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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Micro-Model Issues

On 29 April Larry Banks received word that ERDC wanted to meet to discuss the micro-modeling report on Friday morning 2 May 2003. The Chief of the Coastal and Hydraulics Laboratory (CHL) at ERDC, Dr. Tom Richardson, had requested a meeting with the MVD Technical Directorate Chief, Mr Carr. The main discussion of the meeting would be the process for completing the micro-model evaluation report.

CHL is concerned that their views would not be incorporated into the evaluation report. Steve Maynard of CHL is part of a 3 member team that is investigating technical issues involved with the micro-model. The other team members are Andy Gaines of MVM and Dave Gordon of MVS.

During the morning of 29 April Larry Banks and myself were involved in separate discussions with Claude Strauser of MVS, Dewey Jones of MVM and Tom Pokrefke of ERDC. Each individual explained their position.

It was agreed that Steve Maynard would be allowed a reasonable amount of time to review and comment on the existing report. He would also submit his write-up for the report. A reasonable amount of time would also be required for the other team members to comment on the new information and to adjust their current report.

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