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USACE Regulatory Authorities

- Section 404 of Clean Water Act Discharges of dredged or fill material into wetlands and others waters of the United States
- Section 10 of Rivers and Harbors Act Any work or structures in, or affecting, navigable waters of the United States
- Section 103 of Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act –
 Ocean disposal of dredged material
- Our Workload: (1) jurisdictional determinations; (2) evaluate proposed mitigation banks; (3) evaluate permit applications;
 (3) write NEPA documents; (4) enforcement actions



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Useful Information for Regulatory

- Identification of sites with potential for developing mitigation banks
- Standardized approach and methods for monitoring streams and wetlands within mitigation banks
- Techniques and data for evaluating cumulative impacts within 8- digit HUCs
- Innovative strategies for managing disposal of dredged material
- Studies and data needed to determine if a non-RPW and adjacent wetlands are significant (i.e, significant nexus determination from Rapanos and McWane Decisions)