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Re: Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision for TPDES Permit for Municipal Wastewater Amendment  
Permit No. WQ0010688005

Dear Chief Clerk:

As a follow up to my conversation this date with a representative of your office, this letter shall serve as a formal written request for a public meeting relative to the City of Galveston's Application to Increase the Discharge of Treated Domestic Wastewater at its Terramar facility under Permit No, WQ0010688005.

There are several issues of concern to the residents of the Terramar subdivision which include but are not limited to the following:

1. Quality of existing treatment and compliance history of the current plant since there have been several instances of plant failure during the past 12 months resulting in the emissions of obnoxious odors and solid waste into the environment;
2. The identification of West Bay as having "high aquatic life uses" for the purpose of determining affluent standards and whether existing recreational contact has been taken into consideration in determining the existing standard levels; and
3. Does recreational contact require higher standards for any discharged wastewater as opposed to aquatic life uses.

I have spoken with several residents effected by the discharge of odors and raw sewage during the past 12 month period and believe the concerns of those situated in close proximity to this facility should be heard regarding the City's proposed increase.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Respectfully,

  
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