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Operations Manager, Completed Works

Mr. Garret Graves
Chairman
Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority of Louisiana
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Dear Mr. Graves:

You are hereby informed that the contract for the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity (LPV), Hurricane Storm Damage Risk Reduction System, OFC-06, Remediation of Canal Walls for the Orleans Avenue Canal, (W912P8-11-C-0021), in Orleans Parish, Louisiana, has been completed. This project was 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 final inspection of the project was conducted on August 9, 2011, and all contract work was performed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications. Please see enclosed the following items:

- a. as-built contract drawings Enclosure 1
- b. interim operations, maintenance, repairs, replacement and rehabilitation (OMRR&R) manual disc with pdf Enclosure 2
 - c. final inspection attendance roster Enclosure 3

The punch list items identified during the pre-final inspection have been corrected and inspected by your maintenance supervisor and by our office. The Bermuda grass has been established and with proper maintenance should continue to improve in density and root structure.

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, replacement, and rehabilitation (OMRR&R) of this completed project feature of the Lake Pontchartrain and Vicinity, Hurricane Storm Damage Risk Reduction System 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.

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,

Edward R. Fleming

Colonel, US Army

District Commander

Enclosures

Copies Furnished w/enclosures:

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