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Dear U. S. Army Corps of Engineers,

cfm Distributors, Inc., is an employee-owned regional wholesale distributor of Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration systems, components, supplies, and training, with facilities located throughout the Midwest, and headquarters facilities in Kansas City's historic West Bottoms (Central Industrial District).

Our corporate headquarters serves as the nerve center and physical distribution center for products manufactured in Wichita, Kansas and Norman, Oklahoma by York International, distributed through our regional distribution centers in Omaha, NE, Urbandale, IA, Springfield, MO, Lenexa, KS, and Wichita, KS. This facility is over 110,000 square feet in size and employs over 45 people.

This MOST important facility is in the levee protected area of the West Bottoms, along with \$20 billion in levee protected assets in the Kansas Cities' Levees project area. The industrial might of our region, and the remaining manufacturing and a good percentage of the distribution industry jobs are protected by aging levees that no longer provide the degree of protection that the metropolitan system was designed to provide.

Please support the modification request for the Kansas City's Levee system to include the Armourdale and Central Industrial District Kansas and Missouri Units and modify the total project cost to \$516 million fully funded in order for this vital project to be completed. I appreciate your support very much.

Sincerely,

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