

*Trustee Council Resolution 12-2*  
*ADOPTED December 18, 2012*

**DEEPWATER HORIZON OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL RESOLUTION  
REGARDING:**

**Approval of the Final Phase II Early Restoration Plan and Environmental Review  
for Release and Publication.**

1. In accordance with the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (OPA), the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), and the Framework Agreement for Early Restoration Addressing Injuries Resulting from the *Deepwater Horizon* Oil Spill, the undersigned representatives of the Natural Resource Trustees hereby select the two early restoration projects as described in the Phase II Early Restoration Plan and Environmental Review (Phase II ERP/ER) and approve the release and publication of the Phase II ERP/ER to continue the process of early restoration of natural resources and services injured or lost as a result of the *Deepwater Horizon* oil spill, which occurred on or about April 20, 2010, in the Gulf of Mexico. The selected projects are:

- a. Enhanced Management of Avian Breeding Habitat Injured by Response Activities in the Florida Panhandle, Alabama, and Mississippi; and,
- b. Improving Habitat Injured by Spill Response: Restoring the Night Sky.

2. In selecting these projects and approving the Phase II ERP/ER, the Trustees are acting pursuant to the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (33 U.S.C. § 2701 *et seq.*), the implementing Natural Resource Damage Assessment regulations found at 15 CFR Part 990, and the Framework Agreement for Addressing Injuries Resulting from the *Deepwater Horizon* Oil Spill.

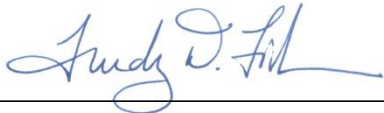
3. This Resolution confirms and memorializes this approval for the Administrative Record.

**SIGNATURES ON FOLLOWING PAGES:**

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Mimi Drew  
Principal Representative for Florida Trustees

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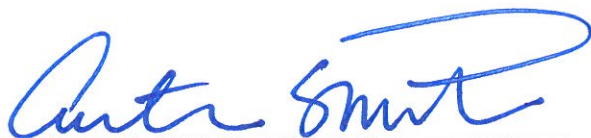
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Trudy Fisher  
Principal Representative for Mississippi



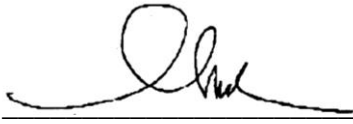
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Garret Graves  
Principal Representative for Louisiana Trustees

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Carter Smith  
Principal Representative for Texas Trustees

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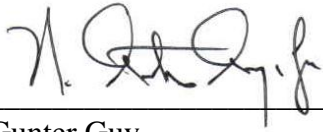
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Craig O'Connor  
Principal Representative for NOAA



Cynthia Dohner

Principal Representative for the U.S. Department of the Interior

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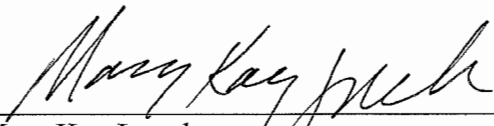
Gunter Guy  
Principal Representative for Alabama Trustees



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Harris Sherman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "H".

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Harris Sherman  
Principal Representative for the U.S. Department of Agriculture

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Mary Kay Lynch", written in black ink. The signature is positioned above a horizontal line.

Mary Kay Lynch  
Legal Counsel to Principal Representative for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency