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RIVER AUTHORITY**
Leaders in Watershed Solutions

April 3, 2015

Grant Ellis
City of San Antonio
Edwards Aquifer Protection Program, CIMS
114 W. Commerce, 2nd Fl., Ste 200-E
San Antonio, Texas 78283-3966

RE: EDWARDS AQUIFER PROTECTION SALES TAX VENUE –
NOMINATIONS FOR THE CONSERVATION ADVISORY BOARD

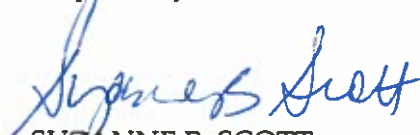
Dear Mr. Ellis:

The San Antonio River Authority (SARA) appreciates the opportunity to once again serve the citizens of San Antonio by providing a representative to the Edwards Aquifer Protection Initiative Conservation Advisory Board (CAB). We are nominating John Chisholm, SARA's Director of Operations to replace James L. Blair, who has continued to serve on the CAB at our request since his retirement from SARA last year.

Mr. Chisholm has been employed with SARA since 2007 and has 30 years of experience in Water Resource, Parks and Recreation and other related activities. He has extensive knowledge of water resource, watershed management programs and practices and works directly with state and federal resource agencies including the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, the United States Geological Service and the Natural Resource Conservation Service. Mr. Chisholm may be contacted by phone at (210) 302-3607 or via e-mail at jchisholm@sara-tx.org.

Thank you for providing SARA the opportunity to continue our representation on the Conservation Advisory Board. The expanded initiative to protect the Edwards Aquifer is commendable and we are honored to participate.

Respectfully,


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