



February 16, 2010

Mr. Gary Boyd
Director, Environmental Programs
Williamson County Conservation Foundation
350 Discovery #207
Cedar Park, TX 78613

Re: Proposal for Review and Comment on Proposed Ozone Standard

Dear Mr. Boyd:

Oris Solutions, LLC (Oris) is pleased to submit this proposal for consulting services to Williamson County. This project will involve developing and documenting the County's comments on the United States Environmental Protection Agency's proposed new National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) for ozone.

The scope of services will include a review of EPA's current ozone NAAQS proposal, a review of existing technical reports and other documents produced for Williamson County related to any ozone NAAQS (current or previously proposed), the production of a draft set of comments for review by you and other Williamson County officials, and a final, complete set of detailed comments ready for submittal to the EPA by their March 22, 2010 deadline. The comments will include discussions regarding the soundness of the air quality science used to set the proposed standard, an analysis of the 11 factors EPA considers in evaluating attainment status, the impact and influence of transported and background ozone and ozone precursors, the pro-active measures already in place in the County, and future measures planned by the County.

Costs will only be billed for work/hours completed and will not exceed the total estimated amount in Table 1 unless a change in scope of work is requested by and approved by the County. If travel becomes necessary, automobile travel within Texas will be billed at a rate of \$0.50/mile. Any other travel costs, including air fare, lodging, meals, parking, etc will be reimbursable based on current Williamson County per diem rates. However, the current scope of work does not include travel.



Table 1 - Tasks and Estimated Costs

Task	Description	Estimated time (hrs)	Charge rate (\$/hour)	Cost/Task
1	Review current EPA ozone NAAQS proposal	8	\$105	\$840
2	Review existing technical documents provided by client	16	\$105	\$1,680
3	Development and production of draft set of comments	30	\$105	\$3,150
4	Production of final comments for submittal to EPA	16	\$105	\$1,680
	Total Estimated Cost	72		\$7,350

If you have any questions or comments regarding this proposal, please call me at (512) 258-8855 or (828) 628-0634 (mobile). When you are prepared for me to commence working on this, please sign and date the Notice to Proceed at the bottom of this letter and fax it to me at (512) 258-7522. I am looking forward to working with you on this project.

Sincerely,

James Red
Senior Consultant
Oris Solutions, LLC



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Notice to Proceed

PROPOSAL FOR PREPARATION OF COMMENTS ON EPA'S PROPOSED OZONE STANDARDS ON BEHALF OF WILLIAMSON COUNTY

ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL:


Signature

2/23/10
Date

DAN A GATTIS, Co. Judge
Printed Name and Title

Williamson County
Company/Organization