

On the Pulse



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HUMBLE CANAL FLOODGATE: Protecting Our Families, Friends, and Way of Life.

The Humble Canal Floodgate Preload project in Montegut, Louisiana, is the first of several elements of the Morganza-to-the-Gulf system the Army Corps of Engineers will design and construct. Onshore Materials LLC was awarded a \$6.2 million contract for this preload phase, the first federally funded project on the flood-protection system.

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The Onshore Family of Companies:





Summer 2023: What a summer it has been!

This summer has been a blessing for our company and has contributed to our growth. It was quite a relief after the last couple years' weather and the years of COVID. I appreciate all of the hard work and dedication our team members have shown this past year. It doesn't come as a surprise, as Onshore has the BEST talent in the area, and we would not be able to do what we do without all of the great families who support our team members. As we move into fall, let's not forget that with continued effort and safe practices, WE can have an amazing last quarter to close out the year. Please check out our project and employee spotlights, which showcase just how great of an organization WE have built! – Josh Arabie

Project Updates:



Shallow Water Equipment: Lake Boudreaux

SWE was awarded the Lake Boudreaux Project in the fourth quarter of 2022. Mobilization took place in February, and work began on constructing the 10,300 feet of new terraces designed to stabilize the area and create additional marshland. Because the area had water that was too deep for our marsh buggies, our crew used our newly acquired 350 Linkbelt long-reach excavators floating on deck barges. The crew, led by Mr. Cleveland Plaisance, completed the project on time and within budget by minimizing downtime and maximizing daily production. Despite only having marine access, Equipment Manager Chad Ordoyne and his team of hard-working technicians were able to keep all of our assets maintained and repaired. Project Manager Chris Pelas dealt with several changes and unforeseen conditions by relying on his years of experience working in this type of environment. Upon its completion and acceptance, not only was this project a success for SWE and Terrebonne Parish, but it serves as a benchmark for us to draw on for bidding and executing future work to help us grow this part of the business.



Onshore Materials: USACE 101 Levee

In August, OM mobilized equipment and subcontractors to begin the first of two current OM projects on the WSLP flood-protection program. Crews began clearing 60 acres of swampland while the OM group prepared for excavation and embankment activities. In September, we began placement of sand fill, followed by embankment and channel excavation. Superintendent Sean Boudreaux, QC Manger David Trahan, and SSHO Jill Jasmin have managed to take advantage of the favorable working conditions and progress in line with our aggressive schedule. Special thanks to 4 Aces, the OM Equipment Department, and our Safety Department for managing all of the changes, repairs, and other variables that have been thrown our way. We look forward to a strong finish to the project and a successful start on the 105 levee.

Onshore Construction Company:

OCC's recently awarded projects include :

- Lafourche Parish Animal Shelter
- Wallace C. Drennan Office Building
- Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's Building

Project nearing completion:

- Hurricane Ida Repairs to the Main Quadrant building at Nicholls State
- Halliburton Larose Ore Pad Rebuild

Recently completed projects:

- Hurricane Ida repairs at South Lafourche High School
- Renovations and Repairs Part 2: Roof Repair
- Berwick Library



Onshore Construction Company: Berwick Library

Employee Spotlight



Julio Rodríguez
Equipment Operator

Julio Rodriguez is an equipment operator with many talents. His coworkers and supervisors say he is a driven, hard worker and task-oriented. He is a knowledgeable person to work around and very talented in the work he does. His hobbies include sleeping, watching TV, and working.



Matt Duet
Field Mechanic

Matt has been with Onshore for six years as a field mechanic. His coworkers say he is dependable and willing to go above and beyond. He works well with others. His hobbies include going to his camp, riding in his boat, and going frogging.



Jeremy Martin
Shop Mechanic

Jeremy has been working for Onshore for 10 months as a Shop Mechanic. His coworkers say he is supportive and has an easygoing personality. He has great technical skills and is very resourceful. His hobbies include spending time with his son.



Glenn Thomassie
Field Mechanic

Glenn has been with Advance Forklift for four years and with Shallow Water Equipment for nine months. His hobbies are working on his old truck, cooking, and spending time with his family. His fellow SWE employees say that Glenn "likes to talk A LOT."



Dylan Fonseca
Laborer

Dylan has been with Onshore for two and a half years. His coworkers and supervisors admire him as a self-motivated, hard worker. He never backs away from trying to help his fellow coworkers with achieving the task at hand. You may know him as "Sasquash." His hobbies include shooting guns, fishing, and trawling with his grandpa.



Troy Usey
Heavy Hauler, Over the Road

Troy has been with 4-Aces for a year and a half and has worked his way up from regional scrap hauling to heavy haul over the road. He was nominated for his punctuality, positive attitude and willingness to support his coworkers. In his off time, he likes all things a good ole Southern boy should: hunting, fishing, and spending time with family.



Pearce Austin
Human Resources Administrator

Pearce has been working for Onshore Companies since Nov. 18, 2021. Her hobbies include, reading, listening to music, going to concerts, leading small group in Bible study, and spending time with her daughter India and fur babies Millie and Marley. Coworkers say Pearce's enthusiasm is unmatched, and her energy and positive attitude make her a joy to be around.

All employees of Onshore Companies are building, protecting and improving the Bayou Region, the great State of Louisiana, and our Country.

Thank You!

Project Updates: *(continued)*

4-Aces Logistics: Venture Global Plaquemines

4-Aces continues its support of Venture Global's massive undertaking to bring a next-generation modular-design liquefied natural gas (LNG) plant to Plaquemines, Louisiana. Upon completion, this 630-acre facility will have natural deepwater access and the ability to export 20 million metric tons of LNG per year. 4-Aces has supplied logistical solutions ranging from on-site personnel to the import and export of materials along with a host of secondary supporting roles. We look forward to continuing with this project into 2024.





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Shallow Water Equipment, LLC

Humble Canal

In late 2022, Onshore Materials was awarded its second Army Corps contract and first contract in Terrebonne Parish. This project was the first federal money spent on the Morganza-to-the-Gulf flood-protection system. Special thanks to our estimating team, led by Trae Eschette and Lance Schilling, for not only preparing and submitting a winning bid but working with our Construction Team, led by Charles Rodrigue, to ensure the Onshore “RECIPE” was set up for success. The project consisted of placing large quantities of imported river sand into existing wetland areas to establish a working surface. OM then used a fleet of company-owned equipment, managed and maintained by Glenn Rodrigue and his team, to develop and operate an offsite borrow area that supplied the project with 120,000 cubic yards of compacted levee embankment.

Despite a wet winter, crews began work in late 2022. The project team of Superintendent Dustin Buillot, Quality Control Manager Sean Boudreaux, Onsite Safety Manager Koby Richard, and several others managed to push through the winter and have the project in an ideal spot to take advantage of the good working conditions we had for the rest of the project. Our survey team of Andrew Szusch and Greg Guillory ensured all of the work was done in accordance with the plans and specifications and provided real-time data vital in making adjustments to ensure project success. Special thanks to our newly enhanced Safety Department, led by Greg Deteillier and Rodney Fromenthal, for ensuring compliance with the Army Corps’ safety regulations and making sure all of our employees



Charles Rodrigue, Colonel Cullen Jones, Josh Arabie

return home safely each day. Project Manager Ross Lundgren was able to negotiate through several difficult issues that came up during the project. While complying with all of the corps’ rules and regulations, these issues did not impede progress or compromise the quality project’s quality. With the help of our project administrator, Misty Arabie, and countless contributors behind the scenes, our entire project-management team was able to ensure on-time billing, prompt payment of all subcontractors and vendors, and a successful project for both owner and contractor.