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Tribal Consultation with Delaware Tribe

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January 23, 2018

Brice Obermeyer
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**Re: Tribal Consultation Letter
Beneficial Reuse of Dredge Material
Somers Point
Atlantic County, New Jersey
M.A. # 7031.8**

Dear Mr. Obermeyer:

The National Fish and Wildlife Federation (NFWF) is considering funding the project listed above with federal funds from the U.S. Department of Interior.

Mott Associates, LLC is performing environmental review responsibilities for the project, including tribal consultation related to historic properties. Historic properties include archeological sites, burial grounds, sacred landscapes or features, ceremonial areas, traditional cultural places and landscapes, plant and animal communities, and buildings and structures with significant tribal association.

The U.S. Department of Interior will conduct a review of this project to comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations 36 CFR Part 800. We would like to invite you to be a consulting party in this review to help identify historic properties in the project area that may have religious and cultural significance to your tribe, and if such properties exist, to help assess how the project might affect them. If the project might have an adverse effect, we would like to discuss possible ways to avoid, minimize or mitigate potential adverse effects.

Enclosed is a map that shows the project area. The project consists of the rebuilding of an existing public Marina at Higbee Pier, with associated maintenance dredging. The dredge material is proposed to beneficially reused along Somers Point- Mays Landing Road to create a resiliency embankment to create a living shoreline.

To meet project timeframes, if you would like to be a consulting party on this project, can you please let us know of your interest within 30 days? If you have any initial concerns with impacts of the project on religious or cultural properties, can you please note them in your response? If



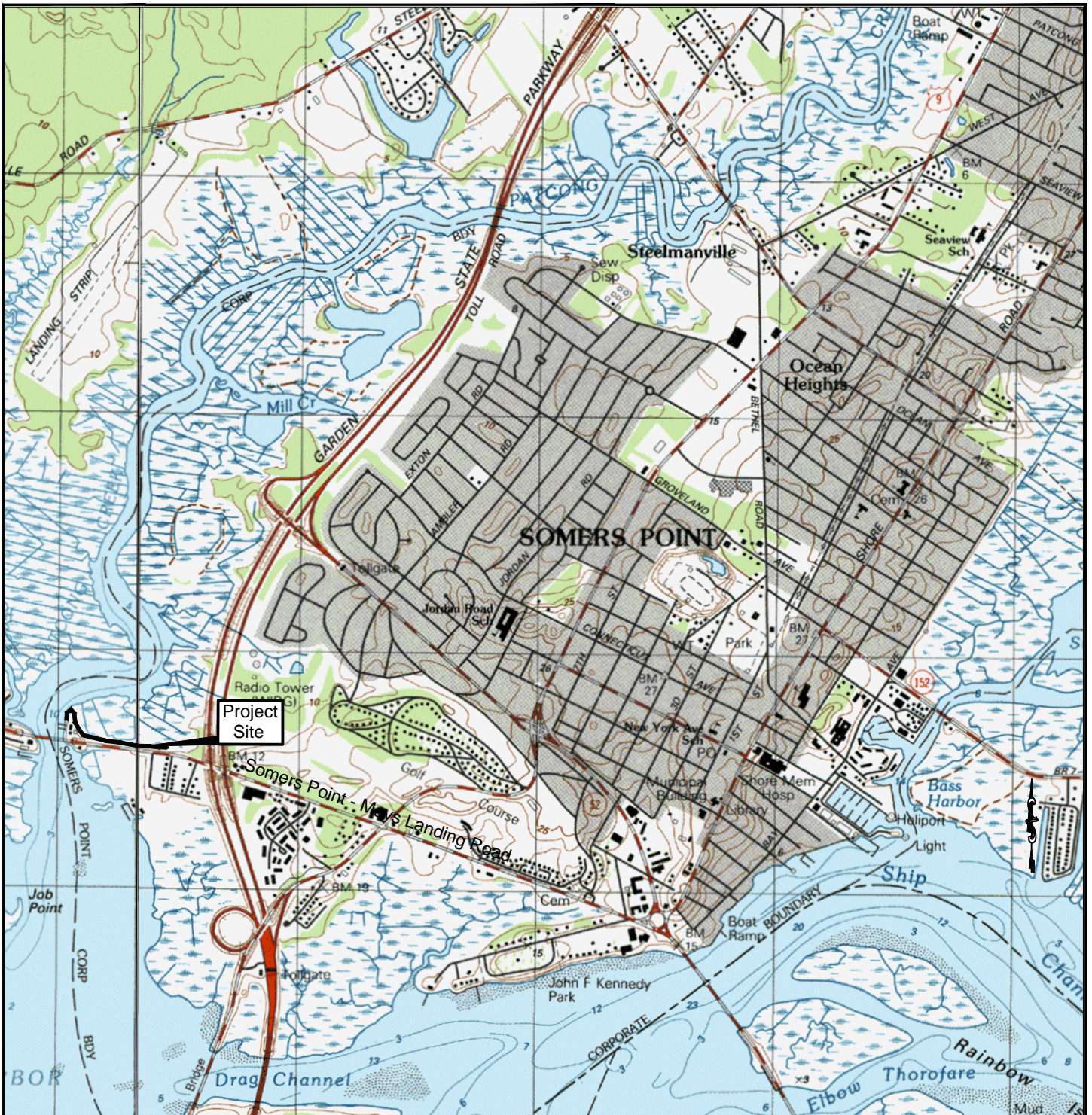
you do not wish to consult on this project, can you please inform us? We value your assistance and look forward to consulting further if there are historic properties of religious and cultural significance to your tribe that may be affected by this project.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to call.

Very truly yours,

MOTT ASSOCIATES, LLC

Gregory K. Schneider, PE, PP, PLS, CME
City Engineer



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City of Somers Point
Atlantic County, NJ

Location Map

Hurricane Sandy Coastal Resiliency Competitive Grants Program
Proposed Embankment Location

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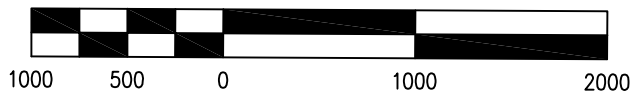
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Hi, Andrew.

The Delaware Tribe would like to be consulted if any archaeological or culturally resources are found. We have no objection to the proposed project.

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