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ALLIANCE WATER

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Re: ARWA Buda Booster Pump Station – Designation as a Critical Load Status

Property Address: 2281 Jack C. Hays Trail, Buda, TX 78610

To Whom It Concerns:

Alliance Regional Water Authority (Alliance Water) is a wholesale water provider of potable water to the City of Buda water system and therefore meets the definition of an “affected utility” per Texas Water Code (TWC) §13.1394. Alliance Water’s Buda Booster Pump Station Facility qualifies as a facility that should be included as a critical load status. Below is the information required by TWC §13.1396 regarding the facilities and Alliance Water’s contact information.

Facility General Description

Alliance Water’s Buda Booster Pump Station (BBPS) receives water from the City of Kyle in its ground storage tank and pumps that water to the City of Buda for use in their distribution system. Alliance Water is in the process of completing projects to bring a new water supply to the region that will be the long-term source of water to the BBPS.

The pump station facility consists of a 750,000 gallon ground storage tank with three thirty horsepower vertical turbine pumps. Electrical service to the site is three-phased and is provided by the Pedernales Electric Cooperative. The pump station includes a 175 kilowatt diesel emergency generator with a fuel tank sized to provide 24 hours of fuel storage at maximum load. An automatic transfer switch switches the power between the utility power and the emergency generator.

Facility Address

2281 Jack C. Hays Trail,
Buda, TX 78610

Refer to Attached Location Map

Emergency Contact Information

Primary:

Jason Biemer, Director of Operations

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Graham Moore, Executive Director

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Alliance Water – Mailing Address

Alliance Regional Water Authority

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San Marcos, TX 78666

Please feel free to contact me either by phone at 512-294-3214 or by e-mail at gmoore@alliancewater.org should you have any questions regarding the designation of the Buda Booster Pump Station as a Critical Load Facility.

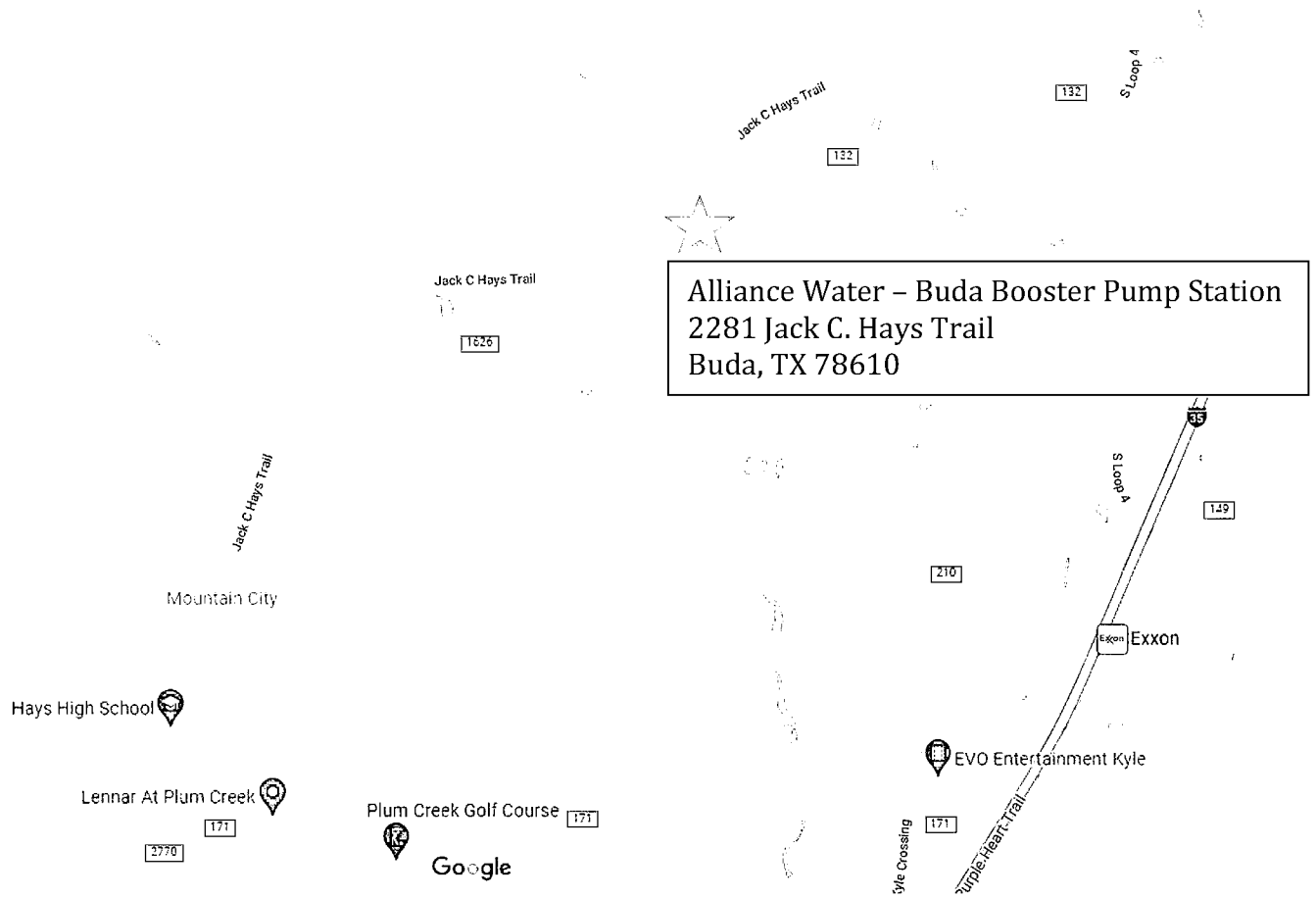
Sincerely,



Graham Moore
Executive Director

cc: Pedernales Electrical Cooperative – CriticalLoadRequests@peci.com
Hays County – Office of Emergency Services – oes@co.hays.tx.us
Texas Governor – Office of Emergency Management – soc@tdem.texas.gov
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Facility Location Map



Alliance Water – Buda Booster Pump Station
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