



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

Operations Division  
Operations Manager, Completed Works

15 Aug 17

Mr. Johnny B. Bradberry  
Chairman  
Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority  
Board of Louisiana  
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Mr. Cedric Grant  
Executive Director  
Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans  
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Dear Messrs. Bradberry and Grant:

You are hereby informed that the contract for the construction of the South Claiborne Avenue, Phase 2, Leonidas Street to Lowerline Street, Contract W912P8-12-C-0036 (SELA 24b), in Orleans Parish, Louisiana, which is a functional portion of the Southeast Louisiana (SELA) Project, has been completed. The SELA 24b 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 6<sup>th</sup> Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act (Chapter 3, Title III), PL 110-252.

A joint agency pre-final inspection of the SELA 24b work was conducted on April 20, 2016. A subsequent joint agency final inspection was conducted on July 25, 2017 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, and meets the 10 percent annual exceedance probability design criteria. Please see the following enclosed items:

a. Volumes 1 and 2 of the Interim Operation, Maintenance, Repair, Replacement, and Rehabilitation (OMRR&R) Manual for SELA Project work performed in Orleans Parish, inclusive of all Appendices, Exhibits and Attachments and the SELA 24b work Fact Sheet - Enclosure 1

b. 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 the 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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