



State of Louisiana  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

November 30, 2023

Brad L. Inman  
Projects and Restoration Branch  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers New Orleans District  
7400 Leake Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 701118

RE: Receipt of Letter  
Former US Coast Guard Integrated Support Command; **AI Number 9009**  
USACE Inner Harbor Navigational Canal (IHNC) Lock  
4640 Urquhart Street, New Orleans  
Orleans Parish, LA

Dear Mr. Inman:

The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality – Remediation Division (LDEQ-RD) acknowledges receipt of your letter Response to Investigation Work Plan Approval dated November 2, 2023, submitted by your agency. We have completed our review and understand that implementation of the work plan depends on when federal funding will be allocated. Once funding is secured, please implement the investigation with the agreed upon changes.

By October 30<sup>th</sup> of each year, please provide an update on the status of the work plan implementation. In addition, please notify this office at least **5 calendar days in advance** of the initiation of field activities to allow for field oversight. You may contact Adrienne Gossman at 504-736-7763 or [adrienne.gossman@la.gov](mailto:adrienne.gossman@la.gov) with any questions. All correspondence must include the AI number and be submitted in triplicate to:

Estuardo Silva, P.G., Administrator  
Remediation Division  
P.O. Box 4314  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4314

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Laura LeBouef', with a stylized, sweeping flourish at the end.

Laura LeBouef, P.G.  
Geologist Supervisor  
Remediation Division

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c:     Imaging Operations – IAS  
        USACE – Robert Brooks  
        USACE – Jennifer M. Vititoe  
        USACE – David Shulman