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RE: Certification Under Section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L.111-5(Feb. 17 2009)) ("ARRA") I, Jon Simmons, Mayor of Vienna, Illinois, hereby certify that the following infrastructure investment has received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that the infrastructure investment is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by Section 1511 concerning these investments is as follows:

The City of Vienna will undertake a Water Reclamation Project that will alleviate a sanitary health and safety issue. The existing sewage treatment plant has reached the end of its design life. The plant's design flow rate is routinely exceeded and must be replaced or renovated. The proposed project will be a Lemna aeration lagoon system which is an activated sludge process that includes an aeration lagoon, a settling lagoon and a polishing reactor. New blowers and mechanical aerators will aerate the sewage in the first lagoon, sludge will be settled out in the settling pond, and the sewage gets a final step in the polishing reactor. The polishing reactor provides aeration and a fixed film to give the sewage one last step of treatment before discharge. The estimated total costs for the project is $2,700,000. The total ARRA (loan) funds used will be $1,240,000.

I understand that the City of Vienna, Illinois may not receive infrastructure investment funding from funds made available in this Act unless this certification is made and posted.

Jon A Simmons

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Signed this 26 day of July 2010

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