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Ms. Amber Kenney
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Dear Ms. Kenney:

SUBJECT: NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT DETERMINATION AT FERMI NATIONAL ACCELERATOR LABORATORY – GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION OF PROPOSED MAHONEY CREEK FLOODPLAIN MITIGATION AREA

Reference: Letter, from A. Kenney to R. Hersemann, dated August 10, 2021, Subject: National Environmental Policy Act Environmental Evaluation Notification Form for Geotechnical Investigation of Proposed Mahoney Creek Floodplain Mitigation Area

The Fermi Site Office (FSO) has reviewed the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Environmental Evaluation Notification Form (EENF) for the Geotechnical Investigation of Proposed Mahoney Creek Floodplain Mitigation Area. Based on the information provided in the EENF, the following categorical exclusion (CX) is approved:

<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Approved</u>	<u>CX</u>
Geotechnical Investigation of Proposed Mahoney Creek Floodplain Mitigation Area	8/10/2021	B3.1

Enclosed is signed copy of the EENF for your records. No further NEPA review is required. This project falls under categorical exclusions provided in 10 *CFR* 1021, as amended in November 2011.

Sincerely,

Richard K. Verhaagen
Site Manager

Enclosure:
As Stated

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