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PROBATION REPORT

The Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute (LWRRI) underwent its Five Year Review by the U.S. Geological Survey in 1987. A review panel of five members convened in Baton Rouge on January 12 - 13, 1987. Results of the review panel's evaluations indicated that the Institute is fostering relevant, high quality research. The Institute was, however, placed on probation until such time as deficiencies identified in the evaluation team's report can be corrected.

The review team addressed ten items during its evaluation. The results of this evaluation were reported by letter to Louisiana State University's (LSU) Chancellor James Wharton on March 27, 1987. A copy of the letter and the final report of the onsite evaluation can be found in Appendix A. The review team concluded its evaluation with three recommendations for action. These were:

- o to reactivate the State Advisory Board, or its equivalent, with a suitable mix representing Government and private-sector water interests to set goals and priorities for the Institute program and to evaluate the relevance of annual program proposals to these goals.
- o to reactivate the University Advisory Board, or its equivalent, to provide the Director with guidance on research priorities and assistance in technical evaluations of project proposals, and
- o to begin development of an information transfer program that is responsive to information needs of Louisiana's water resources policymakers and managers and the public, utilizing, wherever feasible, the communications expertise available in the University.

This report responds to each recommendation of the review team, providing documentation of the Institute's actions taken to correct any identified deficiencies. Additionally, this report documents other accomplishments of the Institute achieved during the one year period since the review. Format of this report will follow the ten evaluation elements utilized by the review team in an effort to show the activities of the Institute above and beyond the level of activity at the time of the the 1987 Five-Year Review.

1. Research Relevance

Three issues contributing to research relevance were addressed by the Review Panel: Institute leadership, research topics, and the State Advisory Board. The specific points made by the Panel, and the Institute's action in response to each, are discussed below.

Leadership- The absence of official leadership of the Institute was identified as contributing to a lack of focus and visibility for

the research program. To overcome this weakness, the College of Engineering appointed a new director, a half time appointment, and created a new Assistant Director position supported by the College. The goal of the new administration has been and continues to be to restore the Institute to a position of leadership within Louisiana for water resources issues and concerns. Objectives through which this goal is being achieved are to increase operational efficiency of the Institute, to increase funding available to faculty research, and to develop and implement an aggressive information transfer program that will bring recognition to the Institute while providing valuable information and education to the Louisiana citizens. The Director and Assistant Director have dedicated their efforts to achieving these objectives.

Dr. Marty E. Tittlebaum, Associate Professor of Civil Engineering, was hired in June 1987 as the Institute's new Director. Dr. Tittlebaum has been an LSU faculty member in the Environmental Engineering area for eight years, and has been the Environmental Engineering Discipline Group Leader for the last five years. Dr. Tittlebaum's expertise is water/wastewater treatment and hazardous waste management. He is actively involved in research and consulting, and is extensively published in professional journals. His resume is provided in Appendix B. His aggressive pursuit of research funding opportunities in the water resources and environmental areas will be instrumental in providing growth opportunities for the Institute.

Ms. Brenda Kelly assumed the duties of Assistant Director in July 1987. Ms. Kelly had previously served as the Technology Transfer Coordinator of LWRRI (1982-84) prior to being transferred to the LSU Hazardous Waste Research Center. She has a Master of Science degree in Water Resources Engineering, and has worked for several years in water resources research. Her expertise includes irrigation, drainage and agricultural usage of water, in addition to technology/information transfer. Ms. Kelly was the 1985 President of the Louisiana Section of the American Water Resources Association, and has for the past six years worked closely with Louisiana's water resources professional and civic communities.

State Advisory Board - In January 1987 the Institute's State Advisory Board had one current member. The Review Panel recommended reactivation of, and more frequent guidance from, the State Advisory Board.

This board has been restructured and reactivated to provide sound technical program guidance for the Institute. In September, 1987, thirteen members were appointed to this Board. Members represent federal, state and local governments, industry, professional organizations and other Louisiana universities. The membership of this Board is given in Table 1. Committee members were selected based on their broad range of water resources interests and expertise. Responsibilities of this board's members are discussed in Section 2 - Research Quality.

Table 1. STATE ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Number of Represent.	Agency or Interest Group	Representative
2	City/Parish Govt.	John Hussey, Mayor Shreveport Sidney Barthelemy, Mayor of New Orleans
3	Federal Governm. Agencies	
	. US Army Corps of Engin.	Brigadier Gen. Sands
	. US Dept. of Agriculture	Vicksburg, Miss. Harry Hawthorne, Alexandria
	. US Geological Survey	Darwin Knochenmus, Baton Rouge
1	Industry	Jerry Daigre, Dow Chemical Co. Plaquemine
1	Professional Organizations Louisiana Section- American Water Resources Association	Rod Emmer, President Baton Rouge
4	State Agencies Dept. of Environ. Quality Dept. of Health & Human Res Dept. of Natural Resources Dept. of Transportation & Development	Baton Rougé
2	Other Universities Louisiana Tech University Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium	Dr. Bobby Price, Director Water Res. Center Ruston Don Boesch, Director LUMCON Chauvin

13 Members

Research Topics- The Director and Assistant Director convened the State Advisory Board on November 17, 1987 to discuss the water resources research needs for Louisiana. Ten topics were identified by the Board as the most urgent research needs. A listing of the identified topics appears in Table 2.

Research topic input was also sought from the newly reorganized University Advisory Board (UAB). For a detailed discussion of this Board, see Section 8 of this report. The UAB meeting on November 18, 1988 provided further input on the research needs, and also suggested a prioritization of topics. The resulting composite listing of research needs is shown in Table 3.

The Director and Assistant Director, LWRRI, reviewed the research topic suggestions and recommended a prioritization of the topics provided by the two advisory boards. A draft research priority listing was formulated, and sent to each board member for his/her additional comments and suggestions. Following a three weeks comment period, the research priority topics to be used in the Fiscal Year 1988 program were finalized. These are given in Table 4.

2. Research Quality

Faculty participating in LWRRI research were judged to be competent in performing the funded research. Most research is multidisciplinary, and requires faculty research teams to accomplish the proposed work.

To assure the continued selection and support of top quality research at the Institute, the review team recommended the reconstitution of and clear definition of responsibilities of the advisory boards. As already discussed in Section 1, the two advisory boards of LWRRI have been reorganized. A significant part of this reorganization was the formulation, documentation, and communication of the functioning and responsibilities of each board. The resulting guidelines were provided to each candidate for board membership prior to his/her consideration and agreement to serve on the board. Table 5 and 6 give the newly developed guidelines established for each board. These guidelines were fully implemented with the convening of the two boards in November 1987.

Protocol for the review and selection of research proposals to be funded by LWRRI has been altered, with the newly formulated procedures implemented in December 1987 at the initiation of Fiscal Year (FY) 1988 program development process. Preproposals have been solicited and will receive a preliminary screening to determine their compatibility with the Institute's research priorities, the achievability of the project under the time and budget constraints indicated, and the appropriateness of project objectives, methodology, etc. The top ranked preproposals will be selected for full proposal development and

Table 2. WATER RESOURCES PROBLEM AREAS FOR LOUISIANA Identified by the State Advisory Board

1. Emergency Planning

- o Warning networks
- o Health quality assurances

2. Hydrologic Methods and Techniques

- o Lab & Field Methods
- o Validity of methods

3. Coastal Area

- o Flow measurement, prediction
- o Wetlands loss

4. Water and Health Relationship

5. Water Allocation

- o Emergency allocation priorities, procedures
- o Shreveport public water supply
- Multi-use resource planning (ex.lake maintenance for aesthetics vs. irrigation)

6. State Water Policy

7. Agricultural Water Conservation

- o Irrigation efficiency
- o Water quality needs for specific crop application

8. Aquaculture

- o Processing and marketing
- o Waste disposal
- o Marine seafood culture

9. <u>Water and Waste Water Treatment</u>

- o Storm Water Treatment
- o Economic alternatives to septic tanks
- o How to meet new, more stringent treatment standards

10. <u>Information Transfer</u>

Table 3. WATER RESOURCES PROBLEM AREAS FOR LOUISIANA

1. Hydrology

- Development and/or verification of lab & field methods
- Flow measurement, prediction in coastal zones
- Urban flash flooding
- Non-structural approach to flood control
- Geography of water (inventory & distribution of water)
- Delineating ground water recharge areas

2. Water Quality

Ground Water

- Chemical contamination of ground water supply
- Water quality needs for specific crop application
- o Movement, Monitoring and Modeling of chemicals in unsaturated zone

- Surface Water Non-point source pollution
- Water quality needs for specific crop application
- Quality of precipitation

3. Water and Wastewater Treatment

- o Urban storm water management
- Economic alternatives to septic tanks
- How to meet new, more stringent treatment standards Waste disposal, including aquaculture and agriculture Use of natural systems for wastewater treatment

Wetlands Management

- Wetlands loss 0
- Wetland areas as flood buffer
- Use of wetlands for wastewater treatment

5. Water and Health Relationship

6. State Water Policy

- o Creation of policy
- o Analysis/impacts of policy

7. Marine Seafood Culture

- 8. Information Transfer
- 9. Planning and Management

- o Basin-wide management, planning
- o Erosion control during construction
- Multi-use resource planning (ex. lake maintenance for aesthetics vs. irrigation)

Water Supply

o Shreveport public water supply

Resource Conservation

- o Irrigation efficiency
- Scheduling & Forecasting of need for supplemental
- irrigation o Soil loss/conservation
- o Water conservation in aquaculture production

Emergency Planning

- Warning networks 0
- Health quality assurances
- On-line monitoring of outfalls
- Emergency allocation priorities, procedures

Table 4. WATER RESEARCH PRIORITY AREAS FOR LOUISIANA.

1. Hydrology

- o Development and/or verification of lab & field methods
- o Flow measurement, prediction in coastal zones
- o Urban flash flooding
- Non-structural approach to flood control
- o Geography of water (inventory & distribution of water)
- o Delineating ground water recharge areas

2. Water Quality

Ground Water

- o Chemical contamination of ground water supply
- o Water quality needs for specific crop application
- o Modeling of chemicals in unsaturated zone

Surface Water

- o Non-point source pollution
- o Water quality needs for specific crop application
- o Quality of precipitation

3. Water and Wastewater Treatment

- o Urban storm water management
- o Economic alternatives to septic tanks
- o How to meet new, more stringent treatment standards
- o Waste disposal, including aquaculture and agriculture
- o Use of natural systems for wastewater treatment

4. Wetlands Management

- o Wetlands loss
- o Wetland areas as flood buffer
- o Use of wetlands for wastewater treatment

Table 5. STATE ADVISORY BOARD

Purpose:

assist the Director, Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute (LWRRI), in identifying water resources research needs for the State of Louisiana

Membership:

Board members represent the water resources professional communities of the State of Louisiana, and selected for their knowledge of and active participation in an area of water resources management or research. The Board consists of 13 members that are appointed by the Chancellor, LSU. Each member represents a distinctly different water resources focus area and serves a 5 year term.

Requirements: Each member shall participate in the annual meeting of the Board convened to assess the research needs and priorities for the Institute's annual research program. This meeting shall be called by the Institute Director and shall be held at the convenience of all Board members.

> Each member shall also participate in the review of research preproposals and proposals. these documents for funding preference.

Benefits:

opportunity to guide the research activities of Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute

An opportunity to communicate with fellow water resources professionals in the State, sharing ideas and expressing research needs.

Service to the State of Louisiana

Table 6. UNIVERSITY ADVISORY BOARD

Purpose:

To develop specific task-oriented Request for Proposals statements from the research needs listing identified by the State Advisory Board.

Τo assist the Director in prioritizing the identified research areas.

identify potential investigators who can participate in the priority research areas.

identify and promote areas where cooperative research programs can be developed between LWRRI and other organizations, both on and off campus.

Membership:

Board members are selected from the Louisiana State University faculty, and are selected for their knowledge of and active participation in an area of water resources research. The Board consists of eight members appointed by the Chancellor, LSU. Each member represents a distinctly different resources focus area and serves a 5 year term.

Requirements: Each member shall participate in the annual meeting of the Board convened to assess the research needs and priorities for the Institute's annual research program. This meeting shall be called by the Director, Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute, and shall be held at the convenience of all Board members.

> Members shall also participate in the review of research preproposals and proposals, and rank these documents for funding preference.

Benefits:

Service to LSU

Service to the State of Louisiana

An opportunity to guide the research activities of Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute

An opportunity to communicate with fellow water resources professionals in the university and state, sharing ideas and expressing research needs. further review. This revised protocol will yield a significant time savings to reviewers and investigators alike, and will help assure close adherence to the priority research focus.

Preproposals were solicited from the research faculty of twenty-four colleges and universities throughout Louisiana. The response to the FY 1988 solicitation was significantly increased over FY 1987. Thirty-four preproposals were received from four major universities. This differs from the nine preproposals received in FY 1987 from two universities. This increased participation in the LWRRI funding program is a direct result of the Institute's promotional efforts.

3. Research Coordination

Interaction of the Louisiana WRRI with both on-campus and off-campus offices and agencies is increasing. New programs and activities have been initiated at each level.

On-Campus

A new working relationship has been established with Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service (CES) at LSU. Louisi Louisiana's water quality has been identified as a topic of mutual interest, one around which a cooperative program can be developed between LWRRI ES. The Institute's staff and researchers are providing assistance to the CES on specific water quality engineering and the CES. problems encountered. In addition to this, a joint proposal has been developed to obtain funding for a water quality education program for Louisiana's citizens. Under the proposed education program, the CES the primary implementation network, and the LWRRI would perform administrative, planning, and program materials development The Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Public Works, is also cooperating in this program. initial program elements has begun without funding and additional funding options are currently being pursued.

LWRRI is also working with the Institute for Environmental Studies and the Center for Wetland Resources at LSU on a project dealing with wetland restoration through wastewater treatment. Currently the joint research team is negotiating with a private industry and the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency to perform a demonstration project in southern Louisiana.

Off-Campus

New activities to be jointly developed by the LWRRI and off-campus agencies have been initiated. These include working with federal research offices, private organizations, and citizens' groups.

LWRRI is assisting the Louisiana Federation of Garden Clubs in developing a workshop on water quality issues for Louisiana. This

event will be part of the Federation's annual conference to be held in April, 1988. The Institute's Director will also be keynote speaker at this annual conference.

The U.S. Public Health Service (PHS) and LWRRI are presently working together to evaluate a unique full-scale rock-reed filter wastewater treatment system. The system is located at the Gillis W. Long Hansen's Disease Center in Carville, Louisiana. After this initial evaluation, the U.S. PHS has indicated an interest in funding LWRRI to perform future research dealing with their wastewater treatment problems.

The Institute has proposed to organize and host a two-day research workshop for U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Waterways Experiment Station, Vicksburg, Mississippi. The workshop, Review of Leach Tests for Contaminated Soils, would be held in Baton Rouge in 1988. The Hazardous Waste Research Center and the Center for Wetlands Resources, both at LSU, would assist LWRRI in this activity.

4. <u>Information Transfer</u>

The information transfer activities of the Institute were expanded during the Fiscal Year 1987 to include new routine activities as well as the initiation of extensive new programs and/or activities.

Initial activities have included in-house organizational activities to collect and document all works published during the history of the Institute, and to present faculty and students with water resources news and information of particular importance to them. A listing of the publications of the Institute, previously only partially documented, has been compiled, and will be annually updated. The resulting list, now available for public distribution, provides ordering information for requesting the water resources information and materials available through the Institute. A copy of the publications list is found in Appendix C. A water resources bulletin board is now being maintained to announce upcoming meetings, job opportunities for both students and faculty, award opportunities for students, and calls for papers.

A major information transfer activity of the Institute for FY 1987 was the First Annual Research Symposium held on November 17, 1987 on the LSU campus. This event was initiated to provide a mechanism to communicate the research plans and accomplishments of the Institute. FY 1986 faculty researchers summarized the results of their recently completed research, and FY 1987 researchers (work just beginning) presented highlights of their proposed work. Attendance at the symposium was by invitation with one hundred and fifty persons from state and federal government, regional regulatory agencies, local industry, consulting firms, professional organizations, and Louisiana universities invited to attend. Approximately sixty persons representing all the invited groups attented the Symposium. This

event will be an annual activity of the Institute, and is anticipated to follow a similar format in future years. The program for the Symposium is contained in Appendix D.

The Institute's staff has, in FY 1987, placed particular emphasis on acquainting Louisiana's research community with the research funding opportunities through the U. S. Geological Survey Sections 104 and 105 research programs. Announcements for both research programs were widely distributed to Louisiana's colleges and universities, and to research organizations throughout the state. In addition, public announcements were made at professional and faculty meetings to help assure wide participation in the programs. A significant increase in participation in these programs by Louisiana researchers occurred in the FY 1988 programs. This increase appears to be evidence of the success of these efforts. Table 7 depicts these changes in participation.

Table 7. Louisiana's Participation in Section 104 and 105 Research Programs

Year	Section 104	Section 105
1987	9	10
1988	34	13

Presentations by the Director and Assistant Director have been given to civic and professional organizations to help acquaint these audiences with the activities of the Institute. These were given to the Capitol Area Groundwater Conservation Commission - Groundwater Technical Committee (July, 1987) and the Louisiana Environmental Health Association (January, 1988). A poster presentation was given at the Louisiana Water Pollution Control Federation Association conference in April 1987. The materials prepared for this poster have been redisplayed at other meetings attended by research faculty, and are currently displayed throughout the College of Engineering building on campus.

The Institute staff has dedicated a significant amount of time to writing research proposals to solicit additional funding for research and information transfer programs. Proposals submitted or currently under development include:

- o Summer Research Award Submitted to LSU; \$4,000
- o Water Quality Education Program Proposal Submitted to USGS, Section 105; Jointly developed with LSU Cooperative Extension Service and Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Public Works; \$350,455
- o Research Needs Workshop Proposal Submitted to U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Waterways Experiment Station; Jointly developed with LSU's Hazardous Waste Research Center and

Center for Wetlands Resources; \$24,435.

- o Remote Sensing Applications for Petroleum Waste Management Proposal Being developed for submission to National Aeronautical and Space Administration; Jointly developed with NASA's Earth Resources Laboratory and Louisiana Department of Natural Resources; \$590,380 (anticipated).
- O Rock-Reed Filter for Treatment of Small Domestic Wastewater Flows Proposal Submitted to USGS, Section 105; Jointly developed with the LSU Department of Civil Engineering and the Louisiana Department of Health and Human Resources; \$262,057.

Future information transfer activities planned for the Institute include the development of a brochure about the Institute, the regular circulation of the Institute's newsletter "Louisiana Water Research", and the development of short courses and training literature for the general public. An Institute information/fact sheet has been prepared for distribution at meetings and at other times when opportunities for publicizing the Institute are appropriate. A copy of this fact sheet is provided in Appendix E.

5. <u>Training</u>

The LWRRI is committed to training science and engineering students to assume leadership roles in current and future water resources and environmental problem solving. Research projects that incorporate extensive student training elements in the proposed research are given preferential consideration over proposed research involving faculty participation only. Services provided the students by the Institute include distribution and posting of employment opportunities announcements, and announcements of financial and award opportunities for water resources/environmental students.

6. Accreditation

LSU has been and continues to be accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. In addition, engineering programs at the University have been accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology.

7. Physical Resources

The physical resources of the Louisiana Institute have been expanded to include new office facilities and new equipment. These have been provided by the College of Engineering - Dean's Office, the Department of Civil Engineering, and the Division of Engineering Services.

The newly renovated offices were occupied in February 1987. The new location, 2401 A College of Engineering and Business Administration (CEBA) Building, provides significantly increased space for the Institute's offices. The newly renovated space includes the Director's office, Assistant Director's office, a conference/library room, reception area, work area, and storage room.

New furnishings to fit the expanded space have been provided by the Department of Civil Engineering. Furniture was purchased only when absolutely necessary to accommodate the Institute's new staff and new in-office operations.

Equipment acquisitions include two Zenith 100 micro-computers, two printers, and equipment to provide electronic mail connections with the Office of the Dean, College of Engineering. These items have greatly expanded the capabilities and efficiencies of the office, and are being extensively utilized. The equipment has been donated or loaded to the Institute for an indefinite time by the Department of Civil Engineering and the College of Engineering.

Library resources of the Institute are not being expanded at this time, however, efforts are currently being made to cooperate closely with other specialized library resources. Efforts are underway to become better informed and to share information with the Louisiana State Library Central Office and with the Louisiana Water Resources Information Center. It is believed that by working closely with these informational networks, a more efficient approach to information storage and retrieval can be achieved.

8. <u>Interdisciplinary</u> Relationships

The interdisciplinary relationship of the Institute with other on-campus centers has been expanded through two major efforts of the Institute staff during recent months, the reactivation of the University Advisory Board and the development of research proposals jointly with other departments and offices on campus.

As recommended by the Review Team, the University Advisory Board has been restructured and reorganized to enhance this interaction. Seven members have been selected from the university faculty, and one more appointment remains to be made. This advisory board structure is such that a broad range of disciplines and research interests are represented. The current membership and the disciplines represented are shown in Table 8. As discussed earlier in Section 1, this board has met and is continuously providing input into the Institue's research and administrative activities.

Joint research/information transfer programs are being cooperatively developed with other campus research and information transfer organizations. Three projects are currently underway:

Table 8. UNIVERSITY ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Number of Representatives	Discipline	Representative
1	Agriculture	Hussein Magdi Selim Agronomy
1	Biological Sciences	Not yet designated
1	Business	Stephen Farber Economics
1	Engineering	Marty Tittlebaum LWRRI
1	Physical Sciences	Robert Muller Dept. of Geography
3	Special Research Interests . Coastal Studies	John Day Coastal Ecology
	. Environmental Studies	Ed Overton Inst. of Env. Stud.
	. Wetland Resources	Flora Wang Cent. for Wet. Res.

⁸ Members

- 1. "Research Needs Workshop: Development of Leach Tests for Contaminated Dredge Material". Jointly hosted by the Hazardous Waste Research Center, Center for Wetland Resources, and LWRRI. To be funded by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Waterways Experiment Station.
- 2. "A Water Quality Education Program for the Citizens of Louisiana". Jointly developed by the Louisiana State University Cooperative Extension Service, the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development Office of Public Works, and LWRRI. Funds are being sought to support the program.
- 3. "Rock-Reed Filter for Treatment of Small Domestic Wastewater Flows". Jointly developed with the LSU Department of Civil Engineering and the Louisiana Department of Health and Human Resources. Submitted to the U.S. Geological Survey, Section 105 Research Program.

These activities have been previously discussed under Sections 3 and 4.

9. Administrative Relationship

LWRRI and its staff are actively working to develop and maintain good relationships with other administrative entities both on and off campus, and to promote the activities of the Institute and the faculty participating in its research. This is being accomplished through reactivation of our State and University Advisory Boards, development of cooperative research efforts, and participation in a number of external activities. The activities of LWRRI with regard to the advisory boards and cooperative research efforts have been discussed previously in this report.

Additional activities include service on the LSU Vice Chancellor for Research's committee on Environmental Programs and the 1988 Louisiana Ground Water Seminar Steering Committee, and special assistance to the Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Hazardous Waste Research Center for technology transfer activities guidance and consultation. It is felt that all these activities together with the Institute's regular operational efforts will greatly enhance LWRRI's visibility both across the University and the State.

10. <u>Institutional</u> Commitment

Commitments of funds and in-kind resources have been given to the Institute by the Chancellor, Office of the Dean - College of Engineering, Department of Civil Engineering, and the Division of Engineering Services. Funds have been provided to support additional staff for the Institute, and in-kind resources of equipment and services have been dedicated to the Institute to improve office performance and efficiency.

Financial support in the form of staff salaries and wages is provided by the Office of the Chancellor, the College of Engineering, and the Department of Civil Engineering. These funds support the majority of the administrative staff of the Institute.

The Office of the Chancellor, LSU, has provided two student workers, at no charge to the Institute, to assist in office and laboratory activities. This student assistance was made available beginning in October 1987.

The College of Engineering has provided money to hire an Assistant Director for the Institute. Duties of the Assistant Director were determined to be fifty percent (50%) administration and fifty percent (50%) research. Included in the administrative duties was the development and implementation of an information transfer program for the Institute. The creation and staffing of this position has been discussed under Section 1 of this report.

The Department of Civil Engineering provides 50% release time for the Director for the performance of his administrative duties within the Institute.

Physical resources for the Institute have been greatly expanded. Newly renovated offices were occupied in February 1987. The physical space was provided by the Department of Civil Engineering, and the costs associated with renovation were covered by the Office of Dean, College of Engineering. The new offices were previously described in Section 7 - Physical Resources.

Contributions of equipment to the Institute have made the performance of administrative duties more efficient. Equipment contributions, also previously described in Section 7, were provided by the Office of Dean - College of Engineering, the Department of Civil Engineering, and the Division of Engineering Services. The new computer capabilities provide word processing capabilities, computerized accounting and record keeping, electronic mail, graphics, and computer programming capabilities.

Training of the student and secretarial staff have been accomplished to help assure full utilization of the computer equipment. In-house instruction in the use of the WORDSTAR word processing package has been provided to all student and secretarial staff. Specialized training has been provided, at no charge, by the LSU Computing Center. Training has been received in the use of DOS, LOTUS 1-2-3, and BITNET. Connection with the LSU Computerized Record Keeping System has been achieved to maintain accounts, leave records and within-college electronic mail.

Professional training in administrative operations at LSU and in personnel supervision have also been provided for the Assistant Director. Instruction in new administrative requirements for staff tax

exempt benefits programs and records management have been provided by LSU personnel. Also instruction in personnel supervision was provided through participation in a recent one day seminar held in Baton Rouge. The new training will further add to the ability to improve the efficiency of the Institute's management.

Appendix A REVIEW TEAM EVALUATION



United States Department of the Interior

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY RESTON, VA. 22092

In Reply Refer To: WGS-Mail Stop 424

HR 27 1987

Dr. James H. Wharton Chancellor, Louisiana State University and A&M College 156 T. Boyd Hall Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70803

Dear Dr. Wharton:

We have determined that the eligibility of the Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute, Louisiana State University and A&M College, to continue to receive grants under the provisions of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 (Public Law 93-242) is limited to 1 year from the date of this letter. This determination, which differs from the recommendation of the evaluation team, is based on our analysis of the team's report. A copy of the evaluation report is enclosed. The team discussed its findings with Dr. Donald D. Adrian, Institute Director; Acting Dean Adam T. Bourgoyne, Jr., College of Engineering; and Dr. Sean P. McGlynn, Vice Chancellor for Research.

The University is to be commended for its recent decision to revitalize a once effective program by appointing a permanent Director for the Institute and for its allocation of new office space and facilities. It is also to the University's credit that the high quality of research and its relevance to water problems in Louisiana were maintained in the period when the Institute was without regular leadership. Nevertheless, several significant deficiencies identified in the evaluation team's report must be rectified before the 1-year limitation on future grants eligibility can be removed.

The actions needed are:

- 1. Reactivate the State Advisory Board, or equivalent, with a suitable mix representing Government and private-sector water interests to set goals and priorities for the Institute program and to evaluate the relevance of annual program proposals to these goals.
- 2. Reactivate the University Advisory Board, or equivalent, to provide the Director with guidance on research priorities and assistance in technical evaluations of project proposals.
- 3. Begin development of an information-transfer program that is responsive to information needs of Louisiana's water-resources policymakers and managers and the public. Utilize, wherever feasible, the communications expertise available in the University.

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Dr. James H. Wharton

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Sections 1, 3, and 4 of the evaluation team's report provide further guidance for these actions. We also endorse the team's recommendation that efforts be continued to develop a broader financial base for the program.

We will work with the Institute Director and appropriate University officials in every possible way to return the Louisiana Institute's program to the level of public recognition that it once enjoyed. Evidence of actions taken to overcome deficiencies should be addressed to Marshall E. Moss, Assistant Chief Hydrologist for Research and External Coordination, U.S. Geological Survey, 436 National Center, Reston, Virginia 22092.

The team appreciated the courtesies and assistance extended by the University during its visit.

Sincerely yours,

Doyle G. Frederick

Acting Director

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FINAL REPORT ONSITE EVALUATION OF THE LOUISIANA WATER RESOURCES RESEARCH INSTITUTE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND A&M COLLEGE BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA

January 14-16, 1987

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INTRODUCTION

The Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute (LWRRI), located at Louisiana State University (LSU) and A&M College in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, was visited by a State Water Institute Evaluation Team on January 12-14, 1987. The team was handicapped in its preparation for the visit by lack of any advance briefing materials. Through the interviews it conducted, however, and especially with the excellent cooperation of the Acting Dean and Associate Dean of the College of Engineering in providing documentation requested, the team was able to complete the evaluation to its satisfaction.

The evaluation, mandated by the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 (Public Law 98-242), calls for onsite evaluation of each Institute for the purpose of determining, in the words of the act, "... that the quality and relevance of its water-resources research and its effectiveness as an institution for planning, conducting, and arranging for research warrants its continued support in the national interest." Beyond this goal, however, the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) views the process as one that can improve the overall quality of performance and an opportunity for recognizing and improving areas of weakness at Institutes that do not fully meet the evaluation team's expectations.

Ten evaluation elements are specified in the act.

EVALUATION ELEMENTS

1. Research Relevance

Research funded through the LWRRI addresses many of the water problems documented for Louisiana, e.g., flooding, ground-water contamination, and coastal erosion.

Reactivation of and more frequent guidance from the State Advisory Board, comprised of key representatives from the Federal and State governments and private industry, would go a long way toward assuring that projects selected for funding will be more directly relevant to Louisiana water problems. This Board has not met in about 3 years. Furthermore, the membership list in the Institute files is out of date. Some of the members listed are no longer serving in the capacities that warranted their appointment initially.

Because the LWRRI has not had an official Director for over 2 years, the Institute has lacked the visibility, and perhaps the direction, necessary to rally others in the water-resources community. Now that a Director has been brought in, stronger and more focused leadership might generate more interaction with others with water-resource interests and, therefore, increase the opportunities for relevance to the problems of the State.

2. Research Quality

Institute projects are typically supervised by faculty ranking from assistant professor to full professor. In general, project results are published in quality water-related peer-reviewed journals, e.g., Water Resources Research, Water Research, Journal of Hydrology, Journal of Environmental Quality, etc. Faculty competence in water-resources fields is good.

Onsite interviews left the impression that in recent years Institute funds were primarily used to provide "seed grants" for new faculty. This practice should not become the prime motivation for project selection.

Protocols have been established for proposal review, using a University Advisory Board and State Advisory Board, and more recently, staff at the District Office of the USGS. As neither Advisory Board has functioned efficiently in recent years, each must be reconstituted and given specific responsibilities before they can carry out their review or advisory functions. The new Director appears to be committed to this proposition.

3. Research Coordination

The Institute, located within the College of Engineering, has actively solicited and funded proposals outside of the College and the University. Interaction has been pursued with such other University units as the Hazardous Waste Research Center, Environmental Studies Center, and the Laboratory for Wetland Soils. The Directors of these units have expressed a willingness to enter into collaborative efforts with the Institute. Steps also should be taken to interact with the LSU Agricultural Extension Service.

Except for activities of the USGS District Chief, there has been little interaction with the Institute from groups outside of the university community. A reactivated State Advisory Board could be used effectively for expanding communication lines.

The Institute administers only those projects funded under Public Law 98-242 grants. Efforts are underway to obtain funding from other Federal and private sources.

4. Information Transfer

In recent years, the LWRRI has had limited and sporadic activity in information transfer. Research results have been published only for the professional community. A newsletter has just been started. The LWRRI should consider developing short courses to meet the need for training in such areas as environmental law and waste management. The LWRRI also could take more initiatives in conferences and seminars of international and national character, as well as of local concern.

There is limited public awareness of the Institute's activities. The LWRRI Director needs to work with the State and University Advisory Board and the local professional community to build a public image. Professional communications staff are on loan to the Institute to help in the endeavor.

5. Training

During the years 1982-86, 19 graduate students were supported on 18 Institute research projects. Disciplines represented included civil and chemical engineering, biology, geology, chemistry and ecology.

No evidence was provided as to the employment of graduates of the program.

Accreditation

The University has been accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. In addition, engineering programs at the University have been accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology.

7. Physical Resources

When renovation is completed, office space for the LWRRI will be more than adequate. Laboratory space and equipment at the College of Engineering range from adequate in hydraulics to good in environmental engineering. Computer facilities, both micro- and mainframe, are good. Equipment purchased with research funds appears to be well utilized. While University library holdings are good, there was no evidence of a reference collection of water-related literature. Space for such a specialized library, however, is being made available in the new Institute offices.

Interdisciplinary Relationships

The Institute has interacted with a broad interdisciplinary base of faculty expertise in the Hazardous Waste Research Center, Environmental Studies Center, and the Laboratory for Wetland Soils.

The University Advisory Board needs to be restructured to enhance this interaction and to develop lines of communication within the University and the State.

9. Administrative Relationships

Because the LWRRI is located within the College of Engineering, neither it nor its Director are highly visible across the University. The Institute is, therefore, largely dependent upon the Dean of Engineering to properly influence the central administration on Institute policy and funding decisions. The current Acting Dean, however, freely allows direct access by the Institute Director to the Vice Chancellor for Research. This access is desirable and should be continued.

The Institute Director should be encouraged to establish good relationships with college, departmental, and other administrators and to actively promote his program in all facets of the University where water-resources research

potential resides. Additionally, joint project funding with existing centers or institutes that relate to water should be considered.

The Director spends approximately half-time administering the Institute.

Both his teaching and research activities relate well to Institute functions.

10. Institutional Commitment

Historically, the Institute was a much stronger and more active organization than it is now, but a lack of leadership and commitment of University resources in the last 2-3 years caused it to slip significantly from that position. Recent actions, particularly the appointment of a new and permanent Director and the allocation of new office space to the LWRRI, show promise for revitalization.

The University now pays 50 percent of the Institute Director's salary and that of his secretary, waives recovery of the indirect costs for Institute administration and projects, and commits approximately \$15,000 per year for Institute operation. The remainder of the Director's 9-month salary is paid by the Civil Engineering Department for teaching. His summer salary must be paid from extramural sources. By expending approximately \$25,000 for office renovation this year, the College of Engineering and the University have demonstrated a commitment to restore the Institute to a functional unit. Additional commitment, mainly in the form of operating funds and support staff, will be necessary, however, to restore the Institute to its former stature. It is noteworthy that the Acting Dean of Engineering and the Head of the Department of Civil Engineering consider the Institute program to be an important asset.

RECOMMENDATION

It is the concensus of the evaluation team that the program of the Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute demonstrates a minimum level of performance expected on the evaluation elements overall. We, therefore, recommend that the Institute's eligibility for future grants be continued under the provisions of the Water Resources Research Act of 1984.

Appendix B RESUMES

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Present Citizenship: U.S.A.

Married/Three Children

Educational Background

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Associate	Professo	or	Louisia	ent of Civil En na State Univer ouge, Louisiana	sity	7/84 present
Assistant	Professo	or	Louisia	ent of Civil En na State Univer ouge, Louisian	sity	6/79 - 6/84
Project Er	ngineer		tants I	Environmental C nc. lle, Kentucky	onsul-	9/74 - 6/79
Instructor	r			lle Technical I lle, Kentucky	nstitute	9/78 - 6/79
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Field of Study

Year

Research Assistant	Pollution Abstracts, Inc. LaJolla, California	1/73- 6/75
Sanitary Engineer	U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Chicago, Illinois	6/72 - 1/73
Officer Training	U.S. Army Engineer Officer Candidate School Ft. Belvoir, Virginia	3/69 - 9/69
Facilities Planner	General Electric Company Schenectady, New York	6/67 - 9/67
Assistant Designer	General Electric Company Schenectady, New York	6/66 - 9/66

Thesis and Dissertation Topics

Ozone Disinfection of Viruses in Secondary Effluent, M. Eng. Thesis, University of Louisville, May, 1972 (J. Pavoni, Major Professor).

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<u>Professional</u> <u>Societies</u>

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CBS Educational and Professional Publishing; Holt, Rinehart and Winston; Textbook Review.

Brooks/Cole Engineering Division; Textbook Review.

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American Academy of Environmental Engineers; Technical Paper Reviews, 1986.

National Science Foundation; Hazardous Wastes Treatment and Disposal Seminar, 1986.

Consulting

Enviresponse, Inc.; Edison, NJ
Delta Process Equipment; Denham Springs, LA
Mo-Dad-1, Inc; Denham Springs, LA
James M. Montgomery, Consulting Engineers; New Orleans, LA
J. J. Krebs and Sons, Consulting Engineers; New Orleans, LA
Dawson Engineers; Baton Rouge, LA
McDermott, Inc; Morgan City, LA
Ch 2M-Hill, Washington, DC
Environmental Science and Engineering; Baton Rouge; LA
Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality; Baton Rouge, LA
Shell Chemical Co., Norco, LA

Patents

Two-Stage Wastewater Treatment System for Single Family Residence, U. S. Patent 4,664,795, May, 1987.

<u>Professional</u> <u>Experience</u>

Tittlebaum, Associate Professor of Civil Engineering expertise in the areas of water and wastewater possesses treatment and reuse, water quality management planning, disposal, resource recovery, and hazardous waste He holds Bachelor of Civil Engineering, of Environmental Engineering and Doctor of Philosophy degrees University of Louisville. Previous association with Louisiana State University, Dr. Tittlebaum was affiliated with TenEch Environmental Consultants, Inc. project engineer. His primary duties were direct supervision engineers several engineering and technicians variety of planning and design projects. Dr. Tittlebaum was also previously employed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency as an administrative specialist and engineer in the Construction Grants Branch. Region ٧. primary duties were review of a 1 1 wastewater treatment construction plant sites. Dr. Tittlebaum also attended Leadership Preparation School and Engineer Officer Candidate School while serving in the U. S. Army.

Ιn area of water and wastewater treatment Tittlebaum has been involved in studies in areas as virus removal from wastewater and drinking water ozonation as a water and wastewater treatment method. He has investigation of innovative solid waste techniques and landfill leachate treatment. He has co-authored technical papers describing the results of various studies in which he has participated.

Dr. Tittlebaum has also been involved in water quality management planning in conjunction with the Louisville Water Quality Planning Management Study, Mississippi Tennessee and River Basin Studies in the and 201 Facilities Planning Studies Campbellsville, Danville, and Bowling Kenutucky. His experience with the Environmental Protection Agency has enabled him to become with water quality standards, planning management techniques. He has been personnally involved in review and revisions to water quality standards for the states of Iowa and Tennessee.

regard solid waste to management, Dr. Tittlebaum has served as project engineer for several associated studies for the city of Louisville Sanitation Department. These studies involved evaluation of the city's incineration facility and development of an incinerator operations accounting system, evaluation of the existing collection routing system, and establishment of a computer system to be utilized by the city for waste collection management.

Tittlebaum involved in was point and nonpoint source analysis portions of the Des Moines, Iowa and Grand Rapids, Michigan 208 Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plant. also served as project engineer for the Des Moines, and Chatanooga, Tenneesse 208 Studies, as well as the Iowa Statewide 208 Study. He has also completed a hazardous treatment plant final design and specifications, together industrial with several and municipal water quality sampling programs, and industrial wastewater pretreatment design and promotional activities.

Dr. Tittlebaum is currently a full member or the graduate faculty at Louisiana State University. Нe has several senior and graduate level courses in the sanitary/ environmental engineering of the Civil Engineering program Department. He is also involved in cirriculum development, supervision of several graduate students in curriculum development, supervision of several graduate students curriculum development, supervision of several graduate

students and research proposal preparaton. His primary areas of emphasis are hazardous waste management and unit operations for wastewater treatment. Presently he serves Director of the Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute and is responsible for administering overseeing the work of the Institute. This work includes promotion of water resources research including obtaining and administering research funds and technology It also involves promotion of graduate work and advanced training in the broad area of water resources.

Dr. Tittlebaum's recent research efforts include evaluation of an innovative aerobic treatment process, biological treatment of wood preservative wastes, an investigation of algae removal for ponds and wastewater lagoons, and stabilization/solidification of hazardous organics. He is also involved in a number of lignite coal fly ash utilization studies.

Dr. Tittlebaum has also served consultant, as a expert witness and technical advisor to several Louisiana Police Juries and citizen groups with regard to hazardous waste treatment and disposal facilities permit applications. has reviewed technical data and applications both surface and sub-surface facilities to bе located Ascension, Point Coupee, Livingston and Evangeline Parishes. In this capacity, he has had the opportunity to work closely with government agencies and concerned citizen

Dr. Tittlebaum has served on an Ad Hoc Committee reviewing and evaluating new solid waste rules and regulations for the State of Louisiana, Department of Natural Resources. also serving on the hazardous waste research program review committee for the U. S. Army Waterways Experiment Station. He is invited an participant in a National Science Foundation sponsored workshop on hazardous treatment and disposal.

Dr.Tittlebaum, along with investigators from the Departments of Mechanical Engineering and Chemistry at LSU are currently involved in several hazardous waste research projects. These projects deal with stabilization/solidification of hazardous organics and decontamination of soils and are being funded by the USEPA, Environment Canada U. S. Corps of Engineers and the USEP Hazardous Waste Research Laboratory.

RESUME OF

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Degree	<u>Institution</u>	Field of Study	Year
B.S.	University of Tennessee Georgia State University	Geography/ Economics	1971
M.S.	C 1 am a a 11	Geography Water Resources Engineering	1979
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Date	Position	Responsibilities	
July, 1987 Present		Administers USGS contract; vises office staff; develo implements information tr program; and conducts research.	ps and ansfer
Ap., 1982- Present	Technology Transfer Coord. La. Water Resources Res. I. Hazardous Waste Res. Ctr.	Develop and coordinate tra of technical information t publications, conferences,	hrough

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Degree

July -Special Assignment Sept., 1986 from Present Job Office of Dean College of Engineering Louisiana State University

Nov., 1985- Special Assignment from Feb., 1986 from Present Job Office of Secretary La. Dept. of Env. Quality P.O. Box 44066 Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Jan., 1981-Agri. Science Assoc. II Oct., 1981 Agri. Engineering Dept. Clemson University

courses, training programs, and technical assistance.

Assisted in development of \$21.5 million research proposal, coordinating faculty input, writing, editing, and publishing final document. Also coordinated development of 20-minute promotional video tape for soliciting industrial support for project.

Staff Assistant to the Louisiana Hazardous Waste Advisory Board. Drafted Board's report on recommendations for the alternatives to land disposal of hazardous waste for Louisiana.

Conducted research on the efficiencies and cost effectiveness of irrigation systems.

Clemson University Clemson, SC 29631 of irrigation systems.

Nov., 1980- Program Development Asst.
Aug., 1981 South Carolina Appalachian
Council of Governments
Greenville, SC

Designed and implemented a small lakes water quality study; developed environmental impact statements and other environmental information publications.

June-Aug., Staff (Summer Employment) 1980 Systems Technol., Inc. Xenia, OH Performed preliminary evaluation of potential sanitary landfill sites.

Aug., 1977- Graduate Assistant
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Maintained climatological and hydrological data for Clemson Research Watershed; conducted study on evaporation.

Mar., 1973- Graduate Assistant Geography Department Georgia State Univ. Atlanta, GA 30303

Taught undergraduate Physical Geography laboratory classes covering weather and climate, map reading, and physical land features.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SOCIETIES

American Water Resources Association - Member, National and State Level President, Louisiana Section, 1985
Membership Chairman, Louisiana Section, 1984
Program Chairman, Louisiana Section, 1984
Ground Water Technical Committee Chairman, 1986-87
Session Co-Chairman, 1986 Annual Conference

Universities Council on Water Resources - Delegate Chairman, Public Service Committee, 1984-1985 Conference Coordinator, 1984 National Conference

Member, Ground Water Contamination Seminar Series - Planning Committee, 1985.

Member, Ground Water Symposium Planning Committee, Sponsored by the La. Attorney General's Office, 1984.

Member, Louisiana Geological Survey's Capital Area Recharge Region Study Advisory Committee, 1983.

Expert Witness, Louisiana Senate Committee on Natural Resources hearing on H.B. 177 - Disposal of Hazardous Waste in Salt Domes, 1983.

Funded Research:

"Information Dissemination for Better Understanding of Louisiana's

Water Resources". U.S. Department of Interior, Office of Water Policy, \$12,000, 1984.

2. "Technology Transfer Program for Treatment Alternatives for Hazardous Wastes". U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Office of Solid Waste/Treatment, Reduction and Recycling Program, \$90,000, 1984-1985.

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PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

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Publications

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 Protection of Water Resources, Co-edited with Elvin J. Dantin and
 Roger K. Seals, L.S.U. Printing, November 1982.
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- "Information Dissemination for Better Understanding of Louisiana's Water Resources". Project Completion Report, Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute, September 1984.
- Reference Directory on the Treatment Alternatives for Hazardous Waste, with Elaine Eby and Stan Groves, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, December 1984.
- 1984 Annual Report. Hazardous Waste Research Center, L.S.U. Printing, July 1985.
- Recommendations on The Alternatives to Land Disposal of Hazardous Waste for Louisiana. A report of the Louisiana Hazardous Waste Advisory Board submitted to the Secretary, Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, January 1986.
- Five Years at the Hazardous Waste Research Center: Past Performance Summary, May 1986.
- <u>Proposal: Center for the Development of Petroleum Waste Management</u>

Technologies, Co-editor with Harvill C. Eaton, College of Engineering, Louisiana State University, submitted to the National Science Foundation, pp. 131, September 1986.

Brochures

- Pollution Solution: A Citizen's Guide to the Detecting and Reporting of Water Problems. S.C. Appalachian Council of Governments, March 1981.
- Hazardous Waste Research Center. Louisiana State University Printing, April 1983, revised and reprinted 1987.

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"Hazardous Waste Research Center Established at LSU". LSU Engineering News, College of Engineering, Vol. 14, No. 1, 1983.

Newsletter

- Directions in Hazardous Waste Research, Quarterly publication of the Hazardous Waste Research Center, LSU Printing, 1982-1987.
- Louisiana Water Research, publication of the Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute, LSU Printing, 1987.

Presentations

- "Comparison of Methods of Predicting Evapotranspiration". Seminar, Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina, April 1979.
- "Economic Evaluation of Subsurface and Center Pivot Irrigation Systems in the Southeast Coastal Plain". American Society of Civil Engineers: Irrigation and Drainage Division Conference, July 1982.
- "Technology Transfer Program of the Hazardous Waste Research Center". Presented to the HWRC Policy Board and Scientific Advisory Committee, December, 1982 and 1983.
- "Research Activities at EPA's Louisiana State University Hazardous Waste Research Center A Center of Excellence". Poster presentation at the U.S. EPA Symposium on Incineration and Land Disposal of Hazardous Waste, Cincinnati, OH, April 1985.
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Presentations(cont.)

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- "Activities of the LSU Hazardous Waste Research Center", Capitol Area Groundwater Conservation Commission: Technical Committee, October 13, 1986.
- "The Louisiana Water Resources Research Institute", Louisiana Environmental Health Association, January 20, 1988.

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Measurement of & Calibration for Gamma Spectroscopy of Mississippi River Water (August 1976)	Orren W. Williams	1
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A Study of the Technical and Economic Feasibility of Using Sewage Effluent for Irrigation in Lincoln Parish (August 1967)	Robert P. Cantrell	5
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A Technique for Irrigating Bottomland Hardwood Trees with Papermill Effluent in North Louisiana (May 1970)	Ishtiaq Ahmed	6
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The Use of Bounding Wells to Control Flux in Underground Water Storage Projects (August 1974)	Edmond J. Langhetee	1
The Use of Bounding Wells to Counteract the Effects of Gravity in Dipping Aquifers (May 1978)	Thomas E. Williams	1
Use of Bounding Wells to Negate the Effects of Gravity and Pre-Existing Groundwater Movement in Dipping Aquifers Used for Storage (August 1979)	Paul J. Abadie	1

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LWRRI DISSERTATIONS

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Discharge Model of the Miss- issippi River Evaluation of the Impact of Diversion of Water to Texas (May 1972)	O. Arguello	1
Economic Aspect of Ground- Water Basin Control (May 1979)	Larry Falk	1
Storage of Fresh Water in Saline Aquifers Using a Well Field (August 1974)	W. Whitehead	1
Geochemical Hydrology of Ground Water in Baton Rouge, Louisiana (Jan 1971)	Rashid A. Khan	3
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Appendix D

PROGRAM FIRST ANNUAL RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Appendix E LWRRI INFORMATION/FACT SHEET

ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

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Established: 1964 by the Federal Water Resources Research Act

Purpose: To encourage original, purposeful water research and simultaneously to promote graduate work and advanced training in the broad area of water resources.

To obtain and administer additional research funds to further promote protection and enhancement of Louisiana's water resources.

To make the results of research available to the public through publications and special activities as conferences, workshops and training programs.

Organization: The Institute has a permanent staff of three: the Director, Assistant Director, and Staff Assistant. These staff members are assisted in the administration of the federal grant program by two advisory boards: University Advisory Board and State Advisory Board.

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Research History: Research supported by the Institute is conducted by faculty of the universities and colleges of Louisiana. Historically work has been funded in the areas of surface and ground water hydrology, flooding, ground water protection, water quality management, resource planning and management, innovative technologies, and coastal and wetlands protection.

Publications: Results of research are made available to the public via a quarterly newsletter, and project technical and completion reports. Special reports and bulletins are prepared as needed to make available crucial research findings and information.