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MEMORANDUM

Date: January 6, 2012

To: Danny Searcy

From: David Odom

Re: Weekly Update on Grey Rock Activities – Preliminary Eng/Data Collection

1. Good progress has been made on the restoration work. My site visit last Friday was good and I am pleased with the contractors work. I anticipate going back next Tuesday or so to complete a final inspection and to close that contract out.
2. We have received a preliminary delineation map on a portion of the project. The rest is still underway. This could slip toward the first of February to get the Corps approval of the delineation.
3. The surveying is approximately 95% complete. The primary area left is Bison Meadows Road.
4. Completed a meeting this week with various County personnel to agree on the proposed bid method for the project. All projects where the estimated construction costs exceed \$500,000 will be bid in an formal process in accordance with NC regulations. All projects where the estimated construction costs are below \$500,000 will be bid in an invitation process with three local contractors that have the experience and licensing for the job: John Teddar, Herman Sisk and Larry Strickland.
5. I will be making a presentation to the County Commissioners on Monday January 9th.
6. We will hold an informational briefing for local contractors on the project on January 19th at the county Annex.