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Subject: **Feasibility Evaluation**, Drinking Water Service to Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions from the Wolf Creek Water & Sewer Improvement District, System #29013, File #10813

This is not Plan Approval for construction.

Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Division of Drinking Water (the Division) received your request concerning the capacity of the Wolf Creek Water & Sewer Improvement District (The District) to provide drinking water service to the Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions on April 5, 2017. This feasibility evaluation is solely based on the information we received from the District and the existing records available in the Division's database.

The Division's estimate is based on:

- The present number of equivalent residential connections (ERC's) the District is obligated to serve The District indicated in the attached Project Notification Form (PNF), which we received on April 5, 2017 that the District currently is obligated to serve 1,049 ERC's, and the proposed Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions will add 40 new residential connections (40 ERC's). Therefore, our estimate is based on 1089 ERC's (i.e. 1049 plus 40 ERC's);
- No Irrigated acreage, which was provided by the District in their last sanitary survey and verified on April 11, 2017 by the Division; and
- Fire flow required by local fire code officials.

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This evaluation is courtesy technical assistance, and is not meant to be a detailed or accurate engineering analysis. The Division does not track or verify the number of obligated connections or the status of the obligated connections. It is the responsibility of the District and Weber County to very all information for planning purposes.

Per Utah Administrative Rule *R309-510* Minimum Sizing Requirements, the number of connections served by a public water system is affected by:

- Source water capacity;
- Storage capacity; and
- Available water rights.

Among these three components, the one with the least capacity determines the allowable number of connections for a public water system. The Division of Drinking Water's feasibility evaluation addresses only the first two components (i.e., source and storage capacities). The Division of Water Rights is the authority for water rights related regulations. Please consult with the Division of Water Rights directly for verification and interpretation regarding water rights.

The requirements related to indoor water use for these components are:

- The District was granted a reduction in required source capacity on August 27, 2012 (File #9042) which resulted in a requirement to provide **391 gallons per day (gpd) per ERC** from its water sources;
- A public water system must be able to provide **400 gallons per ERC of storage**;

Furthermore:

- If a public water system provides water for <u>irrigation</u> use, additional source capacity, storage capacity and water rights are required.
- If a public water system provides water for <u>fire suppression</u>, additional storage capacity is required.

Source Capacity

Based on the Division records and the information provided by the District, the District has the following approved drinking water sources and safe yields:

| Source Number | Water Source Name | Safe Yield (gpm) |
|---------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| WS001 | Wolf Creek Spring | 30 |
| WS002 | Warm Springs Well | 400 |
| WS003 | Highland Well – Proposed | 0 |
| WS004 | Eden Hills Well | 45 |
| | Total | 478 |

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From the table above, the Division estimates the District's water source capacity to be 478 gallons per minute (gpm).

The attached capacity calculation work sheet estimates the minimum source capacity required for the District is 295.7 gpm based on indoor water use only.

It appears that the District has 182.3 gpm excess source capacity, and **has adequate source** capacity to serve the Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions.

Storage Capacity

Based on the Division records and the information provided by the District, the District has the following approved storage tanks in service:

| Storage Tank Number | Source Name | Volume (gallons) |
|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| ST001 | Snowflake Tank | 55,000 |
| ST002 | Wolf Creek Tank | 250,000 |
| ST003 | Highland Tank | 400,000 |
| ST004 | Eden Hills Tank | 50,000 |
| ST006 | Retreat Tank – Proposed | 0 |
| | Total | 755,000 |

From the table above, the Division estimates the District's water storage capacity to be 755,000 gallons.

The attached capacity calculation work sheet estimates the minimum storage capacity required for the District is 555,600 gallons based on indoor water use only.

It appears that the District has 199,400 gallons excess storage capacity, and has adequate storage capacity to serve the Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions.

Summary

Based on information made available to the Division, it appears that at the present time the District has sufficient source and storage capacities to provide drinking water service to the proposed Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions.

The District submitted a Project Notification Form for the subject project on April 5, 2017 and was granted a plan review waiver by the Division, which allows the construction of Fairways 4 & 5 Subdivisions to proceed once approval is granted by Weber County.

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, you can contact Kelly Casteel at (801) 536-4265 or Ying-Ying Macauley, Engineering Section Manager, of this office, at (801) 536-4188.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure - Wolf Creek Water & Sewer Improvement District Capacity Calculation - April 12, 2017

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Division of Drinking Water — Water System Capacity Calculation Sheet (Last Update 3/30/2017)

| | *Enter the green cells only* |
|---|--|
| System Name Wolf Creek Water & Sewer In | nprovement District System Number 29013 |
| 1.1 Indoor Water Use Convert "Number of connections = peak | other connections" (Cell E9) to ERCs here. [ERCs of other day demand of other connections in gal per day / 800 gpd] |
| Number of residential connections | 1,049 |
| Number of other connections | 40 ERCs of other connections 40.0 (Example: water use of 2 factories |
| Enter number of non-residential connections, e.g., 2 industrial connections. | otal Equivalent Residential Connections (ERCs) 1,089.0 |
| MIN. REQUIREMENTS FOR INDOOR WATE | ER USE |
| Source Storage | |
| gpd/ERC Total (gpm) Gallons/ERC Total | (gallons) |
| 391 295.7 400 43 | 5,600 |
| 1.2 Outdoor Water Use | Enter estimated irrigated acre |
| Is the drinking water used for outdoor irrigatio | n? 🗸 Yes 🗸 No |
| Besidential EBCs using drinking water for irrig | nation |
| Percentage of Residential ERCs using DW fo | r irrigation $>>: 0\%$ |
| Average irrigated acreage per residential co | nnection |
| Total irrigated acreage of other connections | (park, school, etc.) |
| (Enter notes here regarding whether and what % of irrigation water is supplied by PWS.) | nter total irrigated acres of other Irrigation zone 3 |
| | Select Irrigated Zone # |
| MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR IRRIGATIO | DN USE See "Irrigation |
| Source Storage | on the bottom of the |
| gpd/ERC Total (gpm) Gallons/ERC Total | (gallons) screen. |
| 0 0.0 0 | 0 |
| 1.3 Fire Flow Water Use | Enter fire flow in gpm. |
| Does the water system provide fire protection | ? Yes No |
| Maximum fire flow demand (in gpm) for wate | r system or pressure zone 1,000 |
| Maximum fire suppression duration (in hours |) for water system or pressure zone 🚽 2 |
| Required Fire Suppression Storage (in gallon | s) |
| (*Verify req'd fire flow and duration with local fire code of here, e.g. fire official contact info or comments.) | officials.* Enter notes Enter duration in hours. |
| 2. Summary of Water System Capacity Requi | rements |
| | STEM |
| Source (indoor + outdoor) Storage (indoor + outdoor) | loor + fire) |
| gpd/ERC Total (gpm) Gallons/ERC Total | (gallons) |
| 391 295.7 400 55 | 55,600 |
| 2.1 Does this system have adequate source capacity (pe | er R309-510-7)? |
| This source capacity assessment is a general overall syst | em calculation. It may not reflect the variations in individual areas or pressure zones. |
| | Autolink to 2 "Total Source" cell above. |
| Required Source Capacity 295.7 gpm | Autolink to 4.2 "Total Existing Source Capacity" cell below. |
| Existing Source Capacity 478.0 | Source deficit indicates that: (1) additional source capacity is needed, |
| Source Capacity Deficit None gpm | and (2) source deficiency should be assessed. |
| | Less than 100% indicates: (1) additional source capacity is needed, and (2) source deficiency should be assessed. |

2.2 Does this system have adequate storage capacity (per R309-510-8)?

This storage capacity assessment is a general overall system calculation. It may not reflect the variations in individual areas or pressure zones.

| Total Required Storage Existing Storage Capacity | 555,600 755.000 | gal nal | Autolink to 2 "Total Storage" cell above. Autolink to 4.3 "Total Existing Storage Capcity" cell below. |
|---|--------------------|------------|--|
| Storage Capacity Deficit | None | gal | Storage deficit indicates that: (1) additional storage volume is needed, and (2) storage deficiency should be assessed. |
| Is storage deficiency <u>solely</u> due to fire storage? | Not | 4 | If NO, answer one of question set 2.01 to 2.05 in ESS. If YES, answer one of question set 2.06 to 2.10 in ESS. |
| Existing % of Total Req'd | 135.9% | • | Less than 100% indicates: (1) additional storage capacity is needed, and (2) storage deficiency should be assessed. |

3. Transient PWS Indoor Water Use – ERC Calcuation (See R309-510, Tables 510-1, 2, & 4 for other facility types.)

| | MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR INDOOR USE | | |] | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|------------------|--|----------------------|
| | Source | | Storage | | | | |
| Facility Type | GPD/person* | GPD/site or pad | Gallons/person | Gallon/site or pad | ERC/site or pad | Total # of sites/pads | ERCs |
| Modern Recreation Camp | 60 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0.00 | | 0.0 |
| Semi-Developed Camp w/ flush toilets | 20 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0.00 | | 0.0 |
| Semi-Developed Camp w/o flush toilets | 5 | 0 | 2.5 | 0 | 0.00 | | 0.0 |
| RV Park | N/A | 100 | N/A | 50 | 0.13 | | 0.0 |
| Number of people per camp site | | If applicab | le, enter numbe | r of people p | per camp site he | re. | 1 |
| | Source (GPD/vehicle) | Storage (Gal./vehicle) | ERC/1000 vehicles served | Vehicles served/day | ERCs | If applicable, us number in cell I cell I9 on Page | e this 8 or 1. |
| Roadway Rest Stop w/ flushometer valves | 7 | 3.5 | 8.8 | | 0.0 | | |

4.2 Summary - Existing Sources (enter in green cells below)

4. Data Input for Calculating ERCs, Source and Storage

| won Creek water & Sewer Improvement Di | | Total Ex | kisting Source Capacity (in gpm) | 478 |
|---|---|------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| 4.1 Projected ERCs Calculation (optional) | Use this number in | WS001 | Wolf Creek Spring | 30 |
| Total Projected ERCs 1,089 | Cell 18 ("Number of | WS002 | Warm Springs Well | 400 |
| Existing Residential Connections 1049 | connections") on Page | WS003 | Highlands Well - Proposeo | 0 |
| Obligated Future ERCs (enter below) 40 | 1 to calculate PROJECTED demand | WS004 | Eden Hills Well | 48 |
| Fairways 4 & 5 40 | both existing & future connections). | | | |
| | Diaphragm or air | Maximum El | RCs (assuming indoor use only) | 860.4 |
| | be considered effective | 4.3 Summ | ary - Existing Storage Tanks (enter | er below) |
| | storage volume for (1) | Total E | xisting Storage Cap. (in gallons) | 755,000 |
| | (2) NTNC with significant | ST001 | Snowflake Tank | 55,000 |
| | demand UNLESS an | ST002 | Wolf Creek Tank | 250,000 |
| | granted. | ST003 | Highland Tank | 400,000 |
| | | ST004 | Eden Hills Tank | 50,000 |
| | | | Retreat Tank - Proposed | 0 |