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November 10, 2022

(via email)

Ms. Dianne Borreson, CETL
CTO Hays CISD

RE: Request for Overhead Power/Pole Installation
21003 IH 35

Dear Ms. Borreson:

In accordance with the City Code, I can only approve an exception to overhead installations "*if an exception is required by applicable building codes or for public safety reasons.*". I reviewed the request that was submitted to install overhead lines and new power poles and it does not meet either of these exceptions. Therefore, I would recommend you proceed to the Planning and Zoning Commission for their consideration.

Following is the specific code section for your review:

- **Sec. 50-1. - Utilities to be installed underground.**

Any person, company, entity, or utility installing or causing to be installed any utility or service line within the city shall install such utility or service line underground. Utility or service line shall include, but not be limited to water, wastewater, gas, electric, cable, internet, fiber, and propane lines. In unique or unusual circumstances, a person may request an exception to the requirements of this section by submitting a written request for an exception to the city engineer. The city engineer may grant an exception if an exception is required by applicable building codes or for public safety reasons. The city engineer's decision may be appealed in writing to the planning and zoning commission within ten days of the city engineer's decision. The commission's decision may be appealed to the city council within ten days of the commission's decision. The city council's decision will be final.

(Ord. No. 1095, § 2, 6-2-2020)

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leon Barba". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Leon Barba, P.E., City Engineer
Engineering Department

xc: Will Atkinson, Director of Planning
Amber Lewis, Assistant City Manager
Jerry Hendrix, Interim City Manager