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To: The Designated Natural Resource Trustee Officials for the Deep Water Horizon Oil Spill

To implement and effectuate the Natural Resource Damages Assessment, Early Restoration and the broader Restoration planning processes, negotiations, and other matters which may arise with respect to the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill, the undersigned Designated Natural Resource Trustee Official (the DNRTO) for the United States Department of the Interior (DOI) makes the following designations pursuant to Sections VI and VII of the Memorandum of Understanding Relating to the Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration Resulting from the Deep Water Horizon Mobile Offshore Drilling Unit and the Subsea Macondo Well (the MOU) among the State and Federal Natural Resource Trustees for the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill. The following individuals are identified in accordance with Sections VI and VII of the MOU:

- (1) The primary point of contact for the Executive Committee of the Trustee Council shall be Rachel Jacobson, Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street Northwest, Washington, D.C., 20240-0001; phone: (202) 208-6282 fax: (202) 208-5584, email: Rachel.Jacobson@sol.doi.gov.
- (2) The alternate Trustee Council Executive Committee representative shall be the undersigned, Cynthia K. Dohner, Southeast Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Department of the Interior Authorized Official, 1875 Century Boulevard, Atlanta, GA 30345; phone: (404) 679-4000; fax: (404) 679-4006; email: cynthia_dohner@fws.gov.
- (3) In the absence of Ms. Jacobson or myself, John Carlucci shall act as DOI's Trustee Council's representative. Mr. Carlucci's contact information is John Carlucci, Chief, Branch of Environmental Restoration, Solicitor's Office, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street Northwest, Washington, D.C., 20240-0001, phone: (202) 208-4145; fax: (202) 208-5584, email: John.Carlucci@sol.doi.gov.
- (4) The legal counsel assigned to advise DOI's Trustee Council representatives shall be Harriet (Holly) M. Deal, Attorney-Adviser, Department of the Interior Solicitor's Office, Southeast Region, 75 Spring Street, SW, Room 304, Atlanta, GA 30303; phone: (404) 331-4447, ext. 231; fax: (404) 730-2682; email: harriet.deal@sol.doi.gov.

For efficiency and in order to effectuate decisions and voting as may be required on any matters within the scope of the MOU, including for purposes of Section VIII, I, as the DNRTO for DOI, acknowledge and agree that Rachel Jacobson shall serve as my representative on the Executive Committee of the Trustee Council and shall act as the principal representative of DOI's natural resource trusteeship. I shall act as the alternate on the Executive Committee in Ms. Jacobson's absence. If I and Ms. Jacobson are absent, Mr. Carlucci shall so serve and act. As the AO, I may name other and/or additional replacement alternates to serve in this capacity. Legal counsel assignment may be changed as deemed necessary by DOI.



Cynthia K. Dohner
Authorized Official
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