

Dear Mr. Berry:

Thank you for the statement made on your behalf by Ms. Erika Kennerich before the Mississippi River Commission during the public meeting held in Memphis, Tennessee, on April 8, 2003.

The Commission appreciates your continued support for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and its various water resources projects in the State of Arkansas and across the nation. The Corps looks forward to continuing our excellent relationship and working with you in the future.

The Commission acknowledges your support for the confirmation of Mr. R.D. James as a member. Mr. James has been an invaluable member of the Commission.

A copy of this letter is being sent to Ms. Kennerich at your Jonesboro, Arkansas, office.

Thank you again for your statement at our public meeting. We look forward to hearing from you at our future Commission meetings.

Sincerely,

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River Commission

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