Post Oak Savannah Groundwater Conservation District



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VIA Email to rpuente@saws.org

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San Antonio Water Systems 2800 US Hwy 281 N San Antonio, TX 78212

Attn: Robert Puente, President/CEO

Re: Public Information Request

Dear Mr. Puente:

Post Oak Savannah Groundwater Conservation District ("POSGCD") is requesting the following documents/information pursuant to the Public Information laws of Texas.

We received a letter from TCEQ, a copy of which is attached, that references interactions between San Antonio Water Systems (SAWS) personnel and TCEQ related to the testing and discharges that occurred earlier this year. In relation to statements in that letter (which are underlined below), we seek to obtain the following information in whatever form it can be produced. Prior to printing or copying the information, POSGCD would appreciate an opportunity to understand the volume of pages this might encompass and we may choose to have an opportunity to review the information to ascertain whether it is responsive:

The TCEQ conducted on-stream observations of Mud Creek during the earlier discharge and SAWS continued to monitor the discharge for offsite impacts and continued to update the TCEQ as the project progressed.

1. Based upon the above statement from TCEQ, please provide any and all documents related to SAWS continued monitoring of the discharge for offsite impacts as well as continued updates provided to TCEQ.

On July 15, 2020, SAWS notified TCEQ that discharges of water from the Agua Vista Facility to Mud Creek stopped on June 30, 2020.

1. Based upon the above statement from TCEQ, please provide copies of any information or documents, including but not limited to photos, raw data, reports, charts or spreadsheets, electronic or paper, documenting all discharges into either MUD Creek or the concrete storm drain near Highway 281 at the Bitters Road Pump Station between March 1, 2020 to July 30, 2020.

2. Please provide any information or documents including but not limited to raw data, reports, charts or spreadsheets electronic or paper, documenting all the water that was received at the Agua Vista Facility from March 1, 2020 to July 30, 2020.

3. Please provide any information or documents, including but not limited to raw data, reports, charts or spreadsheets, electronic or paper, documenting how much water was actually used to test, blend and/or determine the compatibility at the Aqua Vista Facility from March 1, 2020 to August 31, 2020.

4. Please provide any information or documents, including but not limited to raw data, reports, charts or spreadsheets, electronic or paper, documenting where tested water, including hydrostatic tested water or water discharged under TPDES General Permit No. TXG670000 was used and where it was discharged, including the date and the amount from March 1, 2020 to July 30, 2020.

SAWS was required to assess the quality and compatibility of the potable water being provided by the Agua Vista (AV) project under the public drinking water rules.

1. Please provide copies of any documents related to quality and compatibility of the potable water being provided by the Agua Vista project from March 1, 2020 to July 30, 2020.

Excess potable AV water was dechlorinated and discharged to Mud Creek at the AV pump station and a concrete storm drain near Highway 281 at the Bitters Road pump station.

Based upon the statement above from TCEQ, please provide documents that demonstrate the quantities
of dechlorinated and discharged water that went into MUD Creek at the pump station and the quantities
of dechlorinated and discharged water that went into a concrete storm drain near Highway 281 at the
Bitters Road Pump Station.

2. Based upon the statement above from TCEQ, please provide documents that define what water was excess and what was used in any quality and/or compatibility process during March 1, 2020 to July 30, 2020.

If there are any questions concerning this request, please contact me directly.

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Sincerely,

Gary Westbrook General Manager

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