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Mr. Jeff Walker, Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
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RE: Submittal of Desired Future Conditions on Behalf of Groundwater Management Area 3

Dear Mr. Walker:

The groundwater conservation districts in Groundwater Management Area 3 met in Monahans, Texas on October 20, 2016, and adopted resolutions regarding desired future conditions for the Capitan Reef Complex, Dockum, Edwards-Trinity (Plateau), Pecos Valley, and Rustler aquifers. The groundwater conservation districts in Groundwater Management Area 3 also authorized me to submit the required materials to the Texas Water Development Board in accordance with section 356.32 of the Texas Administrative Code.

Based on the information provided in the TWDB's informational flyer, the five elements required are included with this letter and accompanying external hard drive:

- Four explanatory reports are included on the accompanying external hard drive. Each report covers a single aquifer, except the Edwards-Trinity (Plateau) and Pecos Valley aquifers which are combined for purposes of desired future conditions and explanatory reports.
- The resolutions adopting the desired future conditions are included on the external hard drive in the folder "GMA3/Resolutions", and each one is presented as Appendix A of each of the explanatory reports.
- A copy of the notices that were posted for the joint planning meeting of October 20, 2017 at which the districts collectively adopted the desired future conditions is on the external hard drive folder "GMA3/Notices"
- The designated representative for Groundwater Management Area 3 is:
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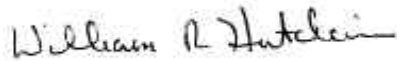
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- Groundwater availability model files that were used in developing the desired future conditions are included on the accompanying external hard drive. Post processors used to calculate the average drawdowns are also included. Technical memoranda that provide analyses of the results are also included.

A resolution is also included that designates the Igneous and Ogallala aquifers as not relevant for the purposes of joint planning. The documentation of these aquifers is included in the "GMA3/Non Relevant" folder.

On behalf of the groundwater conservation districts in Groundwater Management Area 3, we appreciate the opportunity to submit these materials. If you have any questions or comments regarding the material, please contact me or Mr. Edwards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William R. Hutchison". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line at the end.

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