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TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution November 29, 1993

Mr. Stanley J. Hummel 329 Lone Oak Road New Braunfels, Texas 78132-2808

Re: <u>EDWARDS AQUIFER</u>, Comal County PROJECT: Homestead Oaks Subdivision TYPE: Water Pollution Abatement Plan (WPAP), 31 Texas Administrative Code (TAC), TAC §313.4

Dear Mr. Hummel:

On July 2, 1993 Region 13 of the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission (TNRCC) received your petition opposing the above referenced project. Your petition requested denial of any variance to Leonard Hitzfelder for the subject subdivision based on your concern for the Edwards Aquifer.

The Edwards Rules (31 TAC §313.4) define a <u>Regulated Development</u> as:

Regulated development - Any publicly or privately owned site on the recharge zone, on which industrial, commercial, utility, residential, or road construction is planned, or on which is planned a change in intended land use from the status quo to land use with a potential for contaminating waters of the Edwards Aquifer, as determined by the executive director. "Regulated development" does not include residential subdivisions in which every lot is larger than five (5) acres and no more than one single-family residence is located on each lot.

Construction Standards For On-Site Sewerage Facilities (25 TAC §301.18(e)(G)(2) state:

Minimum lot sizes: Each lot or tract of land on the recharge zone on which on-site sewage facilities are to be located must have an area of at least one acre (43,560 square feet) per living unit.

On September 20, 1993 Region 13 received the WPAP application for Homestead Oaks Subdivision from Mr. Hitzfelder. The application states that the project will have 24 single-family residences located on 26 acres. This configuration meets the minimum lot size requirement of one (1) acre for each residence.

REPLY TO: REGION 13 • 140 HEIMER RD., SUITE 360 • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78232-5028 • AREA CODE 210/490-3096

Mr. Stanley J. Hummel Page 2 November 29, 1993

An additional requirement for single-family residential subdivisions using septic tanks for wastewater disposal is that the county sanitarian provide a statement that the land is suitable for the use of a septic tank or identify areas that are not suitable. The Comal County Sanitarian has provided a letter dated August 31, 1993 which states:

Each lot shall be required to have a design layout performed by a registered sanitarian or a registered professional engineer including soil description and soil percolation rate. Measurements and distances from all private water wells, property lines, etc., as required, shall be met.

This statement indicates that all lots in the proposed subdivision have some areas suitable for installation of a septic tank but that each lot must have a site-specific system designed for it.

As presented Homestead Oaks Subdivision is compliant with applicable provisions of the Edwards Aquifer Protection Rules. No "variance" or exception was requested by the developer and the TNRCC has no basis for denial of this project. A copy of the approval letter is attached. If you have any questions please contact John Mauser at this San Antonio office, 210/490-3096.

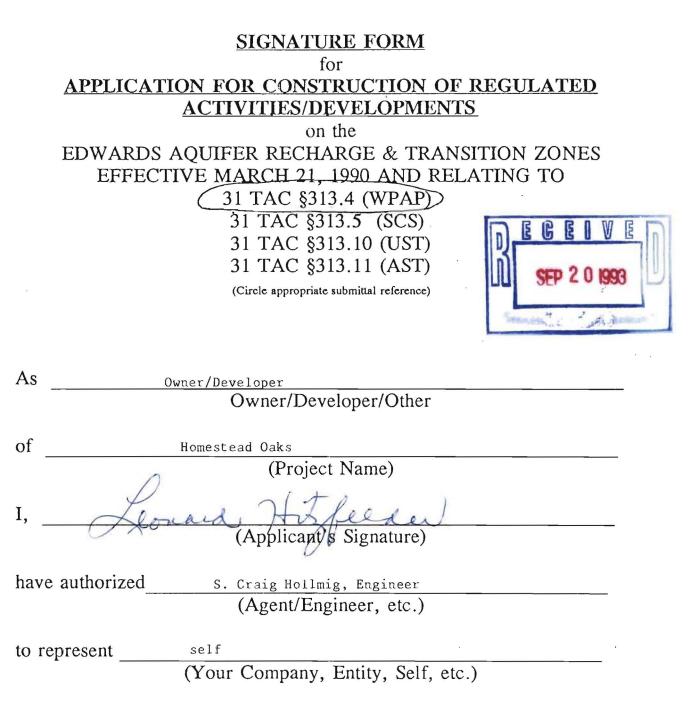
Sincerely,

J. Richard Garcia, Regional Manager

JRG-JKM/jkm

cc: Tom Hornseth - Comal County Engineer Monica Wallace - Comal County Sanitarian EUWD

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and to act on my/our behalf to submit this application to the Texas Water Commission for review and approval consideration for construction on the Edwards Aquifer (31 TAC §313.23).

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I understand that clearing of vegetation in a 10-foot wide path as is necessary and for the sole purpose of surveying is the only construction activity allowed prior to approval. I understand that fines of up to \$10,000 per violation per day could be levied if unauthorized construction begins before TWC approval is granted or if any aspect of the project does not conform to the standard and/or special conditions of approval.

Before beginning construction related to an approved regulated development, I shall notify the appropriate district office of when the regulated activity will begin. Furthermore, I am aware of State regulations that pertain to the construction on the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone (31 TAC §313).

Signatories to Applications 31 TAC §313.23

(a) Required Signature. All applications must be signed as follows.

- For a corporation by a principal executive officer of at least the level of vice-president or by a duly authorized representative. A representative must submit written proof of the authorization.
- (2) For a partnership by a general partner;
- (3) For a political entity such as a municipality; or a state, federal, or other public agency - by either a principal executive officer or a duly authorized representative. A representative must submit written proof of authorization.
- (4) For an individual or sole proprietor by the individual or sole proprietor, as applicable.
- (b) Proof of Authorization to Sign. The executive director may require written proof of authorization to sign any application.

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FEE SCHEDULE REGULATED PROJECTS OVER THE EDWARDS AQUIFER

[Reference: 31 TAC §313.27(a), §313.27(b), & §313.27(c) effective 1-21-92]

WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT PLANS AND AMENDMENTS

PROJECT	ACRES	FEE
Single Family Residential,	< 2	\$1,000
Parks, Public Schools	≥ 2	\$2,000
Commercial & Other Regulated	< 1	\$1,000
Developments	≥ 1	\$2,000

SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEMS AND AMENDMENTS

PROJECT	COST PER LINEAR FOOT	MINIMUM FEE MAXIMUM FEE	
Sewage Collection Lines	\$0.50	\$500 - \$2,000	

STATIC HYDROCARBONS OR HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS, FACILITY PLANS AND AMENDMENTS

PROJECT	COST PER TANK OR PIPING SYSTEM	MINIMUM FEE MAXIMUM FEE
Static Hydrocarbons or Hazardous Substance Storage tank Systems and Facility Plans	\$500	\$500 - \$2,000

TEXAS WATER COMMISSION EDWARDS AQUIFER FEE APPLICATION FORM

NAME OF	PROPOSED	PROJECT:	Homestead	Oaks -	Single	family	residential	subdivision
NAME OF	OWNER/DEV	VELOPER:	Leonard	Hitzfe	lder	·		
ADDRESS	2505	FM 725; New	Braunfels	, Texas	78130			
PHONE N	UMBER: (210) 625 <u>-</u> 46	25		1			
CONTACT	PERSON:	S. Craig Ho	llmig		litte		PHONE	NUMBER: (210)625-8555

COUNTY OF PROPOSED PROJECT: Comal

APPLICATION FEES MUST BE PAID BY CHECK, CERTIFIED CHECK, OR MONEY ORDER, PAYABLE TO THE TEXAS WATER COMMISSION. PLEASE <u>RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR FEE PAYMENT TO</u> <u>ENSURE CREDIT TO THE PROPER ACCOUNT.</u> YOUR CANCELED CHECK WILL SERVE AS YOUR RECEIPT.

PLEASE SUBMIT ONE COPY OF THIS FORM WITH THE APPROPRIATE FEE TO:

TEXAS WATER COMMISSION FISCAL SERVICES SECTION P.O. BOX 13087 AUSTIN, TEXAS 78711-3087

A SECOND COPY OF THIS FORM ALONG WITH THE NECESSARY COPIES OF PROPOSED PLANS SHOULD BE SENT TO THE APPROPRIATE TWC DISTRICT OFFICE.

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 21, 1992, FEES WILL BE AS AMENDED IN THE "TEXAS REGISTER" DATED OCTOBER 25, 1991, 16 TEXREG 6039 (31 TEXAS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE §313.27).

ACRES = 26.854

LINEAR FEET = 0

WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT PLAN: SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEM PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS:

STATIC HYDROCARBONS OR HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE STORAGE FACILITY PLANS: TANKS = 0 FEE = \$____ PIPING SYSTEMS = 0 FEE = \$____

TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED:

(INSTALLED WITHOUT TANKS)

<u>2,000.00</u>

- 14-93

DATE

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AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE WATERSHED MANAGEMENT DIVISION - GROUNDWATER SECTION IN AUSTIN AT 512/463-8497, THE TWC SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT OFFICE AT 512/490-3096, OR THE TWC AUSTIN DISTRICT OFFICE AT 512/463-7803.

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APPLICATION

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WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT PLAN

FOR CONSTRUCTION OF REGULATED ACTIVITIES/DEVELOPMENTS ON THE EDWARDS AQUIFER RECHARGE ZONE AND RELATING TO 31 TAC §313.4 EFFECTIVE MARCH 21, 1990

EDWARD	<u>S AQUIFER,</u>	Comal	County
PROJECT	NAME: Homes	tead Oaks	······································
TYPE:	Water Po	Ilution Abatement	Plan (WPAP), 31
	Texas Ad	ministrative Code	(TAC) 313.4

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Fee Due:	\$		
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Judged administratively complete & distributed by District Office:			
Approved () APP Rejected () REJ			

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SB NA $SB = Submitted \cdot NA \doteq Not Applicable$

- Is this the latest version of the WPAP APPLICATION available from the Texas Water Commission? YES/NACRX
- 1. Enter Site Address (if assigned), County, City, and ETJ (if applicable):

Comal County on South side of Lone Oak Road, approximately 1800 feet east of F.M. 2722. Street (If assigned) Lone Oak Road City, State New Braunfels, Texas Zip 78130

Is this project outside the city limits but inside the city's ETJ?

2. Give location of the project site (Example: "NE corner of Bitters & Heimer Roads", "On east side of Heimer Road, ¼ mile north of Bitters Road".

Comal County on South side of Lone Oak Road, approximately 1800 feet

3. Give name of the Underground Water Conservation District in the area (if one exists). (Barton Springs - Edwards - Medina County)

Edwards

4. Applicant:

Contact Person: Leonard Hitzfelder Entity: P.O. Box: Street Address: 2505 F.M. 725 City, State: New Braunfels, Texas Zip: 78130 Telephone: (210) 625-4625

5. Agent (If any):

Contact Person:S. Craig HollmigEntity:S. Craig Hollmig, Inc.P.O. Box:Street Address:Street Address:410 N. SeguinCity, State:New Braunfels, TexasZip:78130Telephone:(210) 625-8555

6. Name of person or entity who will maintain any permanent sedimentation/filtration structures.

Contact Person: Leonard Hitzfelder Entity: P.O. Box: Street Address: 2505 F.M. 725 City, State: New Braunfels, Texas Zip: 78130 Telephone: (210) 625-4625

7. Attach a Road Map behind this sheet showing location of project site and route/mileage from an existing known site or intersection.

		Size of the project - in acres: 26.854
		Fee Due: \$2000.00
		Projected population: <u>23 houses x 4 people/house = 92 people</u>
		Source of potable water: groundwater: individual wells
		Impervious Cover (in acres or square feet) of completed project.
		Structures/Roof: 60,000 ft ²
		Parking/Paved Surfaces: 50,000 ft ²
		Other (Describe):
		Total Impervious Cover: <u>110,000 ft</u> ²
<u> </u>		Percent of impervious cover in the proposed project (total impervious area + total project area x 100%). 31 TAC §313.4(b)(A)(i)
		10%
	9	. Wastewater to be generated by proposed project [31 TAC §313.4(b)(A)(ii)]. Show calculations and assumptions: assume: 150 gal/day/person Character Volume 92 people x 150 gal/day/person
		<u>100</u> % Domestic <u>13,800</u> gallons/day
		% Industrial gallons/day
		If form is not on computer disk

0 % Commingled Total 13,800 gallons/day

Method of Wastewater Disposal:

Septic Tank: Attach appropriate licensing authority's letter directly behind this page. It should state that the land is suitable for the use of a septic tank or identify areas that are not suitable.

> If using septic tank, are all lots greater than 1.0 acre? The minimum allowable lot size is 1.0 acre.

> yes Sewage Holding Tank: Prohibited - see 31 TAC 313.9.

Sewage Collection System:

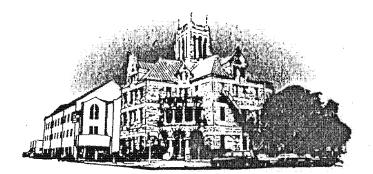
If Yes, have you or do you need to submit an SCS Application? No, private septic tanks are to be used on each lot. No STP is near the site.

If Yes, identify the existing or proposed sewage treatment plant (S.T.P.) which will treat the wastewater generated by this project.

Describe the precautions your plumber will take to properly connect private service laterals to the organized collection system without damage to the stub-out.

Describe the measures you the applicant will take to repair any private service lateral not properly installed or connected by your plumber.





Comal County

OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

August 31, 1993

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Subject: Homestead Oaks Subdivision

The proposed revised plat for Homestead Daks Subdivision meets State and County requirements for minimum lot size with a private water well and on-site sewerage facility.

Each lot shall be required to have a design layout performed by a registered sanitarian or a registered professional engineer including soil description and soil percolation rate. Measurements and distances from all private water wells, property lines, etc., as required, shall be met.

If you have any questions please contact me at 210/907-3338.

Sincerely, m. Hallace

Monica M. Wallace Comal County Sanitarian



1010 Rockmoor • Lot 4 • Canyon Lake, Texas 78133-4830 • (512) 964-3338

State that all private service laterals will be inspected as required in 31 TAC 313.5(c)(9), and indicate who will perform the inspection.

10. Stormwater [31 TAC §313.4(b)(A)(i)]

Watershed (WS)	.#	Character of Runoff from Each WS	Acres in Each WS	CFS in Each WS (25 yr.)*
Contributing to proposed project This is for Elm Creek	1 2	typical hill country •ranch/residential	approx. 1600	approx. 3000
that flows between Lots 13 & 14 Info. shown is from Flood Insurance study of Comal County, Texas	3	runoff		
	4			
	5			
On-site	1	typical residential	27 acres	75 cfs
27 acres x 5 in/hr x 0.555 =	2	runoff		
	3			
	4			
	5			
Leaving proposed	1	typical hill country	approx. 1625	approx.3075
project site	2	ranch/residential		
	3	runoff		
	4			
	5			

Show calculations. They should be based on the area and type of impermeable cover described above.



Will stormwater runoff from upgradient be directed around the site?

If yes, has proper approval been obtained from appropriate regulating authority?

11. A legible Geologic Map(s) of the site and area downgradient of the site is required. Note, the Geologic Map for the project site must be the same scale as the construction site plan(s). Minimum scale for either map is 1 inch = 400 feet.

> Site Plan Scale: 1'' = 400 feet Geologic Map(s) Scale: 1'' = 2000 feet

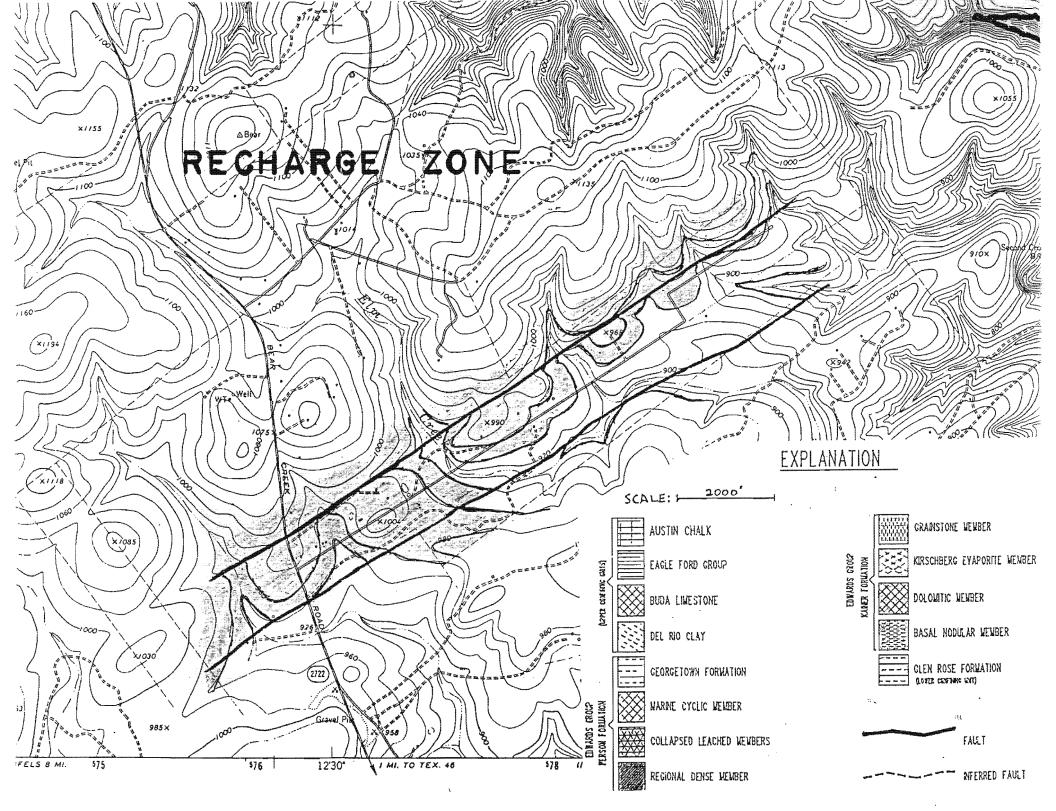
Provide the following information on the Site Plan.

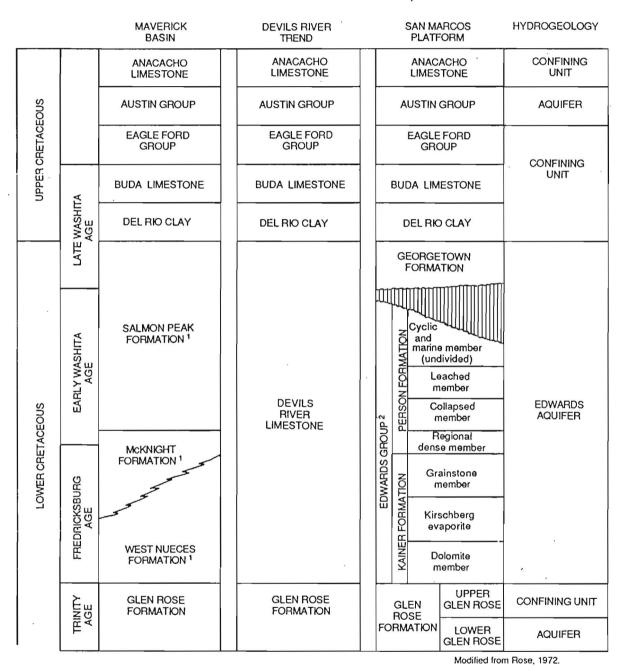
Any significant recharge features (SRF) which are located within the development or within 200 feet downgradient of the site and in the 5 year floodplain. If no SRF's are present in these areas, indicate so below.

None were observed.

The 100 year floodplain's boundaries which are within the site and 200 feet downgradient. If no part of the site is within the 100 year floodplain, indicate so below.

This is shown on the site plan.



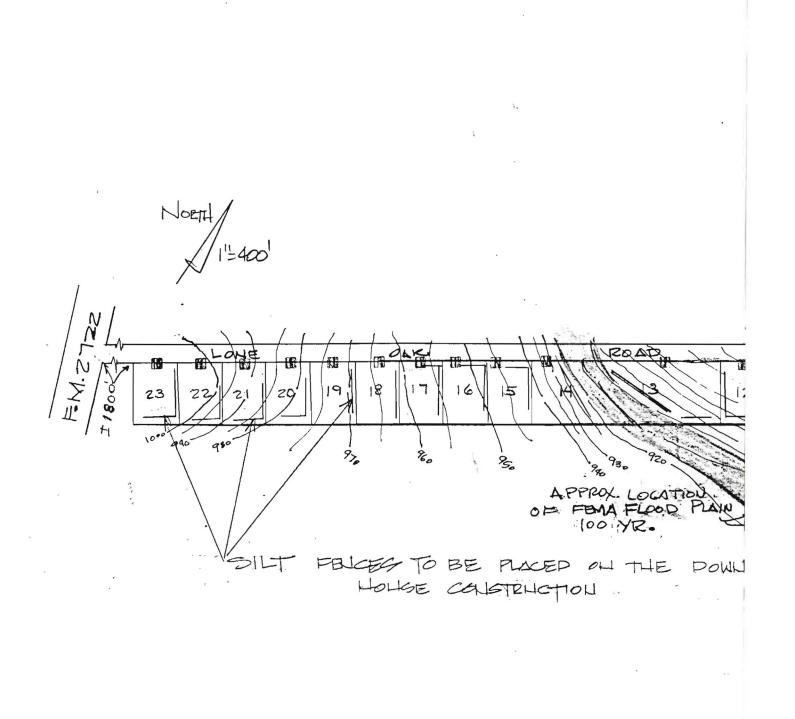


¹ Of Lozo and Smith (1964).

²The Edwards Limestone was raised to a stratigraphic group by Rose (1972) and includes Kainer and Person Formations in the subsurface.

Figure 3. Correlation of Cretaceous stratigraphic units in south Texas.

Simulation of Flow in the Edwards Aquifer, Texas A9



The layout of the development, and the existing and finished topographic contours. The contour intervals should be no larger than 5 feet and should be clearly marked on the site plan. List existing and finished contour intervals (CI) below.

Existing CI: <u>5</u> feet

Finished CI: _____ feet

The locations of all known wells (oil, water, unplugged, capped and/or abandoned). If no wells exist on the site, state so below. See site plan for location of one existing private water well, which is to be abandoned.

Designate temporary stockpile areas, identify material to be stored, and indicate the erosion and sedimentation (E&S) controls to be installed. If no stockpile areas are anticipated, state so here and indicate where spoil materials will be disposed.

No stockpile areas are anticipated.

Designate the point(s) of access to construction site. A Stabilized Construction Entrance shall be provided at each entrance and indicated on the Site Plan Sheet.

12. Other

Will there be any hydrocarbons or hazardous substances associated with this project?

NO

If Yes, a separate application for Aboveground or Underground hydrocarbon or hazardous substance storage must be submitted pursuant to 31 TAC §313.10/313/11.

- Will there be any new feedlot/concentrated animal feeding operations associated with this project?
 - Will there be any waste disposal wells regulated under 31 TAC §331 of this title relating to Underground Injection Control?

NO

- Will there be any land disposal of Class I wastes, as defined in 31 TAC §335.1?
- Will there be any land disposal of Municipal Solid Waste as defined in 31 TAC §330?

NO

- 13. A Geologic Assessment is required for all commercial and industrial projects including schools, churches, amusement parks, convenience stores, offices, golf courses, nurseries, etc. A geologic assessment is required for residential subdivisions where there are 25 or more single-family residences or living unit equivalents.
- Is the proposed project a residential subdivision?

Yes If Yes, how many single-family residences or living unit equivalents will the proposed project have? twenty-three (23)

- If there are 25 or more single-family residences or living unit equivalents a Geologic Assessment is required. Is it attached?
- If the proposed project is not a residential subdivision, is the <u>GEOLOGIC ASSESSMENT</u> attached?

- 14. Describe measures to be taken to prevent pollution from entering significant recharge features identified in the geologic assessment or observed on the project site. Silt fences will be constructed on the downgradient side of all construction. No roads will be constructed. Do not limit discussion to contaminated stormwater runoff.
- 15. Is the <u>STORMWATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT</u> section attached? No, because the only construction is single family residential houses and silt fences will be installed during construction and remain in place until grass cover of excavated and disturbed areas are covered. These silt fences will be located as shown on the downgradient side of the construction. No roads will
 16. Is the <u>APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE FORM</u> with original signature be attached? (No copies.)

This WPAP application was prepared by:

(Signature of Applicant/Owner/Agent, etc.)

Please list any comments or suggestions you may have to improve this application. They will be considered for inclusion in the next edition of this form.

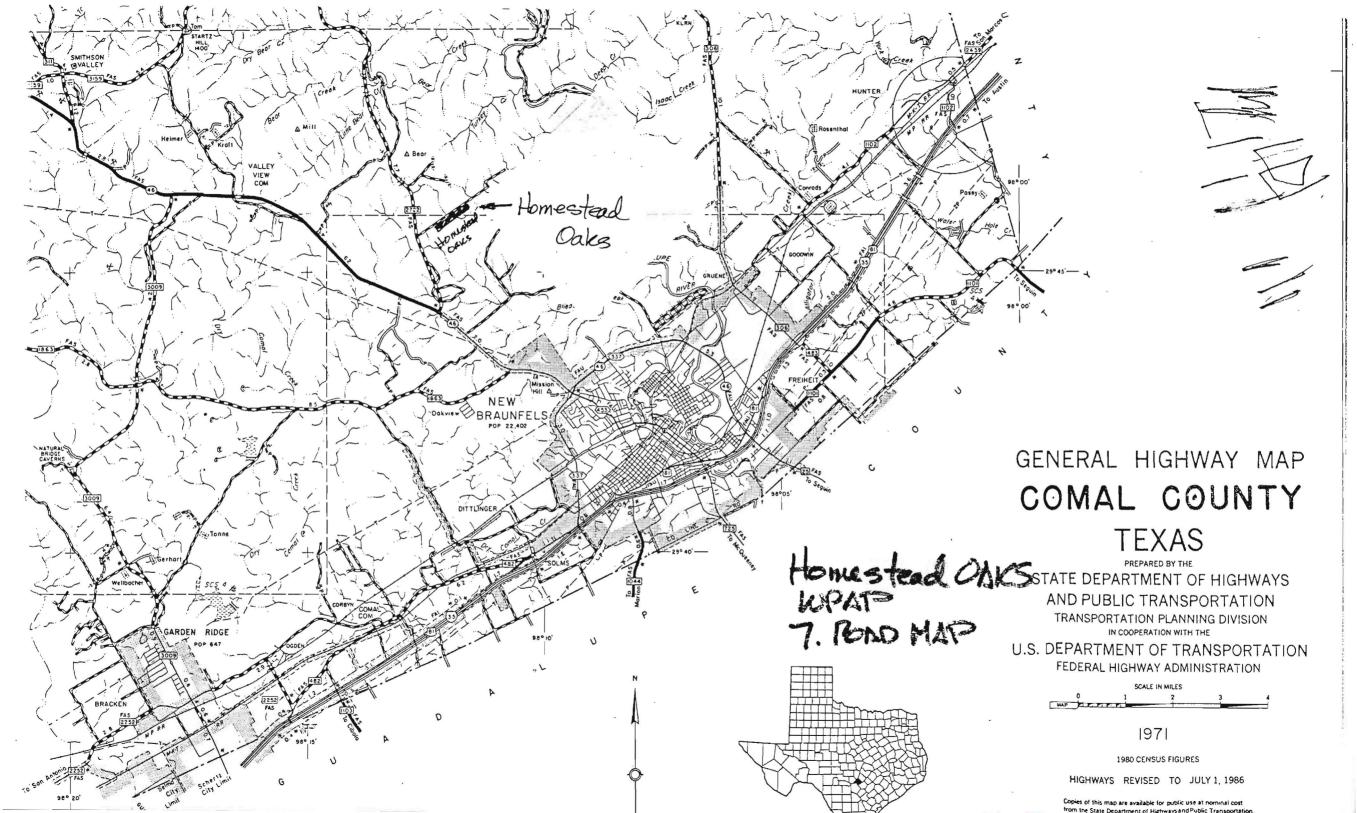
- 8. Attach a copy of the official 7½ minute USGS quadrangle map(s) of the Edwards Recharge Zone. The map(s) should clearly show:
 - 1. Project site.
 - 2. USGS Quadrangle Name(s),
 - 3. Boundaries of the Recharge Zone (and Transition Zone, if applicable),
 - 4. Drainage path from the project to the boundary of the Recharge Zone.
- 9. Project Description:

Describe existing conditions on project site. Include roads, buildings, structures of any kind, etc.

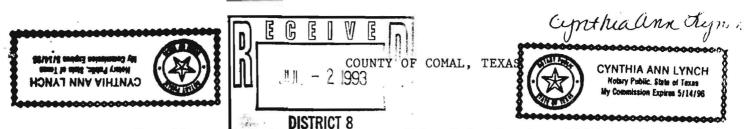
Is it residential, commercial, industrial, utility, road, flood control structure, recharge feature, etc? Residential

Give a narrative description of the proposed project.

This is a 23 lot single family residential subdivision with each lot having over one acre of land and containing one house.



RECEIVED OCT 1 8 1993 ROAD DEPT. EGEI V E Đ A ## -- 2 1993 DISTRICT 8 STANLEY J. HUMMEL 329 LONE OAK ROAD NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS 78132-2808 HOME# 210-899-7027 WORK # 210-625-67170R625-5719 MY NAME DOES NOT APPEAR ON THE PETITION AS EAM NOT A PROPERTY OWNER. ELIVE WITH MY PARENTS, LEONHOO + MARYANN HUMMEL



We, the undersigned owners of land in Encino Hills, Pleasant Valley Estates, Bear Creek Estates, and the approximate three square mile surrounding area oppose the future subdivision of property owned by Leonard Hitzfelder, and located at the corner of Ranch Road 2722 and Lone Oak Road, and running approximately 1.4 miles parallel to Lone Oak Road, Comal County, Texas, into one acre tracts. We do hereby petition the Edwards Underground Water District and/or Comal County Commissioner's Court to deny any variance to Leonard Hitzfelder for any such subdivision. Our concern is for the future of our water wells and fear of contamination of the Edwards Underground Recharge Zone.

The subdivisions existing in this area are predominately five acre or more tracts and we recommend the approval of this land being subdivided into a minimum of five and one half acre tracts.

NAME ADDRESS & TELEPHONE NO. 853 Lone Oak Rd. 905-2160 853 Love Ock Road 905-2160 Haci Klein vare 905-7476 78132 N.B., TK OAKAR. 405-7476 75 905-3492 . Oak E OAK 905 3 29 905-2625 38Dano 905-2625 381 XAMI 15 159 Love Cake 905-2007 905-2007 Jua 159 Love Vak K 151 Lon, Dak Rd, 899-2214



ADDRESS & TELEPHONE NO.

Petition to Deny Variance for 1 Acre Tract Subdivision by Leonard Hitzfelder Page

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CYNTHIA ANN LYNCH Notary Public, State of Texas Ny Commission Expires 5/14/96

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COUNTY OF COMAL, TEXAS

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