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November 9, 2015

Mr. John Bruciak
General Manager and CEO
Brownsville Public Utilities Board
1425 Robinhood Drive
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Dear Mr. Bruciak:

Section 1002 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act (WRRDA) allows for greater transparency in the notification and reporting of feasibility study milestones. WRRDA Section 1002 requires the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Engineer to provide non-Federal interests a notification of feasibility study milestone schedules for all active studies that received Investigation appropriations since October 1, 2009 until June 10, 2014. Studies initiated after June 10, 2014, also require notification of five key milestones within 90 days of signing the Feasibility Cost Sharing Agreement.

This certified letter provides the current study schedule for the following five key milestones associated with the Resacas at Brownsville Study:

1. Release of the Draft Feasibility Report: 22 February 2017
2. District Submittal of the Final Feasibility Report: 14 November 2017
3. MSC Transmittal of the Final Feasibility Report: 13 December 2017
4. Civil Works Review Board: 16 March 2018
5. Signed Chief's Report: 28 June 2018

Schedules are based on the assumption of full-funding (Federal and non-Federal) over the course of the study. Up-to-date study schedules will be posted and available to the public on the <http://www.swg.usace.army.mil/Missions/Projects.aspx> website. All schedules and missed deadlines will be submitted in an annual report to Congress. A copy of this letter is being furnished to Rene Mariscal, Brownsville Public Utilities Board at 1425 Robinhood Drive, Brownsville, Texas. If you have any questions please contact Project Manager Andrea Catanzaro at 409-766-6346 or andrea.catanzaro@usace.army.mil.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Pannell", is written over a horizontal line.

Richard P. Pannell
Colonel, U.S. Army
Commanding