EXHIBIT 2

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To: Ramona McGee

Subject: FOIA FWS-2018-00274 Acknowledgement
Date: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 1:13:48 PM

Good Afternoon Mr. McGee,

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated 5 December 2017, for records concerning the Red Wolf Rule and Recovery Program, which has been assigned tracking number FWS-2018-00274. Our office received your request on 6 December 2017.

We have classified you as an "other-use" requester and considered your fee waiver request. Your fee waiver has been granted.

We use Multi-track Processing to process FOIA requests. The Simple track is for requests that can be processed in one to five workdays. The Normal track is for requests that can be processed in six to twenty workdays. The Complex track is for requests that can be processed in twenty-one to sixty workdays. The Exceptional/Voluminous track is for requests requiring more than sixty workdays for processing. The Expedited track is for requests that have been granted expedited processing. Within each track, requests are usually processed on a first-in, first-out basis.

Your request falls in the "exceptional/voluminous" processing track. Requests in this track will take over sixty workdays to process. Please note the use of multitrack processing does not alter the statutory deadline for Fish and Wildlife Service to comply with your FOIA request.

You may narrow the scope of your request to obtain quicker processing in your currently-assigned track or move the request into a faster track. If you have any questions about this, please contact us.

Please accept this as receipt of your request. Thanks and please feel free to contact my office if you have any questions or concerns.

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