

RECUSAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Anne Idsal, General Counsel

FROM: Zak Covar, Commissioner of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

DATE: September 19, 2014

SUBJECT: Notice of Recusal by Commissioner Zak Covar regarding seventeen use determination items (Items 2-18) set for the Commission's September 24, 2014 agenda meeting.

1. Although advance notice is not required, in an effort to avoid any confusion, this is to notify you that in my previous role as Executive Director of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality I participated in, and was advised, regarding the above referenced pending use determination appeals.

2. Therefore, I have determined to recuse myself from the discussion and decision on these use determination appeal matters, set for the Commission's September 24, 2014 agenda meeting (Items 2-18). I will formally announce my recusal from these matters at that agenda.

3. Please file with the Chief Clerk's office a copy of this recusal memorandum to be included in the administrative record of this matter.

Sincerely,



Zak Covar
Commissioner

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