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**From:** Cornelius Williams  
**Sent:** Monday, May 11, 2015 8:22 AM  
**To:** 'Earl Matherne (ematherne@stcharlesgov.net)'  
**Cc:** dhollier@mortoninc.com; Christine Charrier  
**Subject:** P20141174 Houston Energy Operating, LP

Earl,

I left a voicemail for you pertaining to revisions that have been requested by the Office of Coastal Management at it relates the referenced permit application. As you are aware, in times past the St. Charles Parish Government has posed objections to the proposed project based on time needed to determine whether there were any objective concerns about the project. Upon review of the revised permit application (12/1/14), the parish stated there was no objection in the letter dated January 30, 2015. Upon review of the Office of Coastal Management it was determined that a new Geologic Review Meeting was required because of discuss issues and concerns about impacts to coastal resources. In the Geologic Review Meeting (3/17/15), it was determined with consensus by the Geologist (John Johnston), OCM's Hydrologist, LDWF, and OCM Administration that the proposed alignment would cause stagnation in the water flow of the area and could secondarily adversely impact the wetlands in between the proposed levee and the developed areas.

With this in mind it was recommended by the Office of Coastal Management, to revise the alignment once more to ensure that the amount of wetlands that may be secondarily impacted be reduced and the applicant leave a small buffer between the levee and developed areas to apiece any issues that neighboring landowners/residents may have had in the past. On this, please review the revised permit application that is currently on 25 Day Public Notice for comment.

Please let me know if you have any question or concerns.

See link below for more information concerning the permit application.

[http://sonris-www.dnr.state.la.us/sundown/cart\\_prod/cart\\_crm\\_menu?pcup\\_num=P20141174&pshow\\_appl\\_email=Y](http://sonris-www.dnr.state.la.us/sundown/cart_prod/cart_crm_menu?pcup_num=P20141174&pshow_appl_email=Y)

Thanks

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