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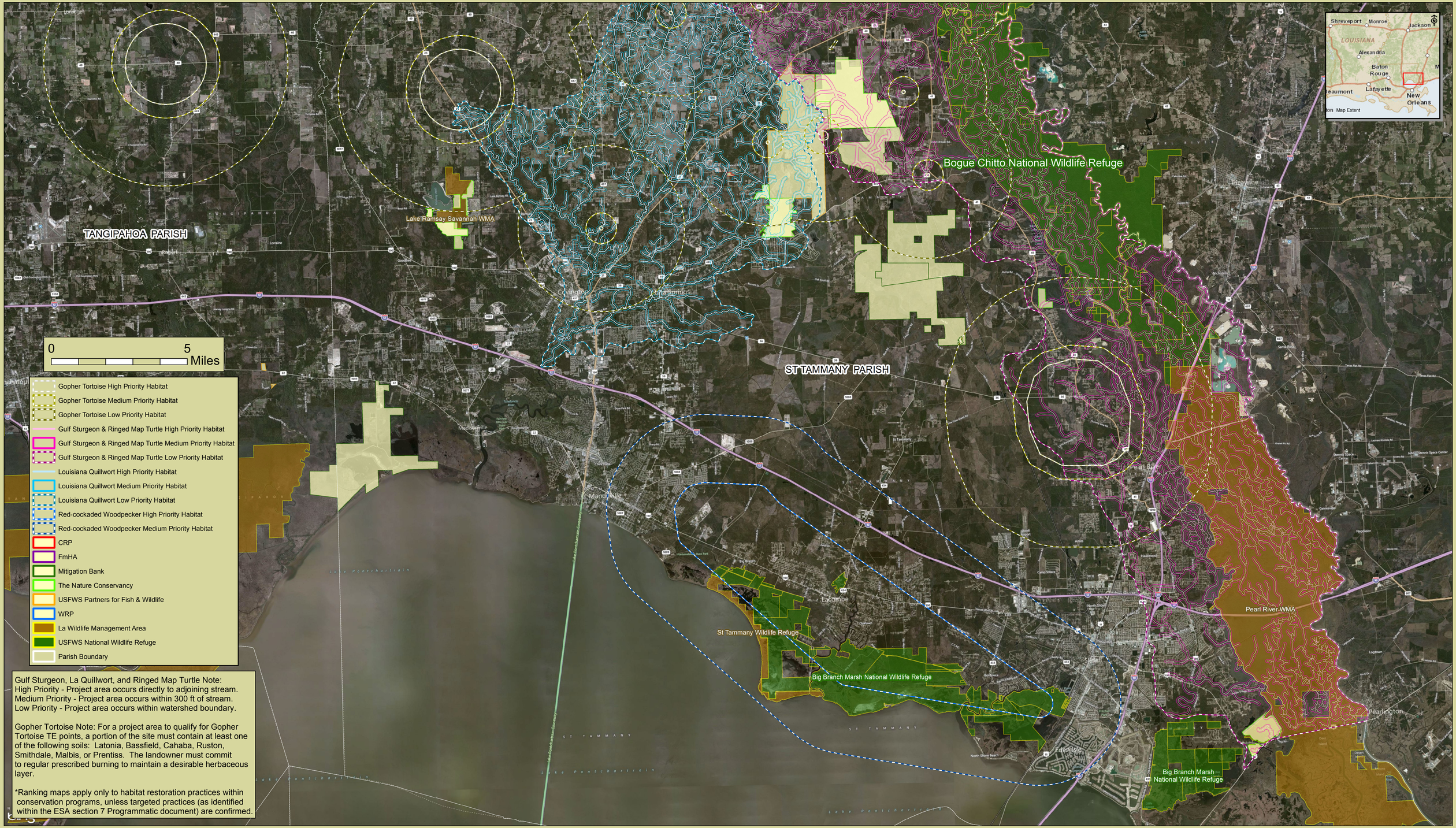
Gopher Tortoise, Gulf Sturgeon, LA Quillwort, & Ringed Map Turtle Priority Habitats - Conservation Programs Ranking Map (Southern Section)



Gulf Sturgeon, La Quillwort, and Ringed Map Turtle Note:
High Priority - Project area occurs directly to adjoining stream.
Medium Priority - Project area occurs within 300 ft of stream.
Low Priority - Project area occurs within watershed boundary.

Gopher Tortoise Note: For a project area to qualify for Gopher Tortoise TE points, a portion of the site must contain at least one of the following soils: Latonia, Bassfield, Cahaba, Ruston, Smithdale, Malbis, or Prentiss. The landowner must commit to regular prescribed burning to maintain a desirable herbaceous layer.

*Ranking maps apply only to habitat restoration practices within conservation programs, unless targeted practices (as identified within the ESA section 7 Programmatic document) are confirmed.