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RE: Elsie & William Viles Foundation, 71 Stone Street, Augusta

Dear Jim,

Thank you for submitting a revised site plan incorporating comments from my February 24th letter. As proposed, the District does not see any issues with this project with the exception of the water service connection location which I will outline below.

The physical location of the proposed 6" diameter sprinkler service line to the existing 10" water main may have to be moved either north or south along Stone Street to avoid a conflict with the existing 24" diameter storm drain line crossing the road. Looking at the elevations of the storm drain line as shown on the plan, most likely the water main is below the storm drain line and therefore, performing the physical connection (live tap) at this location will be very difficult, if not impossible. Please make your site work contractor aware of this conflict.

The site work contractor will perform the entire water service installation from the water main in Stone Street to the building with the exception of the live tap which will be performed by the District within the contractors excavation. The contractor will be responsible for all pavement cutting and removal, excavation, pipe installation, pipe bedding material, backfill operations, gravel replacement and pavement replacement per City of Augusta and / or MEDOT specifications. There may be a concrete base under the existing pavement. If encountered, the City of Augusta and / or MEDOT will need to be consulted as to its replacement.

The District will develop cost information for its portion of the work and forward it to you as soon as possible.

Thank you for your time in this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Morey". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Michael A. Morey
Engineering Services Supervisor