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Theresa Holz
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**RE: Monthly Progress Report – Water Main Design
TORX Facility – Rochester, Indiana
MACTEC Project No.: 3359-09-2469**

Dear Ms. Holz:

The purpose of this correspondence is to provide you with a summary of the water main design activities performed between September 22, 2010 and October 20, 2010. The design activities are in support of the proposed municipal water service extension from the City of Rochester, Indiana to the Acument (Torx) facility located at 4366 North Old US Highway 31. The project consists of performing a topographic survey for the project area (existing stubbed connection on the west side of North Old US Highway 31 near the Dean Food facility to the Torx facility), preliminary engineering, construction drawings and specifications, permit preparation, and construction bidding.

ACTIVITIES PERFORMED


The 30% design was completed and submitted to the City of Rochester for review and comment in early November 2009. After comments from the City of Rochester Water Board, the 75% design was completed and presented to the City of Rochester in June 2010. The City of Rochester then recommended a feasibility study be conducted in order to evaluate several other options to supply water to the area property owners. Textron/MACTEC evaluated and presented to the City of Rochester the option of purchasing water from the City of Rochester by attaching a master water meter on the present line at Dean Foods Facility which will provide water to the residents near the TORX Facility.

On October 11, 2010, Textron attended the City of Rochester Water Board meeting to discuss details of the master meter supplied water main. Textron presented a draft water supply agreement to the City of Rochester for review and comment. In addition, Textron answered questions from local residents concerning the logistics of the advancement of City of Rochester water distribution system out to the TORX Facility.

ACTIVITIES TO BE PERFORMED

Textron/MACTEC is currently waiting on the City of Rochester to provide comments on the draft water supply agreement. Textron plans to hold a community meeting to update residents on the municipal main water project. If you have any questions or comments regarding this correspondence, please call our office.

Sincerely,
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