Spillway update

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EGLE has advised us they will be working on a formal response to our permit application this week. We did receive preliminary feedback from the dam safety unit entering Labor Day weekend. Over the holiday weekend we completed an extensive review of the 34page spillway engineering drawings prepared by our project engineer, Lapham Associates, and the 81-page hydraulic study by our hydraulics engineer, Ayers Associates. Our review identified a few minor adjustments that were needed, and the changes were made during the past week.

In addition to our EGLE permit application, we were recently asked by USDA to provide supporting calculations for the reinforced concrete design. Our project engineer, Lapham, engaged MacMillan Associates Consulting Engineers of Bay City to conduct a review of the reinforced concrete design. Late last week we were advised that MacMillan Associates had completed their review and they have made a few recommendations.

We believe the use of supporting engineering firms such as Ayers and MacMillan will enhance the efforts of Lapham in achieving a final permit for our spillway repair project.

Thank You

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