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TO: Central Records

FROM: Isaac Ta *I. T.*
Administrative Law Judge

RE: Correspondence related to P.U.C. Docket No. 51738; *Petition of Sanctuary Texas, LLC to Amend Aqua Texas, Inc.'s Certificate of Convenience and Necessity in Denton County by Expedited Release*

DATE: June 8, 2021

The administrative law judge (ALJ) received the attached correspondence and image pertaining to the above-styled docket in response to an inquiry from the ALJ to Central Records regarding the ability to view digital mapping files that were filed in this proceeding.

Please note that a member or employee of a state agency assigned to render a decision in a contested case may not directly or indirectly communicate in connection with an issue of fact or law with any state agency, person, party, or representative of those entities, except on notice and opportunity for each party to participate. See Administrative Procedure Act, Texas Government Code § 2001.061.

Parties will not be served copies of the attached document and image but can access it through the PUC Interchange at <https://interchange.puc.texas.gov/>.

cc: All parties (without attachment)

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Isaac Ta

From: Brady Cox
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 12:34 PM
To: Isaac Ta
Cc: Central Records
Subject: FW: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map
Attachments: Docket51738_Item9_digitaldata_20210608geh.pdf

Hi Isaac,

I spoke with the PUC Mapping Staff, and they provided the attached PDF and following message:

I'm sorry but the shapefiles are the digital data that is viewable and usable only with specially licensed GIS software. Essentially they are how GIS professionals communicate and transfer the boundary information that is contained on the paper maps. In this particular case, they show the portion of the tract the petitioner was asking be considered for release from Aqua Texas Inc (CCN No. 13201).

What I've attached in the email here is what someone would see if they look over my shoulder at my desk, which is a screenshot of the shapefile (from Item 9) loaded on our software, overlaying the PUC's existing water CCN layer, using a basemap of aerial imagery.

Please let me know if you have any questions.



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From: Brady Cox <Brady.Cox@puc.texas.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:41 PM
To: Gary Horton Jr, <Gary.Horton@puc.texas.gov>
Cc: Central Records <centralrecords@puc.texas.gov>; Isaac Ta <Isaac.Ta@puc.texas.gov>
Subject: RE: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map

Hi Gary,

Can you assist with Isaac's question? I do not know how to use/view shapefiles.

Please let me know. Thanks!



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From: Isaac Ta <Isaac.Ta@puc.texas.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:38 PM
To: Brady Cox <Brady.Cox@puc.texas.gov>

Cc: Central Records <centralrecords@puc.texas.gov>; Kelly Kirkland <Kelly.Kirkland@puc.texas.gov>
Subject: RE: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map

Hi Brady,

What do I use to review the shapefiles? Is that something I can do from my desk or are there licensing restrictions on software which would require me to go look at it in the office? Thanks.

From: Brady Cox <Brady.Cox@puc.texas.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:35 PM
To: Isaac Ta <Isaac.Ta@puc.texas.gov>
Cc: Central Records <centralrecords@puc.texas.gov>; Kelly Kirkland <Kelly.Kirkland@puc.texas.gov>
Subject: RE: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map

Sorry, Isaac.

I spoke too soon. The Native Files in Item 9 include shapefiles.



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From: Brady Cox
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Subject: RE: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map

Hi Isaac,

It appears that the filing party only submitted the PDF that you have access to in the Native Files. We did not receive larger copies of the maps, or individual PDFs (or shapefiles).



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From: Isaac Ta <Isaac.Ta@puc.texas.gov>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:17 PM
To: Central Records <centralrecords@puc.texas.gov>
Subject: 51738-High Resolution Scan Map

To whom it may concern:

I'm looking at the native files for item number one in 51738 and it includes two maps. Were large, paper versions submitted to us for our records? If so, is there any way I can get high resolution versions uploaded or would I need to come into the office to look at it? Thanks for your help.

