



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS
P. O. BOX 60267
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Operations Division
Operations Manager, Completed Works

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

Dear Mr. Graves:

You are hereby informed that the contract for the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity, Hurricane Protection Project, LPV-07b-2a, North of Airline Highway, Cross Bayou Access Bridge & Pile Load Test (W912P8-08-D-0047, Task Order 0004), in St. Charles Parish, Louisiana, has been completed by the United States pursuant to Public Law 109-234, Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War on Terror, and Hurricane Recovery 2006.

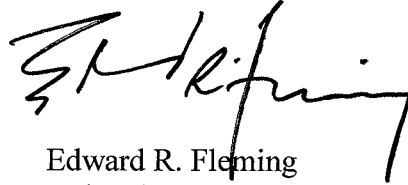
A joint agency final inspection of the project was conducted on April 9, 2010, and all contract work was found to be satisfactorily complete. Please see the enclosed final inspection attendance roster and the as-built contract drawings. Additionally, please refer to the Levee Owner's Manual at www.iwr.usace.army.mil/nfrmp/guidance.cfm as the interim operation and maintenance manual for this project feature. Please note that specific operations and maintenance procedures for the access bridge are currently in development and will be forwarded to you when complete.

In accordance with the Project Partnership Agreement between the Department of the Army and the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority (CPRA) dated September 22, 2008, the CPRA shall undertake the operation and maintenance, repair, rehabilitation, and replacement (OMRR&R) of this completed project feature of the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity, Hurricane Protection Project in St. Charles Parish.

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

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. R. Fleming". The signature is stylized with a large initial "E" and a long, sweeping underline.

Edward R. Fleming
Colonel, US Army
District Commander

Enclosures

Copies Furnished w/enclosures:

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