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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Water Quality Division

Application Review and Processing Team (MC148)

P.O. Box 13087

Austin, TX 78711-3087

Re: Application to Renew Permit Number: WQ0011875001

Customer Number: CN602296899

Regulated Entity Number: RN103014809

Dear Chief Officer,

*The following summary is provided for this pending water quality permit application being reviewed by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality as required by 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 39. The information provided in this summary may change during the technical review of the application and are not federal enforceable representations of the permit application.*

The Town of Buckholts (CN602296899) operates the Town of Buckholts Wastewater Treatment Plant (RN103014809), the plant operates as an extended aeration wastewater treatment process to treat the wastewater before it is discharged. The facility is located 1,600 feet northeast of U.S. Highway 190, and approximately 1,000 feet east of Farm-to-Market Road 1915, in Buckholts, in Milam County, Texas 76518.

This application is for a renewal to dispose a daily average flow not to exceed 100,000 gallons per day of treated domestic wastewater via outfall 001.

Discharges from the facility are expected to contain seven-day carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand (CBOD5), total suspended solids (TSS), ammonia nitrogen (NH3-N), and *Escherichia coli*. Additional potential pollutants are included in the Domestic Technical Report 1.0, Section 7. Pollutant Analysis of Treated Effluent in the permit application package. Domestic wastewater is treated by an Existing Phase: The plant discharges treated wastewater at a volume not to exceed an annual average flow of 100,000 gallons per day. The effluent discharges through an 12” pipe to a tributary of Lipan Creek; thence to Lipan Creek; thence to Big Elm Creek; thence to Little River in Segment No. 1213 of the Brazos River Basin.

I appreciate your time and effort in reviewing my summary. If you have any questions, please contact me at (713) 458-8612, or via email at [robin@permittingservices.net](mailto:robin@permittingservices.net).

Yours truly,

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