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## **News Release**

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### **BEACH SURVEYS SCHEDULED**

**CAROLINA BEACH** – The US Army Corps of Engineers has scheduled beach surveys for Ocean Isle, Carolina, Kure, and Wrightsville Beaches later this month. The surveys will be conducted Wednesday through Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>, 2015. The work will occur mostly in the morning hours around low tide, and will be completed using an ATV and LIDAR system.

LIDAR stands for *Light Detection and Ranging*, and is a remote sensing method that works on the principle of radar, but uses light from a laser to collect data for use in geographic information systems, to assist in emergency response operations, and many other applications. The Corps will be using the data as a baseline for the current hurricane season.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact the US Army Corps of Engineers at (910) 251-4709.