



February 17, 2016

Dr. Rex Peebles
Assistant Commissioner
Academic Quality and Workforce
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board
1200 East Anderson Lane

Interagency Mail

Dear Dr. Peebles:

The University of Texas at Austin proposes to establish a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Engineering. The new program will be housed in the Department of Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering within the Cockrell School of Engineering.

I have approved this request under authority delegated by the Board of Regents. I submit the proposal to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for final approval. Thank you for your consideration. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Steven W. Leslie, Ph.D.
Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
The University of Texas System Administration

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cc: President Gregory Fenves
Dr. Judith Langlois
General Counsel to the Board of Regents Francie Frederick