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## IN REPLY REFER TO: NCPC File No. CP11

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Honorable Melissa S. Peacor County Executive Prince William County James J. McCoart Administration Building 1 County Complex Court Prince William, Virginia 22192

Dear Ms. Peacor:

We have reviewed Prince William County's *Proposed FY 2013-2018 Capital Improvement Program (CIP)* to determine the program's potential impact on federal properties or other federal interests in the National Capital Region (NCR). After careful review, I am pleased to report that none of the projects appear to have any adverse impact on federal interests.

Transportation investments in the NCR are a major concern and are particularly important for the effectiveness of the federal workforce. We are pleased to see the county's continued commitment to transportation projects near the Quantico Marine Corps Base. Important projects that support Quantico Marine Corps Base include the Fuller Road/Fuller Heights Road Intersection Improvements and Route 1 Improvements (Neabsco Mills Road to Featherstone Road). We also are encouraged by transportation projects that support alternatives modes such as the Telegraph Road Commuter Parking Lot, Trail Development and Potomac Heritage National Scenic Trail.

We also applaud projects that will help meet the NCR's environmental goals including the nine watershed projects and the Flat Branch Flood Control project. The National Capital Planning Commission has advanced several flood control efforts in the Nation's Capital; information relating to this effort can be found at www.ncpc.gov. We encourage the county's continued close coordination with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and National Park Service to ensure necessary improvements are successfully completed.

We appreciate the opportunity to review and comment on your recommended CIP. We look forward to working with you to advance our shared regional goals

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in the future. If you have any questions, please have a member of your staff contact Stacy Wood who can be reached at 202-482-7237.

Sincerely,

Marcel C. Acosta Executive Director