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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 July 19, 2010 and August 23, 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. Since that time, representatives from MACTEC and Textron have remained in contact with City of Rochester Water Board and jointly conducted open forum meetings with the residents of Rochester, Indiana. The 75% design was completed and presented to the City of Rochester in June 2010.

On August 9, 2010, Textron attended a meeting with the City of Rochester to discuss two options requested by the City of Rochester during a previous meeting with the City of Rochester on June 29, 2010: 1) Purchase water from the City of Rochester through a master water meter from the city line at the Dean Foods Facility and 2) conduct a feasibility study that would evaluate installing a separate well field and water treatment plant outside of the city limits which would supply water to residents near the TORX facility.

ACTIVITIES TO BE PERFORMED

Textron/MACTEC is currently evaluating the feasibility of purchasing water from the City of Rochester by attaching a master water meter on the present line at Dean Foods Facility which would provide water to the residents near the TORX Facility.

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If you have any questions or comments regarding this correspondence, please call our office.

Sincerely,

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