

Beach Replenishing

Biography

Robert Henry is the Program Administrator for the Shoreline and Waterway Management Section in the Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control. The Section is responsible for a variety of programs and initiatives designed to enhance, preserve and protect the State's shoreline and navigable waterways. They include beach replenishment projects, public dune maintenance, regulation of coastal construction, NFIP coordination, coastal hazard mitigation, storm debris removal, maintenance dredging of navigable waterways and ponds, installation of aids to navigation, macroalgae harvesting and the operation of a sand bypassing facility at Indian River Inlet. The Section also serves as the local sponsor and coordinator for all shore protection studies and projects of the Corps of Engineers in Delaware. Mr. Henry has a B.S. in Geological Oceanography from the University of Washington in Seattle and has done graduate coursework in Marine Studies at the University of Delaware. He has worked for the Department for 34 years and has been involved with the preservation of Delaware's beaches for the last 31 years.