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Economic Development Administration  
Jackson Federal Building, Room 1890  
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**Re: Proposed Schedule Change - Award No. 07-79-07550**

Dear Mr. Lobosco,

The purpose of this letter is to propose a schedule change to the 2021 Collection System Improvements project due to material availability and weather-related constructability issues.

At the Pre-Construction Conference on June 29, 2021 the Contractor, Crestline Construction, proposed a construction schedule with the start of on-site work delayed until in mid-September. The primary driver of this delay is extraordinarily long lead times for materials. Wallis Engineering corroborated these long lead times by contacting material suppliers. Wallis Engineering has determined that, under the schedule proposed by the Contractor and dictated by material availability, the project cannot be constructed as designed due to the impact of seasonal groundwater on excavation work. To provide adequate time for material acquisition and position excavation work in the dry months, the City of Stevenson and Wallis Engineering are proposing to delay the start of on-site work - and therefore the Commencement of Contract Times - until April 4, 2022. No change would be made to the contract time of 150 working days to substantial completion. The proposed delay would not affect the scope or cost of the work.

Thank you for consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Leana Kinley, City Administrator