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July 11, 2025

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New Orleans District
Attention: Damon Morse
Public Notice: MVN-2011-03218-EDM
7400 Leake Avenue
New Orleans. La., 70118-3651

RE: Application Number: MVN-2011-03218-EDM
Applicant: Air Products Blue Energy LLC
Notice Date: June 30, 2025; Comment Period Expires July 30, 2025

Dear Mr. Morse,

The Louisiana Wildlife Federation (LWF) is a statewide, nonprofit organization that represents 23 affiliate organizations and more than 11,000 members dedicated to the conservation of Louisiana's wildlife and natural resources.

I am writing to respectfully request an extension of the public comment period for the above project **MVN-2011-03218-EDM**. The proposed project is a complex request that has significant environmental, social, and economic impacts for our wildlife and our natural resources. Considering the detailed nature of the permit request, we are requesting a 30-day extension to the current public comment period that is scheduled to end July 30, 2025. The extension would allow for more public participation in this matter.

In addition, we are requesting an opportunity for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to conduct a series of public hearings on the matter. The project and the permit application are of intense interest to local residents in multiple parishes around Lake Maurepas and their concerns about potential impacts to this complex estuarine system.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please confirm receipt and let us know of your decision to extend the comment deadline and provide for public hearings.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Triche
Executive Director