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Re: **LPSCO Palm Valley Water Reclamation Facility, Docket No. SW-01428A-05-0022;  
SW-01428A-06-0444**

Dear Mr. Dodds:

It has come to our attention that there continue to be odor issues associated with Litchfield Park Service Company's ("LPSCO") Palm Valley Water Reclamation Facility. These problems have been reported to the Commission by concerned residents and businesses around the plant as well as by Goodyear city officials.

As you know, Arizona Corporation Commission Staff ("Staff") visited the facility on September 15, 2006, and detected a "skunky" smell emanating from the plant. Staff reported that LPSCO is currently addressing the odor problem on a short-term basis by installing a "pilot test" polisher - a carbon adsorption unit to provide additional polishing of foul air. LPSCO conducted the test on September 15-16, 2006 and ordered a larger unit that will be installed by the end of 2006. Staff also stated that as a long-term solution, LPSCO is considering replacement of existing undersized odor control equipment. Construction is scheduled to begin in the third quarter of 2007. Additionally, Staff reported that LPSCO has hired a consultant to study the options of increasing the plant capacity.

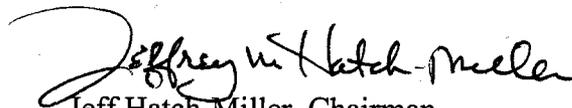
We would like LPSCO to explain to the Commission what the Company believes led to the odor issues, and provide a detailed explanation of what the Company is doing to fix the problem, both in the short and long term.

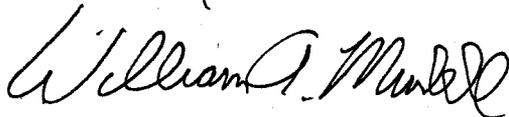
Additionally, the Commission would like any and all correspondence and emails between LPSCO and the City of Goodyear concerning the odor problem and proposed remedies to fix it.

The Commission remains concerned about the potential public health and safety issues associated with the ongoing problems at the LPSCO Palm Valley Plant. We are also concerned about the inconvenience that these odors are causing nearby residents and businesses and would appreciate a timely response from the Company to our questions.

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Sincerely,

  
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