

September 20, 2010

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Mr. Randy Beeman
Town Manager
Town of Hope Mills
5770 Rockfish Road
Hope Mills, North Carolina 28438

RE: Status Update Week ending September 19, 2010

Dear Mr. Beeman:

As requested, the following is a status update for the week ending September 19, 2010 for the activities relative to the work performed by McKim & Creed, P.A., MACTEC Engineering & Consulting, Inc. (MACTEC), Morrison Engineers, PLLC (Morrison), and Crowder Construction Company (Crowder). This update is not intended to be all inclusive, but a brief summary of the major activities and milestones.

1. Finalizing documents for Phase II Stabilization Plan package submittals to the Town of Hope Mills to review, approve and ultimately submit to the following agencies:
 - North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources (NCDENR), Division of Land Resources, Land Quality Sections listed below:

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- Dam Safety
- Erosion and Sediment Control
- US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)

The Phase II Stabilization plan has tentatively been scheduled for completion and submittal to the Town during the week of September 20, 2010.

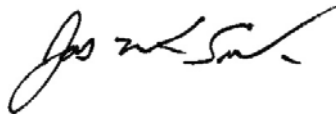
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2. Scheduled an on-site meeting with Century Link to discuss the proposed Phase II Stabilization work in reference to their utilities currently located within the lakebed.
3. Submitted a letter to the Town prepared by McKim & Creed entitled "Comments to Stabilization Alternative Submitted by Town, Hope Mills Dam" dated September 15, 2010.

Should you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

McKIM & CREED, P.A.



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