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November 4, 2025

Mr. Jeremy Brown
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P.O. Box 4748
Clearwater, FL 33765-1945

RE: FPN: 445681-1-52-01 // PINELLAS COUNTY // STATE ROAD 590 / CR 528
DREW ST FROM N OSCEOLA AVE TO US19

Dear Mr. Brown,

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has reviewed your request to enter a Utility Work by Highway Contractor Agreement (UWHCA) for your construction and relocation of your potable water, sanitary sewer and reclaimed water facilities. After careful consideration, the FDOT is denying this request and will require the City of Clearwater Public Utilities Department to relocate and/or reconstruct these facilities using its own forces.

Due to the tight production schedule, work beyond our roadway scope, additional coordination effort with all the other utilities, right-of way issues and potential license agreements, additional driveway impacts, and redesign of temporary traffic control plans, we cannot accept this UWHCA work within our project.

We have been approved to delay the roadway contractor's construction start date by 120 days to assist in accommodating the City's relocation effort prior to FDOT's construction. This project is scheduled to be let on **May 20, 2026**. The delayed notice to proceed with construction would be **September 17, 2026**.

We look forward to continued cooperation with the City on this important endeavor.

Sincerely,

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District Utilities Administrator

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