



Memo to: Board of Directors
From: Chuck Etwert
Subject: Program Status Report for May 2022
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100-Year Certification Packages Status

A FEMA letter of accreditation for the East St. Louis/MESD was issued by FEMA on April 26th, completing total accreditation of the Metro East Levee Systems. A press conference/celebration was held the following day by the Leadership Council Southwestern Illinois at America's Central Port to commemorate the accomplishment.

500-Year Authorized Level Status

Wood River Levee System

The USACE Bid Package 08 is under construction by USACE and Wood continues to review contractor Requests for Information (RFI) and submittal reviews under the Engineering During Construction (EDC) services, being performed as Work In-Kind.

Relief Well Package 2 (RWP 2) land acquisition coordination with landowners, USACE, and stakeholders is ongoing.

Relief Well Package 3 land acquisition continues with completion anticipated by the end of 2022.

Wood is awaiting a response regarding the April 1st submittal for LERRDs credit in Wood River.

Wood continues to wait for a decision from USACE regarding their November 17th letter

requesting approval for the FPD Council to construct another Work In-Kind project, Bid Package #9.

Work In-Kind credit of \$16,041,496 has been earned to date for the Wood River Levee System.

The remaining \$4,256,750 dollars of Work In-Kind credit needed, will be achieved with eligible Wood design and Bid Package #9 project mentioned above.

MESD Levee System

The USACE Agency Technical Review (ATR) on Bid Package #11 plans started February 14th and is still ongoing. Wood and USACE are still working through requests from the ATR team. Following ATR, Wood will re-submit to the Corps for the Corps' Bidding, Constructability, Operability, Environmental, and Sustainability (BCOES) review. The Corps' BCOES review is anticipated to take approximately 4 to 6 weeks. Given the lengthy ATR review period, Wood is investigating bidding the project concurrently during the BCOES review to recover some of the schedule delay that has occurred and increase the possibility that construction can occur this fall/winter. Board approval of this project was originally scheduled for November 2021.

Current estimated construction cost is \$12,000,000.

Bid Package #18A – A report summarizing the results and scope recommendations is expected to be submitted to USACE in May. It is anticipated the estimated cost will be in the vicinity of \$8,800,000. Construction of all or part of this project is dependent on the remaining amount of Work In-Kind required for the MESD Levee System.

Land acquisition also continues along the MESD-owned levee system.

The first LERRDs submittal for the East St. Louis system will be submitted to USACE by the end of the month...

Work In-Kind credit of \$12,415,405 has been earned to date for the MESD Levee System.

Prairie Du Pont/Fish Lake Levee Systems

Wood continues to wait for approval of the Phase III PDP Drilling Plan originally submitted to USACE on October 10, 2021. Wood responded to comments in March. The Q1 & Q2 drilling season has been missed this year, but it is hopeful that drilling will be done in the fall. This Drilling Plan covers the remaining subsurface investigations for the PDP/FL System.

Detailed design work on Bid Package 15 is underway and legal survey and title work for the project will start in June. Wood is continuing to coordinate with the Prairie du Pont Levee and

Sanitary District regarding the improvements in Bid Package 15 to incorporate as much of the local, institutional knowledge about the system as possible.