**Location:** The flood control project is located in St. Louis, Missouri, on the right bank of the Mississippi River between Miles 176.3 and 187.2, above the mouth of the Ohio River.

**Description:** The project is an 11-mile combination of 35,614 feet of flood walls, 20,700 feet of levees, 28 pump stations, underseepage control measures, street and railroad closure structures, and other attendant features. It protects approximately 3,160 acres of industrial and commercial development from Mississippi River flooding. Deficiency corrections included replacing swing gates, permanently closing openings, installing 108 new relief wells, and planting bottomland hardwoods for mitigation.

**Issues:** None.

**Importance:** The system protects approximately 3,160 acres of two intensively commercial and industrial reaches just north and south of downtown St. Louis. Estimates for inundation damages prevented from the Great Flood of 1993 and the 1973 Flood are $900 million and $160 million, respectively.

**Risk:** The system has been restored to the originally designed level of protection against a Mississippi River stage of 52-foot on the St. Louis Gage.

**Consequence:** In the event the St. Louis Flood Protection System (SLFPS) would be compromised by a high-level flood frequency event, resulting in catastrophic failure, inundation damages have been estimated at upward of $1.2 billion in the City of St. Louis.

**Activities for FY 15:** Continue project close-out activities

**Acquisition Strategy:** N/A

**Amount That Could Be Used in FY 16:** N/A

**Project Sponsor/Customer:** City of Saint Louis, Missouri

**Congressional Interest:** Senator Blunt (MO) and Representative Clay (MO-1)

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