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House Bill (HB) 1600 and Senate Bill (SB) 567 83rd
Legislature, Regular Session, transferred the functions
relating to the economic regulation of water and sewer
utilities from the TCEQ to the PUC effective
September 1, 2014.

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January 29, 2004

Mr. Ignacio Madera, Jr.
Deputy Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
P. O. Box 13231
Austin, Texas 78711-3231

Re: Capacity Assessment Report for MacBee Special Utility District
Public Water System Nos. 2340012 and 2340045
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 10845
District No. 5554995; RN No. 101204410; CN No. 600648711
Drinking Water State Revolving Fund; FY 2003 Intended Use Plan; Van Zandt County

Dear Mr. Madera:

Enclosed is the Capacity Assessment Report for MacBee Special Utility District (MacBee). We find that MacBee has the financial, managerial and technical capacity for their proposed project. These findings indicate that MacBee may proceed with the application for assistance from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund.

This proposed project will assist MacBee to be compliant with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality rules, regulations and drinking water standards.

Please call me or Ms. Dorothy Young at (512) 239-6064 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael D. Cowan".

Michael D. Cowan, Director
Water Supply Division

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Enclosure

cc: Mr. William Summitt, President
Mr. R.H. Valentine, Jr., General Manager
Mr. Wayne Weeks, P.E.
Mr. Noel Luper, Water Program Manager, TCEQ Tyler Regional Office
Mr. Mike Lynn, P.E. Texas Water Development Board
Mr. Warren Rose, Texas Water Development Board

**Drinking Water State Revolving Fund
Capacity Assessment Report
MacBee Special Utility District
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I. Background

MacBee Special Utility District (MacBee) serves approximately 1,996 connections and a population of about 5,562. MacBee is listed on the FY 2003 Intended Use Plan of the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) with a factor of 0.125 based on production deficiencies.

MacBee proposes to use DWSRF funds to increase treatment plant capacity with a total proposed project cost of approximately \$5,625,000.00.

II. Summary of Findings

MacBee demonstrated that it has the financial¹, managerial and technical capability to proceed with their DWSRF proposed project.

This report is based on the field assessment conducted by Mr. Mike Williams with the Texas Rural Water Association on October 9, 2003, and a supplemental assessment conducted by Ms. Dorothy Young of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

¹The assessment of financial capability is conducted for the purpose of determining the general financial health of the water service provider and its access to funding sources. This general financial review does not constitute a determination of whether a water service provider meets the financial assistance requirements of the Texas Water Development Board.