

**MEMO**  
(Via U.S. Mail)

TO: Jason K. Joice, Project Manager  
Pittsburg Tank & Tower Co., Inc.  
P.O. Box 40  
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FROM: James R. Riney, PE, PS



DATE: February 8, 2005

RE: West Daviess County Water District  
Panther Tank Project  
KIA No. WX21059009  
SAI No. KY20031008-1511  
PSC Case No. 2004-415

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Dear Mr. Joice;

For the record, I will attempt to summarize and confirm the situation.

- 1.) Bids were solicited and opened 19 October 2004.
- 2.) Bid tabulations and a "conditional" letter of recommendation for Notice of Award were issued by this office 20 October 2004 (recommending the low bid subject to State PSC and KY KIA approvals).
- 3.) KIA has indicated that agency is in agreement with the award.
- 4.) The KY PSC issued notice dated 31 January 2005 that a decision may be issued within the following 10-14 days.
- 5.) No Construction Contract has been issued to date.
- 6.) A final project completion date will be set when a Notice to Proceed is issued. The completion date will have to be consistent with and relative to the Notice to Proceed (if said notice is authorized for issue).

**GOOD NEWS** is we just received, earlier this morning, the PSC Order **approving construction of this project**. A Notice of Award will also be issued today to your office. The project completion date will be addressed accordingly in the subsequent Notice to Proceed.

We appreciate your concern and your patience.

Attachment

Copy: Bill Higdon w/attachment  
J.R. Gough, PSC w/attachment  
Jerry Wuetcher, PSC w/attachment  
John Covington, KIA w/attachment

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Attention: Mr. Jim Riney, P.E.  
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Owensboro, KY 42301  
Fax: (270) 683-9277  
Regarding: Water Tank Completion Date

Mr. Riney,

This letter is to clarify completion date issues associated with the West Daviess County Water District Potable Water Tank Project. We were notified of being the low bidder on this project around the beginning of November, 2004. At that time we were instructed our completion date would be July, 2 2005. This would allow us eight months to complete this project. As of today, due to the fault of neither of our companies, we have not received a contract or a Notice to Proceed.

This letter is purely to document the fact that we require a minimum of eight months of good weather to complete this project. For example if we were to receive a contract today we would require a completion date of 10/7/2005. If we do not receive a Notice to Proceed until March or April we may require a Stop Work Order during the painting process due to weather concerns that we may face in the winter.

In closing we appreciate you keeping us in the loop as to the proceedings for this project. Although at this point in time we see it unforeseeable to complete your project by the 7/2/2005 completion date. If you have any questions please call or write.

Thank- You,

Jason K. Joice  
Project Manager  
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