

August 2021

Subject: **LETTER TO OWNERS – EAST NAPLES BAY DREDGING AND ROCK REMOVAL PROJECT, CITY OF NAPLES, FLORIDA (SSI JOB NO. 21-7158)**

Dear Owner / Authorized Representative:

We are contacting you concerning the East Naples Bay Dredging and Rock Removal Project near your property. Mechanical dredging and rock removal are associated with this project. As part of this contract, a vibration monitoring program will be conducted during construction. Seismic Surveys, Inc. (SSI) will perform this monitoring as a consultant to the Contractor.

SSI is an independent, third-party consulting firm that has been engaged by Quality Enterprises, USA, Inc. to conduct pre- and post-construction surveys of the buildings and improvements that are adjacent to the project. These surveys are being offered for specific buildings near the site. SSI will perform the survey at no cost to you.

Pre-construction surveys are conducted to document the visible conditions of your building and associated improvements prior to the start of adjacent construction operations to form a basis of discussion and resolution of any concerns that arise from these activities. The construction operations are not expected to have any impact on your building. This survey is a precautionary measure used to protect all parties involved.

The pre-construction survey will involve a visual inspection and documentation of your building with digital (still and/or video) imagery. If you have specific items of concern related to your building, please bring them to the attention of our surveyor. Upon completion of the work, each structure will be re-surveyed to document post-construction conditions.

During construction operations, monitoring equipment will be used to measure and record ground vibration. These monitors are set up at the closest structures to the active work each day during construction. There are safe vibration standards based on decades of research by federal agencies and private consultants that will be used to protect your building from vibration impacts. However, even safe levels of vibration can be noticeable to occupants of nearby buildings. This perceptibility is quite normal.

We hereby request your permission to perform the required survey. Please call the SSI scheduling department at 1.888.250.6566 to schedule an appointment or indicate your permission to perform the pre-construction survey on the enclosed form. Please scan (or photograph) and return the form to us via email to requests@seismicsurveys.com. If you have questions or concerns regarding the monitoring program, please call SSI at (888) 250-6566. If you do not wish to be included in the monitoring program, please contact us, or indicate such on the response form and email that to us. For more general project questions, please visit the project website at www.EastNaplesBayDredging.com or contact the City's Public Information Consultant: Cella Molnar and Associates, Inc. via phone at (239) 337-1071, toll-free (877) 496 -1076 or via email at info@EastNaplesBayDredge.com.

Sincerely,
SEISMIC SURVEYS, INC.