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Dear Mr. Balliew:

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 that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will provide non-federal interests a notification of feasibility study milestone schedules. This includes 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 seven key milestones associated with the Northwest El Paso, Texas Flood Risk Management Study:

Tentatively Selected Plan	November 21, 2018
Public Release of the Draft Feasibility Report	January 28, 2019
Agency Decision Milestone	May 2, 2019
District Submittal of Final Feasibility Report	November 20, 2019
South Pacific Division Transmittal of Report to USACE-HQ	December 20, 2019
Senior Leaders Panel Briefing	January 26, 2020
Signed Chief's Report	May 5, 2020

Schedules are based on the assumption of full-funding (federal and non-federal) over the course of the study. As schedules are updated, they will be posted and available to the public online at <http://www.spa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Civil-Works/Investigations/>. All schedules and missed deadlines will also be submitted in an annual report to Congress. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Martinez at (505) 343-6262.

Sincerely,

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District Commander