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Executive Director  
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New Orleans, Louisiana 70165

Dear Messrs. Kline and Korban:

You are hereby informed that the contract for the construction of the Jefferson Avenue, South Claiborne Avenue to Magazine Street Greenspace Restoration Contract, W912P8-19-C-0018 (SELA 28.2a), in Orleans Parish, Louisiana, which is a functional portion of the Southeast Louisiana (SELA) Project, has been completed. The SELA 28.2a work was completed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers pursuant to Section 108 of the Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act of 1996, Public Law (PL) 104-46; Section 533 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1996, PL 104-303, as amended; and the 6th Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act (Chapter 3, Title 111), PL 110-252.

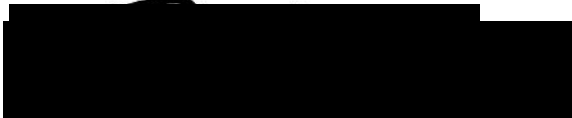
A joint agency pre-final inspection of the SELA 28.2a work was conducted on August 23, 2019. A subsequent joint agency final inspection was conducted on January 27, 2020 and all punch list items were found to have been satisfactorily corrected. All contract work was performed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications. Please see the following enclosed items:

- a. Jefferson Avenue Greenspace Restoration Orleans Parish, La Contract No. W912P8-19-C-0018 Operation and Maintenance Manual (OMRR&R) – Trees and the SELA 28.2a work Fact Sheet -Enclosure 1.
- b. Red-line as-built contract drawings -Enclosure 2.
- c. Final inspection attendance roster -Enclosure 3.

In accordance with the Project Partnership Agreement between the Department of the Army and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority of Louisiana, for the Southeast Louisiana, Louisiana Project, Jefferson and Orleans Parishes dated January 16, 2009, the Project Cooperation Agreement between the Department of the Army and Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans dated January 23, 1997, the non-Federal sponsors shall undertake the OMRR&R of this completed project feature of the SELA Project in Orleans Parish. In this connection, maintenance is construed as keeping all completed works in working condition to serve the purpose for which they were designed. Section 1010 of PL 113-121 provides for an appeals process.

If there are any questions concerning your OMRR&R responsibilities, please call Ms. Amy Powell, Operations Manager, Completed Works, or Ms. Karen Clement, Assistant Operations Manager, Completed Works at (504) 862-2241 and (504) 862-2313, respectively.

Sincerely,

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Stephien H. Murphy  
Colonel, U.S. Army  
District Commander

Enclosures  
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