



STATE OF TENNESSEE  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION**  
**DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES**

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RE: **BEDFORD COUNTY U.D. (PWSID TN0000517)**  
**Bedford County**  
**Project Number: DW20240169**  
**Global Manor Phase 9**

Dear Mr. Carter:

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Division of Water Resources, acknowledges receipt of construction documents for the referenced project on February 16, 2024.

This project generally consists of approximately 711 linear feet of 6-inch DIP water line with valves, fire hydrants and all related appurtenances. The project will be constructed in accordance with the approved standard specifications for Bedford County Utility District. As indicated by our stamp, this project has been approved for construction.

This letter, with the enclosed engineering documents bearing our official stamp, constitutes approval by the Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation for construction of the referenced facility. Approval is granted in accordance with the Tennessee Safe Drinking Water Act of 1983 and Regulations of the Tennessee Board of Water Quality, Oil and Gas. One complete set of plans and specifications, bearing the official stamp, must be kept at the construction site. Projects utilizing previously approved standard specifications are not required to maintain a stamped copy of the specifications at the construction site. All construction must conform with these approved documents. It is the responsibility of the water utility and/or their engineer to ensure that construction conforms to the plans and specifications.

Approval expires one year from the stamped approval date (March 26, 2024) unless construction is either underway or complete. Deviations from the approved plan documents which may affect

the quality or quantity of potable water must be submitted and approved in writing before such changes are made.

The Columbia Environmental Field Office should also be contacted for determinations regarding whether an Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit (ARAP) and/or a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) construction stormwater permit will need to be obtained prior to the beginning of construction of this project.

The Division's appropriate Field Office may desire to schedule an inspection of the construction work to verify compliance with the approved plans and specifications. Therefore the engineer or the water utility shall notify the Columbia Field Office of the start of construction. This notification may be made by completing and sending the attached "Construction Start Notification" form to the field office.

To expedite matters, please reference the assigned drinking water project number DW20240169 on any future correspondence. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Johanna McMinn at 615-829-2812 or by E-mail at [Johanna.McMinn@tn.gov](mailto:Johanna.McMinn@tn.gov).

Sincerely,



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Enclosures: Approved Construction Documents  
Construction Start Notification Form

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