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| APPLICATION OF TERRA | § | PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION |
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| SOUTHWEST, INC. AND UNDINE | § | |
| TEXAS, LLC FOR SALE, TRANSFER, | § | OF TEXAS |
| OR MERGER OF FACILITIES AND | § | |
| CERTIFICATE RIGHTS IN DENTON | § | |
| COUNTY | § | |

UNDINE TEXAS, LLC RESPONSE TO ORDER NO. 23

COMES NOW, Applicant, Undine Texas, LLC ("Undine") and files this Response to Order No. 23. Order No. 23 establishes a deadline of March 3, 2023 to provide the information contained herein. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Attached as <u>Exhibit A</u> is the notice to affected parties, an affidavit of delivery and notice, and the maps associated with Undine's application.

Attached as Exhibit B (submitted confidentially) is the list of recipients.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify pursuant to the above signature that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on February 22, 2023, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

EXHIBIT A

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE TO CURRENT CUSTOMERS, LANDOWNERS, NEIGHBORING UTILITIES, AND AFFECTED PARTIES DOCKET NO. 52852

| STATE OF TEXAS | |
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| COUNTY OF Harris | |
| Undine Texas, LLC | has provided individual |
| notice to the following entities and customers | |
| Current Customers, Landowners, Neighboring Utilities, and Affected Parties | DATE OF NOTICE February 9, 2023 |
| | OATH |
| applicant); that in such capacity, I am qualify personally familiar with the notices given with requirements in the application and application and matters set for therein are true and correct Applicant's Authorized Representative | er than the sole owner, partner, officer of the applicant, |
| Subscribed and sworn to before me this to certify which witness my hand and seal of | office. |
| Notary Public in and for the State of Texas | NICIA ROTERMUND Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 01-28-2025 |
| Print or Type Name of Notary Public | Notary ID 129281276 |
| Commission Expires Muay 28 | 2025 |

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Notice to Current Customers, Landowners, Neighboring Systems, and Cities

UNDINE TEXAS, LLC, CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (CCN) NO. 13260, NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ITS CCN, TO PURCHASE WATER FACILITIES AND TO TRANSFER WATER SERVICE AREA UNDER CCN NO. 11608 FROM TERRA SOUTHWEST, INC. IN DENTON COUNTY, TEXAS

To: Current Customers, Landowners, Neighboring Systems, and Cities

Date Notice Mailed: February 10, 2023

| Undine Texas, LLC | 17681 Telge Road | Cypress, TX | 77429 |
|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|
| (Purchaser's Name) | (Address) | (City), (State) | (Zip Code) |

has submitted an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to amend its CCN, obtain dual certification with the Town of Little Elm's water CCN No. 11202, and to purchase all of the water facilities and to transfer water certificated service area under CCN No. 11608 in Denton County, TX from:

| Terra Southwest, Inc. | P.O. Box 140 | Alvord, TX | 76225 |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|
| (Seller's Name) | (Address) | (City), (State) | (Zip Code) |

The sale is scheduled to take place if approved by the Commission (Texas Water Code § 13.301). The transaction and the transfer of the CCN includes the following subdivisions:

East Ponder Estates and Hilltown Addition.

The requested area overlaps the district boundaries of the Upper Trinity Regional Water District. If Upper Trinity Regional Water District does not request a public hearing, the Commission shall determine that the district is consenting to the Undine Texas, LLC's request to provide retail water utility service in the requested area.

East Ponder Estates:

The requested area includes <u>109</u> current customers, is located approximately <u>8</u> mile(s) <u>southwest</u> of downtown <u>Denton</u>, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by <u>H Lively Road</u>; on the east by <u>Ed Robson Boulevard</u>; on the south by <u>a line approximately .25 mile south of Seaborn Road</u>; and on the west by <u>Florance Road</u>.

The requested area includes approximately $\underline{453}$ acres, comprised of $\underline{453}$ acres of transferred area from Terra Southwest, Inc. (CCN No. 11608).

Hilltown Addition:

The requested area includes <u>758</u> current customers, is located approximately <u>9</u> mile(s) <u>east-southeast</u> of downtown <u>Denton</u>, Texas, and is generally bounded on the north by <u>Martingale Trail and Shahan Prairie Road</u>; on the east by <u>Shahan Prairie Road</u> and <u>Lewisville Lake</u>; on the south by <u>Lewisville Lake and FM 710</u> and on the west by <u>Lewisville Lake and Yacht Club Road</u>.

The requested area includes approximately <u>886.4</u> acres, comprised of:

<u>0.4</u> acres of uncertificated area;

868 acres of transferred area from Terra Southwest, Inc. (CCN No. 11608); and

18 acres of dual certificated area with Town of Little Elm (CCN No. 11202).

The result of the application will be the addition of approximately <u>1,339.4</u> acres to Undine Texas, LLC (CCN No. 13260) and the subtraction of approximately <u>1,321</u> acres from Terra Southwest, Inc. (CCN No. 11608).

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Approximately <u>1,321.4</u> acres will be single certification with Undine Texas, LLC (CCN No. 13260); and <u>18</u> acres will be dual certification between Undine Texas, LLC (CCN No. 13260) and the Town of Little Elm (CCN No. 11202).

See enclosed map showing the requested area.

The proposed transaction may change the current customers' rates and services to the current approved rates and services of Undine Texas, LLC (in tariff as Rate Year 3 effective August 1, 2022), which are higher than the current rate for a 5/8" meter for <u>Terra Southwest, Inc.</u> To view a copy of the current approved tariff, go to: https://undinellc.com/wp-content/uploads/Undine-Texas-LLC-Water-Tariff.pdf

OR email <u>info@undinellc.com</u> or call (713) 574-5953 to request a copy.

BILLING COMPARISON for a 5/8" meter

Water

| Existing | 2,000 gallons: \$ | 32.93 | /mo | New Rate | 2,000 gallons: \$ | 55.75 | /mo |
|----------|--------------------|-------|-------|----------|--------------------|-------|-----|
| Existing | 5,000 gallons: \$ | 37.93 | _ /mo | New Rate | 5,000 gallons: \$ | 62.98 | /mo |
| Existing | 10,000 gallons: \$ | 50.43 | /mo | New Rate | 10,000 gallons: \$ | 78.71 | /mo |

Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call the Public Utility Commission at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the commission at (512) 936-7136. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding is (30 days from the mailing or publication of notice, whichever occurs later, unless otherwise provided by the presiding officer). You must send a letter requesting intervention to the commission which is received by that date. The letter must include the person's name, address, email address and fax number if applicable.

If a valid public hearing is requested, the Commission will forward the application to the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) for a hearing. If no settlement is reached and an evidentiary hearing is held, SOAH will submit a recommendation to the Commission for final decision. An evidentiary hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

A landowner with a tract of land at least 25 acres or more, that is partially or wholly located within the requested area, may file a written request with the Commission to be excluded from the requested area ("opt out") within (30) days from the date that notice was provided by the Utility. All opt out requests must include a large-scale map, a metes and bounds description of the landowner's tract of land, landowner's name, address, email address and fax number, if applicable.

Persons who wish to request this option should file the required documents with the:

Public Utility Commission of Texas Central Records 1701 N. Congress, P. O. Box 13326 Austin, TX 78711-3326

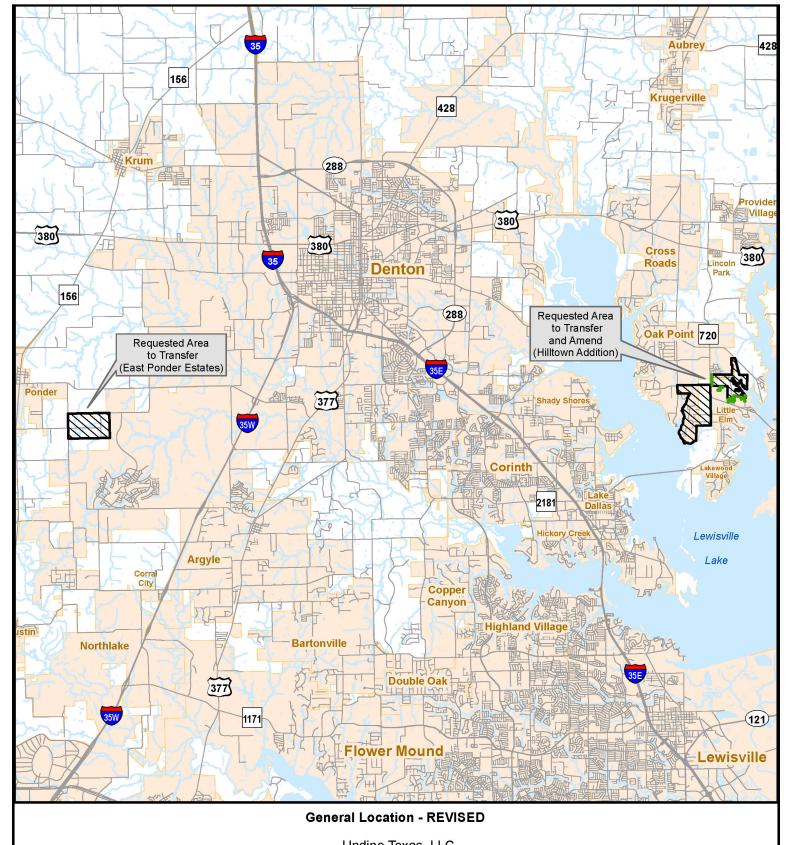
In addition, the landowner must also send a copy of the opt out request to the Utility. Staff may request additional information regarding your request.

Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 1-888-782-8477.

<u>Carey Thomas</u> Utility Representative

Undine Texas, LLC
Utility Name

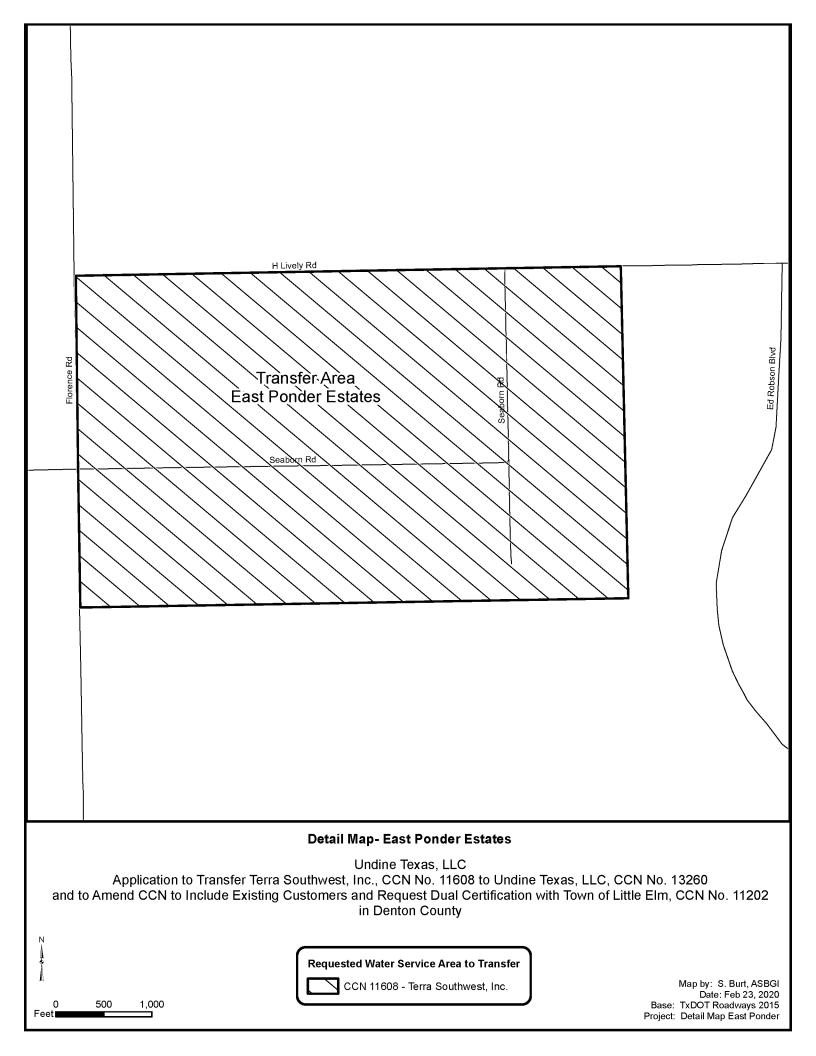
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Undine Texas, LLC
Application to Transfer Terra Southwest, Inc., CCN No. 11608 to Undine Texas, LLC, CCN No. 13260
and to Amend CCN to Include Existing Customers and Request Dual Certification with Town of Little Elm, CCN No. 11202
in Denton County



Map by: S. Burt, ASBGI Date: March 15, 2021 Base: TxDOT Roadways 2015 Project: General Location



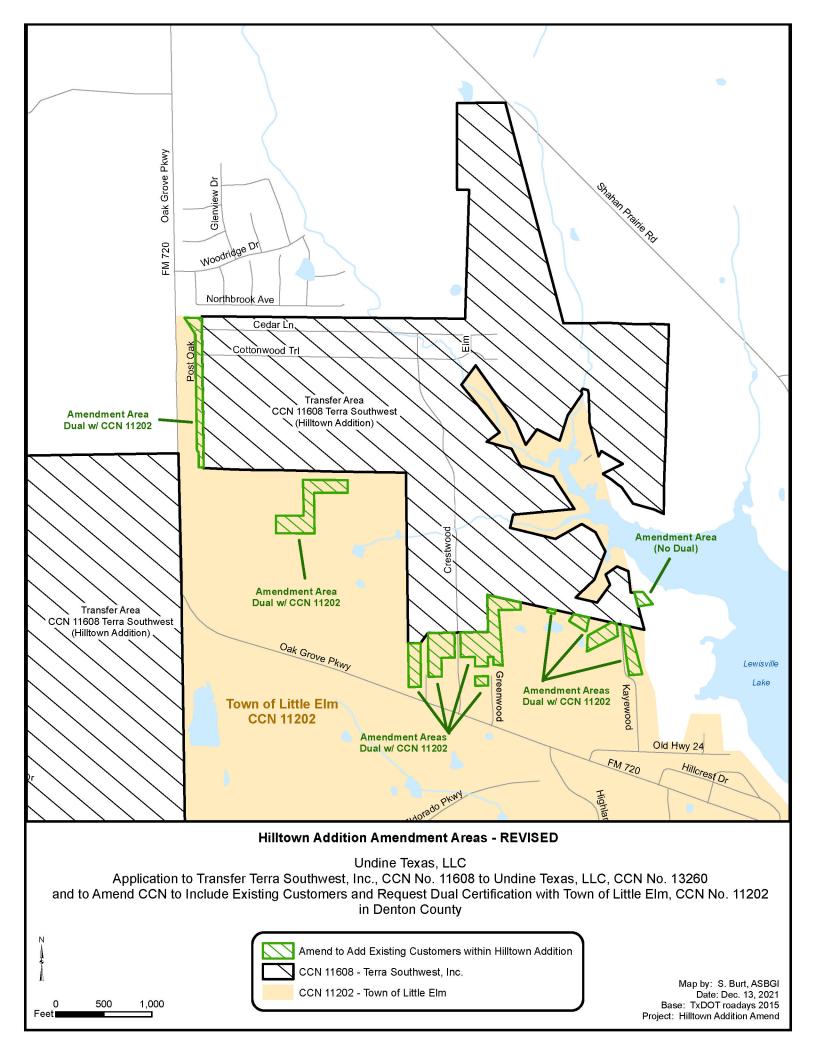


EXHIBIT B (SUBMITTED CONFIDENTIALLY)