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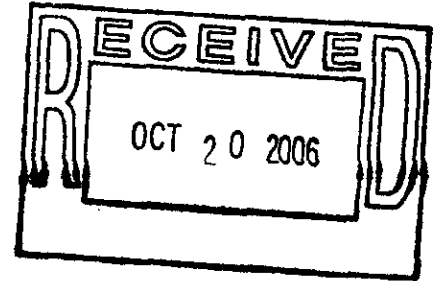
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Re: Quail Valley WWTF

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Missouri Public
Service Commission



Dear Mr. Ludwig:

I am responding to your letter dated October 10, 2006 regarding Quail Valley WWTF. Our records indicate that there are 80 accounts currently set up for this subdivision. You are proposing an additional 10 homes making the total 90. The 90 would be the existing 80 and the additional 10 new ones.

We still need some items identified before we proceed. You indicate that the 10 already have main to them. I need a listing of the 10 lots and their lot numbers. A map identifying these maps would also be helpful. Are all 10 lots still owned by Mr. Ed Storey?

I have copied all of this information to our new Regional Engineer and our Legal Department for their review and input.

If the Company determines that this facility will hold additional homes this will need to be put in the form of a Developer Agreement with Mr. Ed Storey and the Company both signing it. This will all need to be put in an agreement format to specify that if after each home is connected the Company can deny any further connections if they experience high flows or operational issues at the facility. As you know, the Company is the owner of the wastewater treatment facility and the system mains and must make the final decision on further connections as the responsible party to MDNR.

Petitioners Exhibit No. 44
Case No(s). WC-2007-0303
Date 10-30-07 Rptr pas

This will be deferred to our Legal Department to draft an agreement of this nature. I will have them make contact with you regarding this issue as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tena Hale-Rush". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Tena Hale-Rush
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