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Just Like Home Kennels, PPR-18-004

Please accept the following comments from El Paso County Public Health regarding the project referenced above:

- **A record of approved, permitted on-site wastewater treatment systems (OWTS) for this property indicates the OWTS's were installed and approved in 2000 and 2016. The OWTS installed in 2000 is connected to the original house on the property and the soil treatment area is on the west side of the house. The 2016 OWTS is connected to the new modular residence (closest to the kennel) and the soil treatment area is located on the east side of the modular. The OWTS component locations are on file at El Paso County Public Health but currently are not accessible through the El Paso County Assessor's Office website property search page. Please make sure that components of the OWTS are protected from vehicular traffic and other means of compaction, such as horses.**
- **Please reserve secondary sites on the property for the possibility of a repair, addition, or replacement of the existing OWTS soil treatment areas.**
- **El Paso County Public Health recommends storing animal food in a manner that will minimize rodent and insect attraction.**
- **Dog waste should be managed properly to help control nuisance odors, minimize flies and other insects. The Letter of Intent indicated a waste removal plan that is acceptable to El Paso County Public Health.**

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