REQUEST FOR BIDS/PROPOSALS COVERSHEET

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- Six plots per lease area have existing base reefs
- Two of the six base plots at each site to receive the surficial enhancement
  - i.e., two surficial enhancement plots per lease area
  - four lease areas x two 1-acre plots of surficial enhancement treatments = 8 surficial acres total to be enhanced for this bid
- Labor and deployment costs:
  - Deploy this surficial enhancement in late spring to early summer of 2025 (t1) (see Fig 5)

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Fig. 1. [illegible]

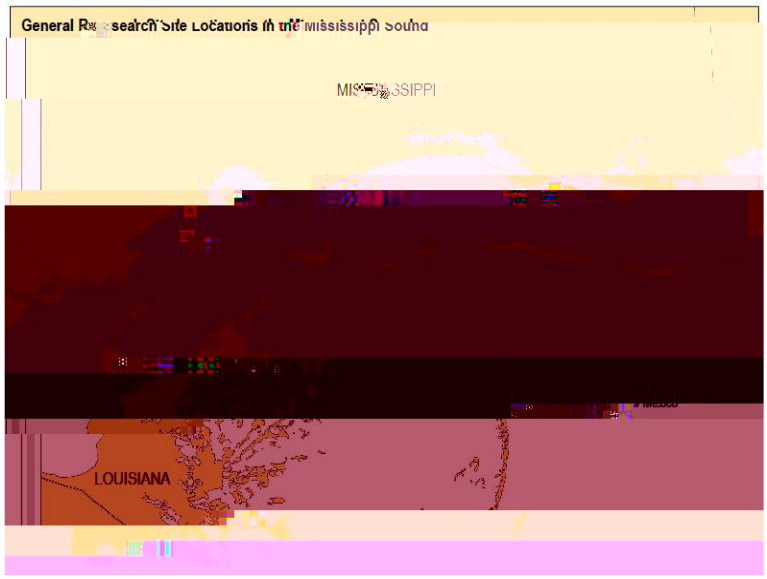

Fig. 2. Experimental Site Locations in Eastern MS Sound

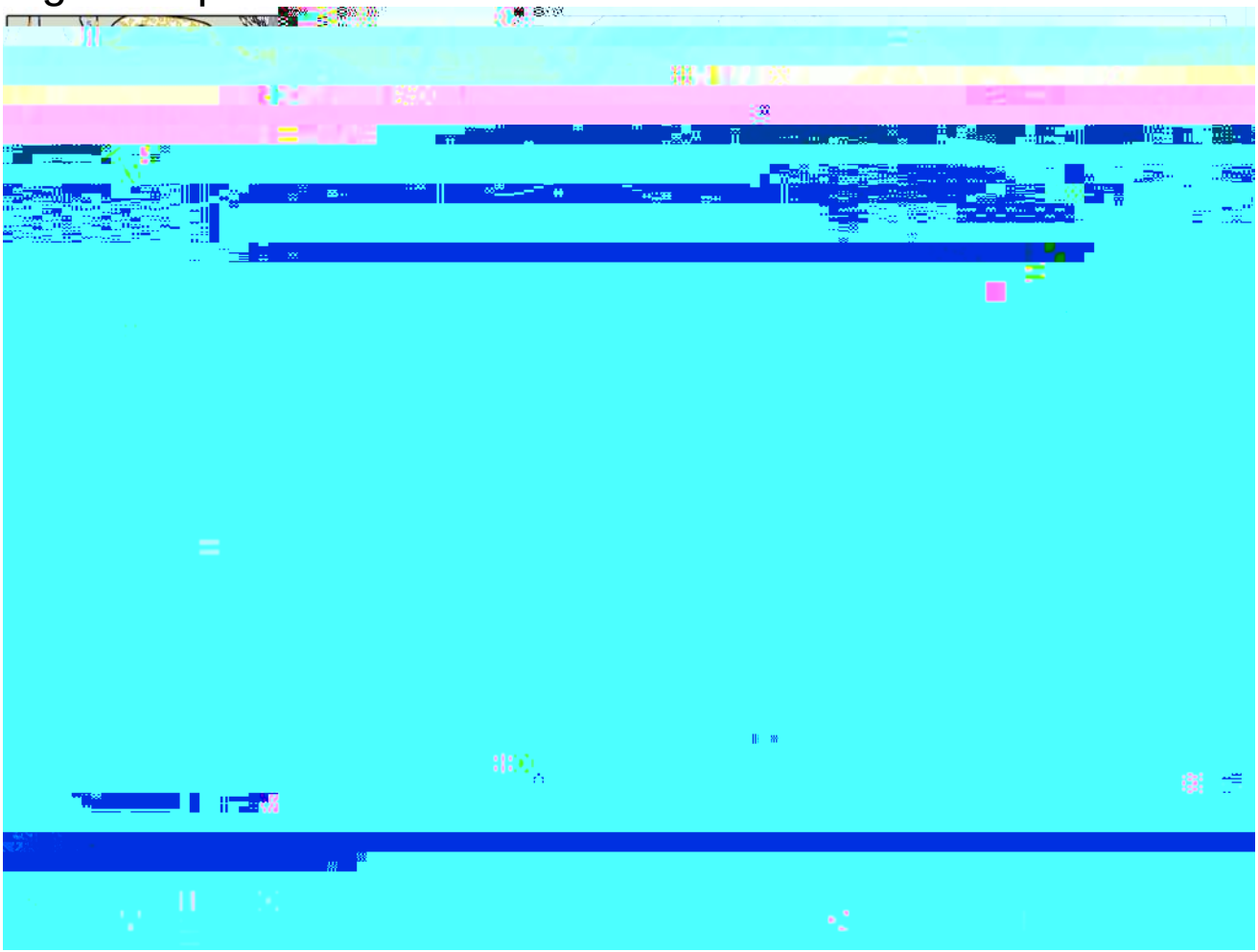

Figure 4. Plots numbered from left to right starting at upper left and going across and down: top row from left to right: Plot 1, Plot 2, Plot 3; middle row from left to right: Plot 4, Plot 5; bottom row from left to right: Plot 6, Plot 7, Plot 8. For this bid, plot numbers 5 and 7 are designated for surficial enhancement within each of the four sites. See table 1 for site coordinates and table 2 for plot coordinates, site relationships, and treatment designations.

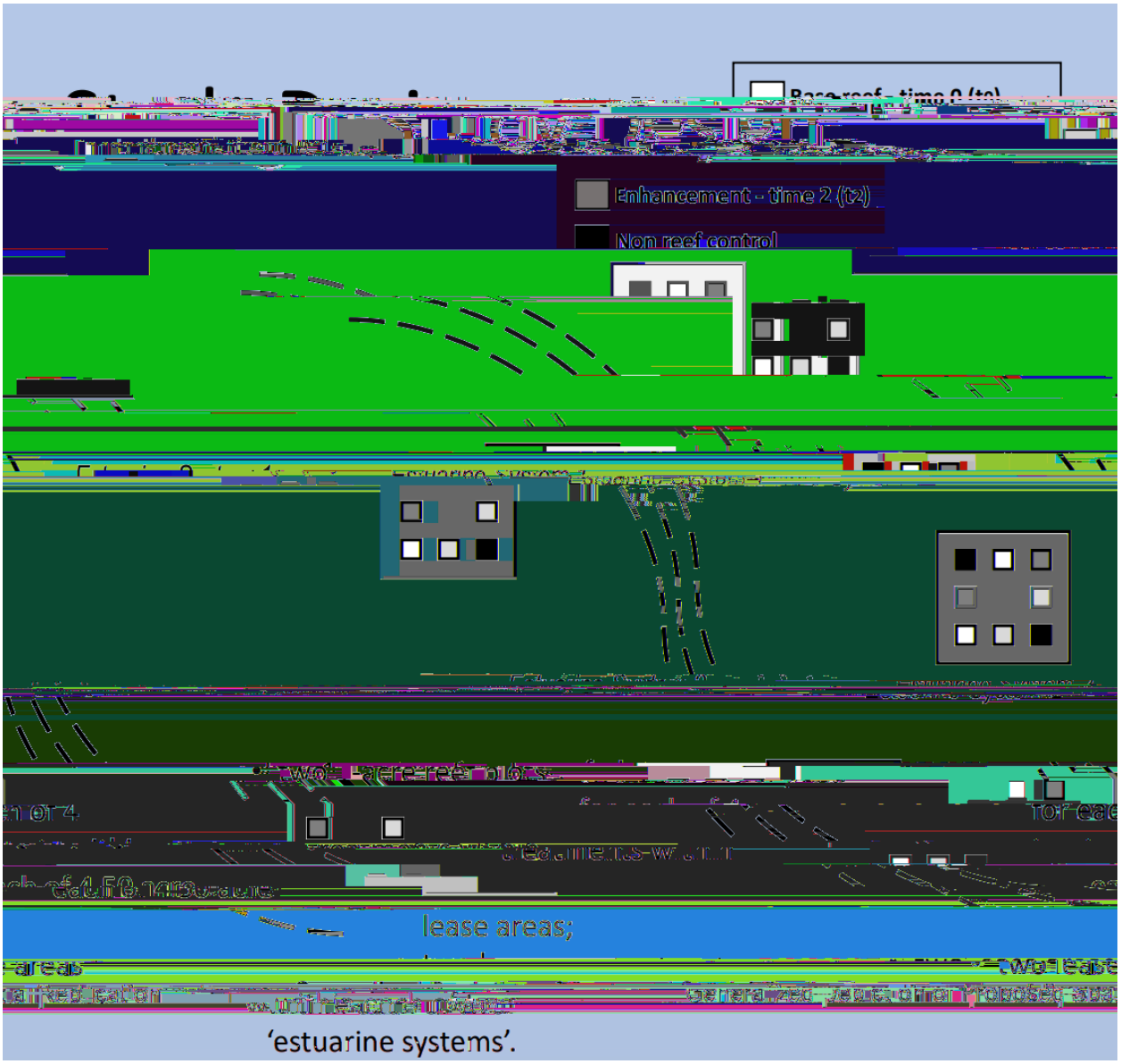

Figure 5. Example lease area UEPW, showing layout and configuration of plots as well as base and treatment applications. This bid pertains to augmentation of plot 5 and plot 7 only. Relative spatial positions and plot number designations will remain the same across all four lease areas.

2.4 CUSTOMER SUPPORT

The vendor should be willing to work with personnel of The University of Southern Mississippi to resolve any technical issues associated with deployment of the material within acceptable tolerances. It is preferred that the vendor can provide technical service through

2.5 SAFETY

Prescribed and appropriate safety procedures should be followed while fulfilling the contract. Emergency stop procedures should be established.

2.6 WARRANTY

Bidder warrants that the work performed shall be free from defects in materials used, accuracy and areal tolerance of the substrate applications. Defective or inaccurate completion of the work shall be rectified to the mutual satisfaction of the and workmanship under normal use and service with obligation to repair or replace any parts, which are proven defective, within one year from delivery.

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