



EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

April 21, 2017

The Honorable John Bel Edwards
Governor of Louisiana
P.O. Box 94004
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9004

Dear Governor Edwards:

Thank you for your March 8, 2017 letter of support for the Administration's efforts to modernize our infrastructure and your request that five projects be identified as high priority infrastructure projects pursuant to Executive Order 13766.

The Council on Environmental Quality is currently working with other Federal agencies, including the Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Council, and Administration officials to align various permitting improvement and infrastructure initiatives. Information on the identification of high priority infrastructure projects will be made available as this interagency process moves forward.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mary Neumayr".

Mary Neumayr
Chief of Staff