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Fwd: MSRP4 REC1 Jourdan River Boardwalk SAV and shellfish survey

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Hello Eric,

The National Marine Fisheries Service's (NMFS) Habitat Conservation Division has reviewed the Submerged Aquatic Vegetation (SAV) and Shellfish Survey report for the Jourdan River Boardwalk Project (REC-1) dated September 27, 2023. Thank you for providing the additional project information we previously requested. The report indicated the proposed project would not impact SAV or shellfish resources, therefore NMFS does not object to the project as proposed. Unless modifications to this proposal are made, no further consultation on effects to essential fish habitat is necessary.

Thank you for your coordination,
January

On Thu, Sep 28, 2023 at 7:22 AM Eric Vichich - NOAA Federal <eric.vichich@noaa.gov> wrote:

Hi January,

This is a follow-up to discussions we were having earlier this year about the Mississippi TIG Restoration Plan #4 (compliance tracker can be found here). This specific project required a survey for EFH compliance. Is the document linked below sufficient to complete your review? Or is there anything else you need? As you can see from the report there were no SAV/EFH communities present in the project area.

Thanks,
Eric

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From: **Alane C. Young** <acyoung@cce.ms>
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Hi Christy and Eric,

We have completed the Jourdan River Boardwalk SAV survey and the report has been uploaded to SP here - [Diamondhead Boardwalk SAV and Shellfish Survey Final.pdf](#)

Please let me know if you have any questions or need any additional information to complete our EFH compliance for the project.

Thanks,



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