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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

October 27, 2021

TO: Master Files

FROM: See John Fleming, Division Head, Environmental Division

SUBJECT: Job 061751 FAP STPC-9065(34) Lincoln St. – Hwy. 67 (Cabot) (S) Route 89, Section 1 Lonoke County Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion

After appropriate environmental review, it has been determined that the subject job is a Tier 1 Categorical Exclusion as described by the ARDOT/FHWA Programmatic Agreement on Categorical Exclusion Documentation and Processing. A public hearing will not be offered for this project.

The purpose of this project is to rehabilitate 1.2 miles of Highway 89 from Lincoln Street to Highway 67 in Cabot, Arkansas. Work will include mill and overlay of the roadway and shoulders and installation/replacement of loop detectors where necessary. All work will take place within existing right of way. Upon completion of the project, the City of Cabot will assume ownership of this section of Highway 89. A project location map is attached.

The project will not involve relocations, endangered species, prime farmlands, wetlands, underground storage tanks, hazardous materials, any environmental justice issues, or cultural resources. The project has been determined to generate minimal air quality impacts for Clean Air Act criteria pollutants and has not been linked with any special mobile source air toxic concerns.

The official species lists obtained through the US Fish and Wildlife Service's Information for Planning and Consultation identified the following species as

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potentially occurring within the project area: Eastern Black Rail (*Laterallus jamaicensis ssp. jamaicensis*), Piping Plover (*Charadrius melodus*), Red Knot (*Calidris canutus rufa*), and monarch butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*). The official species list is attached. This project will have "no effect" on the listed species due to the limited scope of the action.

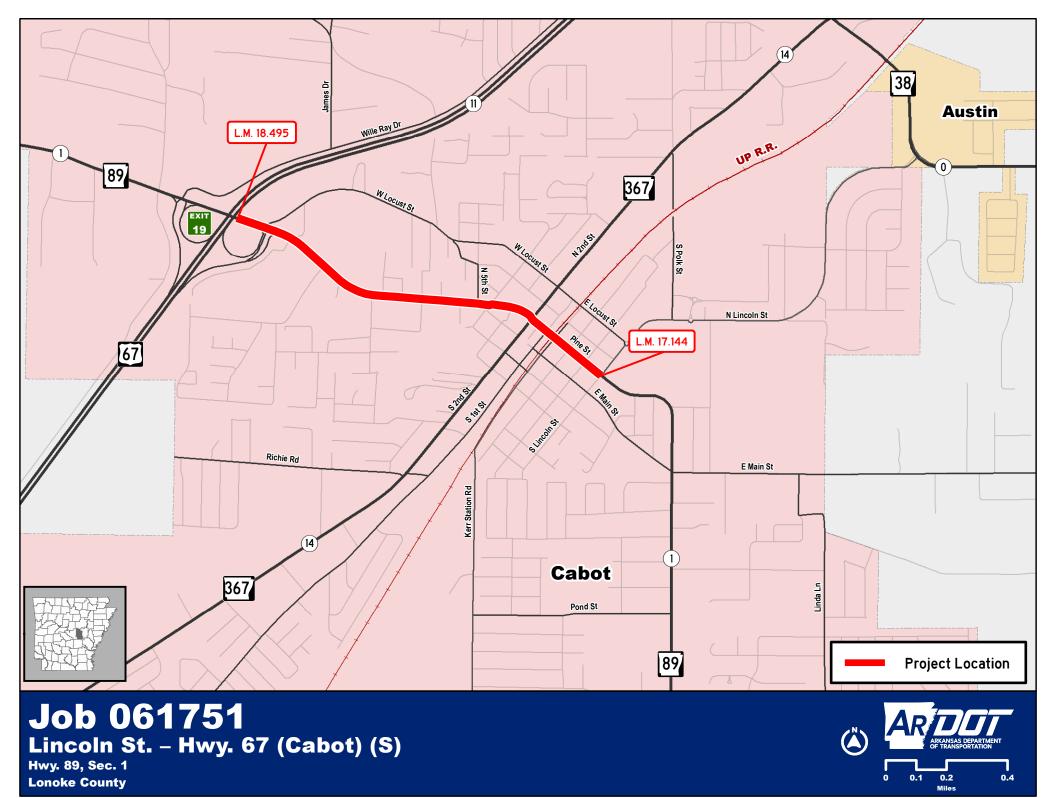
The project will not have a discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States; therefore, a Section 404 permit will not be required.

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Attachments:

Project Location Map Cultural Resources Clearance Environmental Study Checklist

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July 21, 2021

TO: Job File

FROM: Jason Eads, Cultural Resources Section

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SUBJECT: Cultural Resources Clearance Job 061751 Lincoln St. – Hwy. 67 (Cabot) (S) Route 89, Section 1 Lonoke County

This job proposes 1.21 miles of mill and overlay on Highway 89 from Lincoln St. to the Highway 67 intersection in Cabot, in Lonoke County.

This project is subject to the 2021 Programmatic Agreement and falls under Activity C in Appendix B. The project is exempted from further work or Section 106 review.

ARDOT ENVIRONMENTAL VERIFICATION CHECKLIST FOR CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL IMPACTS

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Section 404 Permit Required? Remarks:

Signature of Evaluator

Date____10/20/2021