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Programs and Project Management Division
Water Resources Branch

Mr. Robert Weber
Coastal Program Manager
Town of Palm Beach
951 Okeechobee Road, Suite A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Dear Mr. Weber:

The Jacksonville District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) is preparing to initiate a maintenance dredging event for Palm Beach Harbor. The dredged material will be placed on the permitted beach disposal area located within the Town of Palm Beach, immediately south of the Lake Worth Inlet's south jetty. The work is anticipated to start in January 2022 and be completed by April 30, 2022. The Contractor is anticipated to operate marine and shore-based equipment 24 hours a day / 7 days a week. The Corps requests approval from the Town Council for the Contractor to stage within the Town of Palm Beach's jurisdictional limits of Lake Worth Lagoon. In addition, a construction staging area is planned immediately south of Lake Worth Inlet, along the south jetty. The work areas are shown on the attached figures from the project's plans and circled for your ease of reference.

The Corps is requesting variance on the following Town Code of Ordinances for the proposed work:

- Section 42-198 – prohibits operation of equipment or machinery during winter, Sundays, and legal holidays
- Section 42-199 – prohibits work between 5:00 pm and 8:00 am
- Sections 42-226 through 229 – regulates noise, equipment operation, and work hours and the standard Town "stand down for the season" requirement

If you have any further questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact the undersigned at 904-232-2132.

Sincerely,

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