PHASE IV DEBRIS REMOVAL SURVEY
Preliminary Environmental Unit Review

Waterway: 7504 L – 5 Drainage Canal, Calcasieu Parish

NOAA reviewer: D. Simecek-Beatty

Date: 02 July 08

Checklist of Environmental Factors – Assess the potential for impacts to the following resources/areas and coordinate as necessary:

☐ Habitat/environmental sensitivity

☒ Threatened/endangered species

Field team – Please confirm shoreline adjacent to waterway is urban development rather than trees. See comments below. TAKE PHOTO OF TREES FOR EU

☐ Cultural/historical resources

☐ Oyster habitat

☐ State/federal/tribal lands

☐ Scenic waterway

Summary and Conclusions of Environmental Review:

Habitat/environmental sensitivity: ESI LA-142 indicates urban/development adjacent to water way.

Threatened/endangered species: ESI LA-142 does not show threatened /endangered species in waterway. U.S.Fish and Wildlife indicates the red-cockaded woodpecker are known to occur in Calcasieu Parish. If any FEMA debris removal activities require clearing of RCW habitat, the service recommends contacting them for further endangered species emergency consultation. EU will need further review if targets in and adjacent to waterway are trees.

Cultural/Historical: LDWF -2001 data base does show sites in waterway.

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Oyster habitat: None

State/federal/tribal lands: None shown in ESI LA- 142.

Scenic waterway: Not a scenic waterway.