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August 9, 2018

Tami Hansen Laboratory Supervisor City of Columbia 4900 W. Gillespie Bridge Rd. Columbia, MO 65205

Dear Ms. Hansen:

Attached is a signed original of our standard joint-funding agreement for the continuation of the hydrologic monitoring of McBaine Bottoms, including the Eagle Bluffs Conservation Area, for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019, in the amount of \$73,400 from your agency. Please sign and return one fully-executed original to Julie Asher at the Rolla, Missouri, address above or via email.

Federal law requires that we have a signed agreement before we start or continue work. Please return the signed agreement by October 1, 2018. If, for any reason, the agreement cannot be signed and returned by the date shown above, please contact Joe Richards by phone number (573) 308-3568 or email richards@usgs.gov to make alternative arrangements.

This is a fixed cost agreement to be billed quarterly via Down Payment Request (automated Form DI-1040). Please allow 30-days from the end of the billing period for issuance of the bill. If you experience any problems with your invoice(s), please contact Julie Asher at phone number (573) 308-3558 or email at jasher@usgs.gov.

The results of all work performed under this agreement will be available for publication by the U.S. Geological Survey. We look forward to continuing this and future cooperative efforts in these mutually beneficial water resources studies.

Sincerely,

C. Shane Barks Deputy Director

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