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## Dredged Material Management Plan

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**Authorization:** River & Harbor Acts of 1899, 1935, 1954, 1958 and 1960

**Type of Project:** Navigation

**Description:** Dredged material management plan is a planning document that identifies the quantity of material to be dredged from federal harbors and how the dredged material can be managed in an economically and environmentally acceptable manner.

**Background:** The Buffalo District has been collaborating with project partners and stakeholders, and is working to identify specific long-term placement sites for dredged material from Cleveland Harbor. This includes beneficial use of dredged material projects and different scenarios for open-lake placement. A Preliminary Assessment, which is the first phase of the DMMP process, was completed in fiscal year 2017.

**Status:** The District has been working on a feasibility study since the beginning of fiscal year 2017. During FY22, the team will complete the study. The current working alternative will be to recommend a formal agreement with the Port of Cleveland to place the dredged material within the Port's facilities. The Corps is adapting to meet new DMMP requirements from WRDA 2020.

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