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Re: Drainage Contracts

SSR; ETC; Miller-Newell

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Dear Claude:

I have reviewed all three of the above mentioned engineering drainage contracts and find that all are approved as to form with the following exceptions:

SSR Ellers on page 6 Sec.F,line 4 state that the Agreement shall be governed by the law of the principal place of business of engineer. If this is Arkansas then there is no problem, but if not then it needs changing to reflect Arkansas. ETC provides that the plans are property of the city. Also, Miller states that the plans are property of the engineers. Neither is a problem legally, however my question to you is...do we need ownership of plans? If so, then the Agreements will need to be changed to reflect ownership.