

**NATURAL RESOURCES/SOLID WASTE (Continued)**

**C) ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE:**

[A\) Waive formal bidding process and authorize Chair to execute a contract with Florida Dredge and Dock, LLC for removal of up to 125,000 cubic yards of beach compatible material from Blind Pass with placement along critically eroded shoreline of northern Sanibel at a price not to exceed \\$831,250.](#)

B) Authorize Chair to execute STA#3 to Contract 5273 (CN-10-07) with Coastal Engineering Consultants, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$250,136 with a project completion time of 425 calendar days for professional services to implement the Blind Pass maintenance dredging.

C) Approve an amendment to Contract CN-10-07, #5273, to extend the termination date of the contract to October 1, 2013.

D) Approve Budget Transfer from Estero Island Beach Restoration (Project 403022) to Blind Pass Ecozone (Project 403091) in the amount of \$550,000. (#20120360-NATURAL RESOURCES)

**FUNDING SOURCE:**

Fund - General Fund (DEP Grant) and Capital Improvement Tourist Development Beach Projects; Program - Marine Services Major Maintenance Projects; Project - Blind Pass Ecozone.

**WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:**

Allows contractor with equipment on site to dredge Blind Pass at favorable pricing (savings to the County of a minimum of \$570,000.00); authorizes contracts to complete the work; transfers necessary funds to implement the project.

**MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve.