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Special Projects Department

50 E North Temple St. 10th Floor

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Dear Applicant:

RE: Dewatering Well#: 2655003M00

EXPIRATION DATE: August 18, 2026

Regarding your request to drill **20 Dewatering well(s)**, the anticipated drilling depths will exceed the minimum regulated and reporting depth of 30 feet, thereby requiring permission from the Division of Water Rights to proceed with this project.

The specifications outlined in your non-production well project application meet the State Engineer's requirements and permission is **HEREBY GRANTED**. Therefore, this letter is your authorization to proceed with the construction of the well(s) in accordance with those specifications and with respect to the following provisions:

- 1) The well(s) shall be drilled, constructed and sealed to avoid commingling and cross-contamination of established aquifers. The dewatering of groundwater shall not negatively impact the established aquifer or impact established water rights using that aquifer. Dewatered groundwater must be placed back in the hydrologic system as close to where it was removed. Dewatered groundwater shall not be put to beneficial use without a valid water right.
- 2) The well(s) must be drilled by a currently licensed Utah driller and must be drilled in a manner consistent with the construction standards cited in the Utah State Administrative Rules for Well Drillers (R655-4 UAC).
- 3) The enclosed Driller (START) Card form must be given to the licensed driller for his submittal prior to commencing well construction. The other enclosed form is the Applicant Card. It is **YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to sign and return this Applicant Card form to our office upon well completion.
- 4) At such time as the well(s) are no longer utilized to monitor ground water or the intent of the project is terminated, the well(s) must be permanently abandoned in a manner consistent with the Administrative Rules (R655-4 UAC).
- 5) **THIS PERMIT MAY NOT BE THE ONLY AUTHORIZATION NEEDED TO DRILL A WELL.** The applicant is responsible for obtaining other permits/authorizations from federal agencies, other state agencies, and/or local jurisdictions as applicable. Moreover, if the applicant is not the landowner, it is the applicants responsibility to ensure that approvals/permissions have been obtained to trespass and drill a well(s) on the property. **THIS PERMIT DOES NOT GIVE AUTHORIZATION TO TRESPASS ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.**

NOTE: Please be aware that your permission to proceed with the drilling under this authorization expires August 18, 2026.

Sincerely,

Jim V. Goddard, P.G., Well Drilling Program

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