



Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Council

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In 2011 she moved back to her "roots" (born and raised) in Mississippi to work on Gulf restoration. She was staffed to the Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Task Force and supported the Department of Interior advising on science and monitoring related to Early Restoration for NRDAR as well as the RESTORE Act. In January of 2015 she went on detail to the Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Council to help draft the Initial Funded Priorities List, she subsequently took a permanent job with the Council in May of 2015.