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Mr. David Mendenhall
City of Las Vegas
Water Pollution Control Facility
6005 E. Vegas Valley Dr.
Las Vegas, NV 89142

Subject: City of Las Vegas Water Pollution Control Facility -- Odor Measures Assessment

Dear Mr. Mendenhall:

Please find attached a memo report prepared by CH2MHill with regard to an assessment of the effectiveness of the currently installed odor control measures at the treatment plant. The report indicates that the installed measures have been highly successful in reducing odor complaints related to the Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF). In fact, there have been no recorded complaints in the last three years. However, CH2MHill indicates that the City may expect some complaints in the future as housing is placed closer to the plant fence line. As indicated in the report, the technology exists to deal with this situation of encroaching residential development. Upgrades to the existing WPCF odor control measures or additional chemical use may be required to mitigate the potential of future complaints. CH2MHill recommends preparing a more comprehensive study to further quantify the impacts and costs.

Also attached is a detailed account of the history of odor control measures installed at the WPCF, and a copy of the latest Odor Easement document.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,



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Senior Vice President
HDR Engineering

Enclosures