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From: Commanding General
To: District Engineer, Wilmington District, Corps of Engineers,
U. S. Army, 308 Customhouse, Wilmington, North Carolina

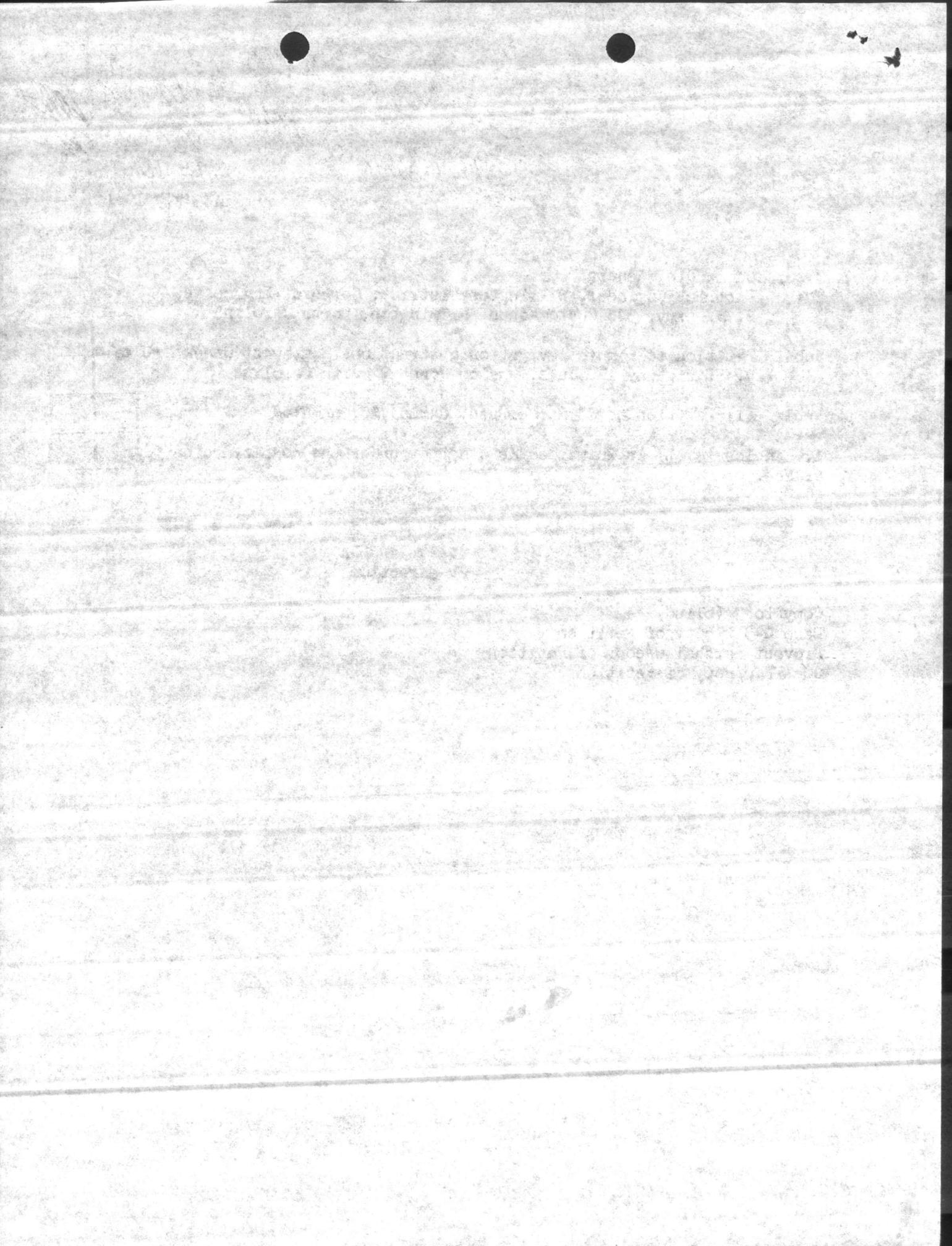
Subj: Petition to remove navigation obstructions Southwest Creek Bridge on
U. S. Highway 17 South, Onslow County, North Carolina

Encl: (1) Petition to CG MarCorBase, CamLej NC, undated

1. Enclosure (1) is forwarded as a matter under the cognizance of your office.

J. P. SABELLA
By direction

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A PETITION

To: THE COMMANDING GENERAL
MARINE CORPS BASE
CAMP LEJEUNE, NORTH CAROLINA

WHEREAS, Southwest Creek flows in a general East-West direction at a point near Verona, North Carolina, specifically at a place known as Southwest Creek Bridge on Highway U.S.#17-South; and

WHEREAS, The waters of said creek West of Highway-17 flow through private property; and

WHEREAS, The waters of said creek East of Highway-17 flow through Government Property specifically under control of the Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, The free flow of water in that portion of Southwest Creek East of Highway U.S.#17 flowing through Government Property has become obstructed due to damages suffered in recent years from hurricanes; and

WHEREAS, The aforesaid obstructions are causing the waters of Southwest Creek to back up on that portion of the Creek West of Highway U.S.#17; and

WHEREAS, The aforesaid backing up of water has caused flooding on the lands west of Southwest Creek; and

WHEREAS, The aforesaid flooding has caused damages to land, soil, crops and private property of the land owners west of the Southwest Creek Bridge at Highway U.S.#17-South;

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED, that we the undersigned, do hereby formally petition the Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, to have that portion of Southwest Creek flowing between Southwest Creek Bridge on Highway U.S.#17-South and East to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Bridge, completely cleaned out, in order that the free flow of water may again be resumed and thereby preventing any further damage to the private property of land owners West of Southwest Creek on U.S. Highway #17-South.

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