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Ronda Hutton

Attn: Wichita ASR Project Testimony

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Dear Ms. Hutton:

I am writing in opposition to the request by the City of Wichita to significantly increase (from 40,000-acre-feet to as much as 160,000-acre-feet) their existing water rights over the Equus Beds. My Kansas family farm corporation owns land in the Northwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 3 West in Harvey County, Kansas, which contains a small pond. It took me nine years and many hours and dollars to acquire water rights for the pond which is now highly desirable and sought after for duck hunting. I believe that granting the Wichita request would reduce the water available for the duck habitat at the pond, and thus reduce the duck population. This would inevitably make the pond less desirable for hunting thereby reducing the corporation's income from renting the pond.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please let me know what further information or documentation I could provide. You may call me at the number shown above, but I prefer that you send email to me at <a href="mailto:law.and.order@sbcglobal.net">law.and.order@sbcglobal.net</a>.

Very truly yours,

Susan Krehbiel William

cc: Citizens for Conservation of the Equus Beds Stockholders