



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
CHARLESTON DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
1835 Assembly Street, Room 865 B-1  
Columbia, SOUTH CAROLINA 29201

April 11, 2016

Regulatory Division

Mr. Kenneth Simmons  
2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite 210  
Columbia, South Carolina 29204

Dear Mr. Simmons:

This is in response to your letter dated August 24, 2015, wherein you inquired as to the necessity of obtaining a Department of the Army permit for the construction of bridges across streams above the Ordinary High Water Mark located adjacent to the Saluda River, Richland County, South Carolina.

This office has reviewed the project drawings and description of work you provided titled "**1-26 SALUDA RIVER CROSSING & SALUDA RIVER WALK**", pages 1-4 of 4 provided in your submittal received on August 24, 2015, and a wetland delineation map entitled, "Saluda River Walk", pages 1-7 of 7 and dated March 31, 2016,. Based on a review of the Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination (SAC-2006-1188) issued by this office in a letter addressed to you and dated March 31, 2016, it appears that the work you have proposed does not involve regulated activities within jurisdictional wetlands and/or other waters of the United States. Therefore, a Department of the Army permit is not required, and you may proceed with the project as described.

This "No Permit Required" determination is valid until **March 31, 2021**, unless new information, (to include changes to project plans), warrants revision before the expiration date. In future correspondence concerning this matter, please refer to SAC-2006-1188. You may need state or local assent. Prior to performing any work, you should contact the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control. A copy of this letter is being forwarded to that agency for their information.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Chip Ridgeway at 803-253-3906.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brice McKoy".

Brice McKoy  
Chief, Northwest Branch

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