

PAUL TRIBLE
VIRGINIA

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

November 26, 1986

Honorable S. Chris Jones
P.O. Box 5058
Suffolk, Virginia 23435


Dear Chris:

Attached is a copy of a response I just received from the Corps of Engineers regarding the dredging of Bennett Creek.

I am pleased to see that the study will stay open. Let me know if I can be of any help in determining a disposal site.

Please keep me advised on the progress of this matter and contact me if I can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,



Paul Tribble

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Enclosure



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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

November 19, 1986

Plan Formulation Branch

Honorable Paul S. Tribble, Jr.
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Tribble:

This letter is in response to your November 13, 1986 inquiry regarding the dredging of Bennett Creek, Suffolk, Virginia. Your inquiry was prompted by an October 31, 1986 mailgram from Mr. John L. Rowe, Jr., City Manager of Suffolk, requesting that the Corps study not be closed at this time.

Based on further information received from Mr. Rowe on new potential sites for the disposal of dredged material, I have decided to keep the Bennett Creek study open. For your information, I am enclosing a copy of my most recent letter to Mr. Rowe dated November 18, 1986 indicating our continuation of the study. I am also enclosing a copy of my October 29, 1986 letter to Mr. Rowe which indicates my previous reasons for terminating the study.

If you desire further information on the Bennett Creek study, please contact Mr. Roland Culpepper, Chief of Planning Division, at (804) 441-3763.

Sincerely,

Claude D. Boyd III
Colonel, Corps of Engineers
District Engineer

Enclosures