

Exhibit DD: Whitehall Industrial Site LA Dept. of Wildlife & Fisheries Letter





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Louisiana Economic Development Certified Site Program Whitehall Industrial Site (Concordia Parish)

Project ID

Invoice Number 24031517

Personnel of the Louisiana Wildlife Diversity Program (WDP) have reviewed the preliminary data for the captioned project. After careful review of our database, no impacts to rare, threatened, or endangered species or critical habitats are anticipated for the proposed project. No state wildlife refuges or wildlife management areas are known to occur at the specified site within Louisiana's boundaries.

The Wildlife Diversity Program (WDP) has compiled data on rare, endangered, or otherwise significant plant and animal species, plant communities, and other natural features throughout the state of Louisiana. WDP reports summarize the existing information known at the time of the request regarding the location in question. The quantity and quality of data collected by the WDP are dependent on the research and observations of many individuals. In most cases, this information is not the result of comprehensive or site-specific field surveys; many natural areas in Louisiana have not been surveyed. This report does not address the occurrence of wetlands at the site in question. WDP reports should not be considered final statements on the biological elements or areas being considered, nor should they be substituted for on-site surveys required for environmental assessments. WDP requires that this office be acknowledged in all reports as the source of all data provided here. If at any time WDP tracked species are encountered within the project area, please contact the WDP Data Manager at 225-763-3554. If you have any questions, or need additional information, please call 337-735-8734.

Sincerely,

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