

**DARE COUNTY BEACHES
HURRICANE PROTECTION AND BEACH EROSION CONTROL PROJECT
(BODIE ISLAND PORTION)
DARE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
SEPTEMBER 2003 UPDATE**

The beaches of the Dare County Project (Bodie Island Portion) experienced extensive erosion from Hurricane Isabel that made landfall in the immediate area on 18 September 2003.

Currently, Dare County and the Wilmington District Corps of Engineers are finalizing the details for the project cooperation agreement for the construction of this project.

Lee Wrenn Associates, Inc., working under contract with Dare County, continues to pursue acquisition of the necessary right-of-way for the first construction contract. Current schedule is for award of the first construction contract in Federal fiscal year 2005.