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July 26, 2022

SUBJECT: Oakland Harbor Turning Basins Widening Feasibility Study

Mr. Bryan Brandes  
Maritime Director  
Port of Oakland  
530 Water Street  
Oakland, CA 94607

Dear Mr. Bryan Brandes:

Section 1002 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 requires the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Engineer to notify non-federal sponsors regarding feasibility study milestone schedules for active studies.

The baseline schedule for the Oakland Harbor Turning Basins Widening Feasibility Study in Oakland, CA is as follows:

- a. Release of Draft Report – 17 December 2021 (achieved)
- b. District Engineer submits final feasibility report – 27 Jan 2023
- c. Signed Chief's Report – 25 May 2023

Public comments received on the Draft Report released on 17 Dec 2021 resulted in a shift of the proposed footprint for the inner basin. This shift triggered additional environmental compliance that will require public review and comment. In coordination with your staff, we will prepare a 3x3x3 exemption request to rerelease the Draft Report and extend the completion dates for the milestones above, subject to approval by the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works).

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If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Erika Powell, Project Manager, at 415-793-1515.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kevin Arnett".

Kevin P. Arnett, P.E.  
Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Army  
District Commander and Engineer