Conversion of Base Irrigation Groundwater Application Summary Conversion Based on Change in Land Use or No Longer Practicable to Farm KB Home Lone Star Inc.

Permit Number: P200-533 (BE00222)

Purpose of Use:

Place of Use:
Bexar County

Original Permitted Amount:
71.128 acre-feet

Irrigation Base Amount:
71.128 acre-feet

O00.000 acre-feet

Date Board Issued Regular Permit:
July 12, 2022

Number of acre-feet applicant originally requested to be converted from base irrigation to unrestricted irrigation groundwater:

17.400 acre-feet

Number of acre-feet staff recommends to be converted from base irrigation to unrestricted irrigation groundwater:

17.400 acre-feet

Place of Use for Permit:

71.128 acres of Historically Irrigated Land (HIL)

The tract(s) of land more fully described in Special Warranty Deed dated 10/07/2021 as recorded with the County Clerk as Document # 20210286179, Official Public Records, Bexar County, Texas; and the tract(s) of land more fully described in Special Warranty Deed dated 04/14/2022 as recorded with the County Clerk as Document # 20220105757, Official Public Records, Bexar County, Texas.

Current Physical Description of Place of Use:

KB Home Lone Star Inc. owns approximately 71.128 acres of Historically Irrigated Land (HIL) located west of Hwy 1604 on Culebra Rd., one mile east of William H. Taft Highschool. 17.400 acres of the 71.128 HIL associated with P200-533 (BE00222) are presently under development and will serve as an extension to the Preserve at Culebra housing subdivision.

Description of Change in Land Use:

On November 13, 2024, EAA staff conducted a site visit and determined that the location of the HIL is presently under development. Exhibit A is a map representing the HIL subject to this application. Staff observed that the HIL is currently under development as an extension of a subdivision, as evidenced by the clearing and grading of the land, removal

of topsoil, construction of roads, and the installation of utilities and drainage systems. (Exhibits B, C, D, E, F).

Staff Calculations:

In accordance with Section 1.34 of the EAA Act and Sections 711.342(c)(6)(A) of the EAA rules, the 37.709 acres of HIL are sufficiently developed to satisfy EAA requirements. EAA staff calculates the amount of BIG eligible for conversion at 37.709 acre-feet.

Staff Recommendation:

EAA staff recommends an approval of the Application to convert Base Irrigation Groundwater, converting 17.400 acre-feet.