

Innovative Reuse and Beneficial Use of Dredged Material Program

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IRBU Program



- What are the general program components?
- What are the major program milestones?
- How has the Port of Baltimore advanced sediment reuse?

IRBU 2020 Strategy Goal: To make long-term, sustainable innovative reuse and beneficial use programs and projects to address capacity recovery an implemented component of the Dredged Material Management Program in Maryland, to promote the long-term viability of the Port of Baltimore.



2021: IRBU Webtool publicly launched; new regulatory forms established/put into practice

2020: Renewed IRBU Strategy approved

2019: IR RFP advertised; Fleming Park Restoration Project grant awarded

2018: Several IR demo projects are completed & academic studies initiated

2017: MDE published dredged material reuse Guidance Document and technical screening criteria

2016: MDOT MPA launches IRBU outreach campaign to inform and educate stakeholders

2015: Formation of Interagency Regulatory Workgroup

2014: IRBU Strategy approved by Executive Committee





How is the Port of Baltimore turning **SEDIMENT** into **SOLUTIONS**?

AWARD #1 – Belden-Eco Products, LLC

Belden-Eco Products, LLC will combine dredged sediment with other materials, such as Maryland-sourced fly ash, into various mixtures to develop ceramic bricks and permeable pavers.

Final products could serve as a stormwater management solution for the Chesapeake Bay watershed.





AWARD #2 – Northgate Environmental Management, Inc. (MBE and Small Business)



Northgate Environmental Management, Inc. will partner with others to develop concrete traffic barriers and modular shoreline protection structures using dredged sediments.

Final products could provide coastal stabilization and support for local transportation projects.

**AWARD #3 –
FasTrak Express, Inc.
(Certified Small
Business)**

Fastrak Express, Inc. will combine dewatered dredged material with mushroom compost and develop a preferred formulation to grow sod. Final product could be used in the development of re-engineered soil, thereby producing an agricultural commodity.



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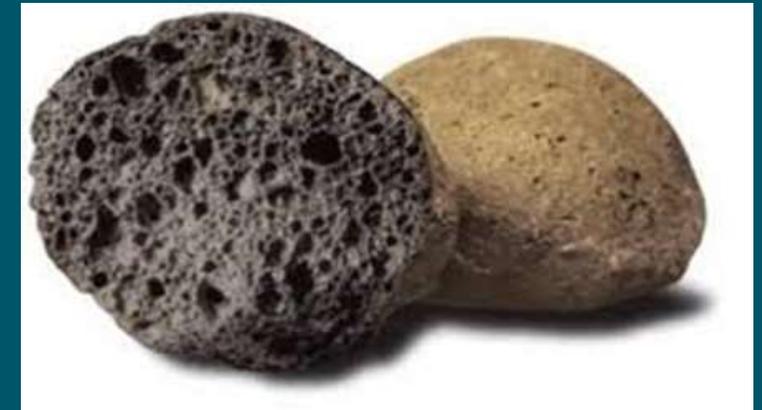
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AWARD #4 – Harford Industrial Minerals, Inc.

Harford Industrial Minerals, Inc. will combine dredged sediment with other materials into various mix designs, and produce lightweight aggregate for uses such as structural concrete and various fill applications. Final product could serve as local and sustainable alternative to virgin aggregate material generated from quarries.



AWARD #5 – Susquehanna Concrete Products

Suscon Products will combine dredged sediment with other materials into various concrete mix designs to develop general use concrete products. Final product could be used to manufacture general use concrete products such as retainer walls and low compression strength blocks.



AWARD #6 – CSI Environmental, LLC

CSI Environmental, LLC will demonstrate the feasibility of using dredged material from Masonville DMCF to develop upland and shoreline berms using geotextile tubes at the BGE Spring Gardens facility. It is anticipated that the berms will enhance resiliency and provide ecological uplift at the site.

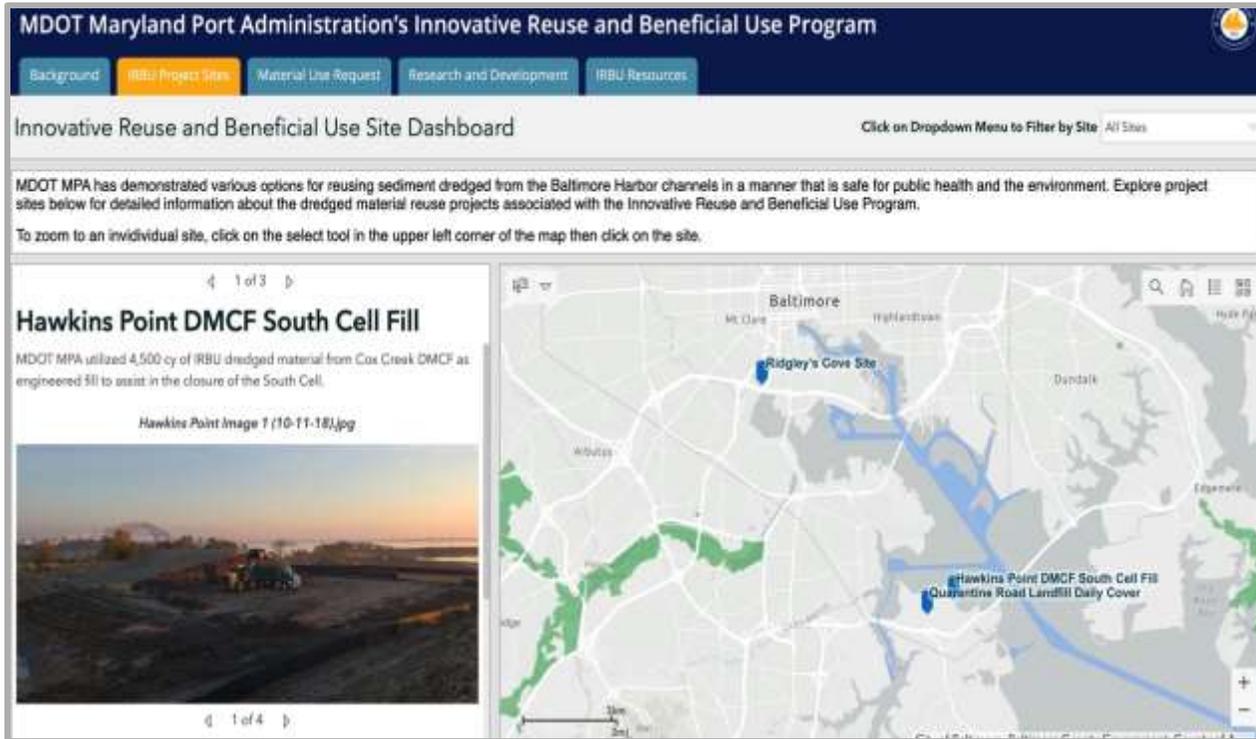


Benefits of R&D Solicitation



- ✓ Spurs research & development to expand the portfolio of dredged material end-use options.
- ✓ Creates a foundation for private sector collaboration on the potential future Tronox property
- ✓ Aids in future capacity recover projections from Harbor DMCF; innovative reuse is an emerging tool that has the potential to expand the Port's dredged material management capabilities.
- ✓ Furthers the State of Maryland's position as a national leader in the reuse of dredged material and contributes to Governor Hogan's Waste Reduction and Resource Recovery EO, which specifically calls out the reuse of dredged material.
- ✓ IR Program is closely integrated with MDE's regulatory policies, which serves as a model for other states.

IRBU Web Tool



A one-stop-shop for information related to MDOT MPA's IRBU Program

- Request dredged material from MDOT MPA
- Informational videos
- Project examples
- Program resources

<https://maryland-dmmp.com/future-solutions/>

Thank you!

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