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Subject: Waiver of Fee for a Utility - US Fish and Wildlife

The US Fish and Wildlife Service is re-connecting an existing meter service after flood damage occurred in July 2010 at our El Morillo tract near Bentson State Park. Without this power, Bentson State Park will eventually run dry in their wetlands and resacas. Our river pump provides the only source of water to the state park. We need a waiver from paying the \$30 fee because Federal entities do not pay these fees and we do not want to set a precedent to pay municipal or gov't fees because then many other agencies would start asking for those fees.

Please waive the \$30 Utility fee and forward paperwork to AEP so they can proceed with installing our meter. Please call me if/when approved.

Respectfully,

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PLANNING DEPARTMENT

County Of Hidalgo

Raul E. Segin, P.E., CFM
PLANNING ADMINISTRATOR

MEMORANDUM

To: Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court

From: TJ Arredondo, Planning Supervisor *[Signature]*

Date: May 25, 2011 *5-25-11*

Via: E-mail

Re: Faysville Drainage Project

C: Raul E. Segin, P.E., Planning Administrator

The County is in the final stages of construction a liftstation located at Faysville. We are requesting to waive fees for the Notice to Connect for the electrical meter for the operation of the pump.

If you should have any questions, please contact me and/or Mr. Segin at (956) 318-2840.

Thank you.

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