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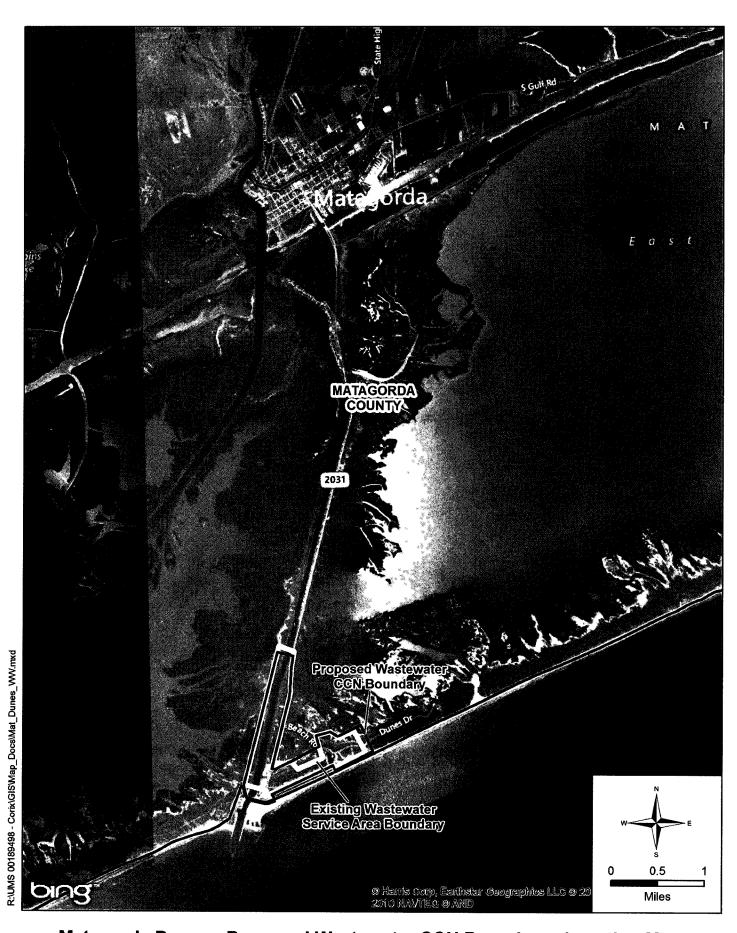
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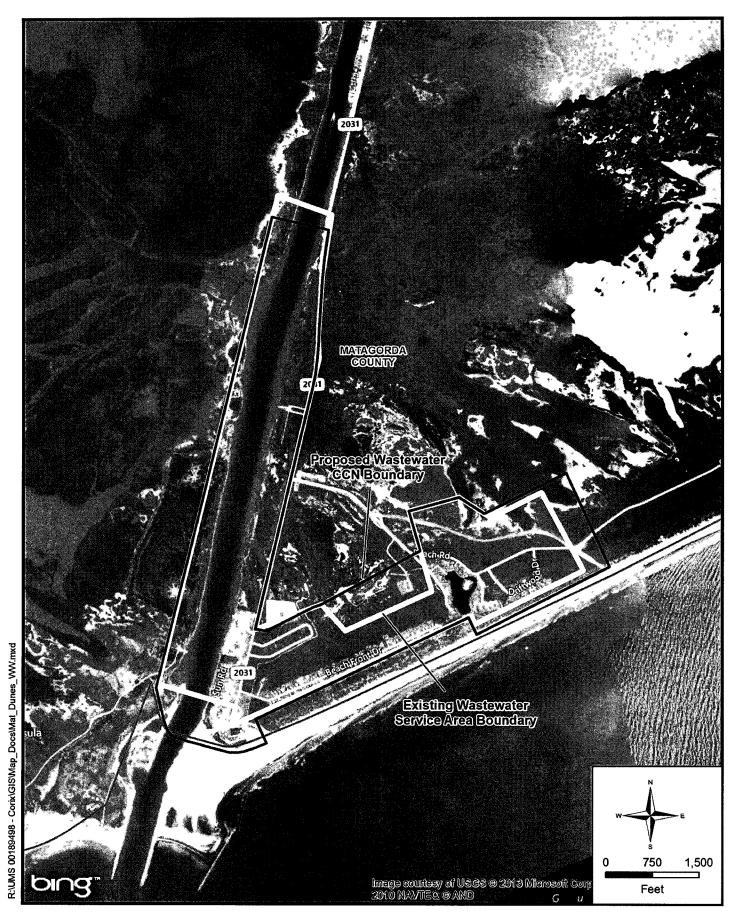
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Matagorda Dunes - Proposed Wastewater CCN Boundary - Location Map



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Matagorda Dunes - Existing Wastewater Facilities

Notice to Current Customers, Neighboring Systems, and Cities

LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO SELL WASTEWATER FACILITIES TO CORIX UTILITIES, TEXAS AND FOR CORIX TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (CCN) IN MATAGORDA COUNTY, TEXAS.

To: (Neighboring System) (System Address) (City), Texas (Zip) Date Notice Mailed: June ___, 2013

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The sale is scheduled to take place as approved by the Executive Director (V.T.C.A, Water Code §13.301).

The area subject to this transaction is located approximately 6.5 miles south of downtown Matagorda, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by a distance of 1.5 miles off the edge of Matagorda Bay; on the east by Driftwood Drive; on the south by edge of Matagorda Bay; and on the west by the edge of the Colorado River. The area includes the Matagorda Dunes Condos and areas within zip code 77457. The total wastewater service area being requested includes approximately 459 acres and currently serves 40 wastewater customers.

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This transaction will have the following effect on the current customer's rates and services: Corix proposes to adopt the existing rates currently charged by LCRA and maintain those rates for a 12-month period following our acquisition of the utilities. During this 12 month period, Corix will undertake detailed cost of service studies. After the 12 month period and based on the results of the cost of service studies, Corix will be better able to determine any required rate adjustments.

Affected persons may file written protests and/or request a public hearing within 30 days of this notice.

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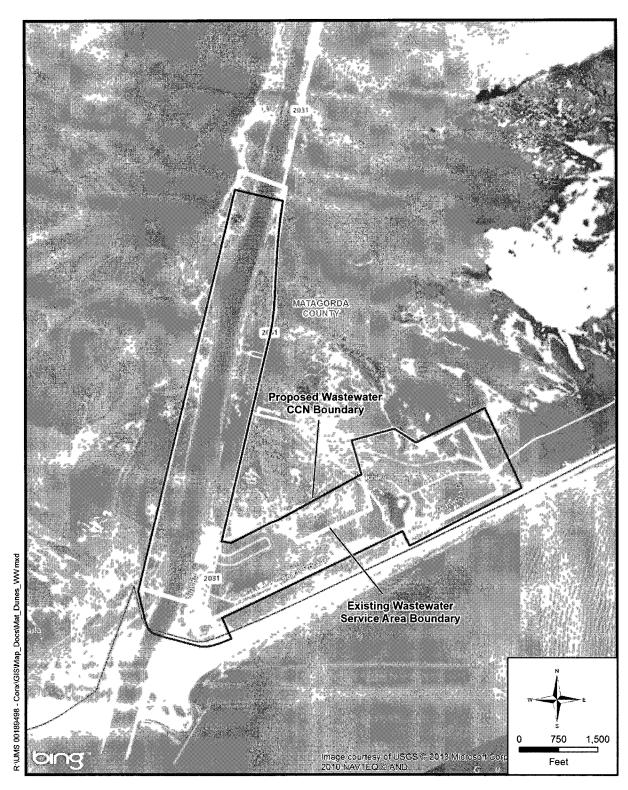
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<u>Darrin Barker, Operations Manager</u> Utility Representative

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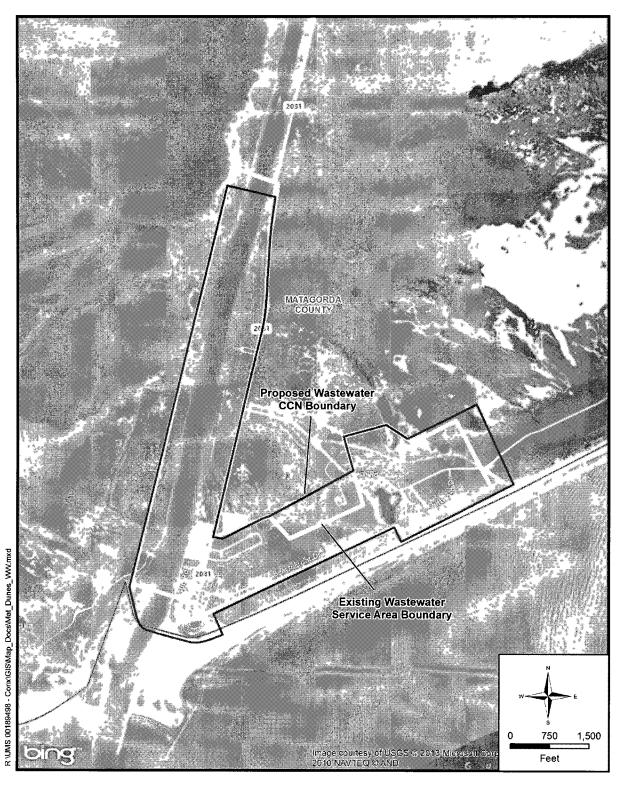
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Notice for Publication

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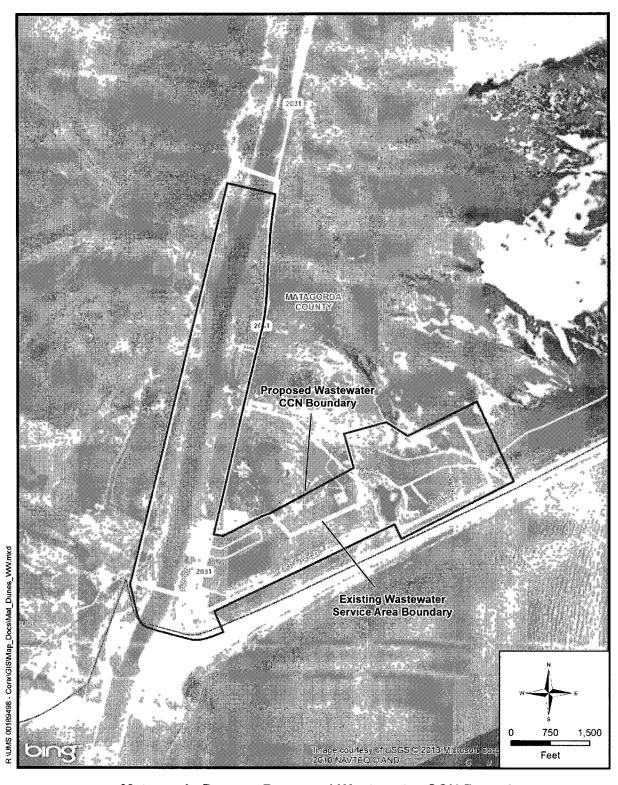
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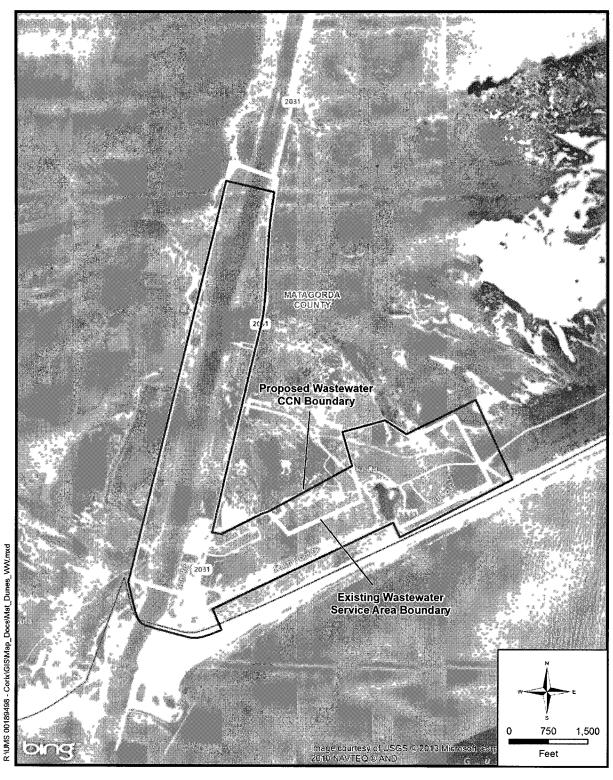
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Notice to Customers of IOUs in Proposed Area

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The current utility rates and fees were effective on July 1, 2012 and are:

Residential

Wastewater Monthly Minimum Charge (for 5/8" or 3/4" Water Meter Size)

\$60.43 per month

Wastewater Monthly Volume Charge (all meter sizes)*

\$3.15 per 1,000 gallons

* The billable retail wastewater flow for each Residential customer shall be based on the calculated average of monthly potable water use metered and billed to the customer during the previous December, January, and February. If the Residential Customer does not have a complete history of water use during these months, then the customers monthly sewer bill shall be calculated based on either: (1) the customer's current monthly water usage; or (2) on the basis of 10,000 gallons water usage per month, whichever is less. In the event that a customer receives wastewater service only, the customer shall be billed the base rate charge without any additional charge for volume use.

For Non-Residential customers, the wastewater volume unit charge is based on 100 percent of the amount of water consumed by the Non-Residential customer as measured by the potable water meter.

Customers with grinder pumps are subject to additional terms and conditions.

Miscellaneous Service Fees

Regulatory Assessment	1.0%
Tap Fee	\$800.00
Tap Fee (Large Connection)	Actual Cost
Meter Relocation Fee	Actual Cost
Meter Test Fee	\$25.00
Reconnect Fee	
Non-payment	\$25.00
Customer request	\$50.00
Transfer Fee	\$30.00
Late Charges	\$5.00
Returned Check Charge	\$25.00
Customer Deposit (Residential)	\$50.00
Customer Deposit (Non-residential)	1/6 of estimated annual bill
Governmental Testing, Inspection and	
Costs Surcharge	Actual Cost
Application Fee	\$40.00
Meter Installation	\$100 or Cost of Meter
Meter Re-read Fee	\$10.00
Subtractive Meter Fee	\$25.00
Equipment Damage Fee	Minimum of \$50
Disconnection Fee	\$100.00
	\$50.00 or \$150.00
After Hours Charges	depending on time of day
Clearing Fee	\$25.00

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Your utility service rates and fees cannot be changed by this application. If you are currently paying rates, those rates must remain in effect unchanged. Rates may only be increased if the utility files and gives notice of a separate rate change application.

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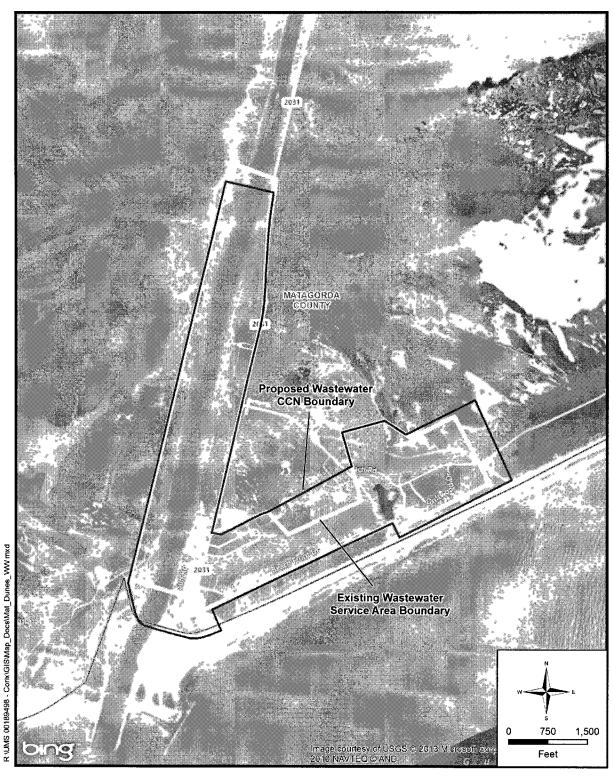
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