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| CITY OF COLLEGE STATION'S                  | <b>§</b> | BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE |
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| APPLICATION TO AMEND SEWER CERTIFICATE OF  | §<br>§   | OF                      |
| CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IN BRAZOS COUNTY | §<br>§   | ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS |

# STATUS REPORT AND UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXTEND ABATEMENT PERIOD

TO THE HONORABLE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:

The City of College Station ("College Station" or "City") files this Status Report and Unopposed Motion to Extend Abatement Period.

### **INTRODUCTION**

In Order No. 21, the last Order issued in this docket, the ALJ requested that College Station submit a status report. Settlement efforts are ongoing and the parties request further abatement of the schedule in an attempt to settle the matter.

### **BACKGROUND**

This docket has been abated with a 30-day status report due as the parties attempt to settle the case. The last report was filed on April 9, 2009 and the ALJ continued the abatement period 30 days with a status report due on May 15, 2009.

### **STATUS REPORT**

On April 15, 2009, undersigned counsel for College Station met with counsel for Main Street Homes ("MSH") to review MSH's proposed revisions to the draft settlement agreement. On May 6, 2009, College Station sent MSH and Wellborn Special Utility District ("Wellborn") a revised settlement agreement and accompanying exhibits. On the same date, counsel for College Station spoke with counsel for Wellborn regarding terms of the settlement agreement and

College Station was advised that Wellborn will be providing written comments on the agreement and attachments.

## MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF ABATEMENT AND CONCLUSION

College Station requests a thirty day abatement to work through the latest set of settlement agreement documents. Under this proposal, College Station will submit a status report to the ALJ on or before June 15, 2009. Counsel for College Station has conferred with Leonard Dougal, counsel for Wellborn, Rick Jenkins of MSH, and Kayla Murray, counsel for the Executive Director. All parties concur with this request for a thirty day abatement.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

By my signature below, I hereby certify that on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009, a true and complete copy of the foregoing was sent to the following by facsimile, overnight delivery, or by first class mail:

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### VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

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Re:

SOAH Docket No. 582-06-1697; TCEQ Docket No. 2005-2092-UCR; City of College Station's Application to Amend Sewer Certificate of Convenience and Necessity in Brazos County

### Dear Ms. Castañuela:

Enclosed for filing is an original and one copy of the Status Report and Unopposed Motion to Extend Abatement Period in connection with the above-referenced matter. Please file the original and have the copy filed-stamped and returned to me in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Should you have questions or need to reach me, please call (512) 472-8021.

Sincerely,

Bel Mysten William D. Dugat III

WDD/db **Enclosures** 

cc:

The Honorable Lilo D. Pomerleau (via facsimile only)

Administrative Law Judge

All Parties of Record (via facsimile and/or mail)