



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS
P. O. BOX 60267
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 70160-0267

MAY 13 2010

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

Operations Division
Operations Manager, Completed Works

Mr. Gerard J. Gillen, III
Director of Hurricane & Flood Protection
Orleans Levee District
6920 Franklin Avenue
New Orleans, Louisiana 70122

Dear Mr. Gillen:

You are hereby informed that the contract (W912P8-08-D-0041 Task Order 0003) for the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity Hurricane Protection Project, LPV-101 Advanced Measures, 17th Street Canal to Topaz Street Hurricane Protection Levee and the contract (W912P8-06-D-0085 Task Order 0002) for the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity Hurricane Protection Project, LPV-104.01, East Bank London Canal to Inner Harbor Navigation Canal Hurricane Protection Levee in Orleans Parish, Louisiana, have been completed by the United States pursuant to Public Law 109-148, Department of Defense, Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act to Address Hurricanes in the Gulf of Mexico and Pandemic Influenza, 2006.

A joint agency final inspection of the project was conducted on June 25, 2009, and all contract work was found to be satisfactorily complete. Please see the enclosed final inspection attendance roster. The as-built contract drawings were provided to the Orleans Levee District (OLD) at the final inspection. Please refer to the Levee Owners Manual at www.iwr.usace.army.mil/nfrmp/guidance.cfm as the interim operation and maintenance manual for this project feature. In accordance with the following Project Agreements, the OLD and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority of Louisiana (CPRA) shall undertake the operation and maintenance, repair, rehabilitation, and replacement (OMRR&R) of this completed project feature of the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity, New Orleans, Louisiana, Hurricane Protection Project in Orleans Parish:

- a. Act of Assurance dated effective July 28, 1966, between the United States Government and the Board of Commissioners of the Orleans Levee District for the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity, Louisiana, Project, Barrier Plan in Orleans Parish, as amended.
- b. Project Partnership Agreement between Department of the Army and CPRA dated September 22, 2008, respectively.

In this connection, maintenance is construed as keeping all completed works in working condition to serve the purpose for which they were designed.

I am forwarding this letter to Mr. Garret Graves, Chairman, Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority of Louisiana, 1501 North 3rd Street, Capitol Annex Building, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802.

If there are any questions concerning your OMRR&R responsibilities, please call Mrs. Amy Powell or Mrs. Karen Oberlies at (504) 862-2241 and (504) 862-2313, respectively.

Sincerely,

A large black rectangular redaction box covering the signature of Alvin B. Lee.

Alvin B. Lee
Colonel, US Army
District Commander

Enclosure

Copies Furnished:

Mr. Larry Ardoin
Deputy Secretary of Public Works
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