

Upper Brushy Creek Water Control and Improvement District

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Williamson County Parks and Recreation Department Mr. Randy Bell Parks Director 219 Perry Mayfield Leander, TX 78641

Dear Mr. Bell,

The Upper Brushy Creek Water Control and Improvement District (the District) has been mandated by the State of Texas, through the Dam Safety Program of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, to modernize all of the District's high hazard flood control structures within the watershed to meet 75% of the probable maximum flood (PMF) and to withstand overtopping without failure of the dam. We have completed the improvements of all of the dams with the exception of Dam #7 at the Brushy Creek Lake Park and Dam #8 on Lake Creek.

The District is in the planning phase of Dam #7 modernization, and we expect to have construction underway by late 2013. There are property issues that we are still addressing, so we do not have a firm project schedule or a specific design selection. However, we are certain that the elevation of the top of the dam will be raised, and we expect that there will be changes to the size of the auxiliary spillway.

We understand that the Williamson County Parks and Recreation Department has plans to repair damages that occurred to the trail just below the auxiliary spillway during Tropical Storm Hermine in September 2010. The District recommends the County to delay construction of the trail repairs until the District has selected a design for the modernization of Dam #7. We commit to Williamson County that we will coordinate our design with you to best meet our requirements, your needs, and the interest of the public.

Sincerely,

Larry Quick
Board President