

Conservation and Water Stewardship

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Mr. Brett Ransom, P.Eng Project Manager Stantec 1345 Waverley Street Suite 302, Winnipeg, MB R3T 5Y7

Dear Mr. Ransom:

Re: R.M. of West St. Paul and R.M. of St. Andrews – Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility – Environment Act Proposal

Receipt of your October 31, 2013 letter and November 4, 2013 associated submissions on behalf of the Manitoba Water Services Board and the R.M. of West St. Paul regarding the R.M. of West St. Paul and the R.M. of St. Andrews – Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility – Environment Act Proposal is acknowledged.

In your letter you provided notice of your intent to withdraw the Environment Act Proposal previously submitted for the construction of a regional wastewater treatment facility in the R.M. of West St. Paul. You indicated that the R.M. of West St. Paul has reached an agreement with the City of Winnipeg to extend wastewater collection from an existing interceptor sewer at Fernbank Avenue on Main Street into the municipality. Wastewater treatment will be provided by the City of Winnipeg at their North End Water Pollution Control Centre. You also indicated that four (4) wastewater treatment plants (Riverdale, Lister Rapids, Rivergate and Rivercrest) will be decommissioned once the trunk sewer is in place.

Your withdrawal notice is accepted and we will remove the Environment Act Proposal from our licensing process.

If you have any questions, please contact Rafiqul Chowdhury, P.Eng. at (204) 945-2614 or by e-mail at Rafiqul.Chowdhury@gov.mb.ca.

Yours truly, "Originally signed by"

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