# REAL ESTATE CONTRACT RM 2338 Right of Way

State of Texas County of Williamson

THIS REAL ESTATE CONTRACT ("Contract") is made by and between MICHELLE LYNN BELL DUBE AND TRAVIS A. DUBE, (referred to in this Contract as "Seller", whether one or more) and the COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON (referred to in this Contract as "Purchaser"), upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Contract.

# ARTICLE I PURCHASE AND SALE

By this Contract, Seller sells and agrees to convey, and Purchaser purchases and agrees to pay for, the tract(s) of land described as follows:

All of that certain 0.373 acre tract of land, more or less, out of the Lewis P. Dyches Survey, Abstract No. 171, Williamson County, Texas; said tract being more particularly described by metes and bounds in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein (Parcel 4); and

together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances pertaining to the property, including any right, title and interest of Seller in and to adjacent streets, alleys or rights-of-way (all of such real property, rights, and appurtenances being referred to in this Contract as the "Property"), and any improvements and fixtures situated on and attached to the Property described herein, for the consideration and upon and subject to the terms, provisions, and conditions set forth below.

#### ARTICLE II PURCHASE PRICE

# Purchase Price and Additional Compensation

- 2.01. The purchase price for the Property and compensation for any damages to the remaining property of Seller shall be the sum of SIXTY ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY FOUR and 00/100 Dollars (\$61,944.00).
- 2.01.1. As additional compensation Purchaser shall pay the amount of TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY TWO and 00/100 Dollars (\$2,422.00) as payment for any improvements or replacement of any fencing.

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#### Payment of Purchase Price and Additional Compensation

2.02. The Purchase Price and Additional Compensation shall be payable in cash at the closing.

# Special Provisions

2.03. As an obligation which shall survive the closing of this transaction, within 20 days after the closing of this transaction Purchaser shall complete any releasing of replacement of fencing which is required to contain livestock or other animals on the remaining property of Seller so as not to interfere with any road construction activities on the Property by Purchaser.

# ARTICLE III PURCHASER'S OBLIGATIONS

#### Conditions to Purchaser's Obligations

3.01. The obligations of Purchaser hereunder to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby are subject to the satisfaction of each of the following conditions (any of which may be waived in whole or in part by Purchaser at or prior to the closing.)

Purchaser will secure and deliver to Seller at closing the letter fully executed as shown in Exhibit "C" allowing installation of a septic system on the remainder property.

#### Miscellaneous Conditions

3.02. Seller shall have performed, observed, and complied with all of the covenants, agreements, and conditions required by this Contract to be performed, observed, and complied with by Seller prior to or as of the closing.

# ARTICLE IV REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF SELLER

Seller hereby represents and warrants to Purchaser as follows, which representations and warranties shall be deemed made by Seller to Purchaser also as of the closing date, to the best of Seller's knowledge:

(1) There are no parties in possession of any portion of the Property as lessees, tenants at sufferance, or trespassers, other than previously disclosed to Purchaser.

The Property herein is being conveyed to Purchaser under threat of condemnation.

#### ARTICLE V CLOSING

#### Closing Date

5.01. The closing shall be held at the office of Texas American Title Company on or before November 6, 2009, or at such time, date, and place as Seller and Purchaser may agree upon, or within 10 days after the completion of any title curative matters if necessary for items as shown on the Title Commitment or in the contract (which date is herein referred to as the "closing date").

## Seller's Obligations at Closing

#### 5.02. At the closing Seller shall:

- (1) Deliver to the State of Texas a duly executed and acknowledged Special Warranty Deed conveying good and marketable title in see simple to all of the Property described in Exhibit "A", free and clear of any liens and restrictions, except for the following:
  - (a) General real estate taxes for the year of closing and subsequent years not yet due and payable;
  - (b) Any exceptions approved by Purchaser pursuant to Article III hereof; and
  - (c) Any exceptions approved by Purchaser in writing.
  - (d) Any items listed on Schedule B of the title commitment obtained by Purchaser.

The deed shall be in the form as shown in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein.

- (2) Deliver to Purchaser a Texas Owner's Title Policy at Purchaser's sole expense, issued by Title Company, in Purchaser's favor in the full amount of the purchase price, insuring Purchaser's fee simple title to the Property subject only to those title exceptions listed herein, such other exceptions as may be approved in writing by Purchaser, and the standard printed exceptions contained in the usual form of Texas Owner's Title Policy, provided, however:
  - (a) The boundary and survey exceptions shall be deleted;
  - (b) The exception as to restrictive covenants shall be endorsed 'None of Record", if applicable; and

(3) Deliver to Purchaser possession of the Property if not previously done.

#### Purchaser's Obligations at Closing

5,03, At the Closing, Purchaser shall:

(a) Pay the cash portion of the purchase price and additional compensation.

#### **Prorations**

5.04. General real estate taxes for the then current year relating to the Property shall be prorated as of the closing date and shall be adjusted in each at the closing. If the closing shall occur before the tax rate is fixed for the then current year, the apportionment of taxes shall be upon the basis of the tax rate for the next preceding year applied to the latest assessed valuation. Agricultural roll-back taxes, if any, shall be paid by Purchaser.

#### Closing Costs

- 5.05. All costs and expenses of closing in consummating the sale and purchase of the Property shall be borne and paid as follows:
  - (1) Owner's Title Policy and survey to be paid by Purchaser.
  - (2) Deed, tax certificates, and title curative matters, if any, paid by Purchaser.
  - (3) All other closing costs shall be paid by Purchaser.
  - (4) Attornoy's fees paid by each respectively.

#### ARTICLE VI ESCROW DEPOSIT

For the purpose of securing the performance of Purchaser under the terms and provisions of this Contract, Purchaser has delivered to Title Company the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), the Escrow Deposit, which shall be paid by the title company to Seller in the event Purchaser breaches this Contract as provided herein. At the closing, the Escrow Deposit shall be paid over to Seller and applied to the cash portion of the purchase price, provided, however, that in the event the Purchaser shall have given written notice to the title company that one or more of the conditions to its obligations set forth in Article III have not been met, or, in the opinion of

Purchaser, cannot be satisfied, in the manner and as provided for in Article III, then the Escrow Deposit shall be forthwith returned by the title company to Purchaser.

#### ARTICLE VII BREACH BY SELLER

In the event Seller shall fail to fully and timely perform any of its obligations hereunder or shall fail to consumnate the sale of the Property for any reason, except Purchaser's default, Purchaser may: (1) enforce specific performance of this Contract; or (2) request that the Escrow Deposit shall be forthwith returned by the title company to Purchaser.

### ARTICLE VIII BREACH BY PURCHASER

In the event Purchaser should fail to consummate the purchase of the Property, the conditions to Purchaser's obligations set forth in Article III having been satisfied and Purchaser being in default and Seller not being in default hereunder, Seller shall have the right to receive the Escrow Deposit from the title company, the sum being agreed on as liquidated damages for the failure of Purchaser to perform the duties, liabilities, and obligations imposed upon it by the terms and provisions of this Contract, and Seller agrees to accept and take this cash payment as its total damages and relief and as Seller's sole remedy hereunder in such event.

# ARTICLE IX MISCELLANEOUS

#### Notice

9.01. Any notice required or permitted to be delivered hereunder shall be deemed received when sent by United States mail, postage prepaid, certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to Seller or Purchaser, as the case may be, at the address set forth opposite the signature of the party.

## Texas Law to Apply

9.02. This Contract shall be construed under and in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, and all obligations of the parties created hereunder are performable in Williamson County, Texas.

#### Parties Bound

9.03. This Contract shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns where permitted by this Contract.

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#### Legal Construction

9.04. In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this Contract shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, this invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision hereof, and this Contract shall be construed as if the invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.

#### Prior Agreements Superseded

9.05. This Contract constitutes the sole and only agreement of the parties and supersedes any prior understandings or written or oral agreements between the parties respecting the within subject matter.

#### Time of Essence

9.06. Time is of the essence in this Contract.

#### Gender

9.07. Words of any gender used in this Contract shall be held and construed to include any other gender, and words in the singular number shall be held to include the plural, and vice versa, unless the context requires otherwise.

#### Memorandum of Contract

9.08. Upon request of either party, the parties shall promptly execute a memorandum of this Contract suitable for filing of record.

#### Compliance

9.09 In accordance with the requirements of Section 20 of the Texas Real Estate License Act, Purchaser is hereby advised that it should be furnished with or obtain a policy of title insurance or Purchaser should have the abstract covering the Property examined by an attorney of Purchaser's own selection.

#### **Effective Date**

9.10 This Contract shall be effective as of the date it is approved by the Williamson County Commissioner's Court, which date is indicated beneath the Judge's signature below.

#### Counterparts

9.11 This Contract may be executed in any number of counterparts, which may together constitute the Contract. Signatures transmitted by facsimile may be considered effective as originals for purposes of this Contract.

#### Possession and Use Agreement

9.12 By signing this Contract, Seller agrees to allow Purchaser and its contractors and assigns to use and possess the Property for the purpose of constructing and/or improving a public roadway and related facilities, including the relocation of utilities, if necessary to begin the project prior to the completion of the closing of this transaction, upon full execution of this contract. Upon request by Purchaser, Seller agrees that it shall execute a separate possession and use agreement which is suitable for recording in the real property records of Williamson County.

In the event Purchaser and its contractors and assigns begin use and possession of the Property prior to Closing, but Purchaser then defaults under this Contract, Seller shall have the additional remedies of specific performance and damages under Article VIII above against Purchaser.

[signature page follows]

SELLER:

Address: 13680 Wood Road Holland, Texas 76534

Address: 13680 Wood Road Holland, Texas 76534

PURCHASER:

County of Williamson

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge
Date: 11-04-09

701 Main Street, Suite 101 Georgetown, Texas 78626

EXHIBIT

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County:

Williamson

Parcel No.:

Highway:

R.M. 2338

Limits:

From 0.3 Miles North of Ronald W. Reagan Blyd.

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To F.M. 3405

CSJ

2211-01-023

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION FOR PARCEL 4

BEING, 0.373 of an acre (16,262 Square Feet) of land, situated in the Lewis P. Dyches Survey, Abstract No. 171, in Williamson County, Texas, said land being a portion of that certain tract of land, called 1.00 acre, as conveyed to Michelle Lynn Bell Dube and husband, Travis A. Dube, by deed recorded as Document No. 9872664 of the Official Records of Williamson County, Texas, Surveyed on the ground in the month of January, 2008, under the supervision of Brian F. Peterson, Register Professional Land Surveyor, and being more particularly described as follows;

Beginning for REFERENCE at an iron pin found marking the Northwest corner of the above referenced 1.00 acre Dube tract, being an interior corner of the certain tract of land called, 317.51 acres, as conveyed to Somerset Hills, Ltd., by deed recorded as Document No. 2008039583 of Official Public Records of Williamson County, Texas;

THENCE, along the West line of the said 1.00 acre Dube tract, being an easterly line of the above-referenced 317.51 acre Somerset Hills, Ltd. tract, S 13°03'15" W, 120,94 feet to au iron plu with TxDOT aluminum cap set on the proposed Northeast line of Ranch to Market No. 2338. 105.00 feet left of station 353+40.26, for the Northeast corner and Point of BRGINNING hereoft

- 1) THENCE, along the said proposed Northeast line of Ranch to Market Highway No. 2338, along a curve to the right having a radius of 1,705.00 feet, a Central Angle of 7°04'00" and Long Chord bears S 70°26'00" B, 210.15 feet, an arc distance of 210.28 feet to an iron pin with TxDOT aluminum cap set on the Bast line of the said 1.00 acre Dube tract. being a westerly line of the said 317.51 acro Semerset Hills, Lid, tract, for the Northeast corner hereoft
- 2) THENCH, S 13'01'15" W, 64.64 feet to a nail found on the existing North line of RM 2338, marking the Southeast corner of the sald 1.00 aore Dube tract, being a southwesterly corner of the said 317.51 acre Somerset Hills, Ltd. fract, for the Southeast corner hereof;
- 3) THBNCB, along the said existing North line of RM 2338, along a curve to the left having a radius of 1,186.28 feet, a Central Angle of 4'00'57" and Long Chord bears N 76°20'15" W, 83.13 feet, an are distance of 83.15 feet to a TxDOT Type I Concrete Marker found;

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- 4) And N 77"00"30" W, 125.71 feet to an iron pin found marking the Southwest corner of the said 1.00 acre Dube tract, being a southeasterly corner of the said 317.51 acre Somerset Hills, Ltd. tract, for the Southwest corner hereof;
- 5) THENCE, N 13°03'15" E, 87.74 feet to the Place of BEGINNING and containing 0.373 of an sore (16,262 Square Feet) of land, more or less. ...

This property description is accompanied by a separate parcel plat.

All bearings recited herein are based on the Texas State Plane Coordinate System, Central Zone No. 4203, NAD 83. All distances are surface distances and may be converted back to grid with a Combined Adjustment Factor of 1.00014.

Access is permitted to the highway facility from the remainder of the abutting property.

STATE OF TEXAS KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON

I, Brian F. Peterson, Registered Professional Land Surveyor, do hereby certify that this survey was made on the ground of the property legally described hereon and is correct, and there are no apparent discrepancies, conflicts, overlapping of improvement, visible utility lines or roads in place, except as shown on the accompanying plat, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

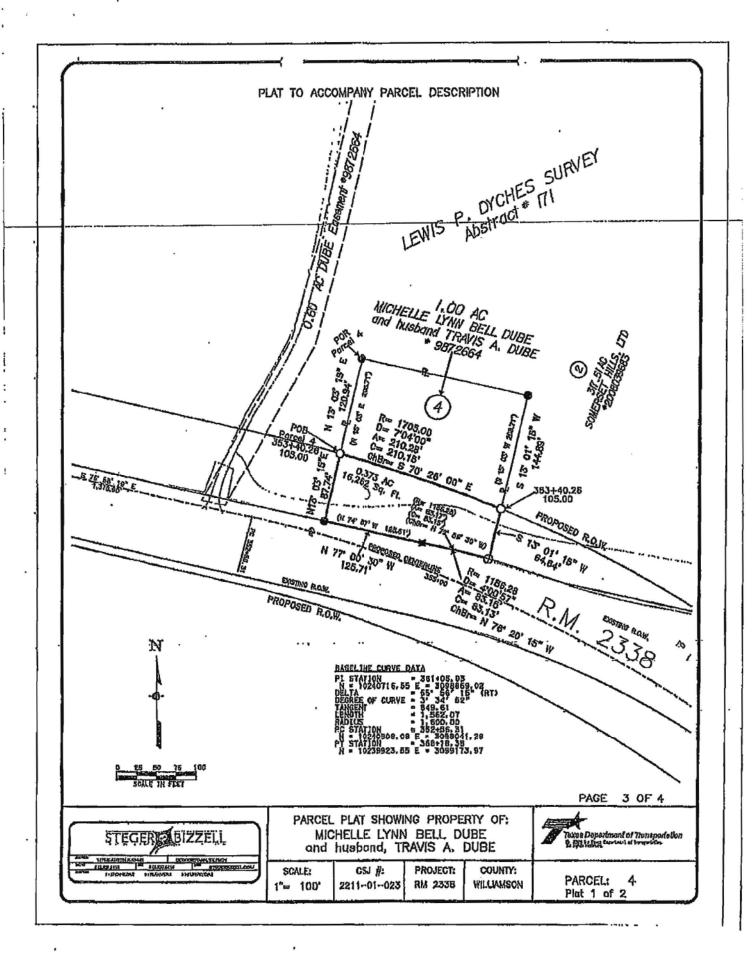
To certify which, witness my hand and seal at Georgetown, Williamson County, Texas, this day of March , 2008 A.D.

Brian F. Peterson

Assional Land Surveyor, No. 3967 Registered E

State of Texas





PLAT TO ACCOMPANY PARCEL DESCRIPTION

# LEGEND

- TYPE I CONCRETE MONUMENT FOUND
- TYPE II MONUMENT FOUND
- M 1/2" IRON ROD SET TO BE REPLACED WITH TXDOT TYPE II MONUMENT AFTER R.O.W. ACQUISITION IS COMPLETE
- (B) 1/2" IRON-ROD-FOUND-TO BE REPLACED WITH TADOT TYPE II MONUMENT AFTER R.O.W. ACQUISITION IS COMPLETE
- O 1/2" IRON ROD SET W/ TXDOT ALUM CAP
- 1/2" IRON ROD FOUND UNLESS NOTED
- A CALCULATED POINT
- MAIL FOUND
- E CENTER LINE
- P. PROPERTY LINE
- ( ) RECORD INFORMATION
- P.O.R. POINT OF REFERENCE
- P.O.B. POINT OF BEGINNING
- LINE BREAK

NOTES: ALL BEARINGS ARE BASED ON GRID BEARINGS. DISTANCES ARE SURFACE DISTANCES, COORDINATES ARE SURFACE VALUES BASED ON THE TEXAS STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, NAD 83, CENTRAL ZONE USING A COMBINED SURFACE ADJUSTMENT FACTOR OF 1.00014,

THIS SURVEY WAS PERFORMED WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF A TITLE REPORT. THERE MAY BE EASEMENTS OR OTHER INSTRUMENTS PERTAINING TO THIS PROPERTY THAT ARE NOT SHOWN HEREON.

HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PLAT IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND THAT THE PROPERTY SHOWN HEREIN WAS DETERMINED BY A SURVEY MADE ON THE GROUND UNDER MY DIRECTION AND SUPERVISION.

WEN F. PETERSON GISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR, No. 3867 TATE OF TEXAS

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PARCEL PLAT SHOWING PROPERTY OF: MICHELLE LYNN BELL DUBE and husbond, TRAVIS A. DUBE

SCALE: C9J #: PRO

1"= 100' 2211-01-023

PROJECT: RM 2338 COUNTY: VILLIAMSON These Department of Transportation

PARCEL: 4 Plot 2 of 2



#### SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED RM 2338 Right of Way

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON

NOTICE OF CONFIDENTIALITY RIGHTS: IF YOU ARE A NATURAL PERSON, YOU MAY REMOVE OR STRIKE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM THIS INSTRUMENT BEFORE IT IS FILED FOR RECORD IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS: YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER OR YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER.

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WHEREAS, Williamson County, Texas and the State of Texas, acting by and through the Texas Transportation Commission, are authorized to purchase and receive land and such other property rights deemed necessary or convenient for the construction, expansion, enlargement, extension, improvement, or operation of a portion of the proposed RM 2338 improvements ("Project"); and,

WHEREAS, the acquisition of the hereinafter-described premises has been deemed necessary or convenient for the construction, expansion, enlargement, extension, improvement, or operation of the Project;

#### NOW, THEREFORE, KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That MICHELLE LYNN BELL DUBE and TRAVIS A. DUBE, hereinafter referred to as Grantor, whether one or more, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration to Grantor in hand paid by Williamson County, Texas, receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and for which no lien is retained, either expressed or implied, have this day Sold and by these presents do Grant, Bargain, Sell and Convey unto the State of Texas, acting by and through the Texas Transportation Commission, all those certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being situated in the County of Williamson, State of Texas, along with any improvements thereon, being more particularly described as follows:

All of that certain 0.373 acre tract of land, more or less, out of the Lewis P. Dyches Survey, Abstract No. 171, Williamson County, Texas; said tract being more particularly described by motes and bounds in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein (Parcel 4)

RESERVATIONS FROM AND EXCEPTIONS TO CONVEYANCE AND WARRANTY;
Easements and rights-of-way of record; all presently recorded restrictions, reservations, covenants, conditions, oil, gas or other mineral leases, mineral severances, and other instruments, other than liens and conveyances, that affect the property; rights of adjoining owners in any walls and fences situated on a common boundary; and any encroachments or overlapping of improvements.

Grantors reserve all of the oil, gas and other minerals in and under the land herein conveyed but walve all rights of ingress and egress to the surface thereof for the purpose of exploring, developing, mining or drilling or pumping the same; provided, however, that operations for exploration or recovery of any such minerals and water shall be permissible so long as all surface operations in connection therewith are located at a point outside the acquired parcel and upon the condition that none of such operations shall be conducted so near the surface of said land as to interfere with the intended use thereof or in any way interfere with, jeopardize, or endanger the facilities of the Texas Department of Transportation or oreate a hazard to the public users thereof; it being intended, however, that nothing in this reservation shall affect the title and the rights of Grantee to take and use without additional compensation any, stone, earth, gravel, caliche, iron ore, gravel or any other road building material upon, in and under said land for the construction and maintenance of RM 2338, but shall not be used or exported from the Property for any other purpose.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the premises herein described and herein conveyed together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging unto the State of Texas and its assigns forever; and Grantors do hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to Warrant and Forever Defend all and singular the said premises herein conveyed unto the State of Texas and its assigns against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof by, through, or under Grantors, but not otherwise.

This deed is being delivered in lieu of condemnation. V
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed on this the day of
GRANTOR:
Michelle Lynn Bell Dube
Travis A Dube

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF
This instrument was acknowledged before me on this the day of, 2009 by Michelle Lynn Bell Dube and Travis A. Dube, in the capacity and for the purposes and consideration recited therein.
Notary Public, State of Texas

PREPARED IN THE OFFICE OF:

Sheets & Crossfield, P.C. 309 East Main

Round Rock, Texas 78664

GRANTEL'S ADDRESS:

Williamson County Courthouse 701 Main Street, Suite 101 Georgetown, Texas 78626

AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:

# Sheets & Crossfield, P.C.

#### ATTORNEYS AT LAW

309 Rest Main Street • Round Rack, TX 78664-5246 Phone 512-255-8877 • fax 512-255-8986

EXHIBIT "C"

August 12, 2009

Travis and Michelle Dube 13680 Wood Rd. Holland, Texas 76534

Re: RM2338 Widening Project -- Parcel 4
ON-SITE SEWAGE FACILITY ("OSSF")

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Dube,

As you are aware, Williamson County is seeking to acquire approximately 16,262 square feet (Parcel 4) of your undeveloped 1.00 acre lot located at 8400 RM 2338 in Williamson County, Texas. The County requires Parcel 4 in order to accommodate the widening of RM 2338.

The Williamson County and Cities Health District ("WCCHD") has responsibility for approving all OSSF's in Williamson County. The WCCHD has adopted the rules found in Title 30 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 285 and Chapter 30 (the "Rules"). Paulo Pinto, as the WCCHD's Director of Environmental Services, is responsible for administering the Rules on its behalf.

The Williamson County Engineer, Joe England, is tasked by the County Commissioners Court with enforcement of its Subdivision Regulations. To this end, the County Engineer verifies that any proposed subdivision of land meets the requirements found in the Subdivision Regulations, including the approval of the WCHD. Should there be a deviation from the normal standards of the WCHD, the County Engineer will look to Paulo Pinto to approve any variance. If approval is received the County Engineer will process the plat as usual.

As a general rule, the WCCHD will not license an OSSF to serve a lot or tract under one acre in size. I understand that you have expressed concerns that the County's acquisition of Parcel 4 will leave you with a remainder property of less than one acre, and would therefore, limit your ability to construct a septic system. Fortunately, the Rules allow the WCCHD to license an OSSF on a lot smaller than 1.00 acre in extraordinary situations. A lot that fails to meet the minimum size requirements due to a sale or exchange under the threat of condemnation is considered an extraordinary situation by the WCCHD. The acquisition of Parcel 4 by the County is done under threat of condemnation.

Please allow this letter to confirm that the WCCHD and County Engineer will not prohibit an OSSF on your remainder due to it being less than 1.00 acre in size after the County's acquisition of Parcel 4.

Please let us know if you have any additional questions or concerns about this issue, or about anything else related to the County's proposed acquisition. Thank you again for your continued patience and assistance with this matter.

	Sincerely,
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	Don Childs Sheets & Crossfield, P.C
DC/tw Enclosures	
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AGREED: WILLIAMSON COUTY AND CITIES HEALTH	DISTRICT
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AGREED: WILLIAMSON COUNTY	
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