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Re: Maxwell Bridge, City of Napa, Flood Reduction Project, Napa County, CA

Dear Mr. Yep:

Thank you for requesting my review and comments on the eligibility of the Maxwell Bridge to the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800, regulations implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 as amended.

The finding of the Corps of Engineers is that Maxwell Bridge, built in 1949 by Napa County, is not eligible for the NRHP because it is not "exceptionally significant from the standpoint of engineering or transportation," nor does it appear to contribute significantly to the "transportation history of Napa County." Our review of the submitted documentation leads us to concur with your determination that the Maxwell Bridge is not eligible for the NRHP.

Thank you for considering historic properties during project planning. If you have any questions, please contact Natalie Thompson of my staff at (916)-653-8920.

Sincerely,

Daniel AbeyM Acting
State Historic Preservation Officer

Exhibit I

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GRAY DAVIS, Governor



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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Daniel AbeyM".