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Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc.

May 18, 2006

Mr. Rick Joyce, Director Division of Environmental Sciences Department of Community Development Lee County P.O. Box 398 Fort Myers, FL 33902-0398

RE: Fountains Development Lee County

Dear Mr. Joyce:

Pursuant to the request of Larry Matzick of SouthStar Development Partners, I am herewith providing a report titled, Listed Species Survey for The Fountains Development Lee County, Florida dated November 30, 2005.

We look forward to reviewing this report and other environmental aspects of the project with you during the meeting scheduled at your office on May 18, 2006.

Very truly yours,

VANASSE HANGEN BRUSTLIN, INC.

Bill Hamilton
Principal Scientist

BH:dhr

cc: w/o enclosure

Larry Matzick – SouthStar Development Partners

 $Brenda\ Yates-Yates\ \&\ Company$

Ronnie Van Fleet – VHB, Inc.