



South Carolina  
Department of Transportation

August 24, 2011

Ms. Jackie Cumpton  
Senior Realty Specialist  
Division of Realty  
United States Fish & Wildlife Service  
1875 Century Boulevard  
Atlanta, Georgia 30345

**RE: US 701 Bridge Replacements over the Great Pee Dee River,  
Great Pee Dee Overflow, and Yauhannah Lake  
Horry and Georgetown Counties, South Carolina  
Project BR88(044); File 22.124B; PIN 30688  
Confirmation of US Fish and Wildlife Property & SCDOT Rights-of-Way**

Dear Ms. Cumpton:

Thank you for your continued interest in this important project. As you are aware, the need for immediate replacement of these bridges has become critical. The South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) is currently revising the previously issued Environmental Assessment (EA) for the project and, at this time, needs concurrence from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) regarding the FWS property boundaries and SCDOT Rights-of-Way limits adjacent to US 701 in the vicinity of the project. This concurrence is critical in evaluating the potential impacts to Section 4f and 6f resources.

Based on our records, information received from FWS, and information obtained from local courthouses, the following TMS numbers, plats, and/or highway plan docket numbers represent the existing SCDOT Rights-of-Way limits in the vicinity of the project:

Plat Title - Date	County	Location (Relative to Existing US 701)	TMS No. / Highway Project No.	Offset of R/W to Centerline Existing US 701
Yauhannah Bluff - 6/2002	Georgetown	Downstream	03-0450-029	Varies
Bull Island – 12/1998	Georgetown	Downstream	03-0451-001	100 ft
Normandy - 8/2007	Georgetown	Downstream	03-1001-014	100 ft
Normandy - 8/2007	Georgetown	Upstream	03-1001-014	100 ft
Elliott – 12/2002	Georgetown	Upstream	03-0447-008	Varies
Highway Plans – 12/1924	Horry	Upstream	F.A. Project 241	250 ft
Highway Plans – 12/1924	Horry	Downstream	F.A. Project 241	150 ft



If you concur with the above statements, we request that you sign this letter in the space indicated below and return the signed letter to us. We appreciate your assistance and willingness to work with the SCDOT on this important project. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 803-737-1402 and/or [feasterkc@scdot.org](mailto:feasterkc@scdot.org).

Sincerely,



Kenneth C. Feaster  
Director, Rights-of-Way

I concur with the above referenced existing SCDOT Right-of-Way limits adjacent to the USFWS Waccamaw National Wildlife Refuge and US 701 in Horry and Georgetown Counties, South Carolina.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

KCF/wtr

cc: M. Craig Sasser, USFWS Waccamaw NWR  
J. Shane Belcher, FHWA  
ec: Michael W. Barbee, SCDOT  
Bener Amado, SCDOT  
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