

MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRICT COMMANDER

SUBJECT: FOR SIGNATURE: Environmental Assessment for Proposed Albany Wastewater and Stormwater Improvements Project, Albany, Dougherty County, Georgia – FOR DECISION

1. PROBLEM. The District Commander's signature on the enclosed Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is required for the proposed activity to proceed.
2. RECOMMENDATION. That the District Commander approve this document and sign the FONSI.

APPROVED _____ DISAPPROVE _____ OTHER _____

3. BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION.

a. The proposed Environmental Assessment includes the separation and upgrading of Albany's wastewater and stormwater systems. In their current state, they are combined and contributed to localized problems such as combined sewer overflows. The actions will consist of separating the pipes and reconnecting them to their respective main lines. Both systems will also have the pipes upsized. The stormwater line specifically will have size upgrades to withstand 10-year storm events, as opposed to the current 2/5-year sizes. The disturbed pavement will be reconstructed.

b. Coordination with Federal and state agencies will be completed by the release of the Final EA.

4. IMPACTS. No significant impacts on the environment are anticipated to occur as a result of this project.

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5. COORDINATION.

CESAM-PD-E ___ Concur ___ Non-concur _____

CESAM-RE ___ Concur ___ Non-concur _____

CESAM-OC ___ Concur ___ Non-concur _____

CESAM-PD ___ Concur ___ Non-concur _____

CESAM-DP ___ Concur ___ Non-concur _____

6. The POC for this action is Ms. Brenna Mickal, Biologist, (251) 690-2040.

Encls

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Division