

Offatts Bayou (unclassified water body)

Segment: 2424D Bays and Estuaries

Basin number:	24
Basin group:	C
Water body description:	Located on the east end of Galveston Island, running parallel with the southern terminus of IH 45, and joins West Bay near Teichman Point
Water body classification:	Unclassified
Water body type:	Estuary
Water body length / area:	1.34 Sq. miles
Water body uses:	Aquatic Life Use, Contact Recreation Use, Fish Consumption Use

Additional Information: The aquatic life and contact recreation uses are fully supported. The fish consumption use was not assessed.

Monitoring sites used:		
Assessment Area	Station ID	Station Description
Lower area bordered by Walsh Street and Techmann Point	16561	OFFATTS BAYOU AT INTERESESECTION OF TEICHMAN RD & 89TH STREET, NORTH SHORE OF BAYOU ON GALVESTON ISLAND
Middle area bordered by 71st Street and Walsh Street	13322	WEST BAY OFFAT BAYOU - MID-BAYOU OPPOSITE LAKE MADELINE CANAL
Middle area bordered by 71st Street and Walsh Street	16560	OFFATTS BAYOU, SOUTH SHORE AT CORNER OF AVENUE N 1/2 AND 73RD STREET IN GALVESTON
Upper area bordered by SH 342 and 71st Street	16494	OFFATTS BAYOU AT 61ST STREET (SH342) PAVILLION AT CHANNEL ON GALVESTON ISLAND

Historical fish kills:			
Date	Location	Fish Killed	Suspected Cause
7/19/1996	Offatts Bayou	1000	Low Dissolved Oxygen
8/16/1999	Offatts Bayou near 61st Street.	1000	Low Dissolved Oxygen