February 2017

FACT SHEET **Rio Grande de Loiza at San Isidro (205)** Construction (C) Congressional District: Puerto Rico

1. DESCRIPTION

This study was authorized under Section 205 of the Flood Control Act of 1948 as amended. San Isidro ward is located adjacent, and northeast, to the confluence of the Rio Grande de Loiza with the Rio Canovanas, in a flat plain which is part of the floodprone alluvial valley of the Rio Grande de Loiza and its main tributaries. This community composed of Valle Hills,Villa Hugo I, Villa Hugo II, Las Delicias, Monte Verde, and San Isidro has a population of 22,420. Every year these communities are threatened with severe flooding during periods of heavy rain, especially during hurricane season. The affected area includes, in addition to its residents and their properties, schools, daycare centers, churches, an industrial park (over 70,000 square meters of building space available) and all related water and energy infrastructure.

2. FUNDING

Estimated Total Cost	\$1,000,000
Estimated Federal Cost	1,000,000
Allocation thru FY16	115,000
Allocation for FY17	300,000
President's Budget FY18	TBD

Project is a Section 205 Continuing Authorities Program (CAP) project.

3. SPONSOR

Puerto Rico Department of Natural and Environmental Resources (DNER) P.O. Box 5887 Puerta de Tierra San Juan, Puerto Rico 00906-5887

4. <u>STATUS</u>

A Feasibility Cost Share Agreement was executed May 2016 with DNER. The feasibility report was initiated on August 2016. Scheduled completion of the report is December 2017.