



December 30, 2011

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**RE: Monthly Progress Report – Water Main Design
TORX Facility – Rochester, Indiana
AMEC Project No.: 3359-09-2490**

Dear Ms. Holz:

The purpose of this correspondence is to provide you with a summary of the water main design activities performed between November 30, 2011 and December 30, 2011. 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. Following the City's recommendation that a feasibility study be conducted in order to evaluate several other options to supply water to the area property owners, Textron and AMEC (formerly MACTEC) evaluated and presented to the City of Rochester the option of purchasing water from the City of Rochester. This would be done 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. The City has expressed its support for the master meter concept to provide a water distribution system out to the TORX Facility and the agreement between the parties is now ready for execution.

The water distribution would be managed by the South Richland Township Conservancy District.

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In early October, AMEC design professionals met with almost all of the residents to locate a spot where the outdoor water use spigot will be placed on their property. This information will be included in the design documents for the permitting and construction of the water main.

The draft Final Water Main Design was submitted to certain stakeholders on November 16, 2011 for review and comment. The draft District Plan was submitted for review on November 18, 2011.

The first South Richland Conservancy District meeting was held on December 14, 2011. District Board Officers were sworn into office. AMEC personnel presented an overview of the draft Final Water Main Design and District Plan to the Board and audience. The Board voted and approved the draft Final Water Main Design and District Plan.

Textron also filed and presented to the Fulton County Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA) committee a BZA application for the booster station. A property use variance was granted by the BZA for the booster station.

ACTIVITIES TO BE PERFORMED

The District Plan will be submitted to the Natural Resources Commission for review and public comment. Following that process, the Plan would be submitted for Court approval.

We are continuing to work with the City of Rochester to have the water supply agreement executed.

Textron will continue to keep residents apprised of any hearings and the project's status through regular newsletters and updates to the TORX Remediation Website.

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

Sincerely,

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