



SICTA Alert – August 28, 2007

Beach Replenishment / Water Resources Development Act (WRDA) On August 1st, the **House passed the final WRDA bill** including \$135 million authorization for our beach replenishment (Great Egg Harbor–Townsend’s Inlet project). Progress has been amazing, but there is **still a great deal of work left before sand hits our beaches**.

- The Senate needs to pass the final WRDA bill.
- The President must then sign the WRDA bill.
- WRDA only authorizes our project, but we need to **keep up the pressure** to be at the head of the line when funds are actually appropriated.

The Senate is scheduled to pass the final WRDA bill after their Labor Day return. But the President has threatened to veto this bill. **Please consider contacting our:**

Congressional Representatives, to thank them for their efforts and request funding,

- Senator Lautenberg 1-888-398-1642 ; email: <http://lautenberg.senate.gov/contact/>
- Representative LoBiondo 1-800-471-4450; email: <http://www.house.gov/writerep/>

President, to let him know how important the WRDA bill is to you.

- President Bush 1-202-456-1111; email: comments@whitehouse.gov

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