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Steven L. Stockton

Director of Civil Works

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RE: Submittal of Request for project funding under WRRDA-14, Section 7001
by Fort Bend County, Texas

Dear Mr. Stockton

The Union Pacific Railroad is pleased to support Fort Bend County's request for project funding for a Feasibility Study to address ongoing riverbank erosion along the Brazos River within and near the City of Richmond, Texas. This ongoing problem constitutes a threat to the Union Pacific Railroad line as well as public and private infrastructure within and near the City of Richmond, Texas.

The Fort Bend County Commissioners Court unanimously supports a partnership between the County and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to address the ongoing problem. The Union Pacific Railroad supports the County's efforts. We understand the County proposes to provide funding and or in kind services as the non-Federal match for the Project.

We look to supporting the County's partnership with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to address this important issue. If you have additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself, at 281.350.7519.

UPRR Director Bridge Maintenance

Russell Young

A handwritten signature in black ink, written in a cursive style. The name "Russell Young" is clearly legible, with a long, sweeping tail on the letter "g".

cc:

COL Richard P. Pannell, District Engineer

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