through mid-October. Beach construction activities for the truck haul may take place Monday through Saturday, 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. During the dredging phases, sand will be pumped onto the beach around the clock, seven days per week.

We ask your patience as we work to restore Longboat Key's world-class beaches.

Learn More

To learn more about the beach nourishment project, review the schedule and status, and register for email updates, please visit **www.longboatkey.org**.

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Longboat Key 2016 Beach Nourishment Project Approximate Schedule

DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
Please visit **www.longboatkey.org** and click on "Beach Nourishment" for current information.

CENTRAL KEY TRUCK HAUL

1 **COMPLETED**
Islander Club south groin to Sea Place
(2295 to 2045 Gulf of Mexico Drive)
Truck Access: Colony (1620 GMD)

2 **COMPLETED**
Westchester to Casa del Mar
(4621 to 4825 Gulf of Mexico Drive)
Truck Access: Atlas Street

3 **COMPLETED**
Gulfshore to Pelican Harbour
(3710 to 4241 Gulf of Mexico Drive)
Truck Access: Gulfshore/Buttonwood Cove Beach Access

4 **June – Mid-July**
Buttonwood Cove to north of Beachcomber
(3710 to 2729 Gulf of Mexico Drive)
Truck Access: Gulfshore/Buttonwood Cove Beach Access

SOUTH END / NEW PASS DREDGING PROJECT & TRUCK HAUL

5 **Mid-August – Mid-September**
L'Ambiance to Regent Place

6 **To be determined**
Resort at Longboat Key Club to New Pass
Truck Access: Resort at Longboat Key Club

NORTH END / LONGBOAT PASS DREDGING PROJECT

7 **Mid-September – Mid-October**
Broadway Street and Gulfside Road

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