

Chapter 6.0 – Preparers

Marc C. Champigny

Mr. Champigny is an Assistant Director of Aviation Services with The Louis Berger Group, with over 13 years of aviation experience including environmental projects at airports of varying size and function. Mr. Champigny has been project and task manager for assignments for On-Call Planning and On-Call Environmental services for RIAC; as well as at projects for JFK International Airport, Newark International Airport, Teterboro Airport, Bradley International Airport, Albany International Airport, and the Florida Department of Transportation, District Six.

Recent environmental project experience includes completion of the Block Island Environmental Assessment and associated Phase I Archaeological Survey; Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan updates for all six RIAC airports and Orange County Airport; Part 150 Noise and Land Use Study; Phase IA Environmental Review for Danbury Municipal Airport, State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) Ground Disturbance Documentation for the Albany International Airport, and an Aircraft Ground Noise Analysis for Teterboro Airport.

Dr. Hope E. Luhman

Dr. Luhman is an Assistant Director of Cultural Resources with The Louis Berger Group, who was responsible for the Cultural Resources and Historical Context portions of this study. Dr. Luhman has over 18 years of direct field and project management experience with projects of similar size and scope. Dr. Luhman's responsibilities include the overall management of cultural resource investigations and general business development in the Northeast. This includes coordinating interdisciplinary and multitask studies; interfacing with clients and sub consultants; maintaining project schedules; evaluating budget summaries; and preparing research proposals, technical reports, agreement documents, and special exhibits.

Since joining Berger in 1994, Dr. Luhman's responsibilities have also included active participation in public outreach and education programs, the preparation of marketing materials, and direct involvement in the preparation of popular reports, presentation boards/materials, brochures, and exhibits on a project-specific, client-driven or conference-related basis.

Mr. Douglas Ganey

Mr. Ganey is a Certified Professional Geologist and Principal Environmental Scientist with the Louis Berger Group with over 12 years of experience providing consulting support to environmental engineers, scientists, and planners. Mr. Ganey's background is primarily in the fields of hydrogeology, geochemistry, and coastal and marine geology. His projects mainly involve examining of the distribution and cycling of chemicals and microorganisms from natural sources and human activity through environmental media including soil, rock, sediment, groundwater, surface water (fresh and saline), and air. He has participated in numerous NEPA documents and environmental site assessment and remediation projects in 21 states. Mr. Ganey has served as an adjunct faculty member at Roger Williams University in Bristol, Rhode Island and Bristol Community College in Fall River, Massachusetts.

Ms. Danielle L. DelBalso

Ms. DelBalso is an Aviation Planner with The Louis Berger Group, and was responsible for the preparation of this Environmental Assessment document, public coordination, and coordination of the Drainage Evaluation Study, Phase I Archaeological Study, and Noise Evaluation efforts. Ms. DelBalso' has over 10 years of experience in the aviation field. Her environmental experience includes Environmental Assessments, noise analysis, Phase I Environmental Site Assessments, Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans, and preparation of environmental documents including stormwater permits, FAA Form C environmental forms, and FAA 7460 forms for permanent and temporary Part 77 obstructions. Additionally, Ms. DelBalso is a Certified National Weather Service Weather Observer, and has performed numerous weather analyses.