APPENDIX D

DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES AND OCEANS CORRESPONDENCE

Shiells, Glenda

From:	McDonald, Marvin
Sent:	Friday, November 23, 2012 3:38 PM
To:	Shiells, Glenda
Subject:	FW: Midtown Feedermain Bridge across Assiniboine River (DFO file WI-10-2743)

For attachment to Addendum 1 830-2012

From: Schwartz, Todd [mailto:Todd.Schwartz@dfo-mpo.gc.ca]
Sent: Friday, November 09, 2012 2:42 PM
To: Eissa, Omer; Khalil, Faris
Cc: Zurek, Kas; Laureen.Janusz@gov.mb.ca
Subject: FW: Midtown Feedermain Bridge across Assiniboine River (DFO file WI-10-2743)

Hello Omer,

I received your updated information for the midtown feedermain repairs today. It has been some time since I first discussed this project with Ryan Belbas from your office. DFO understands that you will grade the banks at the bridge abutments, install rock columns, and rock armour approximately 40 m of shoreline on the south bank, and 13 m of shoreline on the north bank of the Assiniboine River.

Provided that your plans are implemented as described DFO has concluded that your proposal is not likely to result in impacts to fish and fish habitat. You will not need to obtain a formal approval from DFO in order to proceed with your proposal. Please notify this office at least 10 days before starting the work citing DFO file number Wi-10-2743. A copy of this letter and your submission to DFO should be kept on site while the work is in progress.

If the plans have changed or if the description of your proposal is incomplete you should contact this office to determine if the advice in this letter still applies. Please be advised that any impacts to fish and fish habitat which result from a failure to implement this proposal as described could lead to corrective action such as enforcement.

This Letter of Advice does not release you from the responsibility for obtaining any other approvals that may be required under federal, provincial or municipal legislation.

If you have any questions please contact Todd Schwartz at our Winnipeg office at (204) 983-4231, by fax at (204) 984-2402, or by email at Todd.Schwartz@dfo-mpo.gc.ca.

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