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Mr. Robert Doscher  
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Dear Mr. Doscher:

Section 1002 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act (WRRDA) allows for greater transparency in the notification and reporting of feasibility study milestones. WRRDA Section 1002 requires the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Engineer to provide non-Federal interests a notification of feasibility study milestone schedules for all active studies that received Investigation appropriations since October 1, 2009 until June 10, 2014. Studies initiated after June 10, 2014 also require notification of milestones within 90 days of signing the Feasibility Cost Sharing Agreement. Notification is also required when milestones have changed.

Similar to the letter you received from me on March 26, 2018, this certified letter provides the current study schedule for the five key milestones associated with the Bronx River and Basin Ecosystem Restoration Feasibility Study which has been integrated into the Hudson Raritan Estuary Ecosystem Restoration Feasibility Study:

Milestone	Milestone Date
Release of Draft Feasibility Report	February 27, 2017*
District Submittal of the Final Feasibility Report	June 2019
MSC Transmittal of the Final Feasibility Report	NA
Civil Works Review Board (Senior Leaders Panel)	NA
Signed Chief's Report	October 2019

\*Milestone Completed

As you are aware, the recommendations from the Bronx River and Basin Feasibility Study have been incorporated in the Hudson Raritan Estuary Ecosystem Restoration Draft Integrated Feasibility Report and Environmental Assessment (FR/EA), meeting the conditions established within the Feasibility Cost Share Agreement. The Draft FR/EA was released for public review on February 27, 2017.

Up-to-date study schedules will be posted and available to the public on the New York District website (<http://www.nan.usace.army.mil>). All schedules and missed deadlines will also be submitted in an annual report to Congress.

If you have any questions please contact Lisa Baron, Project Manager, at 917-790-8306.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Asbery', with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Thomas D. Asbery  
Colonel, U.S. Army  
Commander

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