U.S. Department of Commerce National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration National Ocean Survey				
<b>DESCRIPTIVE REPORT</b>				
Type of Survey:	External Source Data			
Registry Number:	W00376			
LOCALITY				
State(s):	Georgia			
General Locality:	Coastal Georgia			
Sub-locality:	8 NM East of Little Tybee Island			
	2014			
	NOAA Ship Nancy Foster			
	CHIEF OF PARTY Christopher McArthur			
	LIBRARY & ARCHIVES			
Date:				

NATIC	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION	REGISTRY NUMBER:
HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET		W00376
INSTRUCTIONS: The Hydrographic Sheet should be accompanied by this form, filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.		
State(s):	Georgia	
General Locality:	Coastal Georgia	
Sub-Locality:	8 NM East of Little Tybee Island	
Scale:	40000	
Dates of Survey:	04/16/2014 - 04/17/2014	
Project Number:	OSD-AHB-17	
Data Source:	NOAA Ship Nancy Foster	
Chief of Party:	Christopher McArthur	
Soundings by:	Multibeam Sonar	
Imagery by:	N/A	
Verification by:	Atlantic Hydrographic Branch	
Soundings Acquired in:	Meters at Mean Lower Low Water	

Remarks: This survey is external data submitted by NOAA Ship Nancy Foster.

Any revisions to the Descriptive Report (DR) applied during office processing are shown in red italic text. The DR is maintained as a field unit product, therefore all information and recommendations within this report are considered preliminary unless otherwise noted. The final disposition of survey data is represented in the NOAA nautical chart products. All pertinent records for this survey are archived at the National Centers for Environmental Information (NCEI) and can be retrieved via https://www.ncei.noaa.gov/. Products created during office processing were generated in NAD83 UTM 17N, MLLW. All references to other horizontal or vertical datums in this report are applicable to the processed hydrographic data provided by the field unit.

#### **DESCRIPTIVE REPORT MEMO**

November 28, 2017

MEMORANDUM FOR:	Atlantic Hydrographic Branch
FROM:	Christopher McArthur Chief Scientist, NOAA Ship NANCY FOSTER
SUBJECT:	Submission of Survey W00376

This survey was conducted for seafloor mapping purposes.

No products were created for this survey by the field unit. Additional products have been created by the Atlantic Hydrographic Branch (AHB) and are archived at the National Centers for Environmental Information (NCEI).

Verified tides were applied to the data where possible. All submitted data have been reduced to MLLW and are considered suitable for charting purposes.

This report does not include data acquisition and processing information.

There were no DTONs created for this survey.

NOAA Ship Nancy Foster acquired the data outlined in this report. Data are available at https://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/ships/nancy\_foster/NF-14-02\_mb.html

This survey will be used to update NOAA navigational products where possible.

The survey is partially adequate to supersede previous data. This survey will be used to update NOAA navigational products where possible. Retain all charted features unless otherwise specified in the accompanying final feature file.

Survey data should be archived at NCEI and the DR memo forwarded to HSD.

Metadata for Survey W00376		
Project	OSD-AHB-17	
Survey	W00376	
State	Georgia	
Locality	Coastal Georgia	
Sub-Locality	8 NM East of Little Tybee Island	
Scale of Survey	1:40000	
Sonars Used	Reson 7125 (Multibeam Echo Sounder)	
Horizontal Datum	North American Datum of 1983 (NAD83)	
Vertical Datum	Mean Lower Low Water	
Vertical Datum Correction	Discrete Zoning	
Projection	UTM Zone 17N	
Field Unit	NOAA Ship NANCY FOSTER	
Survey Dates	04/16/2014 - 04/17/2014	
Chief of Party	Christopher McArthur	
Submission Date	11/28/2017	

# APPENDIX I

### TIDES AND WATER LEVELS

Survey W00376 does not include supplemental tide or water level information.

## APPENDIX II

## SUPPLEMENTAL SURVEY RECORDS AND CORRESPONDENCE

Survey W00376 does not include supplemental survey records and correspondence.

#### APPROVAL PAGE

#### W00376

Data meet or exceed current specifications as determined by the OCS survey review process. The Descriptive Report and survey data except where noted are adequate to supersede prior surveys and nautical charts in the common area.

The following products will be sent to NCEI for archive

- - Descriptive Report
  - Collection of Bathymetric Attributed Grids (BAGs)
  - Processed survey data and records
  - Geospatial PDF of survey products
  - Collection of backscatter mosaics

The survey evaluation and verification have been conducted according to current OCS specifications, and the survey has been approved for dissemination and usage of updating NOAA's suite of navigational products.

Approved:\_\_\_\_\_

**Commander Meghan McGovern, NOAA** Chief, Atlantic Hydrographic Branch