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Mr. Randy Steffey
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Norfolk District
803 Front Street Norfolk, Virginia 23510-1096

Re: Dominion Virginia Power's Surry - Skiffes Creek - Whealton Project

Dear Mr. Steffey:

This letter is in response to your email dated Thursday February 5, 2015, 7:15 a.m. requesting comments relative to additional information provided from Stantec. Colonial National Historical Park (Park) remains on the record as stating that we do not concur with the preliminary findings of the United State Army Corps of Engineer's contractor Stantec.

The Park cannot concur with a finding of no adverse effect to historic properties in regard to Jamestown Island, the Colonial Parkway, and the Park as a whole. The new information provided does not alter this assessment.

The Park looks forward to continuing consultation to resolve this matter and the opportunity to fully examine the full suite of alternatives in this project proposal. My staff and I are available for further discussions to assist with the development of mitigation strategies to resolve these adverse effects.

Thank for providing the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

/s/ Elaine F. Leslie

Elaine F. Leslie
Acting Superintendent
Colonial National Historical Park