



FARMERS BRANCH

May 22, 2014

Town of Addison
Lea Dunn, City Manager
5300 Beltline Road
Addison, TX 75254

Dear Ms. Dunn,

The City of Farmers Branch is committed to developing and maintaining positive regional partnerships which help improve the quality of life for all of our residents. In that spirit we appreciate your willingness to meet with the Mayor and me next Wednesday, May 28th to discuss on-going and unresolved issues with Farmers Branch Creek. In advance of that meeting, I wanted to provide you with the chronology of the Farmers Branch Creek issue, the results of our recent Farmers Branch Creek Flow Study, and formal action taken at our May 20, 2014 City Council meeting, which are all attached.

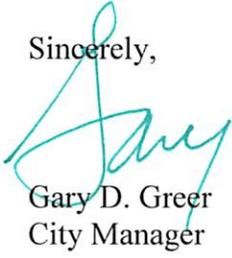
As the attached action indicates, our council is concerned with the Town of Addison's failure to comply with its May 20, 2011 amended water use permit, TCEQ Permit No. 5383A, and the impact of that failure on the ecology of the creek and on the health and welfare of our citizens. That resolution commits us to provide the Flow Study to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) and to request a meeting with them – and if you are willing – with Addison as well – to address our concern. Our intent is to negotiate an enforceable agreement with you, reflected in an administrative compliance order with the TCEQ, that will result in the Town expeditiously and fully complying with its permit and which may lead to the Town seeking an amendment to the permit to incorporate such terms of compliance.

It is our hope that we can reach quick resolve on these matters. In the event we are unsuccessful, we intend to pursue all legal means available to protect the interests of our citizens and to compel permit compliance.

We look forward to our meeting and to resolving this issue quickly.

Please feel free to call if you have questions or need further clarification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gary", is positioned above the typed name.

Gary D. Greer
City Manager

cc: Mayor Todd Meier – Town of Addison