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City of Hendersonville French Broad River Intake and Pumping Station Project No. 195560 B&V File 60.1000

City of Hendersonville 305 Williams Street Hendersonville, NC 28792

Attention: Brent Detwiler, PE, City Engineer

Subject: Sole-Sourcing Justification for Standby Engine-Generator

French Broad River Intake & Pumping Station Project

Dear Mr. Detwiler

Based on discussions with the City utility staff regarding the desire to standardize on generators within the system, Black & Veatch is recommending a direct purchase of a 550 kW 277/480 V Cummins Diesel generator with 24-hour subbase fuel tank and NEMA-3R weatherproof enclosure for installation at the new French Broad River Pumping Station.

This equipment would be installed at the site by the general contractor contracted for the project.

A majority of the existing generators in the system are Cummins. Maintaining this standardization moving forward will both improve the ability to maintain spare parts and increase staff knowledge of the equipment.

Best Regards.

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Zachary Collins, PE Civil Engineer

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