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August, 6, 2020

Brown County Election Board
C/O Kathy Smith
201 Locust Lane, P.O. Box 151
Nashville, IN 47448

Dear Brown County Election Board Members:

Re: Gnaw Bone RSD Election Designee

The Gnaw Bone Regional Sewer District (RSD) was established in 1998 by Order of the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The Order established a 3-member Board of Trustees to be the governing body of the RSD. On February 24, 2020, the Commissioner granted a Modification Order to the RSD to convert the RSD Board of Trustees from an appointed board to a board elected by the ratepayers of the district. By the terms of the modification order, there shall be one board member elected every general election to serve a term of six (years).

As Commissioner of IDEM I hereby appoint, pursuant to Indiana Code (IC) 13-26-4-2, the Brown County Election Board to serve as my designee for the purpose of conducting the election of RSD Board of Trustees members. This election shall be conducted in the same manner as non-partisan school board elections are handled under IC 3 and shall be conducted at the same time the Indiana general elections are conducted. The attached petition form, statement of economic interests, and write-in form shall serve as the election forms for Gnaw Bone RSD Board of Trustees candidates.

The RSD is directed to provide notice of the election to its users. This may be done through whatever means deemed appropriate by the RSD Board of Trustees, including newspaper ads and notices included in the monthly user bill.

The RSD is further directed to provide a list of the users and their addresses in the district, as well as a map of the district, to the Marshall County Election Board by August 21, 2020, to assist the board in determining the eligible registered voters of the district.

I appreciate the expertise and skill that your board brings to the administration of the RSD Board member election. Your assistance in conducting the election is greatly appreciated.

If you have additional questions, please contact Angela Bottom at (317) 234-9517 or the Indiana Secretary of State's Indiana Election Division for additional guidance.

Sincerely,

Bruno L. Pigott
Commissioner