From: Jeremy Burke
To: MVN Environmental;
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Mr. Owen,

I and several of my friends and family play recreational volleyball at Coconut Beach. Last week, the manager at Coconut Beach informed the players that the volleyball complex would likely be confiscated for the construction of a new pumping station. While I support the construction of this necessary improvement to the area's flood protection, I am concerned that no plans have been announced for the relocation of the existing volleyball facility. Coconut Beach is a viable recreational complex in N.O. and should continue to exist in some form. Is the US Army Corps of Engineers working with the City of N.O. and Coconut Beach management to develop a plan for relocating the volleyball complex to a site that is not critical for flood protection construction? If so, is this plan available to the public. Any information you can provide on this matter would be helpful.

Thank you,
Jeremy Burke

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