

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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DEC 22 2011

Mr. Dante John Nomellini, Secretary
Reclamation District 2024
P.O. Box 1461
Stockton, California 95201

Dear Mr. Nomellini,

We are in receipt of the final Scope of Work (SOW), dated December 21, 2011, for the project authorized under Project Funding Agreement OP-10-1.0 (PFA). The proposed project, as defined in the SOW, is to engineer and rehabilitate the levees of Orwood Tract by constructing PL 84-99 slopes from station 36+00 to 44+00 and 120+00 to 186+00, constructing seepage and stability toe berms from stations 70+00 to 110+00 and 175+00 to 190+00, developing Shaded Riverine Aquatic and tidal marsh habitat enhancement waterside slope protection through the construction of an oversized "setback levee" from station 120+00 to 130+00, and stockpiling materials for emergency preparation near station 132+00.

The Department of Water Resources (Department) is a responsible agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it provides funding for your project. Department staff has reviewed the SOW and performed a site inspection to determine the impacts from the proposed construction. Based on our understanding of the existing conditions, including habitat values and your proposed treatment under CEQA, as presented in the project's CEQA Determination Analysis and Biological Resource Assessment, staff concurs with the SOW and environmental science staff within the Delta Ecosystem Enhancement Section concurs with the determination by Reclamation District 2024 (District) that the project, as outlined in the PFA, is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption for Existing Facilities (Article 19, §. 15301). Please be advised that the Delta Stewardship Council (Council), also acting as a responsible agency, will make its own independent determination of CEQA adequacy for this project prior to the District being able to receive construction funding from the Department. Therefore, it is imperative for the District to obtain the Council's concurrence prior to the Department's final CEQA determination.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Project Engineer Felipe Garcia at (916) 651-0855, or Chief, Special Projects Unit 1, Jon Wright at (916) 651-7010.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Mirmazaheri".

Mike Mirmazaheri, Program Manager
Delta Levees Program

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DEC 22 2011

Mr. Dante John Nomellini, Secretary
Reclamation District 684
P.O. Box 1461
Stockton, California 95201

Dear Mr. Nomellini,

We are in receipt of the final Scope of Work (SOW), dated December 21, 2011, for the project authorized under Project Funding Agreement RL-10-2.0 (PFA). The proposed project, as defined in the SOW, is to engineer and rehabilitate the levees of Lower Roberts Island by constructing 16,400 linear feet of PL 84-99 slope and crown improvements from various stations between 44+00 and 740+00, constructing seepage and stability toe berms from stations 236+00 to 267+00, and developing Shaded Riverine Aquatic and tidal marsh habitat enhancement waterside slope protection through the construction of an oversized "setback levee" from station 230+00 to 258+00.

The Department of Water Resources (Department) is a responsible agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it provides funding for your project. Department staff has reviewed the SOW and performed a site inspection to determine the impacts from the proposed construction. Based on our understanding of the existing conditions, including habitat values and your proposed treatment under CEQA, as presented in the project's CEQA Determination Analysis and Biological Resource Assessment, staff concurs with the SOW and environmental science staff within the Delta Ecosystem Enhancement Section concurs with the determination by Reclamation District 684 (District) that the project, as outlined in the PFA, is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption for Existing Facilities (Article 19, §. 15301) of the DEQA Guidelines. Please be advised that the Delta Stewardship Council (Council), also acting as a responsible agency, will make its own independent determination of CEQA adequacy for this project prior to the District being able to receive construction funding from the Department. Therefore, it is imperative for the District to obtain the Council's concurrence prior to the Department's final CEQA determination.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Project Engineer Felipe Garcia at (916) 651-0855, or Chief, Special Projects Unit 1, Jon Wright at (916) 651-7010.

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DEC 22 2011

Mr. Richard W. Johnson, Secretary
Reclamation District 2039
221 Tuxedo Court, Suite F
Stockton, California 95204

Dear Mr. Johnson,

We are in receipt of the final Scope of Work (SOW), dated December 21, 2011, for the project authorized under Project Funding Agreement UJ-10-2.0 (PFA). The proposed project, as defined in the SOW, is to engineer and rehabilitate the levees of Upper Jones Tract by constructing seepage and stability toe berms from Stations 100+00 to 120+00, 135+00 to 150+00, 175+00 to 194+00, and 215+00 to 250+00, constructing PL 84-99 slopes from station 90+00 to 152+00, waterside slope protection from station 90+00 to 240+00 at various locations, and developing Shaded Riverine Aquatic and tidal marsh habitat enhancement and emergency preparation between station 110+00 and 3+00.

The Department of Water Resources (Department) is a responsible agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it provides funding for your project. Department staff has reviewed the SOW and performed a site inspection to determine the impacts from the proposed construction. Based on our understanding of the existing conditions, including habitat values and your proposed treatment under CEQA, as presented in the project's CEQA Determination Analysis and Biological Resource Assessment, staff concurs with the SOW and environmental science staff within the Delta Ecosystem Enhancement Section concurs with the determination by Reclamation District 2039 (District) that the project, as outlined in the PFA, is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption for Existing Facilities (Article 19, §. 15301) of the CEQA Guidelines. Please be advised that the Delta Stewardship Council (Council), also acting as a responsible agency, will make its own independent determination of CEQA adequacy for this project prior to the District being able to receive construction funding from the Department. Therefore, it is imperative for the District to obtain the Council's concurrence prior to the Department's final CEQA determination.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Project Engineer Karimi Arao at (916) 651-0837, or Chief, Special Projects Unit 1, Jon Wright at (916) 651-7010.

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DEC 22 2011

Mr. Dante John Nomellini, Secretary
Reclamation District 2072
P.O. Box 1461
Stockton, California 95201

Dear Mr. Nomellini,

We are in receipt of the final Scope of Work (SOW), dated December 21, 2011, for the project authorized under Project Funding Agreement WD-10-2.0 (PFA). The proposed project, as defined in the SOW, is to engineer and rehabilitate the levees of Woodward Island by constructing 14,500 linear feet of PL 84-99 crown improvements from various stations between 1+00 and 100+00, constructing seepage and stability toe berms from stations 140+00 to 385+00, developing Shaded Riverine Aquatic and tidal marsh habitat enhancement waterside slope protection through the construction of an oversized "setback levee" from station 360+00 to 370+00, and stockpiling materials for emergency preparation near station 135+00.

The Department of Water Resources (Department) is a responsible agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it provides funding for your project. Department staff has reviewed the SOW and performed a site inspection to determine the impacts from the proposed construction. Based on our understanding of the existing conditions, including habitat values and your proposed treatment under CEQA, as presented in the project's CEQA Determination Analysis and Biological Resource Assessment, staff concurs with the SOW and environmental science staff within the Delta Ecosystem Enhancement Section concurs with the determination by Reclamation District 2072 (District) that the project, as outlined in the PFA, is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption for Existing Facilities (Article 19, §. 15301) of the CEQA Guidelines. Please be advised that the Delta Stewardship Council (Council), also acting as a responsible agency, will make its own independent determination of CEQA adequacy for this project prior to the District being able to receive construction funding from the Department. Therefore, it is imperative for the District to obtain the Council's concurrence prior to the Department's final CEQA determination.

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