

VENTURA COUNTY



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**Subject: Ventura County Watershed Protection District
PAL- Levee Certification Report Documentation Packages**

Dear Mr. Curtis:

The Ventura County Watershed Protection District (District) is pleased to provide you with Levee Certification Reports and/or PAL Response Reports for the following six Provisionally Accredited Levees (PALs) within Ventura County. The reports were prepared pursuant to applicable FEMA guidance as contained in Procedural Memo Nos. 34 and 43.

VCWPD ID No.	FEMA ID No.	River	Name	Attached Documentation
SC-1	46	Sespe Creek	Old Telegraph Rd to Goodenough Rd	Levee Certification Report
AS-6	108	Arroyo Simi	First Street to Erringer Road	Levee Certification Report
ASR-2	109	Arroyo Santa Rosa	Floodwall at East Las Posas Road	Conditional Levee Certification
AS-7	107, 112	Arroyo Simi	S.P.R.R Bridge to Stow Street	Conditional Levee Certification
SCR-1	18	Santa Clara River	Hwy 101 to Saticoy	PAL Response Report
CC-2	120	Calleguas Creek	Mission Oaks Blvd. to Somis Drain	PAL Response Report

The Levee Certification Documentation Report table above documents the current status of the District's on-going efforts to certify compliance with the levee certification requirements found in 44 CFR 65.10 within Ventura County. Four of the six PALs are certifiable. The first two (SC-1 and AS-6) are *identified as being fully certified*. Two other levees (AS-7 and ASR-2) are submitted as *conditionally certified pending construction and as-built documentation scheduled to be completed within the next six months*. And the final two (SCR-1 and CC-2) are *identified unable to meet some of certification requirements* found in 44 CFR 65.10. We plan on posting digital copies of these reports on the District's Levee Certification Public Safety Project website within the next two weeks.

If you have any questions regarding this submittal please contact Gerard Kapuscik, the District's Levee Certification Project Manager, directly at 805-648-9284. The District appreciates and values the collaborative and collegial technical partnership we've established with FEMA Region IX during the PAL period which ends on December 1, 2009. We look forward to deepening and strengthening that partnership in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Norma Camacho".

Norma Camacho
Director

Attachments: LCR Packages for AS-6, AS-7, ASR-2 and SC-1 & PAL Response Reports for CC2 and SCR-1