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Dear Dr. Feagin and relevant Graduate Program Committee members,

The Department of Wildlife and Fisheries supports the proposed class, "ESSM 633: Coastal Processes and Management". As evidenced by the last year when it was taught as a 689 Special Topics course, the material is useful for WFSC graduate students in our department. It provides material that is not covered by other course offerings within WFSC. We look forward to working with you further as the course becomes permanent.

Sincerely,

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Dear Dr. Feagin and relevant Graduate Program Committee members,

We strongly support the proposed class, "ESSM 633: Coastal Processes and Management". As evidenced by the last year when it was taught as a 689 Special Topics course, the material is useful for graduate students from the Galveston Campus. It provides material that is not directly covered by other course offerings within the Marine Sciences department, and it aids our graduate students in their pursuit of the Master's of Marine Resources Management (MARM) degree. We look forward to working with you further as the course becomes permanent.

Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Dear Dr. Feagin and relevant Graduate Program Committee members,

The Department of Ocean Engineering supports the proposed class, "ESSM 633: Coastal Processes and Management". As evidenced by the last year when it was taught as a 689 Special Topics course, the material is useful for OCEN and CVEN graduate students in our department. It provides material that is not directly covered by other course offerings within our course offerings, but is of interest to some students in our coastal program.

We look forward to working with you further as the course becomes permanent.

Sincerely,

Sharath Girimaji, Ph.D.

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Dear Dr. Feagin and relevant Graduate Program Committee members,

The Department of Geography in the College of Geosciences supports the proposed class, "ESSM 633: Coastal Processes and Management". As evidenced by the last year when it was taught as a 689 Special Topics course, the material is useful for GEOG graduate students in our department. It provides material that is not covered by other course offerings within the GEOG department. We look forward to working with you further as the course becomes permanent.

Sincerely,

David M. Cairns Professor & Head

Department of Geography