Monroe County Vessel Sewage Pumpout Program

Current Status

- July 2020 Keyswide service suspended
- Published new RFP for Keyswide vendor (*selection pending*)
- Refocused on <u>anchored</u> vessels
 - Original program priority / within budget
 - Shoreside vessels = mostly found work-arounds
 - Analyzed service needs
 - ±250 weekly customers (as of 2019)
 - ≻49% in Key West
 - ►21% in Upper Keys
- Established 2 Temporary Regional Services

Key West / Stock Island Service Area

- Contract with City of Key West
 - thru June...possibly longer
- City utilizing 2 existing pumpout boats
- County providing 2 temp employees
- Serving:
 - Anchorages between Wisteria and Boca Chica
 - 70% of all anchored liveaboards in the Keys
 - 177 registered vessels
- Monthly Data:
 - 500⁺ pumps
 - 6,000 gallons of sewage



Upper Keys Service Area

- Contract with On The Hook Marine Services
 - Services through June
- Serving:
 - Bayside anchorages from Lower Mat to Jewfish Crk
 - 64 registered vessels
 - 21% of anchored liveaboards
- 165 pumps & 2,500 gallons/month
- Also providing private fee-based mobile service to shoreside vessels throughout the Keys





Middle Keys Status

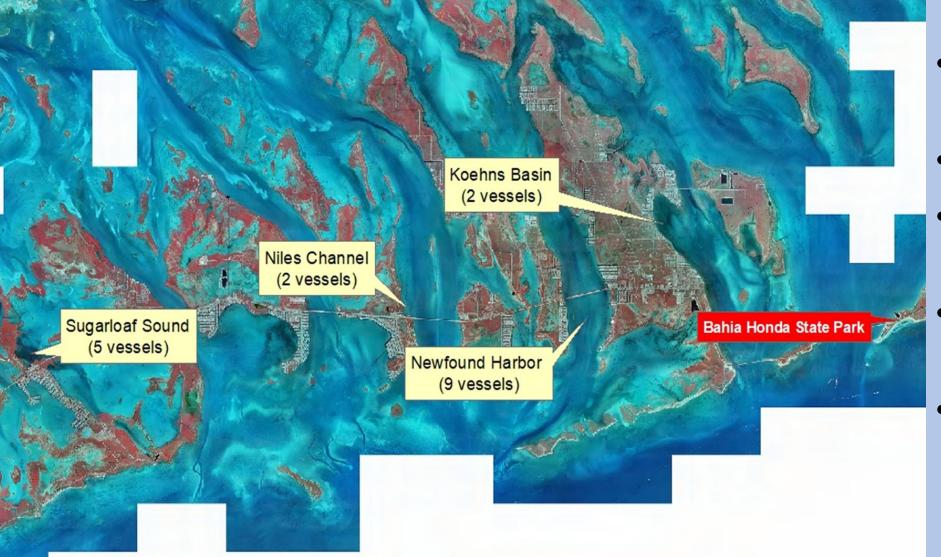
- Most vessels dockside or served by City's pumpout boat
- No anchored vessels received weekly County mobile service in the Middle Keys
- City of Marathon:
 - Serving 3 of 10 marinas previously served with City pumpout boat
 - Sent Compliance letters to other facilities

Pumpout Status at Marinas in Marathon

(for vessels previously served by County Service)

Marinas No Longer Receiving Service		Number of Vessels Served
1	Mikes's Marina South, Avenue I, Coco Plum (old Marie's)	6
2	White Marlin Marina, Coco Plum	11
3	Outta the Blue Marina, Coco Plum	3
4	Yacht Haven Marina, Boot Key Harbor	1
5	Harbour Cay Club, Bayside Marathon	3
6	Blackfin Marina & Hurricane Harbor Marinas, Bayside Marathon	13
7	Marlin Bay Marina	1
	TOTAL	38
Marinas Receiving Service by City of Marathon		
8	Burdines Marina	5
9	Ponchos	2
10	Marathon Boatyard	6
	TOTAL	13

Lower Keys Service Area



- 18 weekly customers/vessels
- Smallest demand
- Large geographic coverage area
- Largest gap in shoreside pumpouts
- Analyzing costs for contracted or in-house service

Next Steps for Mobile Service

- Feb. 17 BOCC Meeting
 - Extend contract with Key West through June
 - Extend contract with On The Hook through June
 - Staff Recommendation:
 - Reject current bids and reissue new RFP based on current needs
 - Discuss Cost Analysis of contracted vs. in-house cost estimates
- Working with City of Key West for long-term solution
- Requesting \$500k from Legislature (HB3115) for State FY22

Marina Pumpout Outfitting Program (MPOOP)

• Goals

- Meet Comp Plan objectives (inc. NDZ compliance)
- Provide wider availability of shoreside pumpout locations

• Requirements

- Liveaboard vessels only allowed at marine facilities
- Facilities with 10+ slips or 1+ liveaboard slip = must provide pumpout
- Equipment must remain operational
- 75% funding available through DEP CVA program

• Status

- Launching program soon
- Education / outreach
- Phased approach / target facilities

