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From: San Miguel, George L <george_sanmiguel@fws.gov>

To: KEN HARRISON <ksharrison5228@msn.com>

CC: Phyllis Didleau <phyllis@pcisys.net>, Dan Kupferer <dkupferer@ldc-inc.com>

Mr. Harrison,

Regarding your cover letter dated June 26, 2020, there is some clarification needed. Your letter stated the following:

"There also appears to be several areas of wetlands with approximate locations shown on the drainage plan. An application for a Nationwide Permit has been recently submitted to the Army Corps of Engineers. It is expected that a biologist from their field office will conduct a site visit to identify the wetland areas. Once the boundaries of the wetlands are determined they will be field located and shown on the plat."

In order for the US Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) to follow the appropriate consultation pathway for your project, it will necessary to first determine whether there will be an issuance of any permits by the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE). If such permitting will occur, then the Service must consult with USACE under Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act. If no permit will be issued, then I may proceed to communicate directly with the project proponents. Please advise me when this matter has been determined. Thank you.

George L. San Miguel

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To: [David Gorman](#)
Subject: FW: [EXTERNAL] RE: email address for US Fish and Wildlife Service
Date: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 8:08:13 PM
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From: [KEN HARRISON](#)
Sent: Tuesday, June 2, 2020 7:33 AM
To: [San Miguel, George L](#)
Cc: [Phyllis Didleau](#); [Dan Kupferer](#); [Jon Didleau](#)
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] RE: email address for US Fish and Wildlife Service

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Sent: Monday, June 1, 2020 7:32 PM
To: San Miguel, George L <george_sanmiguel@fws.gov>
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From: [San Miguel, George L](mailto:SanMiguel,GeorgeL@fws.gov)
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 2:27 PM
To: ksharrison5228@msn.com
Subject: email address for US Fish and Wildlife Service

Dear Mr. Harrison,

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June 26, 2020

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Via Email: ColoradoES@FWS.gov

Re: Forest Heights Subdivision
El Paso County, Colorado

To Whom It May Concern

Attached are the following documents for your review:

- Vicinity Map
- Drainage Map
- Photographs
- Roadway Plans
- Memo from El Paso County regarding Endangered Species clearance

The project consists of subdividing one (1) large tract into 4 lots each having an area greater than 5 acres. The existing roadway, Forest Heights Circle, is a private gravel road that extends approximately 2400 feet east of the Herring Road intersection. Construction will be limited to increasing the travel lanes from an average width of 18 feet to 24 feet (2-12-foot lanes). There are three existing 18" CMP culverts that are also to be removed and replaced with 24" CMP. It is hoped that construction can begin later this summer.

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It is my understanding that the property is located a sufficient distance from the Preble Mouse habitat mapping area for El Paso County. If this is the case and there is no impact on any Endangered species, could you please prepare a letter stating this and send it to:

Ms. Phyllis Didleau
c/o Kenneth Harrison, P.E.
KCH Engineering Solutions, LLC
5228 Cracker Barrel Circle
Colorado Springs, CO 80917

As stated above, the Owner wishes to begin roadway construction later this summer. In order to do so your letter is required by El Paso County as soon as possible.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely

Ken Harrison, P.E.
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