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Re:

City of Copperas Cove - CCN Application

Docket No. 45211

Response to Staff Comments

Below is an itemized response to comments received on November 4th, 2015:

Mapping:

1) A revised general location (small scale) map <u>only</u> showing the proposed service area with enough detail to accurately locate the service area within the nearest city, town or county. Clearly mark and label the proposed service area in reference to verifiable man-made and natural landmarks such as roads, railroads or rivers.

A revised small scale map is attached to this response to comments.

2) Submit a large scale map <u>only</u> showing the proposed service area with enough detail to accurately locate the service area to be transferred in the vicinity of surrounding roads, streets, and rivers. Clearly mark and label the proposed service area in reference to verifiable man-made and natural landmarks such as roads, railroads or rivers. Since this map is used to determine if the proposed digital data is accurately positioned on PUC's base maps, do not display property data, extraterritorial or city limit boundaries on this map.

A revised large scale map is attached to this response to comments.

Technical:

 Provide written documentation from Brazos River Authority district allowing the Applicant to provide retail water service within the district boundary.

An electronic copy of the "Amended and Restated Water Supply Contract" between the City of Copperas Cove and Bell County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 has been attached to this response to comments. The contract provides documentation that the District has obtained a permit from the TCEQ that allows for the impoundment, diversion and use of water from Lake Belton, in such a manner that will continue to be made available to the District for distribution to its customers for military, domestic and municipal uses.

2) Provide an electronic copy of the City of Copperas Cove's purchased water contracts.

An electronic copy of the City of Copperas Cove water supply contract with Bell County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 is attached to this response to comments.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning the responses above.

Sincerely,

David Kneuper, P.E.



