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DETERMINATION OF NO EFFECT

TO ALL POTENTIALLY INTERESTED AGENCIES:

Pursuant to the environmental assessment requirements of 31 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 363.14, the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) has determined that proposed action identified below may be exempted from a comprehensive environmental review:

City of Honey Grove, Fannin County, Texas
TWDB RWFAP Project No. 21853
Water System Improvements
Total Financing Amount: \$4,196,000
Loan No. L1001981
Grant No. G1001982

The City of Honey Grove (City) is proposing to use \$4,196,000 in financing from the Rural Water Assistance Fund (RWFAP) to 1) replace approximately 8,200 linear feet (LF) of 4- to 10-inch waterlines with new PVC waterlines ranging in size from 8 to 10 inches; 2) construct a new 100,000-gallon ground storage tank at the existing 10th Street pump station site; and 3) replace two existing 250 gallon-per-minute (GPM) high service pumps with two 500 GPM high service pumps at the 10th Street pump station site.

All work at the 10th Street pump station will occur within the existing fenced site. Waterlines will be replaced within ten feet of existing lines in mowed and maintained roadway right-of-way (ROW). Open trench methods will be utilized except where a stream will be crossed at the Main Street (Highway 56) line, which will be crossed using trenchless methods to avoid impacts to waterbodies.

There are no previously recorded significant or potentially significant historic or cultural sites within or adjacent to the project footprint, according to the Texas Historical Commission's Archeological Sites Atlas, nor is the project within the protected area surrounding a historic cemetery, structure, or district. The only line that crosses a waterbody will use trenchless method for waterline installation to avoid impacts to potential waters of the United States, including wetlands. The project is not located within the 100-year floodplain; therefore, coordination with the local floodplain administrator was not. In addition, construction within existing sites and ROW is not expected to impact threatened or endangered species or habitat.

The TWDB cannot fund testing, remediation, removal, disposal, or related works for contaminated or potentially contaminated materials. However, the project proponent should

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ensure that, if found, such materials are tested, removed, and disposed of in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

The decision to grant a Determination of No Effect (DNE) is allowed because the specified project elements should not cause significant adverse impacts to the quality of the environment. Documentation supporting this determination is on file at the TWDB.

This determination shall be revoked if it is found that

- (1) the project no longer meets the requirements for categorical exclusion from full environmental review as a result of changes in the project;
- (2) the project involves extraordinary circumstances as described in 31 TAC § 363.14;
or
- (3) the project may violate or has violated federal, state, local, or tribal laws.

The proposed project must comply with the following special and standard environmental conditions:

Special Environmental Conditions

- To avoid impacts to potential waters of the U.S., including wetlands, and aquatic habitat, waterline crossings of waterbodies, will be performed using a trenchless method, with bore pits located outside riparian and/or aquatic habitat.

Standard Environmental Conditions

- Consistent with the TWDB Supplemental Construction Contract Conditions (TWDB-0552), the City of Honey Grove (City) will abide by the standard emergency condition for the discovery of cultural resources.
- Consistent with the TWDB Supplemental Construction Contract Conditions (TWDB-0552), the City will abide by the standard emergency condition for the discovery of threatened and endangered species.

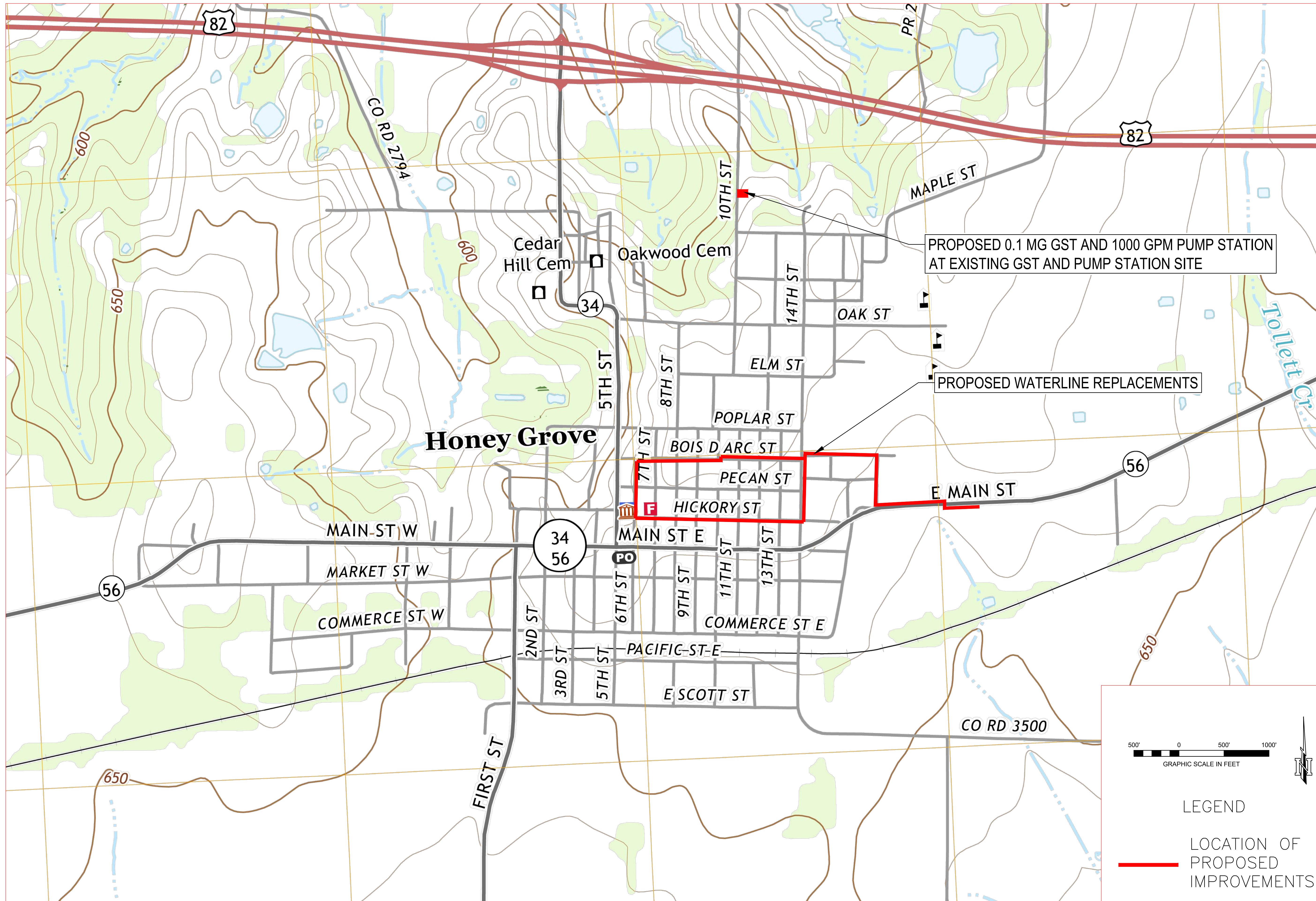
Comments regarding this determination may be submitted to the Director of Regional Water Project Development, Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13231, Austin, Texas 78711-3231 or via email at RWPD-Environmental@twdb.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

T. Clay Schultz, Ph.D., Director
Regional Water Project Development

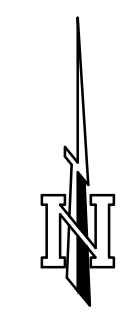
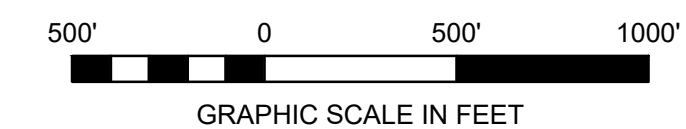
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PROPOSED 0.1 MG GST AND 1000 GPM PUMP STATION AT EXISTING GST AND PUMP STATION SITE

PROPOSED WATERLINE REPLACEMENTS



LEGEND

— LOCATION OF PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

MARK	REVISION	DATE

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC MAP WITH PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

CITY OF HONEY GROVE RWAF DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS FANNIN COUNTY, TEXAS

DRAWN BY:	TH
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LATEST REVISION:	1/29/26
KSA JOB NO.:	103560
PROJECT NAME:	



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