

TENNESSEE WASTEWATER SYSTEMS, INC.

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Honorable Eddie Roberson
Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

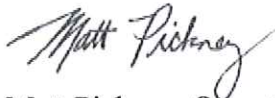
Docket No. 08-00013

RE: Petition to amend Certificate of Convenience and Necessity

Dear Chairman Roberson:

Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. desires to expand its service area to include a portion of Sevier County in Tennessee, known as Greenbriar Subdivision. The attached Petition is in support of our request. The proposed updated tariff sheets accompanying this petition are for informational purposes only.

Sincerely,



Matt Pickney, Operations Manager
Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.

851 Aviation Parkway Smyrna, TN 37167
(615) 220-7202 Fax (615) 220-7209

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

_____, 2008

**IN RE: PETITION OF TENNESSEE WASTEWATER SYSTEMS,
 INC. TO AMEND ITS CERTIFICATE OF
 CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY**

DOCKET No._____

Petition of Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.
To amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity

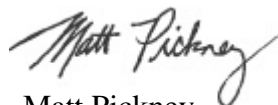
Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. ("TWSI") petitions the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") to amend TWSI's Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to expand its service area to include a portion of Sevier County known as Greenbriar Subdivision. The project is located off of Thorngrove Pike in Sevier County. The property includes parcel 5 and is shaded yellow on the enclosed Tax Map 5 (see attached "Exhibit A"). This parcel encompasses approximately 36 acres.

We are proposing to provide wastewater service to approximately 51 residential, overnight rental, and commercial lots at Greenbriar Subdivision. Residential customers will be charged according to residential Rate Class 1, currently set at \$35.49 as of the date of this submittal. Overnight rental and commercial customers will be charged a rate commensurate with their usage volume and will follow the rate structure outlined in the commercial pages of our tariff. The wastewater system will be designed and constructed to serve approximately 51 lots (approximately 15,300 gallons per day) and can be expanded if needed. The TDEC application for a permit was submitted June 16, 2007. No contracts have been signed at this point. It is the intention of the parties that TWSI will own the collection, treatment, and dispersal system and will own a permanent easement on the property that the system occupies.

Also enclosed are letters from the City of Sevierville Water & Sewer Department Director and the Sevier County Mayor stipulating that neither of these entities will provide sewer service for these parcels. We have also enclosed a letter from the developer, Richard Carter, requesting TWSI to be the public sewer utility provider for the project.

After approval, the construction of the system, which is comprised of watertight effluent collection, fixed film treatment, and subsurface drip dispersal, will take approximately 60 days to complete. The estimated value of the contribution in aid of construction is approximately \$260,000.00.

Respectfully Submitted,



Matt Pickney
Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:

PETITION OF TENNESSEE WASTEWATER) Docket No.
SYSTEMS, INC. TO AMEND ITS)
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND)
NECESSITY)

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SERENITY POINT
PRE-FILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF MATT PICKNEY

Q. State your name for the record and your position with the Petitioner, Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.

A. Matt Pickney. I am the Operations Manager of Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.

Q. What is the business of Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. (the Company)?

A. Providing affordable wastewater service in communities where it is presently unavailable.

Q. When did the Company receive its first certificate from the Authority to operate a sewer system in Tennessee?

A. April 4, 1994.

Q. How many certificates has the Company received from the Authority to provide sewer service across the State of Tennessee?

A. Over 80.

Q. Will Tennessee Wastewater Systems comply with all applicable Tennessee Regulatory rules and regulations?

A. Tennessee Wastewater Systems will comply with all applicable Tennessee Regulatory Authority rules and regulations.

Q. Does the Company have the management, technical and financial ability to provide wastewater service in the area in Sevier County sought in this Petition?

1 A. Yes.

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3 Q. Is there a stated public need for wastewater service in this area?

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5 A. The public need for this service is reflected in the letter from the developer,
6 Richard Carter.

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8 Q. How many customers will be served in this development?

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10 A. Our company expects to serve approximately 51 residential, overnight rental, and
11 commercial lots.

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13 Q. Does this conclude your pre-filed testimony?

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15 A. Yes.

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23 I swear that the foregoing testimony is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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31 Matt Pickney
32 Operations Manager
33 Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.

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36 Subscribed and sworn to me this 16th day of January, 2008.

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38 Notary Public



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40 State of Tennessee

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42 County of Davidson

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44 My Commission Expires

My Commission Expires July 25, 2009



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the above and foregoing Pre-Filed Direct Testimony of Matt Pickney has been served upon the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, TN 37243-0505 on this 16th day of January 2008 and delivered by hand.


MATT PICKNEY



November 14, 2007

Michael Hines, Vice President
Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc.
P. O. Box 22771
Knoxville, TN 37933-0771

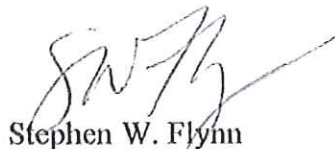
Re: Sewer Service Availability in Sevier County
Thorngrove Pike, Parcel 5, Tax Map 5

Dear Mr. Hines:

In response to your letter dated November 6, 2007, the City of Sevierville Water and Sewer Department will not be able to provide sewer service to the above referenced property within the next twelve months.

Should you need any additional information, please call me at 453-1736.

Sincerely,



Stephen W. Flynn
Director

SWF:bjp

City of Sevierville • Water & Sewer Department
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Telephone 865.453.6136
Fax 865.453.6830
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125 Court Avenue
Suite 201E
Sevierville, TN 37862

Larry Waters County Mayor

November 8, 2007

Michael Hines
Tennessee Wastewater
P. O. Box 22771
Knoxville, TN 37933-0771

Dear Mr. Hines:

In response to your letter of November 6, 2007, Sevier County has no plans to provide sewer service to the property described as the proposed Thorngrove Pike Subdivision (A/K/A Greenbriar Subdivision), Parcel 5, Tax Map 5 within the next twelve months.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Larry Waters", written in a cursive style.

Larry Waters
County Mayor

Richard A. Carter 1815 Timber Ridge Way Sevierville, TN 37876 (865) 661-6158 Fax (865) 428-7777

November 14, 2007

Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243

As the Owner of Thorngrove Pike Subdivision (a.k.a. Greenbriar Subdivision) in Sevier County, TN, I request that Tennessee Wastewater Systems, Inc. be the sewer service provider for this project.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'R. A. Carter', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Richard A. Carter

WASTEWATER UTILITY SERVICE

SECTION 4 – RESIDENTIAL RATES SHEET**RATE CLASS 1**

Fixed Film Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #1 \$35.55

RATE CLASS 2

Fixed Film Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Franchise Rate #1, Bonding Rate #2 \$36.61

RATE CLASS 3

Fixed Film Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #3 \$46.55

RATE CLASS 4

Fixed Film Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #4 \$55.46

RATE CLASS 5

Deep Cell Pond Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #5 \$31.36

RATE CLASS 6

Deep Cell Pond Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #6, Franchise Rate #2 \$32.31

RATE CLASS 7

Deep Cell Pond Treatment, Point Discharge Dispersal, Bonding Rate #7 \$31.54

RATE CLASS 8

Deep Cell Pond Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Bonding Rate #8 \$51.33

RATE CLASS 9Standard base Collection, Pass-through treatment costs \$24.24 +
Treatment Costs**RATE CLASS 10**

DCP Treatment, Drip Dispersal, Loan Costs, Lease Costs, Bonding Rate #9 \$55.66*

*Applies only to Southridge after the new treatment facility is placed in service

Issued: March 1, 2007

Effective: May 1, 2007

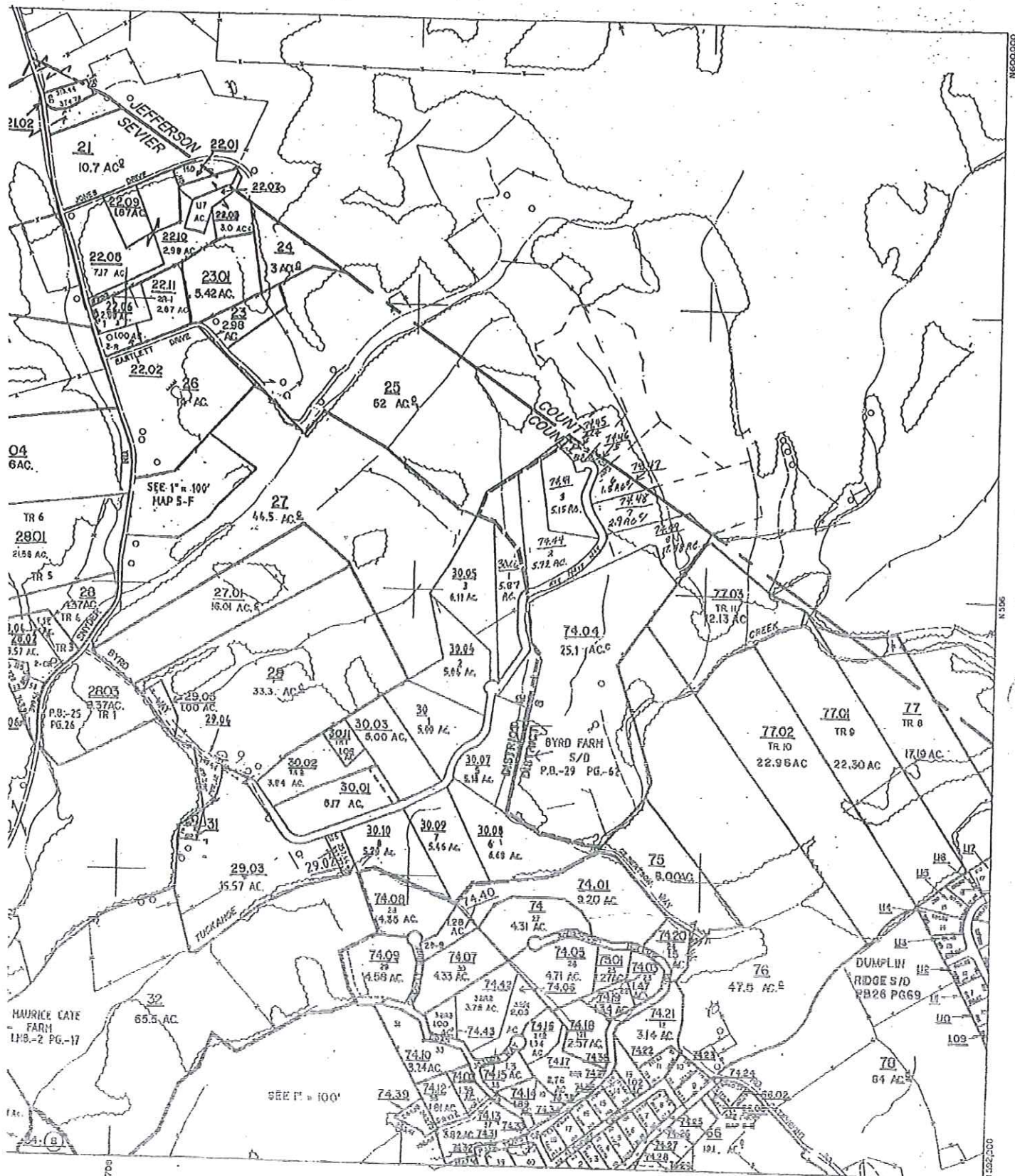
Issued By: Charles Pickney, Jr.
President

UNITED AERIAL MAPPING
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

PROPERTY MAP PREPARED BY
SABRE SYSTEMS & SERVICE
800 MEADOWS MANOR
DAYTON, OHIO 45429

6 PARCEL NUMBER
 1 PARCEL HOOK
 INTERIOR TRACT LINE
 DISTRICT LINE
 20 SUB. LOT NO.
 PARCEL OUTLINE
 110 AC TOTAL ACREAGE
 SECTION CORNERS

21. (4) PARCEL & CONTROLLING MAP NO
 O IMPROVEMENT
 -X- FENCE
 (4-5) CEMETERY
 CHURCH
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 WOODED AREA
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-- REVISIONS --		
1 9-1-71	1 07-20-81	1
2 07-18-80	2 8/85	2
3 03-30-81	3 2/85	3
4 03-02-82	4 5/87	4
5 07-16-83	5 4/88	5

SEVIER CO., TENN.		HAP 18
SCALE: 1" = 400'	DISTRICT: 1812	5
DATE OF FLYING: MAY 1928		
DATE COMPILED: MARCH 1937		