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REQUEST TO INTERVENE IN PUC DOCKET NO. 41606

RE: PUC Docket No. 41606; Joint Application of Electric Transmission Texas, LLC and Sharyland Utilities, L.P. to Amend Their Certificates of Convenience and Necessity for the Proposed North Edinburg to Loma Alta Double-Circuit 345 kV Transmission Line in Hidalgo and Cameron Counties, Texas


To Whom it May Concern:

This letter constitutes our request to intervene in the above captioned proceeding for the Electric Transmission Texas, LLC and Sharyland Utilities L.P.'s request for amendment to their Certificates of Convenience and Necessity and the construction of the North Edinburg to Loma Alta double circuit transmission line, as one or more of the proposed routes would cross or lie adjacent to Hidalgo County Irrigation District No. 1's easements and/or properties, and may interfere with the District's ability to perform its duties and possibly interfere in future expansion of the District's lines, canals or other infrastructure required for the supply of water to cities and farmers.

As an intervener, we understand the following:

- We are a party to the case;
- We are required to respond to all discovery request from other parties in the case;
- If we file testimony, we may be cross-examined in the hearing;
- If we file any documents in the case, we will have to provide a copy of that document to every other party in the case; and
- We acknowledge that we are bound by the Procedural Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) and the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH).

We ask that you keep us abreast of any meetings and deadline dates that may be pertinent to our request. If you have any questions, or if you need any further information or documentation, please do not hesitate to contact me at (956) 388-3886 or via e-mail at rusty@hidalgocountyirrigation.com.


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