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RE: DHR No. 2003-8984C / Date Received by DHR: October 8, 2003
*Stevenson Creek Estuary—Final Draft—Ecosystem Restoration Report and
Environmental Assessment / Section 106 Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration
Clearwater, Pinellas County, Florida*

Dear Mr. Duck:

In our previous letter to your office dated May 13, 2004, we recommended that the uplands adjacent to Stevenson Creek be subjected to a systematic, professional archaeological and historical survey. We received additional information concerning the referenced property and proposed project submitted by Catherine Brooks of the Jacksonville Corps of Engineers indicating that project activities will not involve the uplands adjacent to Stevenson Creek. After weighing this information, we conclude that the referenced project will have no effect on three recorded archaeological sites located near the area of potential effect for this project (8PI10, 8PI62, and 8PI140). We further conclude that the proposed project activities will not impact historic properties that may occur in the uplands bordering Stevenson Creek.

If there are any questions concerning our comments, please contact Janice Maddox, Historic Sites Specialist, by electronic mail at jmaddox@dos.state.fl.us, or by telephone at 850/245-6333. Thank you for your interest in protecting Florida's historic properties.

Sincerely,

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for
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