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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

May 6, 2024

Laurie Gharis, Chief Clerk Office of the Chief Clerk Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087, MC-105 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

RE: Application For White Oaks MUD of Denton County TCEQ Docket No. 2023-1587-DIS; SOAH Docket 582-24-15646

Dear Ms. Gharis:

Enclosed you will find the Executive Director's portion of the Administrative Record consisting of those documents specified at 30 TAC § 80.118(a)(1)-(4) and (6).

- Notice of District Creation
- Notice of Hearing
- Affidavits of Publication
- Certificate of Posting

Please do not hesitate to contact me at Fernando.martinez@tceq.texas.gov if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Fernando Salazar Martinez

Staff Attorney - Environmental Law Division

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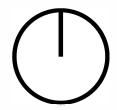
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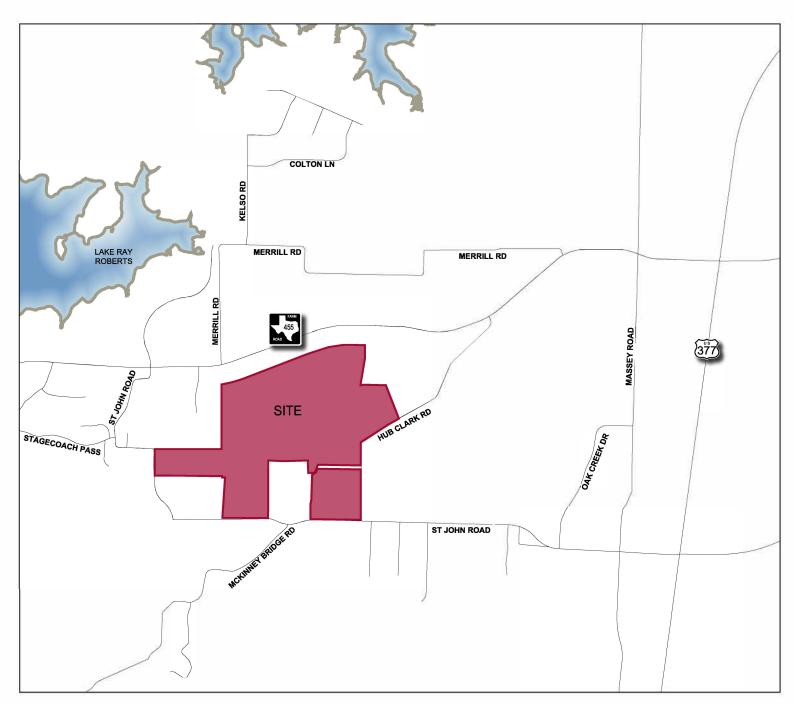


EXHIBIT A

LOCATION MAP SCALE: N.T.S.

White Oaks MUD of Denton County

Denton County, Texas November 2022



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CONTESTED CASE HEARING.

The State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) will conduct a preliminary hearing via Zoom videoconference. A Zoom meeting is a secure, free meeting held over the internet that allows video, audio, or audio/video conferencing.

10:00 a.m. - June 4, 2024

To join the Zoom meeting via computer:

https://soah-texas.zoomgov.com/

Meeting ID: 160 616 9626 Password: TCE46W

or

To join the Zoom meeting via telephone: (669) 254-5252 or (646) 828-7666

Meeting ID: 160 616 9626 Password: 476564

Visit the SOAH website for registration at: http://www.soah.texas.gov/ or call SOAH at 512-475-4993.

The purpose of a preliminary hearing is to establish jurisdiction, name the parties, establish a procedural schedule for the remainder of the proceeding, and to address other matters as determined by the judge. The evidentiary hearing phase of the proceeding, which will occur at a later date, will be similar to a civil trial in state district court. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 2001, Texas Government Code; Chapters 49 and 54, Texas Water Code; Chapter 395, Texas Local Government Code; TCEQ rules, including 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Chapter 293; and the procedural rules of the TCEQ and SOAH, including 30 TAC Chapter 80 and 1 TAC Chapter 155. To participate in the hearing as a party, you must attend the hearing and show you would be affected by the petition in a way not common to members of the general public.

In accordance with 1 Tex. Admin. Code § 155.401(a), Notice of Hearing, "Parties that are not represented by an attorney may obtain information regarding contested case hearings on the public website of the State Office of Administrative Hearings at www.soah.texas.gov, or in printed format upon request to SOAH."

INFORMATION.

For information concerning the hearing process, please contact the TCEQ Office of the Public Interest Counsel (MC 103), P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, telephone (512) 239-6363. For additional information, contact the TCEQ Water Supply Division, Districts Section (MC 152), P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, telephone (512) 239-4691. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.texas.gov

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this hearing and who need special accommodations at the hearing should call the SOAH Docketing Department at (512) 475-4993, at least one week prior to the hearing.

Issued: May 2, 2024

Laurie Gharis, Chief Clerk Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Print Form

TCEQ - Office of the Chief Clerk

MC-105 Attention: Notice Team

PO Box 13087

Austin TX 78711-3087

Applicant Name: White Oaks MUD

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Application Type: PETITION FOR CREATION OF A DISTRICT

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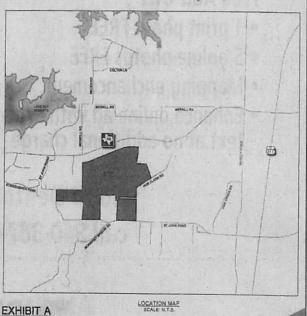
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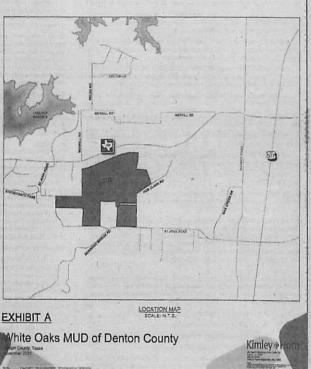
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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING OF NOTICE OF DISTRICT PETITION

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COUNTY OF DENTON 8

I. Michele Boutwell, hereby certify that I am more than eighteen (18) years of age and capable of executing this certificate; and that the attached is a true and correct copy of a Notice of District Petition for White Oaks Municipal Utility District of Denton County (TCEQ Internal Control No. D-09262022-049), which I caused to be posted on the bulletin board used for posting legal notices in Denton County on the 24th day of January 2023.

Signature: <u>Michele Boutwell</u>
Printed Name: <u>Michele Boutwell</u>
Title: <u>Sehior Clerk</u>