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2016 Beach Renourishment

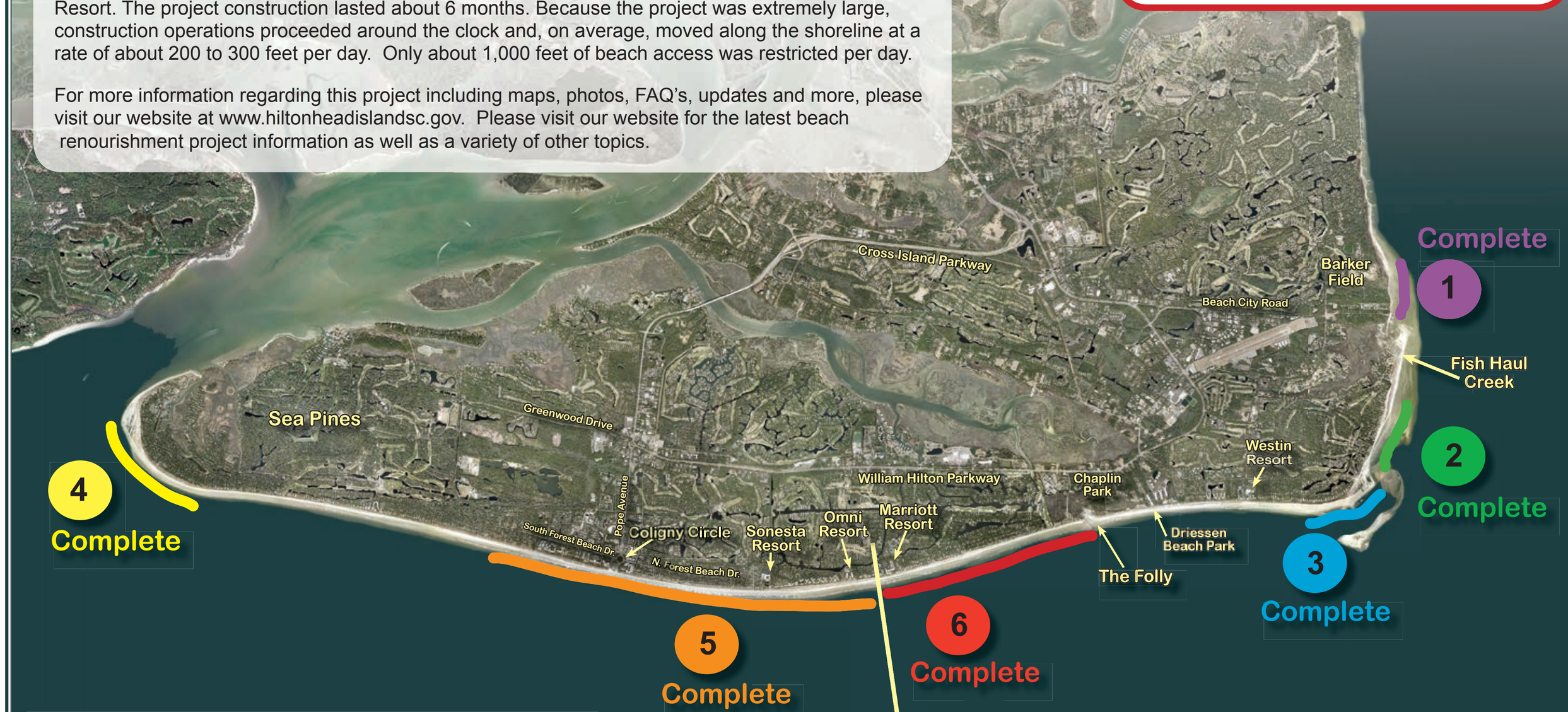
The Town of Hilton Head Island recognizes that its beaches are a vital asset to its residents and the Island's economy. As part of the Town's long-term strategy for beach restoration and maintenance, the Town began its 2016 $20.7 million renourishment project in June 2016. The funding source of the project is a longstanding 2% fee imposed on overnight lodging.

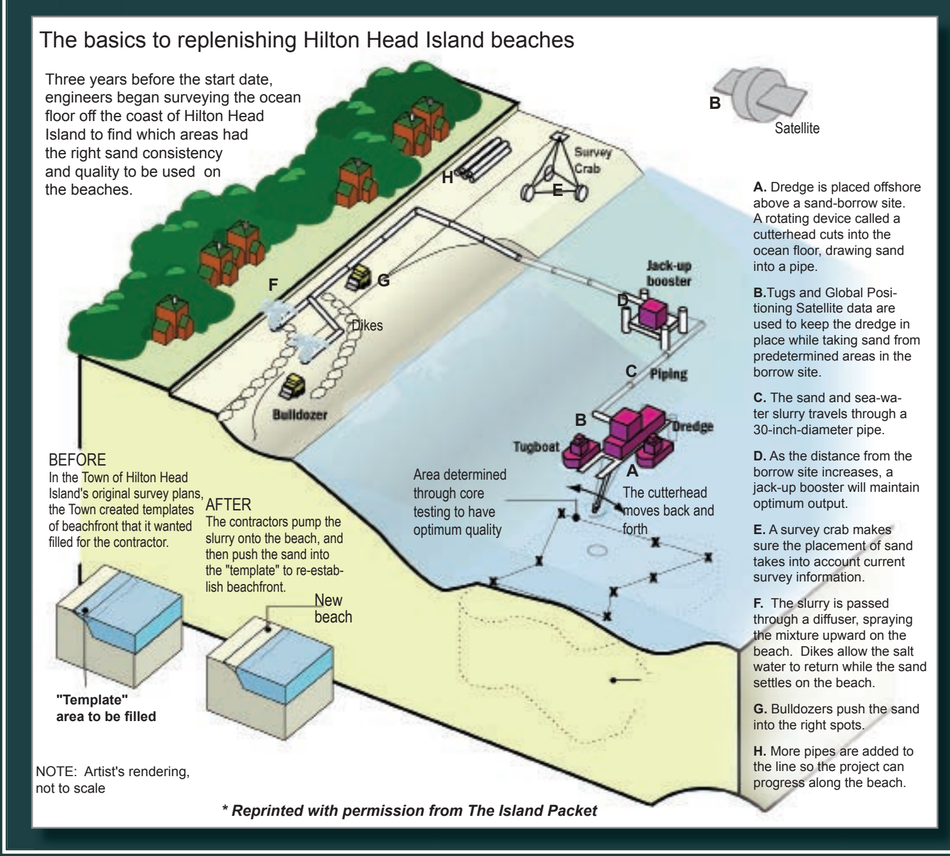
The 2016 renourishment of the Atlantic oceanfront shoreline was similar to the projects constructed in 1990, 1997 and 2006, with the exception that no sand was placed between The Folly and The Westin Resort. The project construction lasted about 6 months. Because the project was extremely large, construction operations proceeded around the clock and, on average, moved along the shoreline at a rate of about 200 to 300 feet per day. Only about 1,000 feet of beach access was restricted per day.

For more information regarding this project including maps, photos, FAQ's, updates and more, please visit our website at www.hiltonheadislandsc.gov. Please visit our website for the latest beach renourishment project information as well as a variety of other topics.

Our Beach is Open for Business!

This Map displays the total area that was addressed during the 6 month renourishment project.





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