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Providing Wastewater Treatment to the Kankakee River Valley

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KRMA Learns of Village of Bradley "Demand"

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Kankakee, IL -- Recently the Kankakee River Metropolitan Agency (KRMA) has learned that Village of Bradley leadership and KRMA board member Robert Romo of the Village of Bradley, are "demanding" a "forensic audit." KRMA learned of this demand from media reports in the Kankakee Daily Journal.

Secretary Brian Stump

Mayor Village of Aroma Park KRMA already undergoes an audit every year that is conducted by an independent accounting firm that is separate from KRMA's day to day accounting firm. The independent accounting firm used by KRMA has offices across the United States and

ranks among the top 20 accounting firms in the nation. The annual audit is made immediately available to KRMA board members and is a document available to the

public.

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"Reports from the Daily Journal that KRMA is a 'troubled agency' and 'under a cloud of suspicion' are simply false" said KRMA Board Chair Chasity Wells-Armstrong. "KRMA is regularly audited and we certainly stand ready to provide Mr. Romo and the Village of Bradley with the additional information they may need concerning the operations at KRMA and the work that the fine employees of KRMA do every day" said Wells-Armstrong.

KRMA provides wastewater treatment services to the citizens of the City of Kankakee and the Villages of Bourbonnais, Bradley, and Aroma Park. For more information on KRMA, please visit the website at krmawwtp.com.

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