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Memorandum

To:

Program Manager, Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration, USDI,

Maru & Welsh

Washington, D.C.

Deputy

Regional Director, Region 6 From:

Denver, Colorado

Subject:

Release of Bureau Restoration Funds for the Sharon Steel Natural Resource

Damage Assessment and Restoration Project

Please disburse \$20,000 from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Sharon Steel Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration Account (DC NRDA Office, Project No. 0011) to Region 6 Cost Center 9822-0011. The \$20,000 will fund continuing Jordan River watershed restoration work pursuant to a cooperative funding agreement. Funding partners include the Great Salt Lake Audubon Society, TreeUtah (a non-profit conservation and education organization), the Utah Restoration, Mitigation and Conservation Commission, and our agency. The requested \$20,000 and cooperative funding agreement will benefit migratory birds in completing the final phase of floodplain habitat restoration in conjunction with the Sharon Steel Natural Resource Restoration Plan.

If you have questions or require further information, please contact John Wegrzyn, Region 6 NRDAR Coordinator, at (303) 236-4261; or Christine Cline, NRDAR Biologist and Case Manager, Utah Ecological Services Field Office, at (801) 975-3300, extension 145. Thank you.