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N.C. Utilities Commission

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Renne Vance, Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 430 N. Salisbury Street Raleigh, NC 27603

> RE: Briar Chapel Utilities, LLC Docket No. W-1230, Sub 0

Dear Ms. Vance:

Please find enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, the original and seven copies of the Bond with the Commitment Letter from Arch Insurance Company attached. We would appreciate your filing these documents and returning one "filed" stamped copy to me via our courier.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Karen M. Kemerait

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Enclosures

cc: All parties of record

Bond No. SU1100854

Premium: \$625.00

NCUC DOCKET NO. W-_1230

APPENDIX A-3

BOND

Briar Chapel	Utilities, LLC	Of Chape	l Hill	, North Carolina ,
(Name	of Utility)		(City)	(State)
as Principal, a	and Arch Insu	rance Company	, a	corporation created and existing under
•	(Na	me of Surety)		
the laws of	Missouri		, as	Surety (hereinafter called "Surety"), are
		(State)		
bound to the	State of N	orth Carolina	in the	sum of Fifty Thousand and no/100 Dollars
(\$ 50,000.00) and for whi	ch payment to	be mad	le, the Principal and Surety by this bond
bind themselv	es and their s	successors an	d assigr	าร.
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THE CONDIT	ION OF THIS	BOND IS:		
WHEREAS, th	ne Principal is	or intends to	become	a public utility subject to the laws of the
State of Nort	h Carolina a	nd the rules	and reg	ulations of the North Carolina Utilities
Commission,	relating to the	operation of a	water a	nd/or sewer utility
	Sev	ver Utility - Briar (Chapel	
		(Descri	be utility	/)
				and,

WHEREAS, North Carolina General Statutes § 62-110.3 requires the holder of a franchise for water and/or sewer service to furnish a bond with sufficient surety, as approved by the Commission, conditioned as prescribed in § 62-110.3, and Commission Rules R7-37 and/or R10-24, and

WHEREAS, the Principal and Surety have delivered to the Commission a Surety Bond with an endorsement as required by the Commission, and

WHEREAS, the appointment of an emergency operator, either by the Superior Court in accordance with G.S. § 62-118(b) or by the Commission with the consent of the owner, shall operate to forfeit this bond, and

WHEREAS, if for any reason, the Surety Bond is not to be renewed upon its expiration, the Surety shall, at least 60 days prior to the expiration date of the Surety Bond, provide written notification by means of certified mail, return receipt requested, to the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4325 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4325, that the Surety Bond will not be renewed beyond the then current maturity date for an additional period, and

WHEREAS, failure to renew the Surety Bond shall, without the necessity of the Commission being required to hold a hearing or appoint an emergency operator, allow the Commission to convert the Surety Bond to cash and deposit said cash proceeds with the administrator of the Commission's bonding program, and

WHEREAS, said cash proceeds from the converted Surety Bond shall be used to post a cash bond on behalf of the Principal pursuant to North Carolina Utilities Commission Rules R7-37(e) and/or R10-24(e), and

initial <u>One</u> (No. o	year f Years)	term, and shall	oe automatically renev	cuted by the Principal, for an ved for additional <u>One</u> (No. of Years) and are expressly released by
the Commis		•		,
NOW, THE agree to be	•	•	Surety consent to the	e conditions of this bond and
This the	20th	day of	February	20 <u>09</u>
			Briar Chapel Utilities,	(Principal)
			Arch Insurance Comp	oany Corporate Surety)
			BY: OTHER	Min
			(Janina Monroe, A	attorney-in-Fact

Chatham County, North Carolina Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before this day by <u>Teffrey Scouten</u>	Chathan Signed and swor
Date: 2/23/2009 Jun Duyer Notary Public's signature	Date: <u>2/23/</u> 2
(Notary's printed or typed name, Notary Public) Official Marge (Notary's printed or typed name, Notary Public) My commission expires: 10/07/2013	on of Francis
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Notary Public
Charham County
North Carolina
My Commission Expires 10/27/2/3

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA County of Orange	}		
On before me,	Michelle Haase, Notary Public Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer		
personally appeared Janina Monroe	Name(s) of Signer(s)		
MICHELLE HAASE Commission # 1810438 Notary Public - Celifornia Orange Gounty My Comm. Expires Aug 22, 2012	who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are-subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(e), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(e) acted, executed the instrument. I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.		
Place Notary Seal Above	Witness my hand and official seal. Signature Wichelle Daase Signature of Notary Public		
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Paul Boucher, Susan Thurston, Janina Monroe, Timothy J. Noonan, Leonard G. Fodemski and Mark Zwickel of Los Angeles, CA (EACH)

its true and lawful Attomey(s)-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal, and deliver from the date of issuance of this power for and on its behalf as surely, and as its act and deed:

Any and all bonds and undertakings

EXCEPTION: NO AUTHORITY is granted to make, execute, seal and deliver bonds or undertakings that guarantee the payment or collection of any promissory note, check, draft or letter of credit.

This authority does not permit the same obligation to be split into two or more bonds in order to bring each such bond within the dollar limit of authority as set forth herein.

The Company may revoke this appointment at any time.

The execution of such bonds and undertakings in pursuance of these presents shall be as binding upon the said Company as fully and amply to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by its regularly elected officers at its principal office in Kansas City, Missouri.

This Power of Attorney is executed by authority of resolutions adopted by unanimous consent of the Board of Directors of the Company on March 3, 2003, true and accurate copies of which are hereinafter set forth and are hereby certified to by the undersigned Secretary as being in full force and effect:

"VOTED, That the Chairman of the Board, the President, or any Vice President, or their appointees designated in writing and filed with the Secretary, or the Secretary shall have the power and authority to appoint agents and attorneys-in-fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings, obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such officers of the Company may appoint agents for acceptance of process."

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		nt to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by their	
authorized officers, this 1st 0	ay of <u>May</u> , 20 <u>08</u>	Arch Insurance Company	
Attested and Certified			
Martin J. Nilson, Secretary	CORPORATE SEAL 1971	J. Mighael Pete, Vice President	
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA	SS	J	
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the same persons whose name Corporation organized and exi appeared before me this day in	es are respectively as Secreta sting under the laws of the S n person and severally acknow and delivered the said instrume	J. Nilsen and J. Michael Pete personally known to me to be ry and Vice President of the Arch Insurance Company, a tate of Missouri, subscribed to the foregoing instrument, wledged that they being thereunto duly authorized signed, ant as the free and voluntary act of said corporation and as trein set forth	
CERTIFICATION	COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA NOTARIAL SEAL Brian C. Kuhn, Notary Public City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County My commission expires December 06, 2011	Brian C. Kuhn, Notary Public My commission expires 12-06-2011	
I, Martin J. Nilsen, Secretary of the Arch Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the attached Power of Attorney dated May 1, 2008 on behalf of the person(s) as listed above is a true and correct copy and that the same has been in full force and effect since the date thereof and is in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that the said J. Michael Pete, who executed the Power of Attorney as Vice President, was on the date of execution of the attached Power of Attorney the duly elected Vice President of the Arch Insurance Company.			
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I I Company on this day of	nave hereunto subscribed my r FEB 2 0 2009, 20	mame and affixed the corporate seal of the Arch Insurance Martin J. Nilsen, Secretary	
This Power of Attorney limits the and they have no authority to bis	e acts of those named therein of the Company except in the n	to the bonds and undertakings specifically named therein nanner and to the extent herein stated.	
PLEASE SEND ALL CLAIM IN	QUIRIES RELATING TO THIS	BOND TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:	
Arch Contractors & Developer 135 N. Robles Ave., Ste. 825 Pasadena, CA 91101	s Group		
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August 10, 2009

State of North Carolina North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-4325

RE:

Bond No. SU1100854 - Effective February 20, 2009

Principal: Briar Chapel Utilities, LLC . Surety: Arch Insurance Company

\$50,000 Sewer Utility Bond – Commitment Letter

To Whom It May Concern:

Per your request, this is to confirm that Arch Insurance Company is the surety for the above-referenced bond. This is also to confirm that the premium on this bond is \$12.50 per thousand or \$625.00 per annum and that the principal, Briar Chapel Utilities, LLC has not pledged to Arch Insurance Company any wastewater utility property to secure the bond.

Sincerely,

Thomas G. McCall Attorney-in-Fact for

Arch Insurance Company

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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County of <u>Orange</u>		J
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personally appeared	Janina Monroe	Name(s) of Signer(s)
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