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Traditional Energy and Transition Challenges at the Port of Corpus Christi

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Who We Are The Energy Port of the Americas

- Independent political subdivision of the State of Texas
- Large industrial energy hub and gateway to global markets

- A landowner, a land developer and a landlord
- Governed by seven commissioners appointed by City of Corpus Christi, Nueces County and San Patricio County



The Energy Port of the Americas

By the Numbers









U.S. Crude Oil Export Gateway



U.S. Port by Annual Revenue Tonnage



U.S. Port in LNG Exports Estimated 808 Bcf in 2022

7,736



Vessels moved in 2022



30,000+ Acres of land managed 98,000



Port-related Jobs in the Coastal Bend

Accounts for more than 38% of the area's labor force

Economic Impact

\$400M

Per day goods value movement

\$6B

For Corpus Christi

\$400B For U.S.

\$65B

In private investment

\$40B For Texas

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Dr. Jim Lee, TAMUCC Port of Corpus Christi



\$65 Billion Capital Investments

(\$12 Billion Foreign Direct Investments)























































































































Our Accomplishments The Energy Port of the Americas

20X Increase in Crude Exports

since federal ban lifted in late 2015

17.5M

Tons moved in March 2023

New monthly tonnage record

187.9M

Tons of Goods

Exported

in 2022 (New annual record)

49.6M

Tons moved in Q1 2023

New quarterly tonnage record

2.31M

Barrels of crude oil per day in December 2022

New monthly record

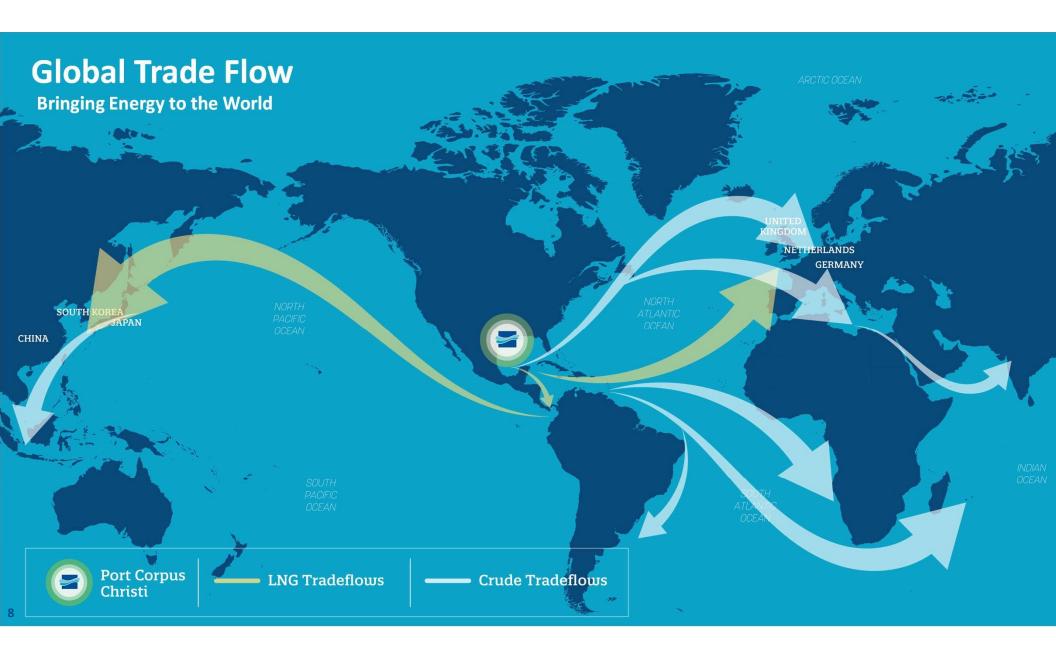


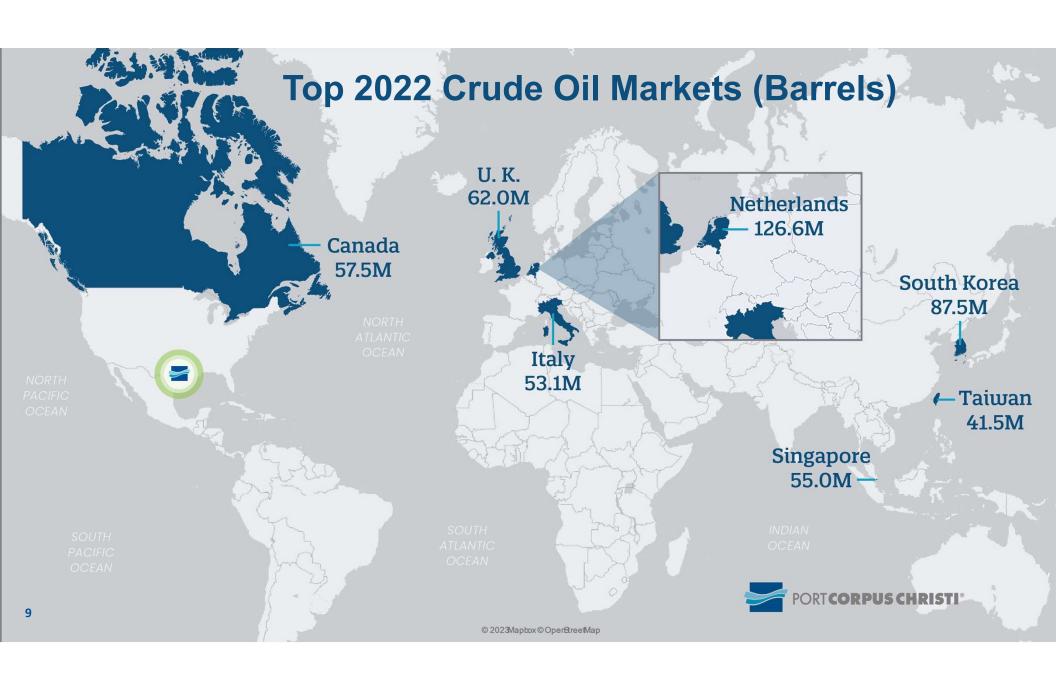
PCC Crude Oil Outbound/Exports 2016-2023 YTD (Barrels Per Day-BPD)











#1 Priority – The Channel Improvement Project

Main Channel and Barge Lane Elements

Project Cost

Current Authorized Costs

\$681.61M

\$406.34M Federal

\$275.27M PCCA

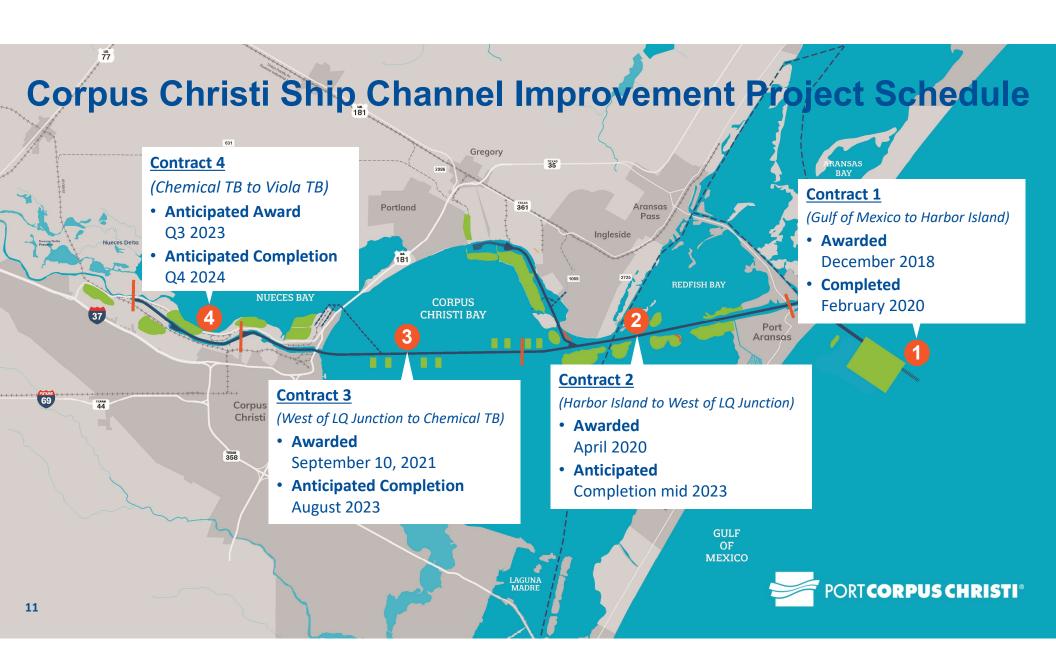
*Based on WRDA 2020 Reauthorization

Project Close Out Amount

Consolidated Appropriations
Act of 2023

\$157.3M





6 Environmental Precepts

Environmental Planning and Compliance



Air Quality

Reduce emissions by 15% in PM, VOCs, NOx, SOx every 3 years



Climate Adaptation

Implement Life Cycle
Assessment tool on Port capital
projects



Climate Action

Reduce GHG emissions per cargo ton by 7.5% annually



Habitat Restoration

Create/restore 50 acres of habitat every 3 Years



Water Quality

Reduce AL, Fe, Zn, Pb, TSS by 10% annually



Soils & Sediments

Remediate spills to residential standard

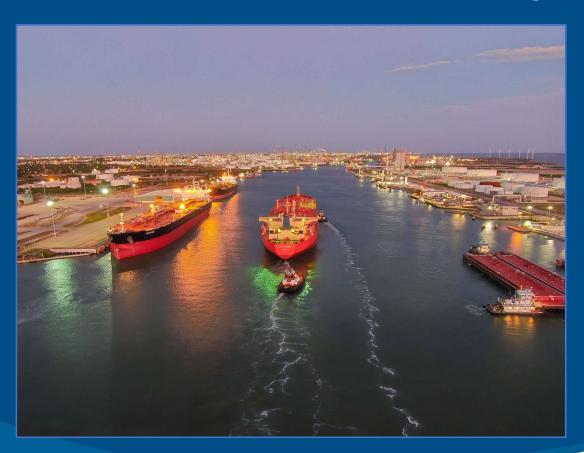








Horizons Clean Hydrogen Hub



- Existing operations around Port of Corpus Christi already use H2 as part of refining process
- Other industries may transition to H2 as low carbon alternative to natural gas
- Horizons Clean Hydrogen Hub projects will use and add to 110 miles of existing H2 pipelines
- Partners include longstanding Port customers, along with wellcapitalized and Port-vetted startups





Port of Corpus Christi CCS Projects Awarded Federal Funds



- Port of Corpus Christi awarded \$16.4M through U.S.
 Department of Energy's Carbon Storage Assurance Facility Enterprise (CarbonSAFE) initiative
- Funds will help evaluate technical and economic feasibility of storing captured CO₂ from industrial operations
- \$9M for onshore project (Talos Energy with Howard Energy)
- \$5.4M for offshore project (Port, 1845 Carbon Storage LLC, Strategic Sequestration Development LLC & University of Texas Bureau of Economic Geology's Gulf Coast Carbon Center



The Port of Corpus Christi's Role in CCUS

Advocate for appropriate state and federal policy

Send clear signal to marketplace that centralized CCUS solution is coming

Cultivate CCU opportunities __ (new projects, Port customers)

CO₂

Identify/vet/permit route alternatives for CO₂ delivery infrastructure

Lease
Port-owned pore
space for CO₂
injection and
storage

Facilitate logistical/commercial connections between emitters & CCS service providers

Deploy Port capital to fund key infrastructure elements
Pursue/leverage federal capital



Thank You



