



**LONGLEAF
CCS HUB**

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Project Motivation

- The Longleaf CCS Hub seeks to develop a CO₂ storage facility near Bucks, Alabama
- Builds on the successful SECARB injection demonstration at the Anthropogenic Test Site, conducted at nearby Citronelle, Alabama
- Opportunity to decarbonize the many industrial facilities in Mobile County
- **Motivated project owner and developer in Tenaska**
- **36-month period of performance**



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DOE Funding: \$17,984,523

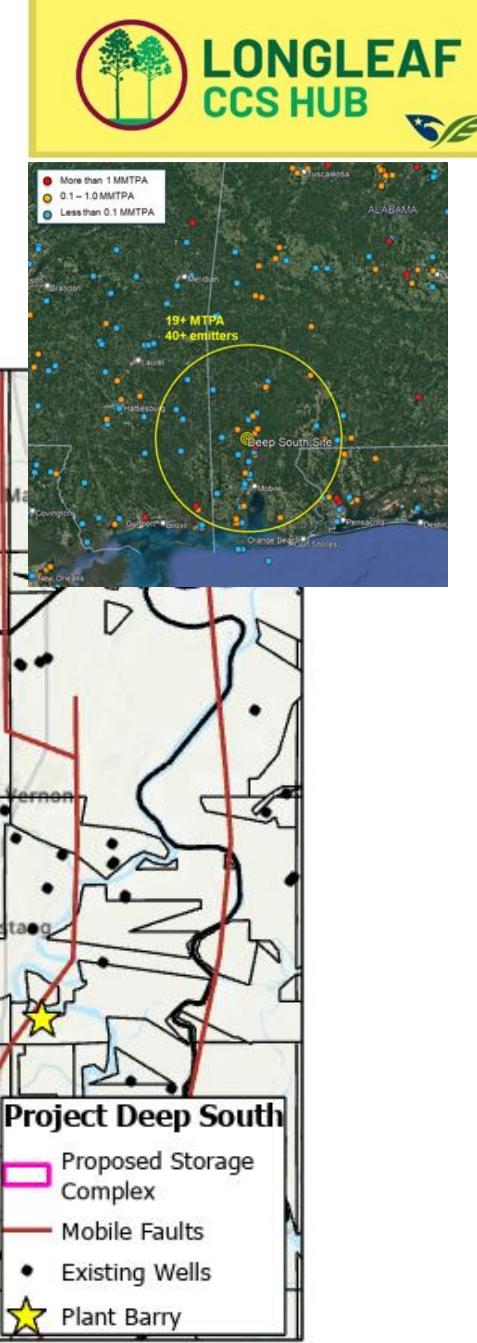
Non-DOE Funding: \$5,924,074

Total Value: \$23,908,597

Location

- The proposed storage complex site is located north of Mobile, Alabama
- The complex will provide storage options for CO₂ emissions captured from regional emitters along the Mobile River corridor and to the south
 - > 19 MMtonnes per year from 40+ emitters
 - Located 5 miles to the east of the SECARB Anthropogenic test site at Citronelle

Regional emitters in the Gulf South that may wish to explore opportunities to decarbonize.



Sources

- Over 19 MMTs of CO₂ emitted from over 28 industrial sources
- Diverse industrial sources participating in the project

Company	Industry	CO ₂ Emissions Tons/Yr	Letter of Support
Calvert	Steel	500,000	Received
Calysta	Sustainable Protein	500,000	Received
Plant Barry	Power Generation	1,500,000	Received
Williams	Natural Gas Processing	100,000	Received

Regional emitters that have agreed to participate in project activities.

Company Legend

- 1| BASF
- 2| Praxair
- 3| Huntsman Advanced Materials
- 4| Bay Gas Storage
- 5| Olin Corp.
- 6| Tate and Lyle
- 7| Praxair
- 8| U.S. Amines
- 9| Arkema
- 10| Nouryon
- 11| Lenzing Group
- 12| FMC
- 13| AMVAC Chemical Corp.
- 14| Shell Chemicals
- 15| Matheson Tri-Gas
- 16| Multisorb Technologies
- 17| Southern Ionomics
- 18| Mobile Rosin Oil Co.
- 19| OxyChem
- 20| Honeywell UOP
- 21| Kemira
- 22| Mitsubishi Polysilicon
- 23| Praxair
- 24| Evonik Industries
- 25| INEOS Phenol
- 26| BASF
- 27| BASF Agricultural Solutions
- 28| ExxonMobil

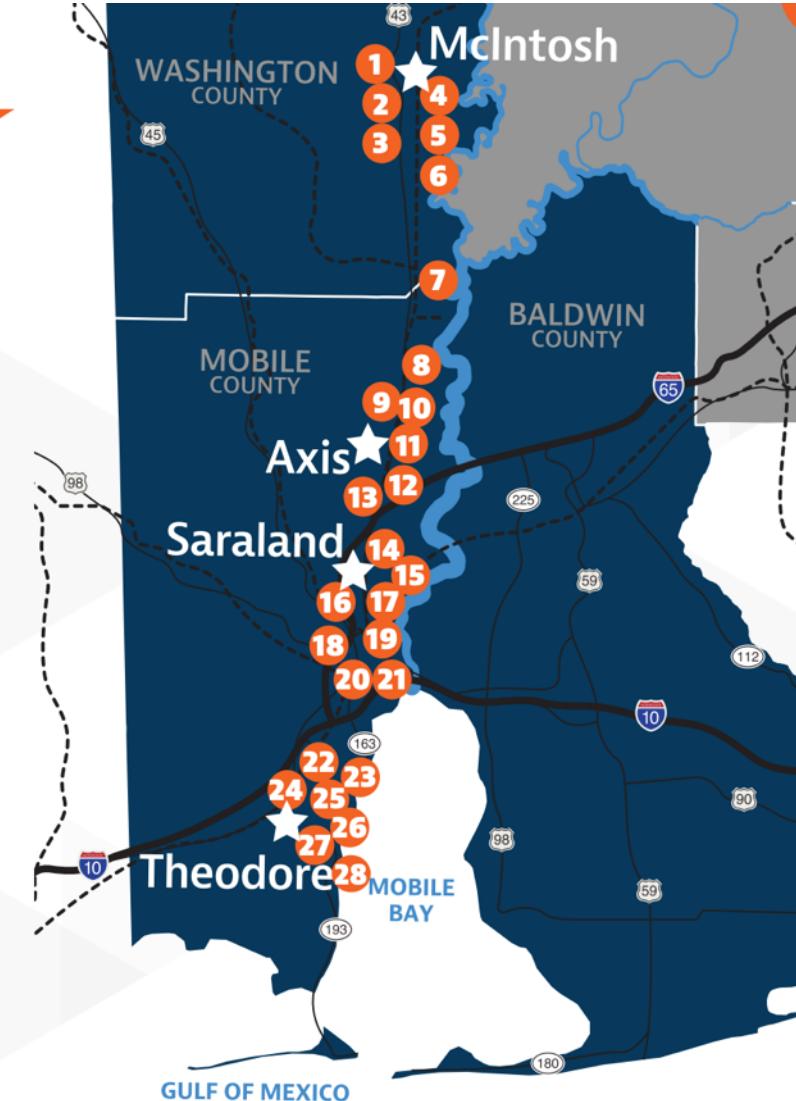
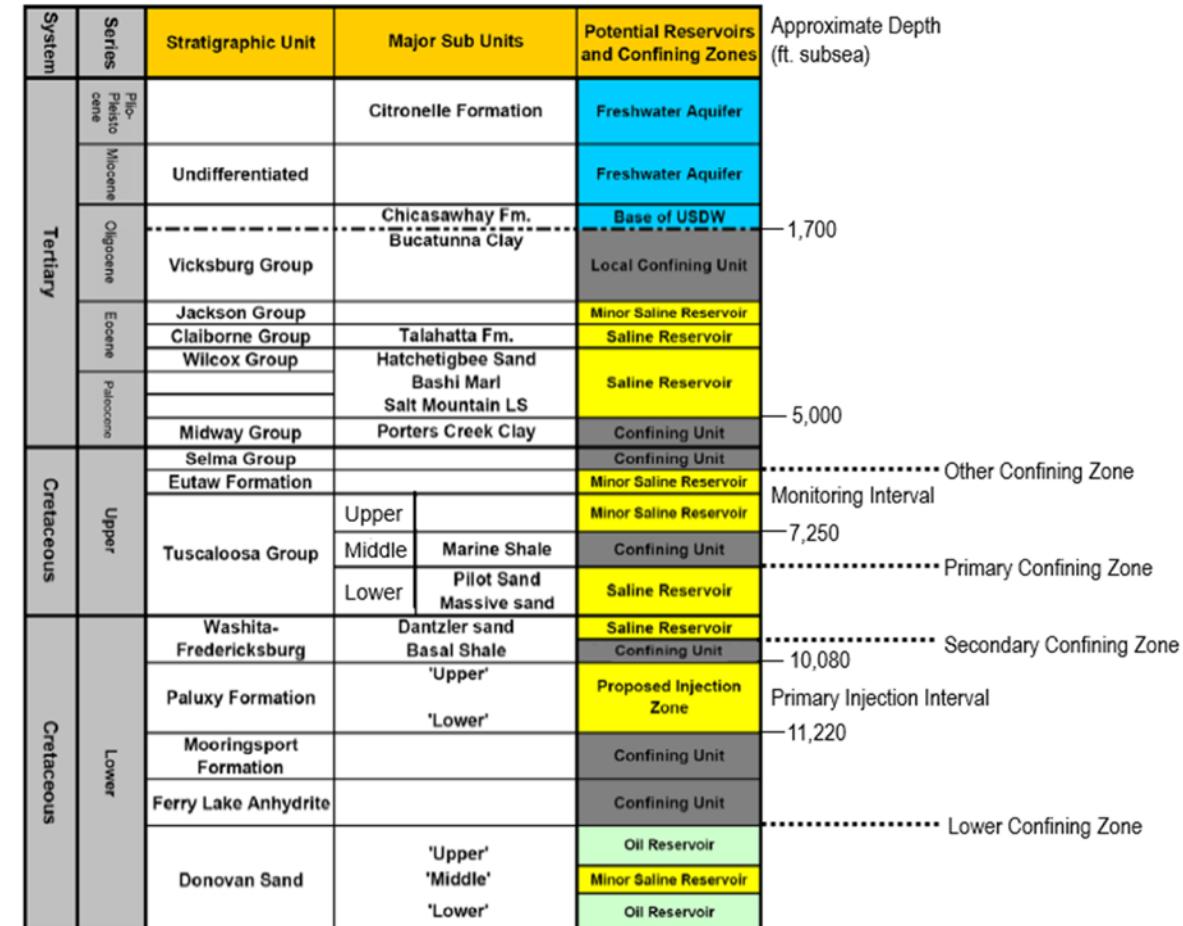


Illustration of the MAST chemical corridor, and the potential demand for decarbonization solutions.

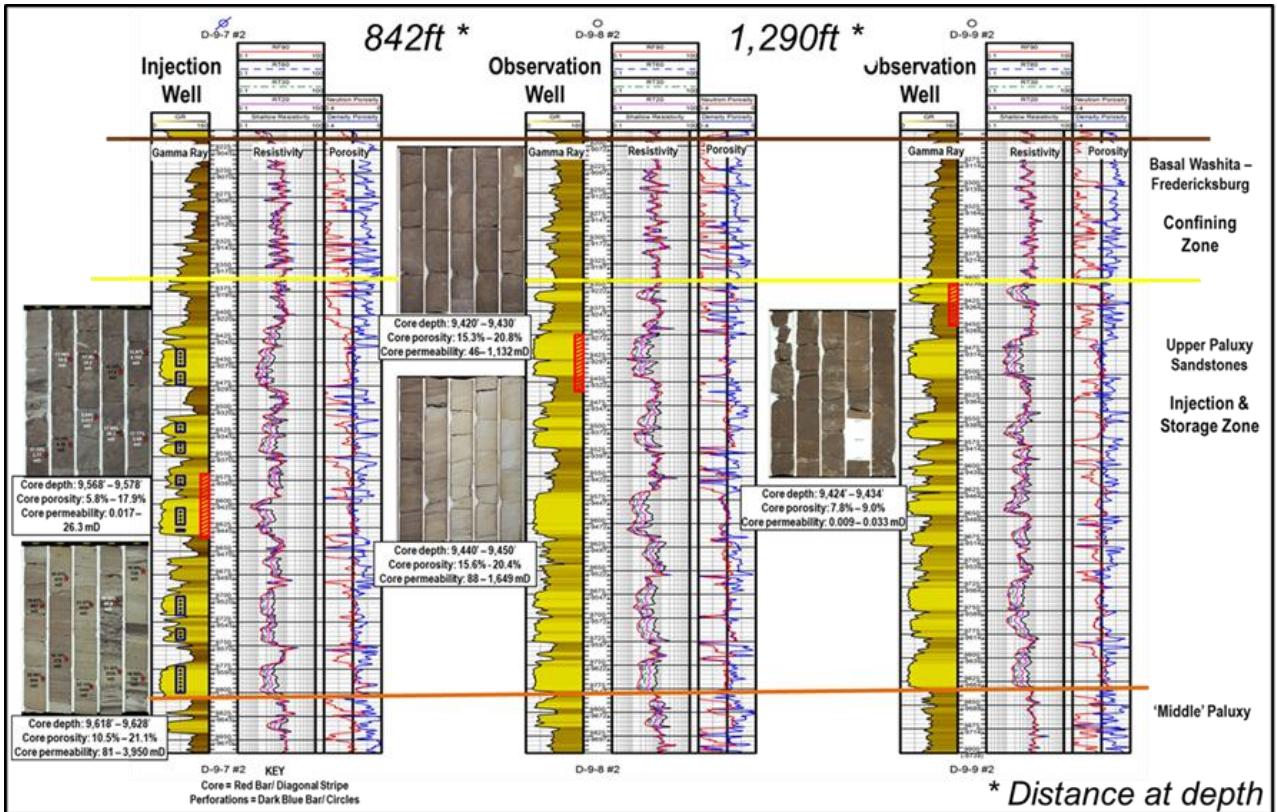
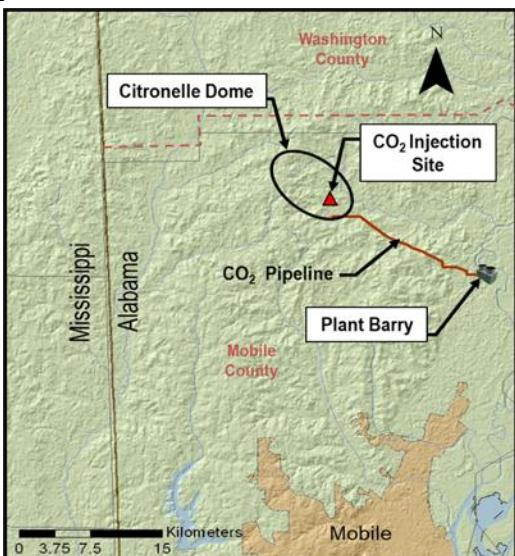
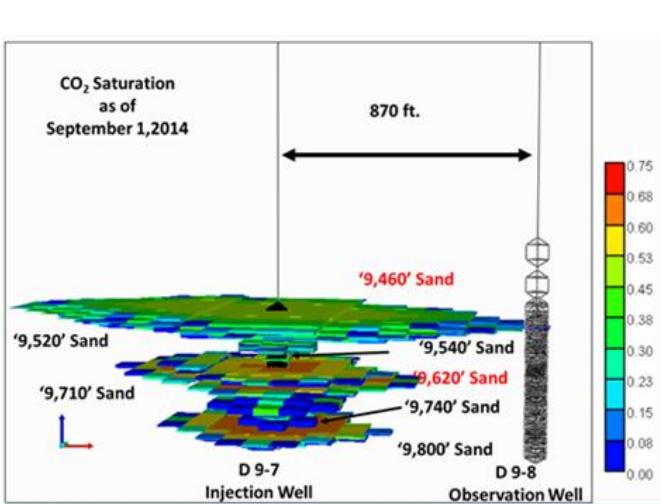
Geology

- Project will initially target the Paluxy Formation, a widespread saline aquifer comprised of porous fluvial sandstone and interfluvial mudstones
 - 470 ft of net sandstone
 - sandstone reservoir values commonly exceed 20% and 200 mD
 - 2.3 to 7.4 million metric tons of storage resource per square mile
- The Tuscaloosa Marine Shale (TMS), a regionally significant sealing formation, will serve as the primary confining zone
- Saline aquifers above the Paluxy provide opportunities for expansion of storage resources at the Longleaf CCS Hub and are part of the Phase III data collection efforts



Geology

- The site characterization for the Longleaf CCS Hub builds off previous work conducted as part of the DOE and EPRI supported SECARB Phase III Anthropogenic CO₂ injection demonstration at the Citronelle Dome
- Geologic and injection performance data from this demonstration are the foundation for our knowledge of Paluxy CO₂ storage



Project Objectives

Rigorously characterize the subsurface for large-scale storage

Develop a comprehensive community benefits plan

Finalize Paluxy Class VI UIC well permits

Identify CO₂ sources and transportation

Facilitate storage field development

Develop risk assessment

Complete NEPA EIV for the integrated project

Task 2 Vendor
 Environmental Resource
 Management (ERM)

Task 9 Cost-Share
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Tasks 1, 9

**Local Stakeholder
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Mobile Chamber of Commerce
 Southern Company Services
 Legislative Leaders
 Local Organizations

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Tasks

Task 1 – Project Management and Planning

Task 2 – National Environmental Protection Act

Task 3 – UIC Class VI Authorization to Construct

Task 4 – Detailed Site Characterization of a Commercial-Scale CO₂ Storage Site

Task 5 – Storage Field Development Plan

Task 6 – CO₂ Source(s) Feasibility Study

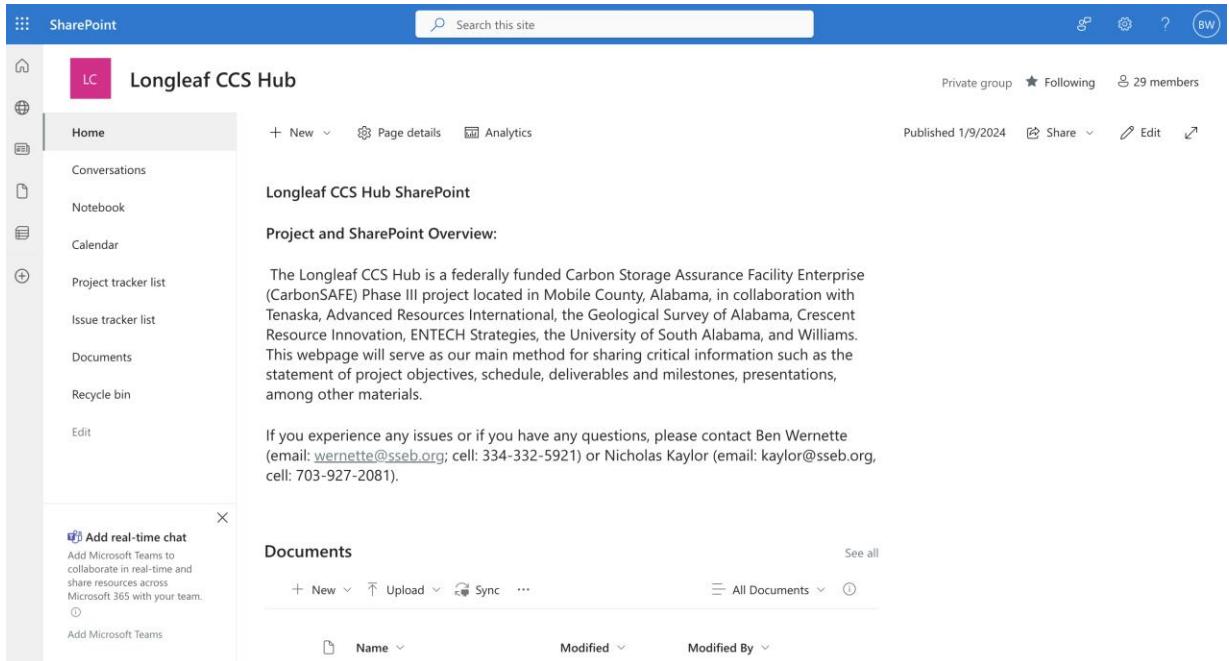
Task 7 – Pipeline FEED Study

Task 8 – Business and Financial Plans and Arrangements

Task 9 – Community Benefits Plan

Task 1 – Project Management

- Award date of October 1, 2023
- Sub-Recipient Agreements finalized in early December
- Held our initial team kickoff meeting on December 19, 2023
- Recurring Bi-Weekly calls with core decision making team
- Webpage has been developed to share information and track issues
- Robust financial and technical oversight

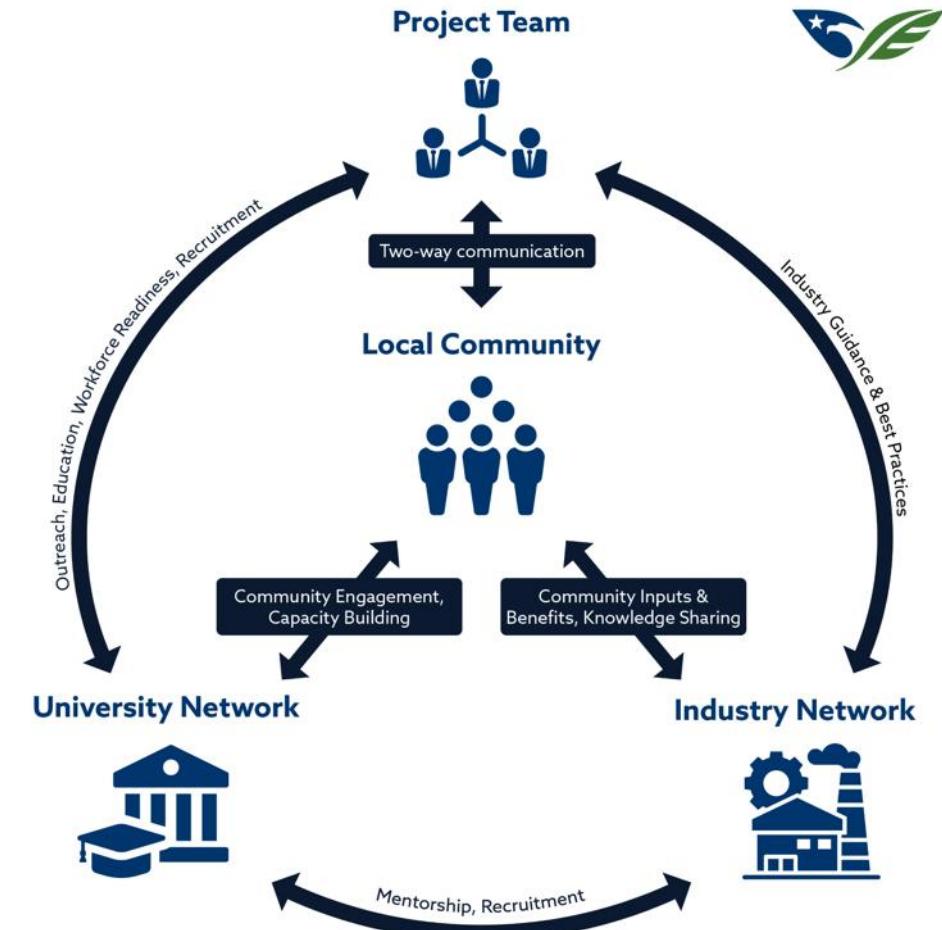


The screenshot shows the SharePoint homepage for the 'Longleaf CCS Hub' site. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with options: Home, Conversations, Notebook, Calendar, Project tracker list, Issue tracker list, Documents, Recycle bin, and Edit. A callout box for 'Add real-time chat' is visible near the 'Edit' button. The main content area features a search bar at the top, followed by a title 'Longleaf CCS Hub' and a sub-section 'Longleaf CCS Hub SharePoint'. Below this is a 'Project and SharePoint Overview' section containing text about the project's objectives and contact information for Ben Wernette and Nicholas Kaylor. At the bottom, there is a 'Documents' section with a list of files and a 'See all' link.

Longleaf CCS Hub SharePoint homepage.

Task 9 – Community Benefits Plan

- Establish necessary framework to support subsequent phases and commercialization
- High-level objectives
 - Community engagement and involvement in long-term decision making
 - Support educational and career opportunities by working with participating academic institutions
 - Training and capacity building
 - Networking
 - Engage with regional industry interested in decarbonization
 - Communicate project progress with regulators and other stakeholders



Project OASIS approach to community engagement.

Project Success Criteria

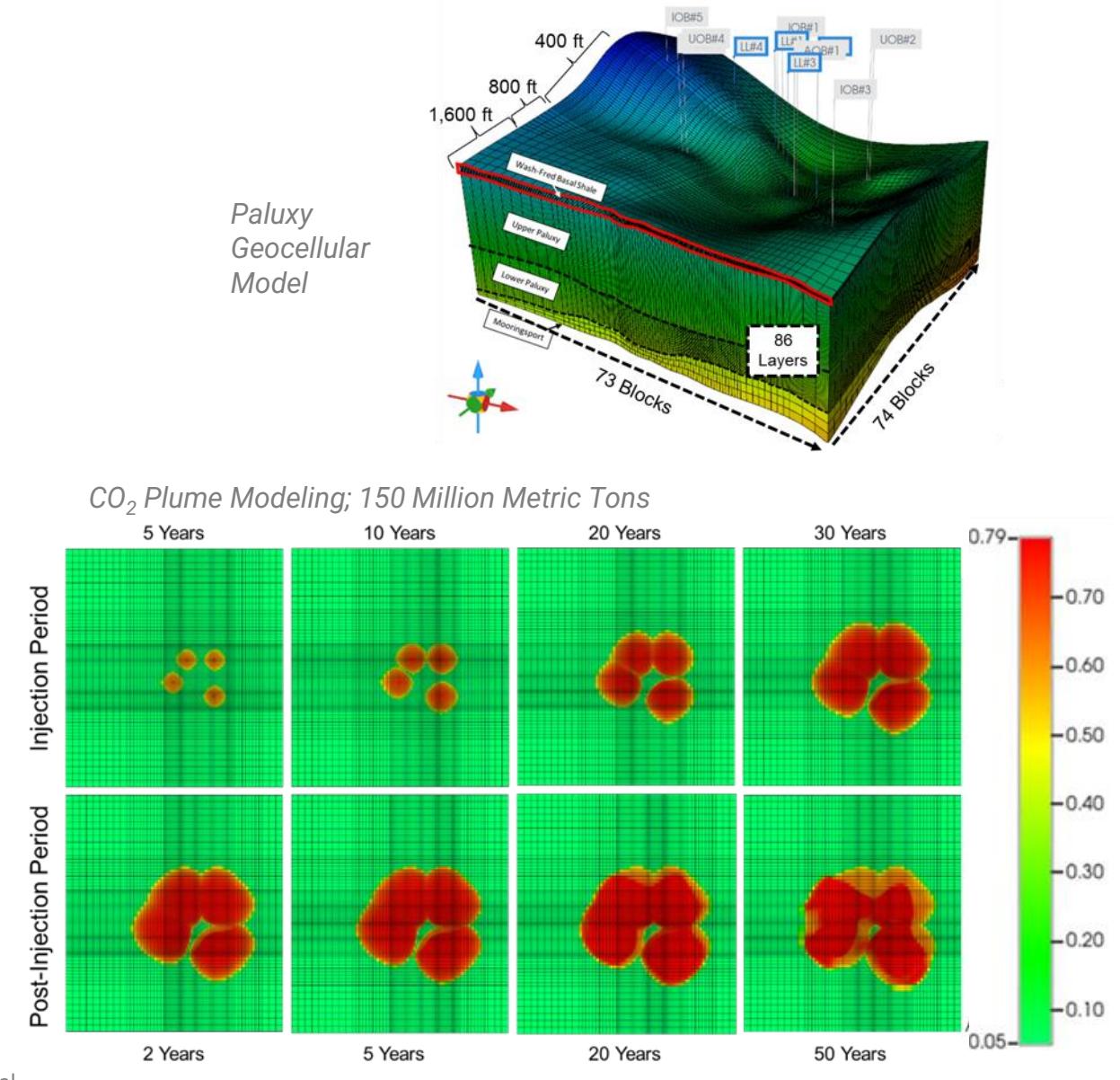
Decision Point	Date	Success Criteria
BP1	3/31/2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All project milestones are achieved and verified. • All project deliverables are completed and submitted to DOE/NETL. • Achieve BP1 objectives, include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Submit NEPA Environmental Information Volume; ◦ Complete Seismic Acquisition; ◦ Host Initial Project DEIA Workshop; ◦ Host Community Engagement event and incorporate into Project Decision Making; and ◦ Initiate Community Benefits Plan
Project Completion	9/30/2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All project milestones are achieved and verified. • All project deliverables are completed and submitted to DOE/NETL. • Achieve all project objectives, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Demonstrate that the subsurface saline formations at the Storage Complex can store at least 50 million metric tons of captured CO₂ safely and permanently over a 30-year period; ◦ Conduct meaningful engagement and two-way communications with communities and stakeholders, execute far-reaching educational and career program; ◦ Obtain Class VI UIC permit; ◦ Mature understanding of regional CO₂ sources ◦ Develop a comprehensive pipeline FEED to support future pipeline construction; ◦ Develop storage field development plan ◦ Identify commercial project risks and develop a comprehensive mitigation strategy; and ◦ Complete the NEPA process

Schedule

- Period of Performance: October 1, 2023, to September 30, 2026
- Initial kickoff meeting on December 19, 2023
 - Initial DEIA workshop
- NEPA EIV originally due March 31, 2024
 - Adjusting to account for kickoff delays to June 30, 2024
- Preparation for engagement event on March 22, 2024

Tasks 3 and 4 – Class VI Permitting and Site Characterization

- Project owner and developer Tenaska has secured land rights for a storage complex in northern Mobile County, AL
- Paluxy Class VI UIC permit application submitted to EPA Region 4 in Spring 2023
 - Deemed administratively complete
 - Ongoing discussions with EPA and others
- Augment with stratigraphic test well drilling data acquisition
- Seismic acquisition



Task 9 – Community Benefits Plan

- Tenaska has been actively engaged with state legislative leaders, local officials, among others
- Project aligns with the Mobile Chamber's goals to support existing business and attract new industry to South Alabama
- Goals of CBP
 - Increase community involvement in project decision-making
 - Increasing access to educational and career opportunities for those from disadvantaged and/or minority communities
 - Promoting diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility across the full value chain of the project
 - Delivering and tracking benefits to the community to support the Justice40 Initiative



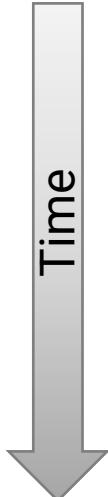
Tenaska personnel engaging with community members in Mobile, Alabama.

Task 9 – Community Benefits

- Discussions with local stakeholders dating to 2022
 - Mobile County leaders, emergency management, water authority, school district, Mobile Baykeeper, Mobile Chamber and many others
 - Incorporation of local feedback into project plans
- Project website: <https://longleafccs.com/>
- Local representative added to team in Q3 2023
- Local project office opening in January 2024
- Planning underway for community engagement event – including news conference and media availability – in March 2024

Next Steps

Project



- Continue local outreach efforts in and around Mobile County
- Support the development of materials for a March 2024 outreach event
- Finalize the development of the pipeline route
 - Begin the pipeline FEED study
 - Develop the NEPA Environmental Information Volume for the integrated project
- Acquire seismic data
- Drill stratigraphic test well (BP2)

Scale up potential

- Lots of interest in solutions from local emitters
- Location of the TA-2 Southeast Direct Air Capture Hub (in negotiation)
- Opportunity to support a carbon management ecosystem in Mobile County



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Questions?