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Lipan Telephone Company, Inc.

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Ms. Cathy Hightower
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Public Utility Commission
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RE: Project 32182

Dear Ms. Hightower:

Following is Lipan Telephone Co., Inc (Lipan) response to information requested per Project 32182 regarding our overhead line maintenance.

1. Lipan is not located within the designated hurricane zone.
2. Lipan's plant is 99% buried plant.
3. Lipan's plant that is overhead is attached to electric utility poles and most of the line is temporary in nature, and waiting for construction crew to bury.
4. We have no vegetation monitoring or maintenance plan, as the electric utility does all the maintenance of this nature.

Sincerely:

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