

**Alliance Regional Water Authority
Board of Directors**

REGULAR MEETING



ALLIANCE WATER

BOARD MEMBER PACKETS

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.

San Marcos Activity Center
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

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This Notice is posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act (Texas Government Code Chapter 551). The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the Authority) Board of Directors will hold a meeting at 3:00 PM, Wednesday, October 30, 2019, at the San Marcos Activity Center, 501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, Texas. Additional information can be obtained by calling Graham Moore at (512) 294-3214.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

C. SEATING OF A NEWLY APPOINTED DIRECTOR

C.1 Oath of Office and swearing in of the Newly Appointed Director

D. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD (Note: Each person wishing to speak must submit a completed Public Comment Form to the Executive Director or his/her designee before the public comment period begins.)

E. CONSENT AGENDA

The items included in the Consent Agenda portion of this meeting agenda can be considered and approved by the Board of Directors by one motion and vote. A Board member may request that an item included in the Consent Agenda be considered separately, in which event the Board of Directors will take action on the remaining Consent Agenda items and then consider the item removed from the Consent Agenda.

E.1 Consider approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting held September 25, 2019.
~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

E.2 Consider approval of minutes of the Workshop Meeting held October 16, 2019.
~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

E.3 Consider approval of the financial report for September 2019. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

E.4 Consider approval of the quarterly investment report for the period ending September 30, 2019. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

E.5 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-001 approving a work authorization with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. for construction administration of the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline project as recommended by the Technical Committee. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

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F. PUBLIC HEARINGS / PRESENTATIONS - None

G. ITEMS FOR ACTION OR DISCUSSION/DIRECTION

- G.1 Report on Technical Committee activities. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*
- G.2 Report on Administrative Committee activities. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*
- G.3 Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1A projects, and direction to staff and consultants. ~ *Jason Biemer, Project Coordinator*
- G.4 Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-002 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
- G.5 Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-003 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
- G.6 Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-004 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*

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- G.7 Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-005 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
- G.8 Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1B program, and direction to staff and consultants. ~ *Ryan Sowa, P.E., Kimley-Horn & Associates*
- G.9 Consider and possible adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-006 adopting a Policy on Form of Board and Committee Actions. ~ *Mark B. Taylor, General Counsel*
- G.10 Update on status of groundwater management in project target area, and Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District, Plum Creek Conservation District, Groundwater Management Area 13, Region L Planning Group, Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority, Hays County and CAPCOG activities. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

H. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND LEGAL COUNSEL REPORTS

I. BOARD MEMBER ITEMS OR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS – no action to be taken.

J. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- I.1 *Executive Session pursuant to the Government Code, Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney) and/or Section 551.072 and/or 551.073 (Real Property Deliberations) regarding:*
 - A. *Water supply partnership options*
 - B. *Groundwater leases*
 - C. *Acquisition of real property for water supply project purposes*
- I.2 Action from Executive Session on the following matters:
 - A. *Water supply partnership options*
 - B. *Groundwater leases*
 - C. *Acquisition of real property for water supply project purposes*

K. ADJOURNMENT

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NOTE: *The Board of Directors may meet in Executive Session to consider any item listed on this agenda if a matter is raised that is appropriate for Executive Session discussion. An announcement will be made of the basis for the Executive Session discussion. The Board of Directors may also publicly discuss any item listed on the agenda for Executive Session.*

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A. CALL TO ORDER

No Backup Information for this Item.

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B. ROLL CALL

NAME	TERM ENDS	PRESENT
Mayor Jane Hughson – Vice-Chair (San Marcos)	April 2020	
Mike Taylor (CRWA - General Manager, Crystal Clear SUD)	April 2020	
Councilmember Daphne Tenorio (Kyle)	April 2021	
Kenneth Williams – Treasurer (Buda – City Manager)	April 2020	
Councilmember Mark Rockeymoore (San Marcos)	April 2022	
Humberto Ramos (CRWA – Water Resources Director)	April 2021	
James Earp – Secretary (Kyle – Assistant City Manager)	April 2021	
Tom Taggart (San Marcos – Executive Director of Public Services)	April 2021	
Chris Betz – Chair (CRWA - President, County Line SUD)	April 2022	
Councilmember Tracy Scheel (Kyle)	April 2021	
Jon Clack (San Marcos – Assistant Director of Public Services)	April 2022	
Pat Allen (CRWA - General Manager, Green Valley SUD)	April 2020	
Steve Parker (San Marcos – Assistant City Manager)	April 2022	

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C. SEATING OF THE NEWLY APPOINTED DIRECTOR

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C.1 Oath of Office and swearing in of Directors

Background/Information

Brian Lillibridge, the newly appointed City of Kyle Director for Position 3 will be asked to complete the Oath of Office form that is attached. The oath will be read verbally to Mr. Lillibridge at the meeting.

Attachment(s)

- Alliance Water – Director Oath of Office

Board Decision(s) Needed:

None.

Oath of Office
ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
Board of Directors

I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have not directly or indirectly paid, offered, or promised to pay, contributed or promised to contribute any money, or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward to secure my appointment or confirmation thereof.

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of Board Director of the Alliance Regional Water Authority, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect and defend the constitution and laws of the United States and of this state, so help me God.

Signature

Date

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- D. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD** (Note: Each person wishing to speak must submit a completed Public Comment Form to the Executive Director or his/her designee before the public comment period begins.)
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E. CONSENT AGENDA

Items E.1 through E.5 are presented as part of the consent agenda.

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- E.1** Consider approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting held September 25, 2019. ~
Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director
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Attachment(s)

- 2019 09 25 Board Meeting Minutes

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Approval of minutes.



Alliance Regional Water Authority

BOARD MEETING

MINUTES

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

The following represents the actions taken by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority (ARWA) in the order they occurred during the meeting. The Board of Directors convened in a meeting on Wednesday, September 25, 2019 at the San Marcos Activity Center, 501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, Texas.

- A. CALL TO ORDER.
The Alliance Water Board Meeting was called to order at 3:01p.m. by Mr. Betz.

- B. ROLL CALL.
 - **Present: Hughson, Taylor, Ramos, Earp, Betz, Scheel, Clack, and with Parker joining in Item F.1 and Williams joining in Item F.2.**
 - **Absent: Tenorio, Rockeymoore, and Taggart.**

- C. PUBLIC COMMENTS
 - **None.**

- D. CONSENT AGENDA
 - D.1 Consider approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting held August 28, 2019.
 - D.2 Consider approval of the financial report for August 2019.
 - D.3 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-001 approving an extension of the existing general counsel services agreement with Mark B. Taylor through November 30, 2019, as recommended by the Technical Committee.
 - D.4 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-002 approving a work order with RW Harden & Associates for general hydrogeological services through September 30, 2020, as recommended by the Technical Committee.
 - D.5 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-003 approving a contract for groundwater permitting special counsel services agreement with Patricia Ehrlinger Carls through September 30, 2020, as recommended by the Technical Committee.

- D.6 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-004 approving an agreement for governmental affairs with Texas Solutions Group through September 30, 2020, as recommended by the Technical Committee.
- **Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented was made by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Ms. Hughson on an 8-0 vote.**

E. PUBLIC HEARINGS / PRESENTATIONS

- E.1 None.

F. ITEMS FOR ACTION OR DISCUSSION/DIRECTION

- F.1 Report on Technical Committee activities.
- **Mr. Moore provided an update on the September meeting.**
 - **No Action.**
- F.2 Report on Administrative Committee activities.
- **Mr. Moore reported on the recent Administrative Committee meeting.**
 - **No Action.**
- F.3 Report on public relations activities by Gap Strategies; discussion and direction to staff and consultants on future activities.
- **Jeff Barton with Gap Strategies attended and reported on their prior year's accomplishments, including the following:**
 - **Less on focus on traditional media**
 - **Fielded calls/questions about the Authority**
 - **Coordinated with City of Austin and Guadalupe County**
 - **Weekly website updates**
 - **Assisted with the Leaseholder BBQ Luncheon**
 - **Completed efforts under budget.**
 - **Gap Strategies suggests that in the future the Authority have a more aggressive outreach.**
 - **No Action.**
- F.4 Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1A projects, and direction to staff and consultants.
- **Mr. Biemer provided updates.**
 - **No Action.**

- F.5 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-005 awarding a construction contract to Smith Contracting Company, Inc. for the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline Project, contingent upon approval of the award by the Texas Water Development Board.
- **Motion to adopt Resolution 2019-09-25-005 awarding a construction contract to Smith Contracting Company, Inc. for the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline Project, contingent upon approval of the award by the Texas Water Development Board, as presented, was made by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Ms. Scheel on a 10-0 vote.**
- F.6 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-006 approving a work authorization with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. for construction administration of the Phase 1B Segment B Pipeline project as recommended by the Technical Committee.
- **Motion to adopt Resolution 2019-09-25-006 approving a work authorization with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. for construction administration of the Phase 1B Segment B Pipeline project, as presented, was made by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Ms. Hughson on a 10-0 vote.**
 - **Note: After the meeting it was determined that the item title was posted incorrectly and therefore the action is not valid.**
- F.7 Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1B program, and direction to staff and consultants.
- **Mr. Sowa provided an update on the Authority's Phase 1B program, including the ongoing cost evaluations, program updates and land acquisition status.**
- F.8 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-007 approving Amendment #2 to the Authority's FY 2018-19 fiscal budget.
- **Motion to adopt Resolution 2019-09-25-007 approving Amendment #2 to the Authority's FY 2018-19 budget, as presented, was made by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Ms. Hughson on a 10-0 vote.**
- F.9 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-008 approving Amendment #1 to the Authority's FY 2019-20 fiscal budget.
- **Motion to adopt Resolutions 2019-09-25-008 approving Amendment #1 to the Authority's FY 2019-20 budget, as presented was made by Mr. Earp, seconded by Mr. Williams and approved on an 10-0 vote.**
- F.10 Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-009 approving an amended Policy on Board and Committee Meeting Procedures.
- **Motion to adopt Resolution 2019-09-25-009 approving an amended Policy on Board and Committee Meeting Procedures was made by Mr. Earp, seconded by Mr. Allen and approved on a 10-0 vote.**

- F.11 Consider appointment of a Temporary Committee to review and score submissions to the Authority's Request for Statements of Qualifications for General Counsel Legal Services and possibly to recommend the selection of a respondent.
- **Motion to appoint Mr. Taylor, Mr. Williams, Ms. Hughson, Mr. Earp and Staff as the selection committee for the General Counsel Legal Services RFQ was made by Mr. Earp, seconded by Mr. Taylor and approved on a 10-0 vote.**
- F.12 Update on status of groundwater management in project target area, and Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District, Plum Creek Conservation District, Groundwater Management Area 13, Region L Planning Group, Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority, Hays County and CAPCOG activities.
- **Mr. Moore provided an update on area water meetings.**
 - **No Action.**
- G. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND LEGAL COUNSEL REPORTS
- **No action.**
- H BOARD MEMBER ITEMS OR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS
- **None.**
- I.1 The Board recessed into Executive Session at 3:38 p.m. based on the motion by Ms. Hughson, a second by Mr. Taylor and on a vote of 10-0, pursuant of the Government Code, Section 551.071, to seek the General Counsel's advice regarding matters involving attorney-client privilege, and Sections 551.072 and 551.073, to discuss water supply project partnership options and real property deliberations and 551.074 for Personnel Matters. The Board reconvened from Executive Session at 3:58 p.m. based on the motion from Ms. Hughson, second by Mr. Taylor and a vote of 10-0, at which time it resumed with the regular session.
- I.2 Action from Executive Session on the following matters:
- A. Water supply partnership options
 - **No Action.**
 - B. Groundwater leases
 - **No Action.**

- C. Acquisition of real property for water supply project purposes.
 - **Motion to direct Staff to proceed with landowner negotiations parameters for easement acquisitions as discussed in Executive Session was made by Ms. Hughson, seconded by Mr. Earp and approved on a vote of 9-0-1 with Mr. Taylor abstaining.**
- D. Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-09-25-010 approving a purchase agreement with Secure Covenant Interests, Ltd. for acquisition of an easement associated with the Authority's Phase 1B program.
 - **Motion to adopt Resolution 2019-09-25-010 approving a purchase agreement with Secure Covenant Interests, Ltd. for acquisition of an easement associated with the Authority's Phase 1B program, as presented, was made by Ms. Hughson, seconded by Mr. Taylor and approved on a 10-0 vote.**

J. ADJOURNMENT

- **Meeting was adjourned at 3:59 p.m. based on the motion by Ms. Hughson, seconded by Ms. Scheel on a 10-0 vote.**

APPROVED: _____, 2019

ATTEST:

Chair, Board of Directors

Secretary, Board of Directors

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E.2 Consider approval of minutes of the Workshop Meeting held October 16, 2019. ~
Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director

Attachment(s)

- 2019 10 16 Board Workshop Meeting Minutes

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Approval of minutes.



Alliance Regional Water Authority

BOARD WORKSHOP MEETING

MINUTES

Wednesday, October 16, 2019

The following represents the actions taken by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority (ARWA) in the order they occurred during the meeting. The Board of Directors convened in a meeting on Wednesday, October 16, 2019 at Buda City Hall, 405 E. Loop Street, Buda, Texas.

- A. CALL TO ORDER.
The Alliance Water Board Meeting was called to order at 2:11p.m. by Mr. Betz.

- B. ROLL CALL.
 - **Present: Hughson, Taylor, Williams, Ramos, Taggart, Betz, Clack, and Allen with Parker joining in Item E.1.**
 - **Absent: Tenorio, Rockeymoore, Earp and Scheel.**

- C. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
 - **None.**

- D. CONSENT AGENDA – None.

- E. PUBLIC HEARINGS / PRESENTATIONS
 - E.1 Presentation and Discussion Regarding Cost Saving Measures Evaluated for the Authority’s Phase 1B Program.
 - **Mr. Moore and Mr. Sowa provided a presentation to the Board on the status of the Phase 1B Program, funding provided to date and initial cost estimates. Eight different cost saving measures were presented to the Board. Staff indicated that they will seek Technical Committee recommendations in November with Board action in either November or December. Below is the feedback provided on the various cost saving measures:**
 - **Measure #1 – Sell Water Treatment Plant Property**
 - **Ramos – How long to sell the property?**

- **Moore** – dependent upon a buyer, can expect 18 months or so.
- **Taggart** – value in land will only increase with time. Want to evaluate the possibility of adding a solar array at the site to offset long-term electrical power costs. Would like to determine the return on investment.
- **Williams** – concerned that this is much more land than what is needed – would like to sell some of it.
- **Hughson** – interested in seeing the return on investment for a solar array.
- **Measure #2 – Peaking Factor Reduction**
 - **Taylor and Taggart** – water sharing can be utilized to meet any entities peaking needs. This is the best option to save significant money.
 - **Ramos** – what would agreements look like now to share water?
 - **Allen** – need to be cautious with cutting the peaking factor as it could impact systems.
- **Measure #3 – Phase 2 Pipeline Capacity Deferral**
 - **Ramos** – concerned about under-sizing the pipeline given other alternatives.
- **Measure #4 – Defer Administrative and Operations Facility**
 - **Moore** - stated that he is putting the facility on hold until he can provide more information to the Board regarding the need for the facility, the sizing and construction costs.
 - **Williams** – need a home to reflect viability.
 - **Clack** – it's a deferral at best and costs will only increase.
- **Measure #5 – Defer Inline Elevated Storage Tanks**
 - **Taggart** – be more specific in the slide on the potential damages that may be suffered if tanks are deferred.
- **Measure #6 – Packaging of Projects into Larger Construction Packages**
 - **Taggart** – supportive of this item. Need to ensure that the Construction Management and Inspection is scaled to match the number of crews that will be constructing the various projects at the same time.
- **Measure #7 – Isolation Valve Spacing Revision**
 - **Clack** – consider problems that longer spacing will impose should one of the valves fail to close.
- **Measure #8 – Stream Crossing Exception**
 - **Taggart** – In some cases having the pipeline encased can cause more harm by serving as a dam.
- **No Action.**

- F. ITEMS FOR ACTION OR DISCUSSION/DIRECTION – None.
- G. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND LEGAL COUNSEL REPORTS – None.
- H BOARD MEMBER ITEMS OR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS
 - **None.**
- I. ADJOURNMENT
 - **Meeting was adjourned at 4:09 p.m. based on the motion by Mr. Ramos, seconded by Ms. Hughson on a 9-0 vote.**

APPROVED: _____, 2019

ATTEST:

Chair, Board of Directors

Secretary, Board of Directors

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E.3 Consider approval of the financial report for September 2019. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

Background/Information

Attached is the financial report for the period ending in September 2019.

Attachment(s)

- 2019 09 30 Financial Report – to be provided prior to the meeting

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Approval of the financial report for the period ending September 2019.

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- E.4** Consider approval of the quarterly investment report for the period ending September 30, 2019. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*
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Background/Information

Attached is the quarterly investment report for the period ending in September 30, 2019.

Attachment(s)

- 2019 09 30 Quarterly Investment Report

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Approval of the quarterly investment report for the period ending September 30, 2019.

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Quarterly Investment Report Ending as of September 30, 2019

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Moore', is positioned above a horizontal line.

Graham Moore – Alliance Regional Water Authority Investment Officer

The following reports are submitted in accordance with the Public Funds Investment Act (Chapter 2256) and the Authority's Investment Policy. The report includes an analysis of the cash accounts and investments, an analysis versus the benchmark and rates of returns for the pooled accounts.

**Alliance Regional Water Authority
Quarterly Investment Report
June 30, 2019 – September 30, 2019**

Portfolio Allocation Analysis

Portfolio as of June 30, 2019

Beginning Book Value \$29,917,907.01
Beginning Market Value \$29,917,907.01
Unrealized Gain / Loss – 0 –

Portfolio as of March 31, 2019

Ending Book Value \$26,082,890.83
Ending Market Value \$26,082,890.83
Accrued Interest \$129,516.24
Change in Unrealized Gain/Loss – 0 –

Schedule of Cash Accounts and Investments		
	As of June 30, 2019	As of September 30, 2019
Funds in Investment Pools		
TexSTAR Balance	\$8,446,405.02	\$5,382,629.68
Deposits to TexSTAR in Period	\$0.00	\$0.00
Accrued Interest	\$50,393.50	\$36,224.66
Percentage of Total Portfolio	28.2%	20.64%
Funds in Checking Accounts		
Broadway Balance	\$75,000.00	\$75,039.48
Deposits to Checking in Period	\$2,834,225.35	\$2,996,717.66
Percentage of Total Portfolio	0.3%	0.3%
Funds in Reserve Accounts		
Reserves Balance	\$1,083,434.94	\$30,608.42
Deposits to Reserves in Period	\$632,026.82	\$282,553.14
Percentage of Total Portfolio	2.2%	0.1%
Funds in Savings Accounts		
Broadway Balance	\$633,050.63	\$824,075.84
Deposits to Savings in Period	\$0.00	\$0.00
Accrued Interest	\$3,552.14	\$2,222.45
Percentage of Total Portfolio	2.1%	3.2%

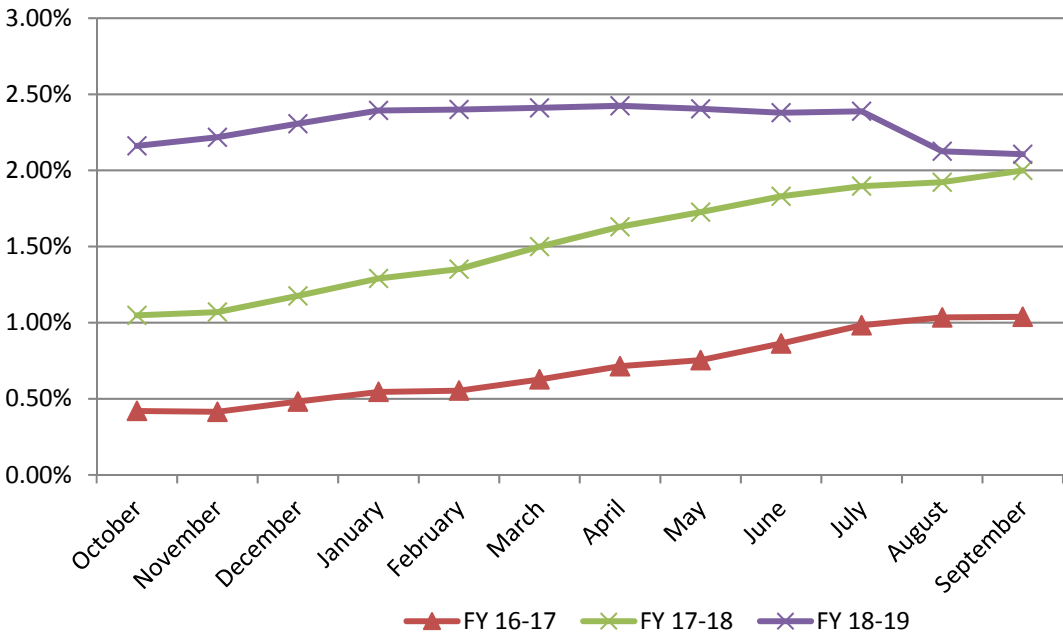
Funds in Escrow Accounts		
BoKF - 2015A (CRWA)	\$1,251,790.29	\$1,258,255.82
BoKF - 2015B (Kyle)	\$1,134,120.40	\$1,139,978.15
BoKF - 2017A (CRWA)	\$5,338,273.67	\$5,362,416.99
BoKF - 2017B (Kyle)	\$4,864,564.64	\$4,886,547.46
BoKF - 2017C (San Marcos)	\$6,230,325.92	\$6,258,503.72
BoKF - 2017D (Buda)	\$860,941.50	\$864,835.27
Deposits to Escrow in Period	\$0.00	\$0.00
Accrued Interest	\$13,611.03	\$12,323.28
Percentage of Total Portfolio	65.8%	75.8%
Total Investments & Cash Accounts	\$29,917,907.01	\$ 26,082,890.83

Benchmark Analysis	
Benchmark (US Treasury – Daily Bill Rates: 4 weeks)	2.034%
TexSTAR Average Monthly Rate	2.207%
Average Weighted Maturity	19.0 Days

Schedule of TexSTAR Monthly Rate History October 1, 2015 – September 30, 2019

Month	Average Monthly Rate (FY 15-16)	Average Monthly Rate (FY 16-17)	Average Monthly Rate (FY 17-18)	Average Monthly Rate (FY 18-19)	Average Rate Variance
October	0.11%	0.42%	1.05%	2.16%	1.11%
November	0.12%	0.41%	1.07%	2.22%	1.15%
December	0.19%	0.48%	1.18%	2.31%	1.13%
January	0.27%	0.55%	1.29%	2.39%	1.10%
February	0.31%	0.55%	1.35%	2.40%	1.05%
March	0.35%	0.63%	1.50%	2.41%	0.91%
April	0.37%	0.71%	1.63%	2.42%	0.79%
May	0.37%	0.75%	1.73%	2.40%	0.68%
June	0.39%	0.86%	1.83%	2.38%	0.55%
July	0.39%	0.98%	1.90%	2.39%	0.49%
August	0.40%	1.03%	1.92%	2.13%	0.20%
September	0.41%	1.04%	2.00%	2.11%	0.11%

TexSTAR Monthly Pool Rate History



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- E.5** Consider adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-001 approving a work authorization with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. for construction administration of the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline project as recommended by the Technical Committee. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*
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Background/Information

The agenda item was not posted properly at the September meeting – it mistakenly referenced the Phase 1B Segment B project instead of the Phase 1A Segment B project. The item has been placed on the agenda for approval this month to correct his error. No other changes to the work authorization or scope of work were made.

Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam (LAN) was hired in December 2014 to provide the preliminary, final and bid phase services for the Authority's Phase 1A pipeline. Construction phase services are needed by the engineer to review the proposed products to be utilized, to review and/or prepare change orders, to review pay orders and to close out the project. Staff requested LAN to prepare a work authorization for these services for Segment B.

Scope of Work

The detailed scope of work is attached and includes the following:

- Project Management
- Site Visits and Progress Meetings
- Clarifications and Interpretations
- Change Orders & Work Directives
- Substitutes
- Coordination with Inspections and Tests
- Review Pay Applications
- Project Close-Out

Fee Schedule

The work authorization is proposed on a time and material basis not-to-exceed \$108,860.01 including \$16,120.01 of supplemental environmental services that will only be authorized if timing of the construction warrants.

Contract

The work authorization would be issued in accordance with the approved Master Agreement between LAN and the Agency.

REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET
Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-001
- LAN Proposal for Construction Phase Services for Phase 1A Segment B.

Technical Committee Recommendation(s)

- The Technical Committee unanimously recommended approval of the Work Authorization.

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-001 approving a work authorization with LAN for construction administration of the Authority's Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline project as recommended by the Technical Committee.



ALLIANCE WATER

RESOLUTION NO. 20191030-001

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVING A WORK AUTHORIZATION BETWEEN THE AUTHORITY AND LOCKWOOD, ANDREWS & NEWNAM, INC. FOR CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION SERVICES RELATED TO THE PHASE 1A SEGMENT B PIPELINE PROJECT AND RELATED MATTERS, AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

RECITALS:

1. The Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (the "Agency") entered into a master agreement with Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. ("LAN") for engineering services and related matters in March 2007. The Agency entered into a work authorization with LAN for engineering design of the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline Project in December 2014 and into a work authorization for bid phase services in December 2016.
2. The master agreement and the design phase work authorization were transferred from the Agency to the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority") in June 2017.
3. The Authority is in need of construction administration services for the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline Project.
4. The attached work authorization references terms and conditions in the approved Master Agreement between the Authority and LAN.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. The attached work authorization for engineering services between the Authority and LAN is approved.

SECTION 2. The Chair of the Authority's Board of Directors, Chris Betz, is authorized to execute the attached agreement on behalf of the Authority.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED: October 30, 2019.

ATTEST:

Chris Betz
Chair, Board of Directors

James Earp
Secretary, Board of Directors

Work Authorization No. 009

Pursuant and subject to the Master Service Agreement between the Alliance Regional Water Authority (Alliance Water) and Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc. (Engineer), Alliance Water requests the Consultant to perform the services described below:

Work Site: <u>Hays County</u>
Work to Be Performed: <u>Construction administration services for the Phase 1A Segment B Pipeline project, as noted in the attached scope of services letter dated August 29, 2019.</u>
Date to Commence: <u>November 1, 2019.</u>
Date to Complete: <u>January 31, 2021.</u>
Cost Proposal to be: <u>Time and material basis, not-to-exceed: \$108,860.01</u>
Other Information/Requirements: <u>Supplemental services must be authorized by a separate work order, should the need arise.</u>

Acceptance:

Alliance Regional Water Authority

Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc.

By: _____

By: _____

Signature

Signature

Graham Moore, Executive Director

Travis Michel, Project Manager

Date: _____

Date: _____

August 26, 2019

Graham Moore, PE
Executive Director, Alliance Regional Water Authority
1040 Highway 123
San Marcos, Texas 78666

Via Email: gmoore@alliancewater.org

**Re: Authorization for Change in Services Request #8
Construction Phase Services
ARWA Phase 1A Segment B Water Transmission Main
LAN WO#160-10709-000**

Dear Mr. Moore:

This letter is to request authorization for construction phase services for the Phase 1A Pipeline Segment B project that were not included in the original scope of the Work Authorization between Alliance Regional Water Authority (ARWA), formerly Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (HCPUA), and Lockwood, Andrews and Newnam, Inc. dated December 17, 2014. Table 1 indicates the tasks and associated fees for basic construction phase services. A detailed scope document (Attachment 1) and fee schedule (Attachment 2) for these services are attached to this letter. Work completed will be invoiced on a time and materials basis.

Table 1 – Basic Construction Phase Services	Amount (\$)
Task 1 – Project Management	\$10,700
Task 2 – General Administration	\$13,830
Task 3 – Construction Coordination	\$8,680
Task 4 – Clarifications & Interpretations	\$7,140
Task 5 – Change Orders & Work Directives	\$5,570
Task 6 – Shop Drawings	\$13,100
Task 7 – Substitutes	\$3,610
Task 8 – Inspections & Tests	\$4,470
Task 9 – Disagreements between Owner & Contractor	\$8,340
Task 10 – Applications for Payment	\$3,990
Task 11 – Contractor’s Completion Documents	\$8,690
Task 12 – Substantial Completion	\$2,310
Task 13 – Final Notice of Acceptability of Work	\$2,310
Total Basic Services	\$92,740

Supplemental construction phase services may be required as part of the Environmental Determination from the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) and are indicated in Table 2. If specifically authorized by Alliance Water, these services will be invoiced on a time and materials basis because they are dependent on the timing of construction activities. These services will only be required for the areas within the limits of construction that have not been cleared prior to the migratory bird peak breeding season and/or the flowering period of certain plants, as described in the attached sub-consultant proposal from Hicks & Company dated July 8, 2019 (Attachment 3). The fee amounts shown in Table 2 include a 5% markup in accordance with our contract.

Table 2 - SUPPLEMENTAL Construction Phase Services	Amount (\$)
Task 1 – Surveys for Nesting Migratory Birds	\$9,540.20
Task 2 – Survey for the Bracted Twistflower	\$3,331.35
Task 3 – Surveys for Warnock’s Coral-root and Hill Country Wild-mercury	\$1,204.04
Project Management/Coordination/Meetings	\$2,044.42
Total SUPPLEMENTAL Construction Phase Services	\$16,120.01

We appreciate the opportunity to support Alliance Water on this project and look forward to successful construction of the project. Please contact me at (512) 338-2745 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Travis Michel, PE
Project Manager

Attachments:

- Attachment 1 – Scope of Services
- Attachment 2 – Fee Schedule
- Attachment 3 – Hicks & Company Proposal

Attachment 1 – Scope of Services

The following tasks are anticipated in Construction Phase Services for the Phase 1A Pipeline Segment B project. In this Scope of Services, “ENGINEER” is Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc., “OWNER” is Alliance Regional Water Authority, and “CONTRACTOR” is to be determined in previously authorized bid phase services.

1. Project Management

- a. Kickoff Meeting: Support OWNER in preparing an agenda for one (1) kickoff meetings prior to the start of construction. Review minutes of the meeting (to be prepared by others) and provide comments in a timely manner for project record.
- b. Status Calls: Schedule, prepare for, and conduct monthly status meetings with OWNER to provide adequate updates with regard to status, schedule, deliverables, and other related items.
- c. Internal Coordination: Schedule, prepare for, and conduct internal project team meetings with team members to review project status, scope, and deliverables in accordance with the contract and project work plan.
- d. Invoicing: Prepare and submit to OWNER invoices for all services rendered on a monthly basis in accordance with payment and invoicing terms of the contract.

2. General Administration

- a. Consult with and advise OWNER and act as OWNER’s representative as provided in the Standard General Conditions dated March 28, 2007.
- b. Extent and limitations of the duties, responsibilities, and authority of ENGINEER and OWNER as assigned in said Standard General Conditions shall not be modified except as ENGINEER may otherwise agree in writing. All of OWNER’s instructions to CONTRACTOR will be issued through INSPECTOR (with input from ENGINEER) who shall have authority to act on behalf of OWNER in dealings with CONTRACTOR to the extent provided in this Scope of Services and said Standard General Conditions except as otherwise provided in writing by OWNER.

3. Construction Coordination

- a. Visits to Site - Schedule, coordinate, and complete visits to the PROJECT during construction. Conduct visits on a monthly basis, providing no more than twelve (12) visits total during the PROJECT. Site visits provided are to observe the progress and quality of the various aspects of CONTRACTOR’s work as an experienced and qualified design professional.
- b. Progress Meetings – Conduct up to twelve (12) monthly progress meetings with CONTRACTOR, OWNER, and CONSTRUCTION OBSERVER to review submittal and RFI logs, change order status, previous activities and upcoming activities.

4. Clarifications & Interpretations

- a. Prepare and issue up to ten (10) clarifications and interpretations of/to the Contract Documents as appropriate to support the orderly completion of the PROJECT.



- b. Clarifications and interpretations shall be consistent with the intent of and reasonably inferable from the Contract Documents. ENGINEER may issue field orders authorizing minor variations from the requirements of the Contract Documents.

5. Change Orders & Work Directives

- a. Recommend change orders and/or work change directives to OWNER as appropriate and prepare up to four (4) change orders and/or work change directives for issuance to CONTRACTOR as required.

6. Shop Drawings

- a. Review and respond to shop drawings, samples, and/or other data that CONTRACTOR is required to submit for conformance with information given in the Contract Documents and compatibility with the design concept of the completed PROJECT as a functioning whole as indicated in the Contract Documents. Review and response/approval or other action will not extend to means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction or to safety precautions and programs incidental thereto.

7. Substitutes

- a. Evaluate, determine, and advise OWNER on the acceptability of up to six (6) substitutes or "or-equal" materials and equipment proposed by CONTRACTOR. Final responsibility for all materials and equipment shall remain with CONTRACTOR.

8. Inspections & Tests

- a. Coordinate with CONTRACTOR and OWNER to schedule inspections and/or tests of specialized equipment, materials, or other PROJECT components. Attend up to two (2) separate inspections and/or tests as representative of the OWNER.
- b. Receive and review all certificates of inspections, tests and approvals required by laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes, orders and/or the Contract Documents. Review of such certificates will be for the purpose of determining that the results certified indicate compliance with the Contract Documents and will not constitute an independent evaluation that the content or procedures of such inspections, tests or approvals comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- c. ENGINEER shall be entitled to rely on the results of such tests.

9. Disagreements between OWNER & CONTRACTOR

- a. Evaluate and render up to four (4) initial decisions on all claims of OWNER and CONTRACTOR relating to the acceptability of the work or the interpretation of the requirements of the Contract Documents pertaining to the execution and progress of the work. In rendering such decisions, ENGINEER shall be fair and not show partiality to OWNER or CONTRACTOR and shall not be liable in connection with any decision rendered in good faith in such capacity.

10. Applications for Payment

- a. Determine amounts owed to CONTRACTOR and recommend in writing up to twelve (12) payments to CONTRACTOR in such amounts based on periodic on-site observations as an



experienced and qualified design professional and on review of Applications for Payment and accompanying data and schedules.

- b. Such recommendations for payment will constitute ENGINEER's representation to OWNER, based on such observations and review that, to the best of ENGINEER's knowledge, information, and belief, the work has progressed to the point indicated, the quality of such work is generally in accordance with the Contract Documents (subject to an evaluation of such work as a functioning whole prior to or upon Substantial Completion, to the results of any subsequent tests called for in the Contract Documents and to any other qualifications stated in the recommendation), and the conditions precedent to CONTRACTOR's being entitled to such payment appear to have been fulfilled in so far as it is ENGINEER's responsibility to observe the work.
- c. In the case of unit price work, ENGINEER's recommendations for payment will include final determinations of quantities and classifications of such work (subject to any subsequent adjustments allowed by Contract Documents).
- d. By recommending any payment ENGINEER shall not thereby be deemed to have represented that on-site observations made by ENGINEER to check the quality or quantity of CONTRACTOR's work as it is performed and furnished have been exhaustive, extended to every aspect of the work in progress, or involved detailed inspections of the work beyond the responsibilities specifically assigned to ENGINEER in this Scope of Services and the Contract Documents. Neither ENGINEER's review of CONTRACTOR's work for the purposes of recommending payments nor ENGINEER's recommendation of any payment (including final payment) will impose on ENGINEER responsibility to supervise, direct, or control such work or for the means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures of construction or safety precautions or programs incident thereto, or CONTRACTOR's compliance with laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes or orders applicable to CONTRACTOR's furnishing and performing the work. It will also not impose responsibility on ENGINEER to make any examination to ascertain how or for what purposes CONTRACTOR has used the moneys paid on account of the Contract Price, or to determine that title to any of the work, materials or equipment has passed to OWNER free and clear of any liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances, or that there may not be other matters at issue between OWNER and CONTRACTOR that might affect the amount that should be paid.

11. CONTRACTOR's Completion Documents

- a. Receive and review maintenance and operating instructions; schedules, guarantees, bonds, certificates, or other evidence of insurance required by the Contract Documents; certificates of inspection, tests, and approvals; and marked-up record documents (including Shop Drawings approved or reviewed in accordance with this Scope of Services) or Drawings.
- b. Documents referenced, are to be assembled by CONTRACTOR in accordance with the Contract Documents to obtain final payment and the extent of ENGINEER review(s) will be in accordance with the terms of this Scope of Services.
- c. Upon review, transmit documents received with written comments to OWNER.



- d. Compile as-built/for record drawings and transmit to OWNER, showing all final, as-built conditions based on markups, redlines, and comment provided by CONTRACTOR throughout PROJECT.

12. Substantial Completion

- a. Following notice from CONTRACTOR that CONTRACTOR considers the entire PROJECT ready for its intended use, conduct a single inspection (accompanied by CONTRACTOR and OWNER) to determine if PROJECT is substantially complete .
- b. If, after considering any objections of OWNER, ENGINEER considers PROJECT substantially complete, deliver a separate certificate of Substantial Completion to OWNER and CONTRACTOR.
- c. Identify in writing and transmit to OWNER and CONTRACTOR any work considered to be incomplete.

13. Final Notice of Acceptability of the Work

- a. Conduct a final inspection of PROJECT for the entire PROJECT to determine if completed work of CONTRACTOR is acceptable.
- b. If, after considering any objections of the OWNER, ENGINEER considers PROJECT completed, recommend, in writing, final payment to CONTRACTOR.
- c. Accompanying the recommendation for final payment, provide a notice that the work is acceptable to the best of ENGINEER's knowledge, information, and belief and based on the extent of services performed and furnished by ENGINEER under this Scope of Services.

Attachment 2
ARWA Phase 1A Pipeline Segment B
Construction Phase Services



Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc.
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Fee Schedule
 26-Aug-19

Item No.	Description	Hours by Category						Fee			
		Principal Sr. Technical - Steve Gilbreath	Sr. Project Manager - Travis Michel	Sr. Civil Engineer - Greg Henry	EIT - Hunter Hanson	Senior Designer - Juan Villarreal	Senior Admin - Lynn Carlisle	Total LAN Labor Effort	Hicks & Company	Expenses	Total Fee (including 5% sub markup)
BASIC SERVICES		\$290/hr.	\$245/hr.	\$210/hr.	\$125/hr.	\$115/hr.	\$85/hr.				
Construction Phase Services - Segment B											
1	Project Management	2	30	-	12	-	12	\$ 10,450	\$ -	\$ 250	\$ 10,700
2	General Administration	2	30	-	20	-	40	\$ 13,830	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 13,830
3	Construction Coordination	-	16	-	32	-	6	\$ 8,430	\$ -	\$ 250	\$ 8,680
4	Clarifications & Interpretations	-	8	4	32	-	4	\$ 7,140	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,140
5	Change Orders & Work Directives	2	4	4	24	-	2	\$ 5,570	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,570
6	Shop Drawings	-	6	8	60	20	-	\$ 12,950	\$ -	\$ 150	\$ 13,100
7	Substitutes	1	4	4	12	-	-	\$ 3,610	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,610
8	Inspections & Tests	-	2	8	16	-	-	\$ 4,170	\$ -	\$ 300	\$ 4,470
9	Disagreements Between Owner & Contractor	2	12	8	20	-	4	\$ 8,040	\$ -	\$ 300	\$ 8,340
10	Applications for Payment	-	6	-	12	-	12	\$ 3,990	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,990
11	Contractor's Completion Documents - As-builts	-	2	-	24	32	12	\$ 8,190	\$ -	\$ 500	\$ 8,690
12	Substantial Completion	-	2	-	12	-	2	\$ 2,160	\$ -	\$ 150	\$ 2,310
13	Final Notice of Acceptability of Work	-	2	-	12	-	2	\$ 2,160	\$ -	\$ 150	\$ 2,310
TOTAL BASIC SERVICES		9	124	36	288	52	96	\$ 90,690	\$ -	\$ 2,050	\$ 92,740

TOTAL FEE (BASIC SERVICES): \$ 92,740

SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES											
Task 1	Surveys for Nesting Migratory Birds	-	1	-	2	-	-	\$ 495	\$ 8,614.48	\$ -	\$ 9,540.20
Task 2	Monitoring of Active Nests and Report Preparation	-	1	-	2	-	-	\$ 495	\$ 2,701.29	\$ -	\$ 3,331.35
Task 3	Survey for Bracted Twistflower	-	1	-	2	-	-	\$ 495	\$ 484.80	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,204.04
	Project Management/Coordination/Meetings	-	2	-	2	-	-	\$ 740	\$ 1,242.30	\$ -	\$ 2,044.42
TOTAL OPTIONAL SERVICES		-	5	-	8	-	-	\$ 2,225	\$ 13,042.87	\$ 200.00	\$ 16,120.01

TOTAL FEE (WITH OPTIONAL SERVICES): \$ 108,860

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July 8, 2019

Travis Michel
Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc.
8911 N. Capital of Texas Hwy, Building 2, Suite 2300
Austin, Texas 78759

Re: Scope of Services for Biological Surveys, ARWA Phase 1A, Segment B Water Transmission Line

Dear Mr. Michel:

In response to an email request from Hunter Hanson of LAN on of June 27, 2019, this letter transmits a Scope of Services and fee estimate for Biological Surveys for the above-referenced project to satisfy funding requirements of the Texas Water Development Board. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Roy L. Foye".

Senior Project Manager

Attachment: Scope of Services and fee estimate

**Scope of Services for Biological Surveys
ARWA Phase 1A, Segment B Water Transmission Line
July 8, 2019**

Project Understanding

Hicks & Company will perform environmental services for Lockwood, Andrews, and Newnam, Inc (LAN) and the Alliance Regional Water Authority (ARWA) prior to and during construction of Segment B of the Phase 1A Water Transmission Line between Kyle and Buda, Hays County, Texas. The total length of Segment B is approximately 18,000 linear feet (3.4 miles), with a construction disturbance width of approximately 50 feet.

Services to be provided will address specified conditions of an Environmental Determination for funding by the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) issued by Dr. T. Clay Schultz (TWDB) in a memorandum dated July 25, 2016 (State Water Implementation Fund for Texas Project 51006 [L15007, L15036]). Such services will include the implementation of measures to be taken prior to and during construction to protect nesting birds listed under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) and a sensitive plant, the bracted twistflower (*Streptanthus bracteatus*), that is a candidate for federal listing as endangered or threatened under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). Tasks to be performed are described below.

MBTA Regulatory Background

The MBTA states that it is unlawful to kill, capture, collect, possess, buy, sell, trade, or transport any migratory bird, nest, young, feather, or egg in part or in whole, without a federal permit issued in accordance with the Act's policies and regulations. Migratory bird species protected by the Act are listed in Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 50, Section 10.13.

Task 1. Surveys for Nesting Migratory Birds

One of the conditions of the Environmental Determination issued by the TWDB for the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (now ARWA) Phase 1A Water Transmission Line Project (Memorandum dated July 25, 2016) specified that “To assure compliance with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, if impacts to nesting migratory birds cannot be completely avoided by scheduling construction activities outside of the peak breeding season, mid-March to mid-September, then surveys for nesting migratory birds in advance of construction equipment and establishing construction buffers around native nests will be implemented.” For this project, it is assumed that construction schedules will not be able to completely avoid the peak nesting period of March 15 to September 15, 2020, and that nesting surveys will be required. For the purposes of this proposal, it is assumed that four site visits will be required, each consuming six hours of search effort by two biologists. It is further assumed that prior to the

commencement of surveys, a one-half day of orientation and safety training will be conducted. These nesting surveys will be performed according to the following protocol.

Coordination and Scheduling of Surveys with Construction Supervisor(s)

Construction is anticipated to begin in November or December 2019, and occur over the period of approximately 12 months. It is currently not known how long clearing activities will take, and when and where they will begin. If clearing activities have not been completed by March 1, 2020, LAN will coordinate a meeting to be attended by the designated construction supervisor(s) and Hicks & Company staff, including the Project Manager (PM), to identify construction schedules, associated construction locations, and personnel contacts. It will be critical to the success of this task that the nesting surveys for specific segments of the pipeline alignment will be scheduled as close to the occurring construction activities as possible, but not earlier than one week before clearing and grubbing or other construction disturbance will actually occur. Surveyed tracts for which clearing does not proceed within one week from the date of survey would need to be resurveyed again for nesting activity.

Survey dates will coincide with established clearing and grubbing dates to ensure timely survey immediately prior to vegetation clearing activities. At the beginning of the day that a nesting survey will occur, the Hicks & Company PM will contact the appropriate construction supervisor to confirm where the clearing and grubbing activities are occurring, location of construction access points, and where the nesting surveys will be conducted. After the nesting survey has been completed, the Hicks & Company PM will immediately notify the Construction Supervisor as to the findings of the survey. This will include information concerning whether active nests have been located, precise location of the active nests, and types and extent of buffer protection zones.

Survey Methodology

Surveys will be scheduled no earlier than March 15, 2020, and will terminate at the end of clearing activities or September 15, 2020, whichever occurs first. The survey schedules will be coordinated with construction schedules for specific land parcels with the goal of being completed within seven days before clearing, grubbing, or other disturbance begins in the parcel.

The nesting surveys will employ pedestrian searches by two investigators that will walk along and within the 50-foot-wide alignment right of way (ROW) to ensure overall search efficiency. Vegetation within the ROW will be scrutinized for the presence of nests and/or nesting cavities that appear to be in use. Avian behavior will be assessed for obvious signs of nesting, brood rearing, and breeding. All avian species that appear to be exhibiting nesting, brood rearing, and breeding behavior will be noted. The location of active nests will be recorded by a handheld GPS instrument and marked on aerial photography. Identification of active nests will trigger immediate coordination with designated construction supervisors to establish protection zones and implement procedures for periodically monitoring nest activities and determining when nesting activities are completed. Results of the nesting surveys will be documented in a report that will be submitted to LAN and ARWA.

Task 2. Protection and Monitoring of Active Nests

Detection of active nests will require ongoing protection and subsequent weekly field visits to determine when young birds fledge and the nest becomes inactive.

If eggs are present in the nest, then protection zones (construction buffers) will be established and maintained, and follow-up visits will be conducted in conjunction with weekly nest surveys for approximately 28 days (to allow time for incubation and fledging according to the nesting species) or until the nest becomes empty.

The size of the nest protection zones will be established based on Hicks & Company's experience with previous projects and may vary according to the location of the nest, anticipated construction impact, and species involved. A protection zone for an active nest will be staked within a specified radius of the active nest and marked with continuous colored flagging. The biological determination from the TWDB requiring the nesting surveys did not specify the spatial extent of construction buffers for active nests. Such distances may vary according to type and behavior of the nesting species but have ranged from as little as 6 feet to as much as 300 feet on previous projects. A protection zone would remain in effect around the active nest until the young have fledged or the nest becomes inactive. For this task, it is assumed that three additional site visits will be required, each involving two hours of staff time.

Task 3. Survey for the Bracted Twistflower

Conditions specified in the Environmental Determination issued by the TWDB for the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (now ARWA) Phase 1A Water Transmission Line Project (Memorandum dated July 25, 2016) specified that "To assure compliance with the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended, a survey for the bracted twistflower (*Streptanthus bracteatus*) will be conducted by a qualified botanist during the species' mid-April to late-May flowering period prior to construction. If the bracted twistflower (a candidate for federal listing) or any other rare species are found, [Texas Parks & Wildlife Department] TPWD will be contacted for consultation on salvage of plants and other possible protection measures."

A qualified professional plant botanist will be subcontracted to conduct a pedestrian survey for the plant. This survey will be limited to those portions of the pipeline ROW that appear from examination of aerial photography, soil maps, and land use to provide potential habitat for the plant. The survey will be conducted on a day between April 11 and April 25 inclusive, when the bracted twistflower is most likely to be in flower and thus more readily detected. During the process of conducting the survey for the bracted twistflower, the investigation will also include observations for any other occurring rare species. If the bracted twistflower or any other rare species are observed, the location will be recorded and TPWD will be contacted for consultation on salvage of plants and other possible protection measures. Results of the survey will be documented in a report submitted to LAN and ARWA. This task will be led by a subconsultant, Acme Botanical Services, under contract with Hicks & Company and will be assisted by a Hicks & Company ecologist.

Deliverables:

Reports detailing the results of all surveys (MBTA nesting survey and plant surveys for bracted twistflower or other rare species), will be prepared and submitted to LAN and ARWA.

Schedule:

Tasks will be completed, and deliverables will be prepared, according to a schedule developed by LAN and Hicks & Company.

Assumptions:

- This Scope of Services does not include any archeological or historical investigations. It is assumed that these investigations have been previously completed.
- This Scope of Services does not include tree or vegetation surveys. If such surveys are required, such services may be included under a separate scope and fee.
- Rights of entry will be obtained by owner and/or LAN and will be coordinated with Hicks & Company prior to field surveys.

HICKS & COMPANY FEE ESTIMATE
Biological Surveys, ARWA Phase 1A, Segment B Water Transmission Line
July 8, 2019

Labor	Sr. Env'l Scientist II	Env'l Scientist II	Env'l Profess. III	Env'l Profess. I	Total
	Hours				
Task 1 Surveys for Nesting Migratory Birds					
Orientation and Safety Training		4		4	8
Coordination Meeting with Construction Staff	2	2		2	6
Field Surveys (Assumes 4 site visits, each requiring 8 hours)		32		32	64
GIS Support			4		4
Task 2 Monitoring of Active Nests and Report Preparation					
Monitoring of Active Nests (Assumes 3 site visits, each requiring 3 hours)		9		9	18
GIS Support			2		2
Report Preparation	1	3	1		5
Task 3 Survey for Bracted Twistflower					
Field Surveys		3			3
Report Documentation		1			1
Project Management/Coordination/Meetings					
	1	9			10
Total Labor Hours					
	4	63	7	47	121
Billing Rate					
	\$151.50	\$121.20	\$106.05	\$86.36	
Subtotal: Labor					
	\$ 606.00	\$ 7,635.60	\$ 742.35	\$ 4,058.92	\$ 13,042.87
Direct Expenses					
	Unit	Quantity	Rate		
Acme Botanical Services (Bill Carr)	Hour	4	\$50.00		\$ 200.00
Subtotal: Direct Expenses					
					\$ 200.00
Total Cost					
					\$ 13,242.87

REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET
Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
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G.1 Report on Technical Committee activities. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

Background/Information

The Technical Committee did not hold a meeting in October. One was scheduled for October 9th, but quorum was not able to be established.

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.

REGULAR MEETING
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G.2 Report on Administrative Committee activities. ~ *Graham Moore, P.E., Executive Director*

Background/Information

The Administrative Committee is scheduled to meet on November 13th to review the final Personnel Policies.

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.

REGULAR MEETING
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G.3 Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1A projects, and direction to staff and consultants. ~ *Jason Biemer, Project Coordinator*

Background/Information

Below are brief updates on the Phase 1A projects.

Segment A Pipeline:

- No report

Segment B Pipeline:

- Bid opened 8/22/2019.
- 9/25 ARWA Board approved contingent award of contract to Smith Contracting, per LAN recommendation.
- Ductile Iron.
- Received approval of bidding documents from TWDB.
- Contractor insurance and bond documents have been compiled and are at TWDB for the final review.
- Contract cost \$3.811 million dollars.
- Site prep could be started before the end of the calendar year.

Pump Station:

- Pump station construction proceeding. See attached slides.

Attachment(s)

- Phase 1A Pump Station Presentation

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.



- Status Update
- October 30, 2019

Phase 1A Booster Pump Station

General Updates



Road work on site beginning.



Generator installation underway.



Building structures up – internal painting completed.



Electrical conduit and chemical feed system install effort underway.



SCADA Programming Training in November

Facility Structures

- Internal paint completed.
- Installation of conduit's in motor control room underway.
- HVAC system installation underway.
- Chemical feed system installation underway.



- Painting underway for all yard piping.
- Road work continuing.

Facility Road



REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.4** Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-002 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
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Background/Information

The next step in the SWIFT process is for the Agency to approve a resolution authorizing the issuance of the contract revenue bonds and related matters. The TWDB sold their bonds in late September and therefore the rates have been established. For the 30-year term requested by CRWA the average interest rate for the period ended up at 2.332%.

The Canyon Regional Water Authority Board of Directors unanimously approved a resolution approving the bond resolution on October 14th. The County Line SUD approved the resolution at their October 21st meeting, with Green Valley SUD and Crystal Clear SUD each approving the resolution at their separate meetings held on October 24th.

Approval of the resolution will also approve the Escrow Agreement and Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement.

The closing date for the Authority is set for November 20th. Representatives with the Authority's bond counsel, McCall, Parkhurst and Horton and the Authority's financial advisor, Specialized Public Finance will attend the Board meeting and will address any legal or financial questions pertaining to the issuance.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-002 – Authorizing the Issuance of Series 2019A Contract Revenue Bonds.
- 2019A Debt Service Schedule – CRWA
- Escrow Agreement
- Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-002 authorizing the issuance of contract revenue bonds Series 2019A and all related matters, as presented.



ALLIANCE WATER

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-10-30-002

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ADOPTED OCTOBER 30, 2019

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 572, as amended, Texas Local Government Code, the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (the "Agency") as a constituted authority and instrumentality and political subdivision of the State of Texas (the "State"), was created by the Cities of Buda ("Buda"), Kyle ("Kyle") and San Marcos, Texas ("San Marcos"), each Texas home rule municipalities, and the Canyon Regional Water Authority ("Canyon Regional"), a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 670, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, as amended (collectively, the "Sponsors" or singularly, a "Sponsor"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency and the Sponsors have entered into a "Regional Water Supply Contract" dated as of January 15, 2008, as amended by Amendment No. 1 and as may be further amended (collectively, the "Contract") pursuant to which the Agency has agreed to design, finance, construct, own, acquire, maintain and operate a water supply project in a manner that will allow the Agency to deliver water to the Sponsors on a regional basis and under which each of the Sponsors agree to pay their share of the project costs and to make payments to or on behalf of the Agency in amounts sufficient to meet all of the Agency's obligations under the Contract including those relating to a Sponsor's bonds issued to finance and refinance a Sponsor's share of the Project Costs and to own, operate and maintain the Project; and

WHEREAS, at the request of Canyon Regional and Kyle, the Agency issued two series of bonds on November 19, 2015 for such Sponsors share of the Phase 1A Project entitled: \$3,960,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2015A and \$3,530,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019A (collectively, the "Outstanding Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2017, by special act of the 85th Legislature, SB 1198 (the "Act") the Agency was converted to the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district to accomplish the purposes set forth in the Act and of Article XVI, Section 59, Texas Constitution; and

WHEREAS, by operation of the law pursuant to the Act, the Authority assumed all assets, liabilities, bonds, notes and other obligations of the Agency including all obligations pursuant to the Outstanding Bonds and the Contract; and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Sponsors the Authority issued four series of bonds, one for each of the Sponsors' share of the Project Costs, to wit: \$9,865,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2017A, \$8,995,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2017B, \$11,450,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2017C and \$1,625,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2017D; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Authority is empowered to, among other powers, acquire, own, construct, operate, repair, improve, maintain or extend inside or outside its boundaries water improvements, facilities, plants, pipelines, equipment and appliances for the treatment and transportation of water and to deliver this water to the Sponsors; and

WHEREAS, the Act also authorizes the Authority acting through its Board of Directors (the "Board") to issue revenue bonds to finance such water projects, payable solely from the revenues derived from payments to be made to the Authority by one or more of the respective Sponsors for which a series of bonds are issued for the purpose of defraying such Sponsor's share of the cost of financing, acquiring, and constructing water supply facilities including the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project (as hereinafter defined); and

WHEREAS, the Authority expects to issue four additional series of such revenue bonds for Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, to finance their additional share of the Phase 1B Improvements Project costs, with each series payable from and secured solely by payments made by Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, under the Contract; and

WHEREAS, Canyon Regional has requested that the Authority issue a separate series of revenue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$26,530,000 pursuant to the Contract to finance their share of the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project Costs (the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, this Resolution constitutes a Bond Resolution as that term is defined in the Contract; and

WHEREAS, the principal of the Bonds and the interest thereon are and shall be solely payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the portion of the Annual Payments designated as "Bond Payments" to be made by Canyon Regional pursuant to the Contract in amounts sufficient to pay and redeem, and provide for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, when due, and the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent/Registrar and Escrow Agent for the Bonds, all as required by this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY THAT:

Section 1. DEFINITIONS. In addition to the definitions set forth in the preamble of this Resolution, the terms used in this Resolution (except as may be otherwise indicated in the FORM OF BOND) and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given in Exhibit "A" to this Resolution attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. AMOUNT, PURPOSE AND DESIGNATION OF THE BONDS. (a) *Amount and Designation.* The Authority's bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution shall be entitled "ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (Regional Water Supply Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A" and are hereby authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$26,530,000.

(b) *Purpose.* The Bonds are to be issued for the following purposes: (i) FOR DESIGNING, CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PAYMENT OF PROJECT COSTS FOR THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

Section 3. DATE, DENOMINATIONS, NUMBERS, MATURITIES AND TERMS OF BONDS. (a) *Terms of Bonds.* The Bonds shall initially be issued, sold, and delivered hereunder as fully registered bonds, without interest coupons, numbered consecutively from R-1 upward (except the initial Bond delivered to the Attorney General of the State which shall be numbered T-1), dated the date of delivery, payable to the respective initial Registered Owners thereof in an Authorized Denomination, serially on August 15, in the years and in the principal amounts set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>
2021	\$740,000	2036	\$ 895,000
2022	750,000	2037	915,000
2023	755,000	2038	930,000
2024	760,000	2039	950,000
2025	770,000	2040	970,000
2026	775,000	2041	995,000
2027	785,000	2042	1,020,000
2028	790,000	2043	1,050,000
2029	800,000	2044	1,075,000
2030	810,000	2045	1,100,000
2031	820,000	2046	1,125,000
2032	830,000	2047	1,155,000
2033	845,000	2048	1,180,000
2034	860,000	2049	1,205,000
2035	875,000		

(b) *In General.* The Bonds (i) may and shall be redeemed prior to the respective scheduled maturity dates, (ii) may be assigned and transferred, (iii) may be exchanged for other Bonds, (iv) shall have the characteristics, (v) shall be signed, and the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable, all as provided, and in the manner required or indicated, in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 4. INTEREST. The Bonds shall bear interest, calculated on the basis of a 360-day year composed of twelve 30-day months, from their date of delivery at the rates set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	1.02%	2036	2.27%
2022	1.04	2037	2.33
2023	1.06	2038	2.38
2024	1.09	2039	2.26
2025	1.10	2040	2.62
2026	1.15	2041	2.62
2027	1.21	2042	2.62
2028	1.24	2043	2.62
2029	1.28	2044	2.62
2030	1.44	2045	2.70
2031	1.65	2046	2.70
2032	1.82	2047	2.70
2033	2.04	2048	2.70
2034	2.09	2049	2.70
2035	2.13		

Interest shall be payable to the Registered Owner of any such Bond in the manner provided and on the dates stated in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 5. REGISTRATION, TRANSFER, AND EXCHANGE; AUTHENTICATION. (a) *Paying Agent/Registrar.* BOKF, NA is hereby appointed the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. The Authority Representative is authorized to enter into and carry out a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement with the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds in substantially the form and substance presented to the Board in connection with the approval of this Resolution with such changes as are acceptable to the Authority Representative.

(b) *Registration Books.* The Board shall keep or cause to be kept at a designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Dallas, Texas (the "Designated Trust Office") the Registration Books and the Board hereby appoints the Paying Agent/Registrar as its registrar and transfer agent to keep such books or records and make such registrations of transfers, exchanges, and replacements under such reasonable regulations as the Board and Paying Agent/Registrar may prescribe; and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make such

registrations, transfers, exchanges, and replacements as herein provided. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall obtain and record in the Registration Books the address of the Registered Owner of each Bond to which payments with respect to the Bonds shall be mailed, as herein provided; but it shall be the duty of each Registered Owner to notify the Paying Agent/Registrar in writing of the address to which payments shall be mailed, and such interest payments shall not be mailed unless such notice has been given. The Board shall have the right to inspect the Registration Books at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar during regular business hours, but otherwise the Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep the Registration Books confidential and, unless otherwise required by law, shall not permit their inspection by any other entity. A copy of the Registration Books shall be maintained in the State.

(c) **Ownership of Bonds.** The entity or person in whose name any Bond shall be registered in the Registration Books at any time shall be deemed and treated as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes of this Resolution, whether or not such Bond shall be overdue, and, to the extent permitted by law, the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary; and payment of, or on account of, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on any such Bond shall be made only to such Registered Owner. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

(d) **Payment of Bonds and Interest.** The Paying Agent/Registrar shall further act as the paying agent for paying the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, all as provided in this Resolution. The Paying Agent/ Registrar shall keep proper records of all payments made by the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds. So long as the Purchaser owns the Bonds, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide a copy to the Purchaser and its designated trustee of all receipts documenting debt service payments.

(e) **Authentication.** The Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution shall be authenticated by the Paying Agent/Registrar by execution of the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate unless they have been approved by the Attorney General of the State and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, and on each substitute Bond issued in exchange for any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution the Paying Agent/Registrar shall execute the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate (the "Authentication Certificate"). The Authentication Certificate shall be in the form set forth in the FORM OF BOND in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

(f) **Transfer, Exchange, or Replacement.** Each Bond issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, to the extent of the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount thereof, may, upon surrender of such Bond at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, together with a written request therefor duly executed by the Registered Owner or the assignee or assignees thereof, or its or their duly authorized attorneys or representatives, with guarantee of signatures satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar, may, at the option of the Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, as appropriate, be exchanged for fully registered Bonds, without interest coupons, in the appropriate form prescribed in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution, in any Authorized Denomination (subject to the requirement hereinafter stated that each substitute Bond shall be of the same Series and have a single stated maturity

date), as requested in writing by such Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount of any Bond or Bonds so surrendered, and payable to the appropriate Registered Owner, assignee, or assignees, as the case may be. If a portion of any Bond shall be redeemed prior to its scheduled maturity as provided herein, a substitute Bond or Bonds having the same Series designation and maturity date, bearing interest at the same rate, and payable in the same manner, in Authorized Denominations at the request of the Registered Owner, and in aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion thereof, will be issued to the Registered Owner upon surrender thereof for cancellation. If any Bond or portion thereof is assigned and transferred, each Bond issued in exchange therefor shall have the same Series designation and maturity date and bear interest at the same rate and payable in the same manner as the Bond for which it is being exchanged. Each substitute Bond shall bear a letter and/or number to distinguish it from each other Bond. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall exchange or replace Bonds as provided herein, and each fully registered Bond delivered in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof as permitted or required by any provision of this Resolution shall constitute one of the Bonds for all purposes of this Resolution, and may again be exchanged or replaced. On each substitute Bond issued in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution there shall be printed an Authentication Certificate, in the form set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution. An authorized representative of the Paying Agent/Registrar shall, before the delivery of any such Bond, date and manually sign the Authentication Certificate, and, except as provided in (e) above, no such Bond shall be deemed to be issued or outstanding unless the Authentication Certificate is so executed. The Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall cancel all Bonds surrendered for transfer, exchange, or replacement. No additional orders or resolutions need be passed or adopted by the Board or any other body or person so as to accomplish the foregoing transfer, exchange, or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof, and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide for the printing, execution, and delivery of the substitute Bonds in the manner prescribed herein, and said Bonds shall be in typed or printed form as determined by the Authority Representative. Pursuant to Subtitle D, Texas Government Code and particularly Section 1201.063, thereof, the duty of transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds as aforesaid is hereby imposed upon the Paying Agent/Registrar, and, upon the execution of the Authentication Certificate, the exchanged or replaced Bond shall be valid, incontestable, and enforceable in the same manner and with the same effect as the Bonds which were originally issued pursuant to this Resolution. The Board shall pay the Paying Agent/Registrar's standard or customary fees and charges, if any, for transferring, and exchanging any Bond or any portion thereof, but the one requesting any such transfer and exchange shall pay any taxes or governmental charges required to be paid with respect thereto as a condition precedent to the exercise of such privilege. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to make any such transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds or any portion thereof (i) during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Bond or portion thereof called for redemption prior to maturity, within 45 days prior to its redemption date. To the extent possible, any new Bond issued in an exchange, replacement, or transfer of a Bond will be delivered to the Registered Owner or assignee of the Registered Owner not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled and the written request as described above.

(g) ***Substitute Paying Agent/Registrar.*** The Board covenants with the Registered Owners of the Bonds that at all times while the Bonds are outstanding the Board will provide a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as and perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds under this Resolution, and that the Paying Agent/Registrar will be one entity. The Board reserves the right to, and may, at its option, change the Paying Agent/Registrar upon not less than ninety (90) days written notice to the Paying Agent/Registrar, to be effective not later than sixty (60) days prior to the next principal or interest payment date after such notice. In the event that the entity at any time acting as Paying Agent/Registrar (or its successor by merger, acquisition, or other method) should resign or otherwise cease to act as such, the Board covenants that promptly it will appoint a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as Paying Agent/Registrar under this Resolution. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the previous Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall transfer and deliver the Registration Books (or a copy thereof), along with all other pertinent books and records relating to the Bonds, to the new Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Board. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Board promptly will cause a written notice thereof to be sent by the new Paying Agent/Registrar to each Registered Owner of the Bonds, by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, which notice also shall give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar. By accepting the position and performing as such, each Paying Agent/Registrar shall be deemed to have agreed to the provisions of this Resolution, and a certified copy of this Resolution shall be delivered to each Paying Agent/Registrar.

(h) ***Notice of Redemption.*** Each notice of redemption required in the FORM OF BOND shall contain a description of the Bonds to be redeemed including the complete name of the Bonds, the Series, the date of issue, the interest rate or rates, the maturity date, the CUSIP number, a reference to the certificate numbers and the amounts called of each certificate, the publication and mailing date for the notice, the date of redemption, the redemption price, the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar and the address at which the Bonds may be redeemed, including a contact person and telephone number. All redemption payments made by the Paying Agent/Registrar to the registered owners of the Bonds shall include a CUSIP number relating to each amount paid to such Registered Owner.

(i) ***Book-Entry-Only System.*** The Bonds issued in exchange for the Bonds initially issued as provided in Section 5(l) shall be issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee of DTC and except as provided in subsection (f) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

With respect to Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation to any securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and certain other organizations on whose behalf DTC was created to hold securities to facilitate the clearance and settlement of securities transactions among DTC participants (the "DTC Participant") or to any person on behalf of whom such a DTC Participant holds an interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede

& Co. or any DTC Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any DTC participant or any other person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any notice of redemption, or (iii) the payment to any DTC Participant or any person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, but to the extent permitted by law, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Registration Books as the absolute owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest, with respect to such Bond, for the purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or upon the order of the respective Registered Owners, as shown in the Registration Books as provided in this Resolution, or their respective attorneys duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the Authority's obligations with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than a Registered Owner, as shown in the Registration Books, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation of the Authority to make payments of principal, premium, if any, and interest pursuant to this Resolution. Upon delivery by DTC to the Paying Agent/Registrar of written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., and subject to the provisions in this Resolution with respect to interest checks being mailed to the registered owner at the close of business on the Record Date the word "Cede & Co." in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of DTC.

(j) ***Successor Securities Depository; Transfer Outside Book-Entry-Only System.*** In the event the Purchaser no longer owns the Bonds or the Purchaser consents to such action, the Authority may determine to discontinue the book-entry system through DTC or a successor or DTC determines to discontinue providing its services with respect to the Bonds, the Authority shall either (i) appoint a successor securities depository, qualified to act as such under Section 17(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, notify DTC and DTC Participants of the appointment of such successor securities depository and transfer one or more separate Bonds to such successor securities depository or (ii) notify DTC and DTC Participants of the availability through DTC of Bonds and transfer one or more separate Bonds to DTC Participants having Bonds credited to their DTC accounts. In such event, the Bonds shall no longer be restricted to being registered in the Registration Books in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, but may be registered in the name of the successor securities depository, or its nominee, or in whatever name or names Registered Owner transferring or exchanging Bonds shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

(k) ***Payments to Cede & Co.*** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be made and given, respectively, in the manner provided in the Blanket Representation of the Authority to DTC.

(1) **Initial Bond.** The Bonds herein authorized shall be initially issued as fully registered bonds, being one bond for each maturity in the denomination of the applicable principal amount and the initial Bond shall be registered in the name of the Registered Owner. The initial Bond shall be the Bond submitted to the Office of the Attorney General of the State for approval, certified and registered by the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State and delivered to the Registered Owner. Immediately after the delivery of the initial Bond, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cancel the initial Bond delivered hereunder and exchange therefor Bonds in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC and except as provided in Section 5(j), all of the outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

Section 6. FORM OF BOND. The form of the Bond, including the form of the Authentication Certificate, the form of Assignment and the form of Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, with respect to the Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, shall be, respectively, substantially as set forth in Exhibit "B", with such appropriate variations, omissions, or insertions as are permitted or required by this Resolution.

Section 7. PLEDGE OF BOND PAYMENTS. (a) **Pledge.** The Authority hereby covenants and agrees that the Bond Payments are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured including the establishment and maintenance of the special funds or accounts created and established on the books and records of the Authority for the payment and security thereof, all as hereinafter provided; and it is hereby resolved that the Bonds Similarly Secured, and the interest thereon, shall constitute a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and be valid and binding without any physical delivery thereof or further act by the Authority, and the lien created hereby on the Bond Payments for the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured shall be prior in right and claim as to any other indebtedness, liability, or obligation of the Authority or the Project payable pursuant to the terms of the Contract. The Authority shall deposit the Bond Payments, as collected and received, into the Debt Service Fund (hereinafter defined), to be utilized pursuant to Section 9 hereof to pay the Bonds.

(b) **Perfection of Pledge.** Chapter 1208, as amended, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured and the lien on and pledge of Bond Payments granted by the Authority under subsection (a) of this Section, and such pledge is therefore valid, effective, and perfected. If State law is amended at any time while the Bonds Similarly Secured are outstanding and unpaid such that the pledge of the Bond Payments granted by the Authority is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Texas Business & Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured the perfection of the security interest in this pledge, the Board agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under State law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, as amended, Texas Business & Commerce Code and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in this pledge to occur.

Section 8. RATES AND CHARGES. For the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured and in addition to all provisions and covenants in the laws of the State and in this Resolution, the Contract between the Authority and Canyon Regional expressly stipulates and agrees, while any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, Canyon Regional will fix and collect such rates and charges for services to be supplied by Canyon Regional's respective systems that will produce gross revenues at all times during the term of the Contract in an amount equal to pay all of the expenses of operation and maintenance of the respective systems including Annual Payments and Bond Payments under the Contract and all other amounts required by the laws and the provisions of the ordinances or resolutions authorizing Canyon Regional's Outstanding System Obligations now or hereafter outstanding payable, in whole or in part, from the net revenues of the Canyon Regional's Systems, including the amounts required to pay all principal of and interest on Canyon Regional's outstanding System bonds and other obligations. The Authority hereby expressly stipulates and agrees that it will take all appropriate action to charge rates sufficient and enforce such terms of the Contract while any Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding.

The Registered Owner shall never have the right to demand payment for the Bonds out of any funds raised or to be raised from taxation by Canyon Regional, other Participating Entities or the Authority.

Section 9. DEBT SERVICE FUND AND PROJECT FUND. (a) *Debt Service Fund.* For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured as the same become due and payable, the Authority agrees to maintain, at a Depository, a separate and special fund or account previously created and known as the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Debt Service Fund" (the "Debt Service Fund"). The Authority covenants that there shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund prior to each principal and interest payment date solely from the available Bond Payments an amount equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured then falling due and payable.

Any accrued interest received from the Purchaser of the Bonds shall be deposited into the subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. In addition, any surplus proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, including investment income therefrom, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund, and such amounts (i.e., accrued and investment interest) so deposited shall reduce the sum otherwise required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund from Bond Payments.

(b) *Project Fund.* The Authority hereby creates and establishes and shall maintain on the books and records of the Authority a separate fund or account to be entitled the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Project Fund" for use by the Authority for payment of Canyon Regional's share of the Project Costs. The Authority shall deposit the net proceeds from the sale of the Bonds into the Project Fund as provided in this Resolution. Funds in the Project Fund shall be requisitioned for payment of Canyon Regional's share of Project Costs in accordance with a requisition in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto

with such changes as approved by the Authority Representative. Upon payment of all Project Costs, any moneys remaining on deposit in the Project Fund shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund.

In the event the Project is not completed for any reason contemplated in the Contract or otherwise or any proceeds from the Bonds are not used for completion of the Project for any reason, any Bond proceeds and earnings therein not used for completion of the Project shall be utilized to pay principal and/or interest on the Bonds so as to reduce the Bond Payment as set forth below.

Any surplus proceeds, including the investment earnings derived from the investment of monies on deposit in the Project Fund, from the Bonds remaining on deposit in the Project Fund after completing the Project and upon the completion of the final accounting as described in Section 37(c) hereof, shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to redeem, in inverse order of maturity, the Bonds owned by Purchaser, unless the Executive Administrator of Purchaser approves the use of such surplus proceeds to pay eligible Project Costs by funding projects that are a part of the State Water Plan.

Section 10. DEFICIENCIES - EXCESS BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Deficiencies.* If on any occasion there shall not be sufficient Bond Payments to make the required deposits into the Debt Service Fund, then such deficiency shall be cured as soon as possible from the next available unallocated Bond Payments and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts required to be paid into these Funds or accounts during such month or months.

(b) *Excess Bond Payments* Subject to making the required deposits to the Debt Service Fund when and as required by this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Additional Bonds, any excess Bond Payments may be used by the Authority for any lawful purpose including, but not limited to, the redemption of any Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 11. PAYMENT OF BONDS. While any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the Executive Director of the Authority or other authorized Authority official, shall cause to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor, from funds on deposit in the Debt Service Fund, amounts sufficient to fully pay and discharge promptly each installment of interest on and principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured as such installment accrues or matures; such transfer of funds must be made in such manner as will cause immediately available funds to be deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds at the close of the Business Day next preceding the date a debt service payment is due on the Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 12. INVESTMENTS. Funds held in any fund or account created, established, or maintained pursuant to this Resolution shall, at the option of the Authority, be invested in time deposits, certificates of deposit, guaranteed investment contracts, or similar contracting arrangements and/or as permitted by the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act, as amended, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, or any other law, and secured (to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation) to the fullest extent required by the Public Funds Collateral Act, as amended, Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code. All interest and income derived from deposits and investments in any fund shall immediately be credited to,

and any losses debited from, the fund from which such funds were derived. All such investments shall be sold promptly when necessary to prevent any default in connection with the Bonds.

Section 13. ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL BONDS. In addition to the right to issue bonds of inferior lien as authorized by the laws of this State, the Authority reserves the right hereafter to issue Additional Bonds. The Additional Bonds, when issued, shall be payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments in the same manner and to the same extent as the Bonds and the Bonds Similarly Secured, and shall in all respects be of equal dignity. The Additional Bonds may be issued in one or more Series provided, however, that no Additional Bonds, shall be issued unless and until the following conditions have been met:

(i) Except for a refunding to cure a default, the Authority is not then in default as to any covenant, condition or obligation prescribed in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured or the Contract (including any amendment or supplement thereto) and the funds under the resolution authorizing the same contains the amounts then required to be therein;

(ii) Canyon Regional shall have approved the resolution(s) authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds as to form and content and acknowledged that the payment of principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds is payable, in whole or in part, from the Bond Payments to be made to the Authority under and pursuant to the Contract;

(iii) The resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds provides for deposits to be made to the Debt Service Fund in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds as the same become due; and

(iv) Canyon Regional confirms (and counsel to the Authority opines) that the Contract is a legal, valid and binding contract then in effect pursuant to which Canyon Regional is obligated to make payments to the Authority during each fiscal year (including periods when services of the Project may not be available to such contracting parties and others) in such amounts as shall be necessary to provide to the Authority sufficient funds to pay when due all principal and interest on all Bonds and Additional Bonds to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Bonds.

The Bonds Similarly Secured may be refunded (pursuant to any law then available) upon such terms and conditions as the Board of the Authority may deem to be in the best interest of the Authority.

Section 14. SPECIAL PROJECT BONDS. The Authority further reserves the right to issue bonds in one or more installments for the purchase, construction, improvement, extension, replacement, enlargement or repair of utility facilities necessary under a contract or contracts with persons, corporations, municipal corporations, political subdivisions, or entities including Canyon Regional, such bonds to be payable from and secured by the proceeds of such contract or contracts (other than the Contract). The Authority further reserves the right to refund such bonds and secure the payment of the debt service requirements on the refunding bonds in the same manner or as otherwise permitted by the laws of the State.

Section 15. MAINTENANCE OF PROJECT - INSURANCE. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that while the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding it will maintain and operate the Project with all possible efficiency and maintain casualty and other insurance on the properties of the Project and its operations of a kind and in such amounts customarily carried by municipal corporations in the State engaged in a similar type of business (which may include an adequate program of self- insurance) which insurance shall also be sufficient to protect the Purchaser; and that it will faithfully and punctually perform all duties with reference to the Project required by the laws of the State. All money received from losses under such insurance policies, other than public liability policies, shall be retained for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured until and unless the proceeds are paid out in making good the loss or damage in respect of which such proceeds are received, either by replacing the property destroyed or repairing the property damaged, and adequate provision for making good such loss or damage must be made within ninety (90) days after the date of loss. The payment of premiums for all insurance policies required under the provisions hereof shall be considered Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the Project. Nothing in this Resolution shall be construed as: (i) requiring the Authority to expend any funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the Project but nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the Authority from doing so or (ii) requiring the purchase of insurance until Facilities are constructed.

Section 16. RECORDS AND ACCOUNTS - ANNUAL AUDIT. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that so long as any of the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding, it will keep and maintain separate and complete records and accounts pertaining to the operations of the Project in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating thereto as provided by applicable law. The Registered Owners of any Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such Registered Owners shall have the right to inspect the Project and all properties comprising the same. The Authority further agrees that following (and in no event later than six (6) months after) the close of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an independent firm of Certified Public Accountants. Expenses incurred in making the annual audit of the operations of the Project are to be regarded as Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project.

Section 17. SALE OR ENCUMBRANCE OF SYSTEM. While any Bonds remain Outstanding, the Authority will not sell, dispose of or further encumber the Project or any substantial part thereof; provided, however, that this provision shall not prevent the Authority from (i) pledging the Bond Payments and Funds to Additional Bonds or Special Project Bonds as set forth in Sections 13 and 14 of this Resolution or (ii) disposing of any part of the Project which is being replaced or is deemed by the Authority to be obsolete, worn out, surplus or no longer needed for the proper operation of the Project. Any agreement pursuant to which the Authority contracts with a person, corporation, municipal corporation or political subdivision to operate the Project or to lease and/or operate all or part of the Project shall not be considered as an encumbrance of the Project; provided, however, no such agreement shall impair the pledge and lien on the Bond Payments and Funds.

Section 18. SPECIAL COVENANTS. The Authority further covenants and agrees that: (a) **Title.** The Authority lawfully owns or will own and is or will be lawfully possessed of the lands, easements or other property rights (including leasehold interests) upon which its Project is and will be located, and has or will purchase good and indefeasible estate in such lands in fee simple, or has or will lawfully obtain any necessary easements or has or will lawfully obtain property rights (including leasehold interests to operate the Project, and it warrants that it has or will obtain and will defend, the title to all the aforesaid lands, easements and property rights for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds against the claims and demands of all persons whomsoever, that it is lawfully qualified to pledge the Bond Payments to the payment of the Bonds Similarly Secured, in the manner prescribed herein, and that it has lawfully exercised such rights.

(b) **Liens.** The Authority will from time to time and before the same become delinquent pay and discharge all taxes, assessments, and governmental charges, if any, which shall be lawfully imposed upon it, or its Project, and it will pay all lawful claims for rents, royalties, labor, materials, and supplies which if unpaid might by law become a lien or charge upon its Project, provided, however, that no such tax, assessment, or charge, and that no such claims which might be or other lien or charge, shall be required to be paid while the validity of the same shall be contested in good faith by the Authority.

(c) **Performance.** The Authority will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations, and provisions contained in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured, and in each and every Bond Similarly Secured and pay from the Bond Payments the principal of and interest on every Bond Similarly Secured on the dates and in the places and manner prescribed in such resolutions and Bonds Similarly Secured; and that it will, at the times and in the manner prescribed, deposit or cause to be deposited from the Bond Payments the amounts required to be deposited into the Debt Service Fund; and the Registered Owner of the Bonds Similarly Secured may require the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees to carry out, respect, or enforce the covenants and obligations of this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured including, but without limitation, the use and filing of mandamus proceedings, in any court of competent jurisdiction, against the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees.

(d) **Legal Authority.** The Authority is duly authorized under the laws of the State, including the Act, to issue the Bonds Similarly Secured; that all action on its part for the authorization and issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured has been duly and effectively taken, and the Bonds Similarly Secured in the hands of the Registered Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable special obligations of the Authority in accordance with their terms payable solely from the Bond Payments.

(e) **Budget.** The Authority will prepare, adopt, and place into effect an annual budget (the "Annual Budget") for Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project for each Fiscal Year, including in each Annual Budget such items as are customarily and reasonably contained in a utility project budget under generally accepted accounting procedures and shall deliver such budget at least 90 days prior to adoption for review and comment by Canyon Regional.

(f) *Permits*. The Authority will comply with all of the terms and conditions of any and all franchises, permits, and authorizations applicable to or necessary with respect to the Project and which have been obtained from any governmental Authority; and the Authority has or will obtain and keep in full force and effect all franchises, permits, authorizations, and other requirements applicable to or necessary with respect to the acquisition, construction, equipment, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Section 19. LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY. The Bonds Similarly Secured are limited, special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments, and the Registered Owners thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of the principal or interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured from any funds raised or to be raised through taxation by Canyon Regional or the Authority.

Section 20. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. (a) *Events of Default*. Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of this Resolution is hereby declared to be an Event of Default:

(i) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or

(ii) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Authority, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the Registered Owners of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with this Resolution, and, if such default is capable of cure, the continuation thereof for a period of sixty (60) days after notice of such default is given by any Registered Owner to the Authority; or

(iii) a default by Canyon Regional under the Contract.

(b) *Remedies for Event of Default*.

(i) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then and in every case, any Registered Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including, but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Authority, or any official, officer or employee of the Authority in their official capacity, for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Registered Owners under this Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Registered Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies. The Registered Owners are third party beneficiaries to the Contract with the ability to enforce the provisions of the Contract for such period that a default exists under the Contract.

(ii) It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all Registered Owners of Bonds then Outstanding.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything in this Resolution to the contrary, so long as the Purchaser continue to hold the Bonds, the Purchaser may exercise all remedies available to it in law or equity and any provision in this Resolution or the Bonds that restricts or limits the Purchaser's full exercise of these remedies shall be of no force and effect.

(c) ***Remedies Not Exclusive.***

(i) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy or remedies, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Bonds or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Bonds shall not be available as a remedy under this Resolution.

(ii) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

(iii) By accepting the delivery of a Bond authorized under this Resolution, such Registered Owner agrees that the certifications required to effectuate any covenants or representations contained in this Resolution do not and shall never constitute or give rise to a personal or pecuniary liability or charge against the officers, employees or trustees of the Authority or the Board.

(iv) None of the members of the Board, nor any other official or officer, agent, or employee of the Authority, shall be charged personally by the Registered Owners with any liability, or be held personally liable to the Registered Owners under any term or provision of this Resolution, or because of any Event of Default or alleged Event of Default under this Resolution.

Section 21. AMENDMENT OF RESOLUTION. (a) ***Amendments Without Consent.*** This Resolution and the rights and obligations of the Board and of the Registered Owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time without notice to or the consent of any Registered Owner of the Bonds or any Bond similarly secured, solely for any one or more of the following purposes:

(i) To add to the covenants and agreements of the Board contained in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed, or to surrender any right or power reserved to or conferred upon the Board in this Resolution;

(ii) To cure any ambiguity or inconsistency, or to cure or correct any defective provisions contained in this Resolution, upon receipt by the Board of an opinion of counsel, that the same is needed for such purpose, and will more clearly express the intent of this Resolution;

(iii) To supplement the security for the Bonds, replace or provide additional Credit Agreement, or change the form of the Bonds or make such other changes in the provisions hereof

as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(iv) To make any changes or amendments requested by any bond rating Authority then rating or requested to rate the Bonds, as a condition to the issuance or maintenance of a rating, which changes or amendments do not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(v) To make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds; or

(vi) To assign the Contract to a trustee.

(b) **Amendments With Consent.** Subject to the other provisions of this Resolution, the Registered Owners of Outstanding Bonds aggregating 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount shall have the right from time to time to approve any amendment, other than amendments described in Subsection (a) of this Section, to this Resolution which may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Board; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall permit or be construed to permit, without the approval of the owners of all of the Outstanding Bonds, the amendment of the terms and conditions in this Resolution or in the Bonds so as to:

- (1) Make any change in the maturity of the Outstanding Bonds;
- (2) Reduce the rate of interest borne by the Outstanding Bonds;
- (3) Reduce the amount of the principal payable on the Outstanding Bonds;
- (4) Modify the terms of payment of principal of or interest on the Outstanding Bonds, or impose any conditions with respect to such payment;
- (5) Affect the rights of the owners of less than all Bonds then Outstanding; or
- (6) Change the minimum percentage of the Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds necessary for consent to such amendment.

(c) **Notice.** (i) If at any time the Board shall desire to amend this Resolution other than pursuant to (a) above, the Board shall cause notice of the proposed amendment to be published in a financial newspaper or journal of general circulation in The City of New York, New York or the State including in the Texas Bond Reporter once during each calendar week for at least two (2) successive calendar weeks. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that a copy thereof is on file at the principal office of the Paying Agent/Registrar for inspection by all owners of Bonds. Such publication is not required, however, if the Board gives or causes to be given such notice in writing to each Registered Owner of Bonds.

(d) **Receipt of Consents.** Whenever at any time not less than thirty (30) days, and within one (1) year, from the date of the first publication of said notice or other service of written notice of the proposed amendment the Board shall receive an instrument or instruments executed by all of the owners or the owners of at least 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, as appropriate, which instrument or instruments shall refer to the proposed amendment described in said notice and which specifically consent to and approve such amendment in substantially the form of the copy thereof on file as aforesaid, the Board may adopt the amendatory resolution in substantially the same form.

(e) **Effect of Amendments.** Upon the adoption by the Board of any resolution to amend this Resolution pursuant to the provisions of this Section, this Resolution shall be deemed to be amended in accordance with the amendatory resolution, and the respective rights, duties, and obligations of the Board and all the owners of then Outstanding Bonds and all future Bonds shall thereafter be determined, exercised, and enforced under the resolution and this Resolution, as amended.

(f) **Consent Irrevocable.** Any consent given by any owner of Bonds pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be irrevocable for a period of six (6) months from the date of the first publication or other service of the notice provided for in this Section, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bonds during such period. Such consent may be revoked at any time after six (6) months from the date of the first publication of such notice by the owner who gave such consent, or by a successor in title, by filing notice thereof with the Registrar and the Board, but such revocation shall not be effective if the owners of 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, prior to the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendment.

(g) **Ownership.** For the purpose of this Section, the ownership and other matters relating to all Bonds registered as to ownership shall be determined from the Registration Books kept by the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor. The Paying Agent/Registrar may conclusively assume that such ownership continues until written notice to the contrary is served upon the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 22. COVENANTS REGARDING TAX EXEMPTION OF INTEREST ON THE BONDS. (a) **Covenants.** The Authority covenants to take any action necessary to assure, or refrain from any action which would adversely affect, the treatment of the Bonds as obligations described in section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the interest on which is not includable in the "gross income" of the holder for purposes of federal income taxation. In furtherance thereof, the Authority covenants as follows:

(1) to take any action to assure that no more than 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited to a reserve fund, if any) are used for any "private business use," as defined in section 141(b)(6) of the Code or, if more than 10 percent of the proceeds or the projects financed therewith are so used, such amounts, whether or not received by the Authority, with respect to such private business use, do not, under the terms of this Order or any underlying arrangement,

directly or indirectly, secure or provide for the payment of more than 10 percent of the debt service on the Bonds, in contravention of section 141(b)(2) of the Code;

(2) to take any action to assure that in the event that the "private business use" described in subsection (1) hereof exceeds 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) then the amount in excess of 5 percent is used for a "private business use" which is "related" and not "disproportionate," within the meaning of section 141(b)(3) of the Code, to the governmental use;

(3) to take any action to assure that no amount which is greater than the lesser of \$5,000,000, or 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) is directly or indirectly used to finance loans to persons, other than state or local governmental units, in contravention of section 141(c) of the Code;

(4) to refrain from taking any action which would otherwise result in the Bonds being treated as "private activity bonds" within the meaning of section 141(b) of the Code;

(5) to refrain from taking any action that would result in the Bonds being "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code;

(6) to refrain from using any portion of the proceeds of the Bonds, directly or indirectly, to acquire or to replace funds which were used, directly or indirectly, to acquire investment property (as defined in section 148(b)(2) of the Code) which produces a materially higher yield over the term of the Bonds, other than investment property acquired with --

(A) proceeds of the Bonds invested for a reasonable temporary period of 3 years or less or, in the case of a refunding bond, for a period of 90 days or less until such proceeds are needed for the purpose for which the bonds are issued,

(B) amounts invested in a bona fide debt service fund, within the meaning of section 1.148-1(b) of the Treasury Regulations, and

(C) amounts deposited in any reasonably required reserve or replacement fund to the extent such amounts do not exceed 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds;

(7) to otherwise restrict the use of the proceeds of the Bonds or amounts treated as proceeds of the Bonds, as may be necessary, so that the Bonds do not otherwise contravene the requirements of section 148 of the Code (relating to arbitrage) and, to the extent applicable, section 149(d) of the Code (relating to advance refundings);

(8) to pay to the United States of America at least once during each five-year period (beginning on the date of delivery of the Bonds) an amount that is at least equal to 90 percent of the "Excess Earnings," within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Code and to pay to the United States of America, not later than 60 days after the Bonds have been paid in full, 100 percent of the amount then required to be paid as a result of Excess Earnings under section 148(f) of the Code;

(9) to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury, not later than the 15th day of the second calendar month after the close of the calendar quarter in which the Bonds are issued, an information statement concerning the Bonds, all under and in accordance with section 149(e) of the Code and the applicable Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder; and

(10) the Authority will not acquire any of the Purchaser source series bonds in an amount related to the amount of Bonds acquired by the Purchaser.

(b) **Rebate Fund.** In order to facilitate compliance with the above covenant (8), a "Rebate Fund" is hereby established by the Authority for the sole benefit of the United States of America, and such fund shall not be subject to the claim of any other person, including without limitation the bondholders. The Rebate Fund is established for the additional purpose of compliance with section 148 of the Code.

(c) **Proceeds.** The Authority understands that the term "proceeds" includes "disposition proceeds" as defined in the Treasury Regulations. It is the understanding of the Authority that the covenants contained herein are intended to assure compliance with the Code and any regulations or rulings promulgated by the U.S. Department of the Treasury pursuant thereto. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which modify or expand provisions of the Code, as applicable to the Bonds, the Authority will not be required to comply with any covenant contained herein to the extent that such failure to comply, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not adversely affect the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which impose additional requirements which are applicable to the Bonds, the Authority agrees to comply with the additional requirements to the extent necessary, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, to preserve the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In furtherance of such intention, the Authority hereby authorizes and directs the Executive Director to execute any documents, certificates or reports required by the Code and to make such elections, on behalf of the Authority, which may be permitted by the Code as are consistent with the purpose for the issuance of the Bonds.

(d) **Allocation Of, and Limitation On, Expenditures for the Project.** The Authority covenants to account for the expenditure of sale proceeds and investment earnings to be used for the purposes described in Section 2 of this Resolution (the "Project") on its books and records in accordance with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Authority recognizes that in order for the proceeds to be considered used for the reimbursement of costs, the proceeds must be allocated to expenditures within 18 months of the later of the date that (1) the expenditure is

made, or (2) the Project is completed; but in no event later than three years after the date on which the original expenditure is paid. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Authority recognizes that in order for proceeds to be expended under the Internal Revenue Code, the sale proceeds or investment earnings must be expended no more than 60 days after the earlier of (1) the fifth anniversary of the delivery of the Bonds, or (2) the date the Bonds are retired. The Authority agrees to obtain the advice of nationally-recognized bond counsel if such expenditure fails to comply with the foregoing to assure that such expenditure will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(e) **Disposition of Project.** The Authority covenants that the property constituting the Project will not be sold or otherwise disposed in a transaction resulting in the receipt by the Authority of cash or other compensation, unless any action taken in connection with such disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purpose of the foregoing, the Authority may rely on an opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel that the action taken in connection with such sale or other disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes of the foregoing, the portion of the property comprising personal property and disposed in the ordinary course shall not be treated as a transaction resulting in the receipt of cash or other compensation. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(f) **Reimbursement.** This Resolution is intended to satisfy the official intent requirements set forth in section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations.

Section 23. RESOLUTION TO CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT; EQUAL SECURITY. In consideration of the acceptance of the Bonds, the issuance of which is authorized hereunder, by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the Board and the Registered Owners from time to time of the Bonds and the pledge made in this Resolution by the Board and the covenants and agreements set forth in this Resolution to be performed by the Board shall be for the equal and proportionate benefit, security, and protection of all Registered Owners, without preference, priority, or distinction as to security or otherwise of any of the Bonds authorized hereunder over any of the others by reason of time of issuance, sale, or maturity thereof or otherwise for any cause whatsoever, except as expressly provided in or permitted by this Resolution.

Section 24. SEVERABILITY OF INVALID PROVISIONS. If any one or more of the covenants, agreements, or provisions herein contained shall be held contrary to any express provisions of law or contrary to the policy of express law, though not expressly prohibited, or against public policy, or shall for any reason whatsoever be held invalid, then such covenants, agreements, or provisions shall be null and void and shall be deemed separable from the remaining covenants, agreements, or provisions and shall in no way affect the validity of any of the other provisions hereof or of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 25. PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS DAYS. Except as provided to the contrary in the FORM OF BOND, whenever under the terms of this Resolution or the Bonds, the performance date of any provision hereof or thereof, including the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, shall occur on a day other than a Business Day, then the performance thereof, including the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of performance or payment.

Section 26. LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO THE RESOLUTION. With the exception of the rights or benefits herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or contained herein or implied from the provisions of this Resolution or the Bonds is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any person other than the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar, any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to this Resolution or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, agreement, or provision herein contained. This Resolution and all of the covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions hereof are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive benefit of the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar as herein and therein provided.

Section 27. CUSTODY, APPROVAL, BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION, CUSIP NUMBERS AND PREAMBLE. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized to have control of the Bonds issued hereunder and all necessary records and proceedings pertaining to the Bonds pending their delivery and approval by the Attorney General of the State. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized, to the extent deemed necessary or advisable thereby, in the discretion thereof, to request that the Attorney General approve the Bonds as permitted by Chapter 1202, Texas Government Code, in which case the Authority Representative also is authorized to request the Comptroller of Public Accounts register the Bonds, and to cause an appropriate legend reflecting such approval and registration to appear on the Bonds and the substitute Bonds. The approving legal opinion of the Board's Bond Counsel and the assigned CUSIP numbers may, at the option of the Board, be printed on the Bonds and on any Bonds issued and delivered in exchange or replacement of any Bond, but neither shall have any legal effect, and shall be solely for the convenience and information of the Registered Owners of the Bonds. The preamble to this Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of this Resolution for all purposes.

Section 28. CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING. (a) *Annual Reports.* The Authority shall provide annually to the MSRB, (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the Authority, financial and operating data of the general type, being the information of the type described in Exhibit "D" hereto including financial statements of the Authority if audited financial statements of the Authority are then available, and (2) if not provided as part such financial information and operating data, audited financial statements of the Authority, when and if available. Any financial statements to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles for governmental units, or such other accounting principles as the Authority may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to state law or regulation, and in substantially the form included in the official

statement, and (ii) audited, if the Authority commissions an audit of such financial statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the Authority shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available.

If the Authority changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) prior to the next date by which the Board otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data pursuant to this Section.

The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document that is available to the public on the MSRB's internet web site or filed with the SEC. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(b) ***Event Notices.*** The Authority shall file notice to notify the MSRB of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds in a timely manner and not more than ten business days after the occurrence of the event:

1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
2. Non-payment related defaults, if material;
3. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
4. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
5. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
6. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other events affecting the tax status of the Bonds
7. Modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material;
8. Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
9. Defeasances;
10. Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material;
11. Rating changes;

12. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Authority;
13. The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Authority or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Authority, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material;
14. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material;
15. Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which affect security holder, if material; and
16. Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

For these purposes, (a) any event described in the immediately preceding paragraph (12) is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Authority in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers of the Authority in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, and (b) the Authority intends the words used in the immediately preceding paragraphs (15) and (16) and the definition of Financial Obligation in this Section to have the same meanings as when they are used in the Rule, as evidenced by SEC Release No. 34-83885, dated August 20, 2018.

The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any failure by the Authority to provide financial information or operating data in accordance with subsection (a) of this Section by the time required by such subsection. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(c) ***Limitations, Disclaimers, and Amendments.*** The Authority shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Section for so long as, but only for so long as, the Authority remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds within the meaning of the Rule, except that the Authority in any event will give notice of any deposit made in accordance with Section 30 of this Resolution that causes the Bonds no longer to be outstanding.

The provisions of this Section are for the sole benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds, and nothing in this Section, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The Board undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Section and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the Authority's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Section or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The Authority does not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE AUTHORITY BE LIABLE TO THE HOLDER OR BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY BOND OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE AUTHORITY, WHETHER NEGLIGENT OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS SECTION, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR *MANDAMUS* OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

No default by the Authority in observing or performing its obligations under this Section shall comprise a breach of or default under this Resolution for purposes of any other provision of this Resolution.

Should the Rule be amended to obligate the Authority to make filings with or provide notices to entities other than the MSRB, the Board hereby agrees to undertake such obligation with respect to the Bonds in accordance with the Rule as amended.

Nothing in this Section is intended or shall act to disclaim, waive, or otherwise limit the duties of the Board under federal and state securities laws.

The provisions of this Section may be amended by the Authority from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the Authority, but only if (1) the provisions of this Section, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule since such offering as well as such changed circumstances and (2) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provision of this Resolution that authorizes such an

amendment) of the outstanding Bonds consents to such amendment or (b) a person that is unaffiliated with the Board (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interest of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. If the Authority so amends the provisions of this Section, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data next provided in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section an explanation, in narrative form, of the reason for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information or operating data so provided. The Authority may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provision of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds.

Section 29. APPLICATION OF BOND PROCEEDS. (a) Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall, promptly upon receipt thereof, be applied by the Authority Representative as follows:

- (i) accrued interest, if any, for the Bonds shall be deposited as provided in Section 9(a);
- (ii) an amount sufficient to accomplish the purposes of Section 2(b) shall be deposited to the Project Fund; and
- (iii) any proceeds from the sale of the Bonds remaining after the deposits provided for in clauses (i) and (ii) above, shall be applied to pay expenses arising in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

Any sale proceeds of the Bonds remaining after making all deposits and payments provided for above shall be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds and deposited into the Debt Service Fund.

Section 30. DEFEASANCE PROVISIONS. (a) Any Bond and the interest thereon shall be deemed to be paid, retired and no longer outstanding (a "Defeased Bond") within the meaning of this Resolution, except to the extent provided in subsections (c) and (e) of this Section, when payment of the principal of such Bond, plus interest thereon to the due date or dates (whether such due date or dates be by reason of maturity, upon redemption, or otherwise) either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof (including the giving of any required notice of redemption or the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice) or (ii) shall have been provided for on or before such due date by irrevocably depositing with or making available to the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for such payment (1) lawful money of the United States of America sufficient to make such payment, (2) Defeasance Securities, certified by an independent public accounting firm of national reputation to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will ensure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to provide for such payment and when proper arrangements have been made by the Authority with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for the payment of its services until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable or (3) any combination of (1) and (2). At such time as a Bond shall be deemed to be a Defeased Bond

hereunder, as aforesaid, such Bond and the interest thereon shall no longer be secured by, payable from, or entitled to the benefits of, the Bond Payments as provided in this Resolution, and such principal and interest shall be payable solely from such money or Defeasance Securities.

(b) The deposit under clause (ii) of subsection (a) shall be deemed a payment of a Bond as aforesaid when proper notice of redemption of such Bonds shall have been given or upon the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice, in accordance with this Resolution. Any money so deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank as provided in this Section may at the discretion of the Authority also be invested in Defeasance Securities, maturing in the amounts and at the times as hereinbefore set forth, and all income from all Defeasance Securities in possession of the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section which is not required for the payment of such Bond and premium, if any, and interest thereon with respect to which such money has been so deposited, shall be remitted to the Authority.

(c) Notwithstanding any provision of any other Section of this Resolution which may be contrary to the provisions of this Section, all money or Defeasance Securities set aside and held in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of principal of the Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, shall be applied to and used solely for the payment of the particular Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, with respect to which such money or Defeasance Securities have been so set aside in trust. Until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for such Defeased Bonds the same as if they had not been defeased, and the Authority shall make proper arrangements to provide and pay for such services as required by this Resolution.

(d) Notwithstanding anything elsewhere in this Resolution, if money or Defeasance Securities have been deposited or set aside with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section for the payment of Bonds and such Bonds shall not have in fact been actually paid in full, no amendment of the provisions of this Section shall be made without the consent of the registered owner of each Bond affected thereby.

(e) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above, to the extent that, upon the defeasance of any Defeased Bond to be paid at its maturity, the Authority retains the right under State law to later call that Defeased Bond for redemption in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution, the Authority may call such Defeased Bond for redemption upon complying with the provisions of State law and upon the satisfaction of the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above with respect to such Defeased Bond as though it was being defeased at the time of the exercise of the option to redeem the Defeased Bond and the effect of the redemption is taken into account in determining the sufficiency of the provisions made for the payment of the Defeased Bond.

Section 31. SALE OF BONDS; USE OF PROCEEDS. (a) *Sale to the Texas Water Development Board ("Purchaser")*. That the Bonds are hereby sold to the Purchaser for the price of par. The Bonds have been purchased by the Purchaser pursuant to its Resolution No.

17-079, adopted on July 20, 2017, as amended by Resolution 19-077 adopted on July 22, 2019 (collectively, the "Purchaser Resolution"). The Bonds initially delivered shall be registered in the name of the Texas Water Development Board. The Private Placement Memorandum prepared in connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser in substantially the form attached to this Resolution is approved. The Authority has determined, based upon the advice provided by its financial advisors, that acceptance of the purchase price for the Bonds is on terms advantageous to, and in the best interests of, the Authority.

(b) **Notice from Purchaser of Sale of Bonds.** It is the intent of the parties to the sale of the Bonds that if Purchaser ever determines to sell all or a part of the Bonds, it shall notify the Authority at least 60 days prior to the sale of the Bonds of the decision to so sell the Bonds.

(c) **Proceeds.** The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be used in the manner described in the letter of instructions executed by the Authority, or on behalf of the Authority by its financial advisor.

(d) **Payment by Wire Transfer.** Payment of amounts due and owing on the Bonds to the Purchaser shall be made by wire transfer, at no expense to the Purchaser, as provided in the FORM OF BOND.

(e) **Escrow Fund.** By agreeing to the purchase the Bonds, the Purchaser agrees that the Bond proceeds shall be deposited into the escrow fund established in the Escrow Agreement between the Authority and BOKF, NA.

(f) **Investment of Bond Proceeds.** Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be held at a depository or other properly chartered and authorized institution in accordance with Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, and Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code.

Section 32. FURTHER PROCEDURES. The Authority Representative and all other officers, employees, and agents of the Board, and each of them, shall be and they are hereby expressly authorized, empowered, and directed from time to time and at any time to do and perform all such acts and things and to execute, acknowledge, and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Board all such instruments, whether or not herein mentioned, as may be necessary or desirable in order to carry out the terms and provisions of this Resolution, the Bonds, the sale and delivery of the Bonds and fixing all details in connection therewith. The Authority Representative is authorized to sign this Resolution.

Section 33. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS. All resolutions and all parts of any resolutions which are in conflict or inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed and shall be of no further force or effect to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 34. PUBLIC NOTICE. It is hereby found and determined that each of the officers and members of the Board was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place, and purpose of the Meeting at which this Resolution was adopted; that this Resolution would be introduced and considered for adoption at said meeting; and that

said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Section 35. NO PERSONAL LIABILITY. No covenant or agreement contained in the Bonds, this Resolution or any corollary instrument shall be deemed to be the covenant or agreement of any member of the Board or Canyon Regional or any officer, agent, employee or representative of the Board or Canyon Regional in their individual capacity, and neither the directors, officers, agents, employees or representatives of the Board or Canyon Regional nor any person executing the Bonds shall be personally liable thereon or be subject to any personal liability for damages or otherwise or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof, or any actions taken or duties performed, whether by virtue of any constitution, statute or rule of law, or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty, or otherwise, all such liability being expressly released and waived as a condition of and in consideration for the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 36. APPROVAL OF ESCROW AGREEMENT, PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT, BLANKET ISSUER LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS WITH THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY AND CREDIT AGREEMENTS. (a) The Escrow Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent ("Escrow Agreement") in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved, and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Escrow Agreement, as necessary.

(b) The Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA ("Paying Agent Agreement"), in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized and directed to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Paying Agent Agreement, as necessary.

(c) The Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations with the Depository Trust Company has been previously executed by the Authority Representative and is hereby authorized to be utilized in connection with the Bonds.

(d) To the extent permitted by law, the Authority reserves the right to enter into Credit Agreements in connection with the Bonds, upon the written opinion of the Authority Representative that such Credit Agreements are in the best interest of the Authority given the market conditions at the time. The Credit Agreements will constitute a Credit Agreement as defined in this Resolution. Credit Agreements and the obligations thereunder may, pursuant to their terms, constitute (i) debt secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments on parity with the Bonds Similarly Secured (ii) debt secured by an inferior lien secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments subordinate to the Bonds Similarly Secured or (iii) partially parity and partially inferior lien.

Section 37. ADDITIONAL COVENANTS. In connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser, the Authority covenants as follows:

(a) ***Compliance with the Texas Water Development Board's Rules and Regulations.*** The Authority covenants to comply with the rules and regulations of the Purchaser, and to maintain insurance on the Project in such amount as may be required by Purchaser, as further addressed in subsection (h) of this Section.

(b) ***Audits.*** For so long as the State owns any of the Bonds, the Authority shall mail a copy of the audit required by this Resolution to the Purchaser. In addition, monthly operating statements for the Project shall be maintained by the Authority and made available, on request, to the Purchaser as long as the State owns any of the Bonds, and the monthly operating statement shall be in such detail as requested by the Development Fund Manager of the Purchaser until this requirement is waived thereby. The Authority shall also provide, or cause to be provided, a copy of Canyon Regional's audit within 150 days after Canyon Regional's fiscal year end.

(c) ***Final Accounting.*** Within 60 days of Project completion, the Authority shall render a final accounting to the Purchaser in reference to the total cost incurred by the Authority for the Project which were financed by the issuance of the Bonds, together with a copy of "as built" plans of such Project.

(d) ***Defeasance.*** Should the Authority exercise its right under this Resolution to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, the Authority agrees that it will provide the Purchaser with 30 days written notice of any such defeasance.

(e) ***Segregation of Funds.*** The Authority covenants that proceeds of the Bonds shall remain separate and distinct from other sources of funding from the date of the Purchaser commitment through costing and final disbursement.

(f) ***Environmental Indemnity.*** Proceeds from the Bonds shall not be used by the Authority when sampling, testing, removing, or disposing of contaminated soils and/or media at the Project site. To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and protect the Purchaser from any and all claims, causes of action, or damages to the person or property of third parties arising from the sampling, analysis, transport, storage, treatment, and disposition of any contaminated sewage sludge, contaminated sediments, and/or contaminated media that may be generated by the Authority, its contractors, consultants, agents, officials, and employees as a result of activities relating to the project funded with proceeds of the Bonds.

(g) ***Environmental Determination.*** In connection with the Project financed with the Bonds, the Authority agrees to implement any environmental determination issued by the Executive Administrator of Purchaser to satisfy the environmental review requirements set forth in 31 Texas Administrative Code 371.

(h) ***Insurance.*** The Authority agrees that it will maintain insurance on the Project in an amount sufficient to protect Purchaser's interest in the project financed with the proceeds of the Bonds. The Authority may self-insure in respect to satisfying this covenant.

(i) ***No Purchase of Purchaser Bonds.*** The Authority agrees that it, nor any related party to the Authority, will not purchase, as an investment or otherwise, bonds issued by Purchaser including, without limitation, bonds issued by Purchaser, the proceeds of which were used by Purchaser to purchase the Bonds.

(j) ***Compliance with Federal Contracting Laws.*** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of federal law relating to contracting with disadvantaged business enterprises.

(k) ***Compliance with State Contracting Laws.*** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of State law relating to contracting with historically underutilized businesses and will report to the Purchaser the amounts of Project funds, if any, that are used to compensate historically underutilized businesses that work on the Project in accordance with 31 TAC ' 363.1312.

Section 38. APPROVAL CERTIFICATE. Pursuant to Section 3.1 of the Contract, Canyon Regional has authorized the execution of an approval certificate attached hereto as Exhibit "F" which evidences the approval of the terms and provisions of the Bonds as set forth herein by the Canyon Regional.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED this October 30, 2019.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Authority Representative

EXHIBIT A

DEFINITIONS

As used in this Resolution, the following terms and expressions shall have the meanings set forth below, unless the text in this Resolution specifically indicates otherwise.

The term *Additional Bonds* shall mean the obligations issued in accordance with the terms and conditions prescribed in Section 13 hereof.

The term *Annual Payments* shall have the meaning given in each Contract.

The term *Authorized Denominations* shall mean shall mean the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

The term *Authority* shall mean Alliance Regional Water Authority and any other public Authority succeeding to the powers, rights, privileges and functions of the Authority and, when appropriate, the Board of the Authority.

The term *Authority Representative* shall mean the Chair, Vice Chair or the Executive Director of the Authority or such other person authorized by the Board to act as an Authority Representative.

The term *Average Annual Debt Service Requirements* shall mean that average amount which, at the time of computation, will be required to pay the Debt Service Requirements on all outstanding Bonds Similarly Secured when due (either at Stated Maturity or mandatory redemption) and derived by dividing the total of such Debt Service Requirement by the number of Fiscal Years then remaining before Stated Maturity of such Bonds Similarly Secured. For purposes of this definition, a fractional period of a Fiscal Year shall be treated as an entire Fiscal Year. Capitalized interest payments provided from Bond proceeds shall be excluded in making the aforementioned computation.

The term *Board* shall mean the Board of Directors of the Authority.

The term *Bond Payments* shall mean the payments defined as "Bond Payments" within the Contract that the Authority expects to receive from the Canyon Regional pursuant to the terms of the Contract.

The term *Bonds* shall mean and include collectively the Bonds issued and delivered and all substitute Bonds exchanged therefor, as well as all other substitute bonds and replacement bonds issued pursuant hereto, and the term *Bond* shall mean any of the Bonds.

The term *Bonds Similarly Secured* shall mean the Series 2015 Bonds, the Series 2017 Bonds and the Bonds, the Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution and any Additional Bonds hereafter issued by the Authority or bonds issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a

manner that provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments.

The term *Business Day* shall mean any day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or a day on which banking institutions in The City of New York, New York or in the city where the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close.

The term *Certified Public Accountant* shall mean an independent certified public accountant or firm of independent certified public accountants.

The term *Canyon Regional* shall mean the Canyon Regional Water Authority.

The term *Canyon Regional System* shall mean and includes the existing combined waterworks and/or wastewater disposal system of the Canyon Regional, together with all future extensions, improvements, enlargements, and additions thereto, including, to the extent permitted by law, storm sewer and drainage and/or reclaimed water systems which are integrated with the waterworks or wastewater disposal system, and all replacements thereof. Provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, and to the extent now or hereafter authorized or permitted by law, the term *Canyon Regional System* shall not include any waterworks or wastewater facilities which are declared by Canyon Regional not to be a part of the Canyon Regional System, and which are hereafter acquired or constructed by the Canyon Regional with the proceeds from the issuance of "Special Facilities Bonds," which are hereby defined as being special revenue obligations of the Canyon Regional which are not secured by or payable from the net revenues of the Canyon Regional System, but which are secured by and are payable solely from special contract revenues, or payments received from the Canyon Regional or any other legal entity, or any combination thereof, in connection with such facilities; and such revenues or payments shall not be considered as or constitute gross revenues of the Canyon Regional System, unless and to the extent otherwise provided in the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issuance of such *Special Facilities Bonds*.

The term *Canyon Regional Utility Bonds* shall mean the bonds, notes or other obligations issued by the Canyon Regional secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the Canyon Regional System or any part thereof regardless of lien priority including such bonds, notes or other obligations now or hereafter outstanding.

The term *Closing Date* shall mean the date of physical delivery of the Initial Bond issued pursuant to this Resolution for the payment in full by the Purchaser.

The term *Completion Date* shall mean when the Facilities have been substantially complete, the date specified in a certificate of the Authority and Project Engineer that the Project is substantially completed and ready to be placed in service.

The term *Contract* shall mean the Regional Water Supply Contract dated as of January 9, 2008, together with amendments and supplements thereto including Amendment No. 1 (which by the term of such instrument is designated as a supplement or amendment to such Contract)

between the Authority and each Participating Entity, conformed copies of the Contract being attached hereto as Exhibit "E" for the purposes of identification.

The term *Credit Agreement* shall mean an Insurance Policy, a surety bond (including any supporting Insurance Agreement), a letter or line of credit or other type of enhancement issued in support of any Bonds or Additional Bonds by a Credit Agreement Provider at the request of the Authority.

The term *Credit Agreement Provider* shall mean (i) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a policy of municipal bond insurance or a surety bond, an issuer of policies of insurance insuring the timely payment of scheduled debt service on governmental obligations such as any Series of Bonds or Additional Bonds, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds upon delivery of the Bonds or Additional Bonds fully insured by a standard policy issued by the issuer in its highest generic rating category for such obligations; and (ii) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a letter or line of credit, any financial institution, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds in one of its two highest generic rating categories for such obligations if the letter or line of credit proposed to be issued by such financial institution secured the timely payment of the entire principal amount of a series of Bonds or Additional Bonds and the interest thereon.

The term *Debt Service Fund* shall mean the special fund or account created and established by the provisions of Section 9(a) of this Resolution.

The term *Debt Service Requirements* shall mean as of any particular date of computation, with respect to any obligations and with respect to any period, the aggregate of the amounts to be paid or set aside by the Authority as of such date or in such period for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (to the extent not capitalized) on such obligations; assuming, in the case of obligations without a fixed numerical rate, that such obligations bear interest calculated by (a) either (i) an interest rate equal to the average rate borne by such Bonds (or by comparable debt in the event that such Bonds have not been outstanding during the preceding 24 months) for any 24 month period ending within 30 days prior to the date of calculation, (ii) if the Bonds bear interest at tax-exempt rates, an interest rate equal to the 24 month average of the Index (as most recently published in The Bond Buyer), unless such index is no longer published in The Bond Buyer, in which case the index to be used in its place shall be that index which the Authority Representative determines most closely replicates such index as set forth in a certificate of a Authority Representative, (iii) if the Bonds bear interest at taxable rates, the index which the Authority Representative determines is an accepted market index for taxable rates, (iv) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based, to the extent possible, upon an accepted market index which corresponds with the provisions of the subject Bonds, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect with respect to such Bonds or (v) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based upon the interest rate methodology in the applicable Credit Agreement if calculating payments under a Credit Agreement, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect; and (b) that the debt service of such bonds is amortized such that annual debt service is substantially level over the

remaining stated life of such bonds, and further assuming in the case of obligations required to be redeemed or prepaid as to principal prior to Stated Maturity, the principal amounts thereof will be redeemed prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the mandatory redemption provisions applicable thereto.

The term *Defeasance Securities* shall mean (i) Federal Securities, (ii) noncallable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm no less than "AAA" or its equivalent, or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Depository* shall mean an official depository bank of the Authority.

The term *Designated Trust Office* shall have the meaning ascribed to said term in Section 5(b) of this Resolution.

The term *Engineering Report* shall mean the "Final Report of the Plumbing Plan," prepared by Lockwood, Andrews & Newnan, Inc., dated September 21, 2007, as such report may be amended, modified and changed and superseded with the approval of the Authority and Sponsors, at any time prior to the execution of construction contracts for the Project or as modified and changed by change orders issued after the execution of such construction contracts; provided, however, no such change orders shall adversely affect any of the Sponsors without the consent of the Sponsors.

The term *Facilities* shall mean the facilities, wells, diversion structures, treatment plants, storage tanks, capacity rights, lines, booster pumps, and other appurtenances sufficient to produce, divert, treat and deliver the water to which the Sponsors are entitled under the Contract and any improvements, additions, or extensions to such Facilities hereafter acquired or constructed to deliver water between such places.

The term *Federal Securities* shall mean direct, non-callable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America (including Interest Strips of the Resolution Funding Corporation).

The term *Financial Obligation* shall mean (a) debt obligation; (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (c) guarantee of a debt obligation or any such derivative instrument; provided that "financial obligation" shall not include municipal securities (as defined in the

Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

The term *Fiscal Year* shall mean the twelve month accounting period used by the Authority in connection with the operation of the Project, currently ending on September 30th of each year, which may be any twelve consecutive month period established by the Authority, but in no event may the Fiscal Year be changed more than one time in any three calendar year period.

The term *Fitch* shall mean Fitch Ratings, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Fitch shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Funds* shall mean the Debt Service Fund and Project Fund created and held pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Government Securities* shall mean (i) direct non-callable obligations of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America; (ii) non-callable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Interest Payment Date* shall mean the date semiannual interest is payable on the Bonds, while any of the Bonds remain Outstanding as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *IRS Code* shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The term *Land Interests* shall mean the easements, right-of-way, and other interests in real property necessary for the acquisition, construction, and operation of the Facilities and the Water Rights for the Project.

The term *MSRB* means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The term *Maturity* shall mean the date on which the principal of a Bond becomes due and payable as therein and herein provided, whether at Stated Maturity, by redemption or otherwise.

The term *Moody's* shall mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Moody's shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Operation and Maintenance Expenses* shall mean all direct costs and expenses incurred by the Authority for its operation and maintenance, including but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of the Project, including (for greater certainty but without limiting the generality of the foregoing) amounts payable under any contract with any person, including, but not limited to any federal, state, or local Authority for the right to produce, withdraw or divert and use water, any contribution or payment in lieu of taxes or any fee or charge by any government authority relating to the Authority's production, withdrawal or diversion of or sale of treated water hereunder, the costs of utilities, supervision, engineering, accounting, auditing, legal services, insurance premiums, supplies, services, and administration of the Project, Overhead Expenses, any required costs of mitigation and land management incidental to Project operation, and costs of operating, repairing, maintaining, and replacing equipment for proper operation and maintenance of the Project. The term "Operation and Maintenance Expenses" does not include depreciation charges or such portion of the above described costs to the extent such costs are paid pursuant to an agreement other than the Contract.

The term *Outstanding* shall mean when used in this Resolution with respect to Bonds means, as of the date of determination, all Bonds of any series issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, except:

- (1) those Bonds canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar or delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation;
- (2) those Bonds for which payment has been duly provided by the Authority in accordance with the provisions of Section 30 of this Resolution by the irrevocable deposit with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, of money or Government Securities, or both, in the amount necessary to fully pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest thereon to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, provided that, if such Bonds are to be redeemed, notice of redemption thereof shall have been duly given pursuant to this Resolution or irrevocably provided to be given to the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or waived; and
- (3) those Bonds that have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen and replacement Bonds have been registered and delivered in lieu thereof as provided in Section 5(f) of this Resolution.

The term *Overhead Expenses* shall mean the Authority's reasonable and necessary costs and expenses incurred at any time directly related to the issuance and servicing of the Bonds, the acquisition of Land Interests required for the Project, the design, permitting, financing, acquisition, construction, and ownership of the Project and any other activities required of or involving the Authority in connection with or attributable to the Project or the Bonds, including, but not limited to: (i) per diem and reimbursable expenses incurred by the Directors of the

Authority for special meetings of the Authority's Board related to the Project; (ii) services of the professional, technical skilled and unskilled persons and firms engaged by or associated with the Authority, other than Authority staff personnel, together with their reimbursable expenses paid or required to be paid by the Authority; (iii) salaries of the Authority's staff attributable to the Project or the Bonds based on time expended, as documented or reasonably estimated by the President, Board of the Authority; (iv) the costs of preparing applications for and obtaining all approvals and authorizations required for the Project or the Bonds from the regulatory authorities having jurisdiction; (v) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance incurred prior to the Completion Date; including any insurance deductible charged to or required to be paid by the Authority; provided that if the Authority is unable to obtain such insurance on an occurrence basis, then any expense incurred by the Authority from and after the Completion Date for casualty and public liability insurance, including any insurance deductible, shall be paid by the Sponsors; (vi) all costs incurred in litigation involving or relating to the Project; and (vii) any and all other costs and expenses, including out-of-pocket expenses, incurred by the Authority attributable to the Project or the Bonds, whether enumerated above or not, and whether or not included in the definition or as a part of Project Costs.

The terms *Paying Agent/Registrar*, *Paying Agent* or *Registrar* shall mean the agent appointed pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution or any successor to such agent.

The term *Participating Entities* shall mean with respect to the Contract, Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos and Canyon Regional Water Authority.

The term *Phase 1A Project* shall mean the design and construction of facilities to interconnect the Cities of Kyle and Buda water systems. The Project will use the Phase 1A Project facilities to deliver Carrizo water into the Buda system. Facilities include a possible water pump section, pumps, ground storage tank, chlorine treatment system, yard piping necessary to receive and pump water, fee simple purchase of property for the pump station and new transmission pipeline.

The term *Phase 1B Improvements Project* shall include design, construction and equipment of multiple wells drilled and installed; the primary collection line from the well field to the treatment plant along with the individual collection lines; a sand filter water treatment plant including filters, disinfection equipment, high service pump station, and clearwell storage; plant construction in phases with Phase 1B expected to provide a treatment capacity of approximately 5 MGD, with an ultimate plant buildout of approximately 35 MGD; and transmission mains from the water treatment plant to the Project's Phase 1A infrastructure all as further set forth in the Authority's application to the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Project* shall mean, collectively, the Land Interests and the Facilities as described in the recitals to the Contract and in the Engineering Report.

The term *Project Costs* shall mean and includes, without limitation, the following costs incurred for the Project by or on behalf of the Authority or the Sponsors: (i) the cost of acquisition of the Land Interests, including appraisals, closing costs and title insurance policies; (ii) the cost of acquisition, construction, repair, replacement, improvement or decommissioning

of the Facilities, and any structure, item of equipment, or other item, used for, or in connection with, the Project; (iii) the cost of site preparation of the Land Interests, including demolition or removal of structures and improvements as necessary or incident to accomplishing the Project; (iv) the cost of engineering, legal, architectural or other related services; (v) the preparation cost of plans, specifications, studies, surveys, cost estimates, and other expenses necessary or incident to planning, providing, or financing the Project; (vi) the cost of machinery, equipment, furnishings, and facilities necessary or incident to placing the Project in operation; (vii) finance charges and interest before, during, and after construction as permitted by the laws of the State; (viii) costs incurred in connection with financing the project, including, without limitation: (1) financing, legal, accounting, financial advisory, rating Authority, and auditing fees, expenses and disbursements; (2) the cost of printing, engraving, and reproduction services; and (3) the cost of a trustee's or paying agent's initial or acceptance fee and subsequent fees; (ix) all costs, fees and expenses of litigation of all kinds; (x) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance; (xi) the fees and costs of the underwriters as the anticipated Purchaser of the Bonds; (xii) reimbursement of the costs previously incurred by the Sponsors with respect to the Project; and (xiii) other costs generally recognized as a part of Project construction costs.

The term *Project Engineer* shall mean such engineer or engineering firm selected by the Authority.

The term *Purchaser* shall mean the initial purchaser of the Bonds, the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Record Date* shall mean the Business Day of each month as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *Registration Books* shall mean the books or records relating to the registration, payment and transfer or exchange of the Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution.

The term *Registered Owner* shall mean the entity or person in whose names any of the Bonds are registered in the Registration Books.

The term *Resolution* shall mean this resolution adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019.

The term *Rule* shall mean SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

The term *SEC* means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

The term *Series* shall mean any designated Series of Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Series 2015 Bonds* shall mean the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2015A.

The term *Series 2017 Bonds* shall mean the Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2017A.

The term *Special Project Bonds* shall mean obligations which the Authority expressly reserves the right to issue in Section 14 of this Resolution.

The term *State* shall mean the State of Texas.

The term *Stated Maturity* shall mean, when used with respect to the Bonds, the scheduled maturity or mandatory sinking fund redemption date of a series of the Bonds.

The term *Water Rights* shall means the right to produce, withdraw or divert water, and transport the water from the location where it is produced, withdrawn, or diverted into Caldwell County, Guadalupe County, Hays County, and the surrounding counties. "Water Rights" are a component of "Land Interests."

EXHIBIT B
FORM OF BOND

**REGISTERED
NO.** _____

**REGISTERED
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT**
\$ _____

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF TEXAS
ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS
(REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CANYON REGIONAL
WATER AUTHORITY)
SERIES 2019A**

BOND DATE: **STATED**
MATURITY: **INTEREST RATE:** **CUSIP NO.:**

November 20, 2019

REGISTERED OWNER: _____

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: _____
DOLLARS

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "State"), created by the Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos, Texas and Canyon Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and existing under the laws of the State, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner specified above, or the registered assigns thereof, on the Stated Maturity date specified above, the Principal Amount specified above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption), and to pay interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to the earlier of redemption or Stated Maturity, at the per annum rate of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15 of each year commencing August 15, 2020.

Principal and premium, if any, of the Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the "Holder") upon presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar executing the registration certificate appearing hereon or a successor thereof. Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond (or one or more Predecessor Bonds, as

defined in the Resolution hereinafter referenced) whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. In addition, interest may be paid by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Registered Owner. The foregoing notwithstanding, so long as the Texas Water Development Board is the registered owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding, payment of principal and interest on the Bonds shall be made thereto by wire transfer, at no expense to the Texas Water Development Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during any period in which ownership of the Bonds is determined only by a book entry at a securities depository for the Bonds, payments made to the securities depository, or its nominee, shall be made in accordance with arrangements between the Authority and the securities depository.

This Bond is one of the series specified in its title issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$26,530,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to a resolution adopted by the governing body of the Authority (the "Resolution"), (i) FOR CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

The principal amount of a Term Bond required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of such mandatory redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the Authority, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of such Stated Maturity which, at least 50 days prior to the mandatory redemption date (1) shall have been defeased or acquired by the Authority and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the request of the Authority with money in the Debt Service Fund, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions set forth below and not theretofore credited against a mandatory redemption requirement.

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part.

The Bonds of this series are special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments received by the Authority from Canyon Regional pursuant to the provisions of the Contract. In the Resolution, the Authority reserves and retains the right to issue Additional Bonds, without limitation as to principal amount but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions set forth in the Resolution or as may be applicable thereto under law or otherwise. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the Authority or System, except with respect to the Bond Payments.

The Holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, copies of which are on file in the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and to all of the provisions of which the Holder by his acceptance hereof hereby assents, for definitions of terms; the description and nature of the Special Payments pledged for the payment of the Bonds; the terms and conditions under which the Authority may issue Additional Bonds; the terms and conditions relating to the transfer or exchange of the Bonds; the conditions upon which the Resolution may be amended or supplemented with or without the consent of the Holders; the rights, duties, and obligations of the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar; the terms and provisions upon which this Bond may be redeemed or discharged at or prior to the Stated Maturity thereof, and deemed to be no longer Outstanding thereunder; and for the other terms and provisions specified in the Resolution. Capitalized terms used herein have the same meanings assigned in the Resolution.

This Bond, subject to certain limitations contained in the Resolution, may be transferred on the Registration Books upon presentation and surrender at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar duly executed by the Holder hereof, or his duly authorized agent, and thereupon one or more new fully registered Bonds of the same Stated Maturity, of authorized denominations, bearing the same rate of interest, and of the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

The Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any agent of either, shall treat the Holder hereof whose name appears on the Security Register (i) on the Record Date as the owner

hereof for purposes of receiving payment of interest hereon, (ii) on the date of surrender of this Bond as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of principal hereof at its Stated Maturity, or its redemption, in whole or in part, and (iii) on any other date as the owner hereof for all other purposes, and neither the Authority nor the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any such agent of either, shall be affected by notice to the contrary. In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for thirty (30) days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the Authority. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest (the "Special Payment Date" - which shall be fifteen (15) days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five (5) business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder appearing on the Security Register at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

It is hereby certified, covenanted, and represented that all acts, conditions, and things required to be performed, exist, and be done precedent to the issuance of this Bond in order to render the same a legal, valid, and binding special obligation of the Authority have been performed, exist, and have been done, in regular and due time, form, and manner, as required by law, and that issuance of the Bonds does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; and that due provision has been made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and as otherwise provided in this Resolution. In case any provision in this Bond or any application thereof shall be deemed invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions and applications shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby. The terms and provisions of this Bond and the Resolution shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of the Authority has caused this Bond to be duly signed with the manual or facsimile signature of the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board of the Authority and countersigned with the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board of the Authority.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER
AUTHORITY

Chair [Vice Chair], Board

ATTESTED:

E. Form of Assignment.

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto (Print or typewrite name, address, and zip code of transferee): _____

(Social Security or other identifying number):

_____ the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints _____ attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

DATED: _____

NOTICE: The signature on this assignment must correspond with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular.

Signature guaranteed:

F. The Initial Bond of each series shall be in the form set forth in paragraph B of this Section, except that the form of a single fully registered Initial Bond shall be modified as follows:

- i) immediately under the name of the Bond(s) the headings "Interest Rate" and "Stated Maturity" shall both be completed "as shown below";
- ii) the first two paragraphs shall read as follows:

Registered Owner: _____

Principal Amount: _____

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas, with its principal office located in San Marcos, Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof, the Principal Amount specified above on the 15th day of August in each of the years and in principal amounts and bearing interest at per annum rates in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Year of Stated Maturity</u>	<u>Principal Amounts (\$)</u>	<u>Interest Rates (%)</u>
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(Information to be inserted from Sections 3 and 4).

(or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption) and to pay interest on the unpaid Principal Amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to Stated Maturity or prior redemption, at the per annum rates of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15, commencing August 15, 2020 (the "Interest Payment Date").

Principal and premium, if any, of this Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the Holder), upon its presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"). Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Interest shall be paid by the Paying Agent/Registrar by check sent on or prior to the appropriate date of payment by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the Holder hereof at the address appearing in the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Holder hereof.

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

DATE: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority hereby makes this requisition pursuant to "A Resolution by the Board of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale, and Delivery of Such Bonds" adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019. The undersigned hereby authorizes disbursement from the Project Fund to pay Project Costs for the purposes and in the amounts as follows:

<u>Name of Payee</u>	<u>Nature of Disbursement</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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EXHIBIT D

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

DESCRIPTION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is referred to in Section 28 of this Resolution.

Annual Financial Statements and Operating Data

The financial information and operating data with respect to the Canyon Regional Water Authority to be provided annually in accordance with such Section 28 are audited financial statements of the Canyon Regional Water Authority.

Accounting Principles

The accounting principles referred to in such Section are the accounting principles described in the notes to the financial statements referred to above.

EXHIBIT E

REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT

EXHIBIT F

APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

The undersigned Authorized Representative of the Canyon Regional Water Authority pursuant to the resolution (the "Resolution") authorizing the issuance of obligations designated as "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority) Series 2019A" (the "Bonds") hereby approves the following terms of the Bonds:

- (i) the total principal amount of the Bonds of \$26,530,000;
- (ii) the purchase price for the Bonds is \$26,530,000 (representing the original principal amount of the Bonds);
- (iii) the interest rates and maturity schedule for the Bonds are as set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	\$740,000	1.02%	2036	\$ 895,000	2.27%
2022	750,000	1.04	2037	915,000	2.33
2023	755,000	1.06	2038	930,000	2.38
2024	760,000	1.09	2039	950,000	2.26
2025	770,000	1.10	2040	970,000	2.62
2026	775,000	1.15	2041	995,000	2.62
2027	785,000	1.21	2042	1,020,000	2.62
2028	790,000	1.24	2043	1,050,000	2.62
2029	800,000	1.28	2044	1,075,000	2.62
2030	810,000	1.44	2045	1,100,000	2.70
2031	820,000	1.65	2046	1,125,000	2.70
2032	830,000	1.82	2047	1,155,000	2.70
2033	845,000	2.04	2048	1,180,000	2.70
2034	860,000	2.09	2049	1,205,000	2.70
2035	875,000	2.13			

- (iv) the Bonds are subject to redemption as set forth below:

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in

the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part; and

(v) the Bonds have been approved for issuance by the Texas Water Development Board and will be approved by the Texas Attorney General.

EXECUTED AND DELIVERED THIS 14th day of October, 2019.

**CANYON REGIONAL WATER
AUTHORITY**

Title: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$26,530,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project - Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A (30-Year Low Interest Loan)
11/20/19 Closing and Final Rates Provided by the TWDB on 9/30/19

Pricing Summary

Maturity	Type of Bond	Coupon	Yield	Maturity Value	Price	Dollar Price
08/15/2021	Serial Coupon	1.020%	1.020%	740,000.00	100.000%	740,000.00
08/15/2022	Serial Coupon	1.040%	1.040%	750,000.00	100.000%	750,000.00
08/15/2023	Serial Coupon	1.060%	1.060%	755,000.00	100.000%	755,000.00
08/15/2024	Serial Coupon	1.090%	1.090%	760,000.00	100.000%	760,000.00
08/15/2025	Serial Coupon	1.100%	1.100%	770,000.00	100.000%	770,000.00
08/15/2026	Serial Coupon	1.150%	1.150%	775,000.00	100.000%	775,000.00
08/15/2027	Serial Coupon	1.210%	1.210%	785,000.00	100.000%	785,000.00
08/15/2028	Serial Coupon	1.240%	1.240%	790,000.00	100.000%	790,000.00
08/15/2029	Serial Coupon	1.280%	1.280%	800,000.00	100.000%	800,000.00
08/15/2030	Serial Coupon	1.440%	1.440%	810,000.00	100.000%	810,000.00
08/15/2031	Serial Coupon	1.650%	1.650%	820,000.00	100.000%	820,000.00
08/15/2032	Serial Coupon	1.820%	1.820%	830,000.00	100.000%	830,000.00
08/15/2033	Serial Coupon	2.040%	2.040%	845,000.00	100.000%	845,000.00
08/15/2034	Serial Coupon	2.090%	2.090%	860,000.00	100.000%	860,000.00
08/15/2035	Serial Coupon	2.130%	2.130%	875,000.00	100.000%	875,000.00
08/15/2036	Serial Coupon	2.270%	2.270%	895,000.00	100.000%	895,000.00
08/15/2037	Serial Coupon	2.330%	2.330%	915,000.00	100.000%	915,000.00
08/15/2038	Serial Coupon	2.380%	2.380%	930,000.00	100.000%	930,000.00
08/15/2039	Serial Coupon	2.260%	2.260%	950,000.00	100.000%	950,000.00
08/15/2040	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	970,000.00	100.000%	970,000.00
08/15/2041	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	995,000.00	100.000%	995,000.00
08/15/2042	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	1,020,000.00	100.000%	1,020,000.00
08/15/2043	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	1,050,000.00	100.000%	1,050,000.00
08/15/2044	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	1,075,000.00	100.000%	1,075,000.00
08/15/2045	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,100,000.00	100.000%	1,100,000.00
08/15/2046	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,125,000.00	100.000%	1,125,000.00
08/15/2047	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,155,000.00	100.000%	1,155,000.00
08/15/2048	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,180,000.00	100.000%	1,180,000.00
08/15/2049	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,205,000.00	100.000%	1,205,000.00
Total	-	-	-	\$26,530,000.00	-	\$26,530,000.00

Bid Information

Par Amount of Bonds	\$26,530,000.00
Gross Production	\$26,530,000.00
Bid (100.000%)	26,530,000.00
Total Purchase Price	\$26,530,000.00
Bond Year Dollars	\$451,089.03
Average Life	17.003 Years
Average Coupon	2.3663177%
Net Interest Cost (NIC)	2.3663177%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	2.3317879%

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Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$26,530,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project - Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A (30-Year Low Interest Loan)
11/20/19 Closing and Final Rates Provided by the TWDB on 9/30/19

Debt Service Schedule

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Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
11/20/2019	-	-	-	-	-
08/15/2020	-	-	403,005.01	403,005.01	-
09/30/2020	-	-	-	-	403,005.01
02/15/2021	-	-	273,739.25	273,739.25	-
08/15/2021	740,000.00	1.020%	273,739.25	1,013,739.25	-
09/30/2021	-	-	-	-	1,287,478.50
02/15/2022	-	-	269,965.25	269,965.25	-
08/15/2022	750,000.00	1.040%	269,965.25	1,019,965.25	-
09/30/2022	-	-	-	-	1,289,930.50
02/15/2023	-	-	266,065.25	266,065.25	-
08/15/2023	755,000.00	1.060%	266,065.25	1,021,065.25	-
09/30/2023	-	-	-	-	1,287,130.50
02/15/2024	-	-	262,063.75	262,063.75	-
08/15/2024	760,000.00	1.090%	262,063.75	1,022,063.75	-
09/30/2024	-	-	-	-	1,284,127.50
02/15/2025	-	-	257,921.75	257,921.75	-
08/15/2025	770,000.00	1.100%	257,921.75	1,027,921.75	-
09/30/2025	-	-	-	-	1,285,843.50
02/15/2026	-	-	253,686.75	253,686.75	-
08/15/2026	775,000.00	1.150%	253,686.75	1,028,686.75	-
09/30/2026	-	-	-	-	1,282,373.50
02/15/2027	-	-	249,230.50	249,230.50	-
08/15/2027	785,000.00	1.210%	249,230.50	1,034,230.50	-
09/30/2027	-	-	-	-	1,283,461.00
02/15/2028	-	-	244,481.25	244,481.25	-
08/15/2028	790,000.00	1.240%	244,481.25	1,034,481.25	-
09/30/2028	-	-	-	-	1,278,962.50
02/15/2029	-	-	239,583.25	239,583.25	-
08/15/2029	800,000.00	1.280%	239,583.25	1,039,583.25	-
09/30/2029	-	-	-	-	1,279,166.50
02/15/2030	-	-	234,463.25	234,463.25	-
08/15/2030	810,000.00	1.440%	234,463.25	1,044,463.25	-
09/30/2030	-	-	-	-	1,278,926.50
02/15/2031	-	-	228,631.25	228,631.25	-
08/15/2031	820,000.00	1.650%	228,631.25	1,048,631.25	-
09/30/2031	-	-	-	-	1,277,262.50
02/15/2032	-	-	221,866.25	221,866.25	-
08/15/2032	830,000.00	1.820%	221,866.25	1,051,866.25	-
09/30/2032	-	-	-	-	1,273,732.50
02/15/2033	-	-	214,313.25	214,313.25	-
08/15/2033	845,000.00	2.040%	214,313.25	1,059,313.25	-

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Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$26,530,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project - Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A (30-Year Low Interest Loan)
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Debt Service Schedule

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Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
09/30/2033	-	-	-	-	1,273,626.50
02/15/2034	-	-	205,694.25	205,694.25	-
08/15/2034	860,000.00	2.090%	205,694.25	1,065,694.25	-
09/30/2034	-	-	-	-	1,271,388.50
02/15/2035	-	-	196,707.25	196,707.25	-
08/15/2035	875,000.00	2.130%	196,707.25	1,071,707.25	-
09/30/2035	-	-	-	-	1,268,414.50
02/15/2036	-	-	187,388.50	187,388.50	-
08/15/2036	895,000.00	2.270%	187,388.50	1,082,388.50	-
09/30/2036	-	-	-	-	1,269,777.00
02/15/2037	-	-	177,230.25	177,230.25	-
08/15/2037	915,000.00	2.330%	177,230.25	1,092,230.25	-
09/30/2037	-	-	-	-	1,269,460.50
02/15/2038	-	-	166,570.50	166,570.50	-
08/15/2038	930,000.00	2.380%	166,570.50	1,096,570.50	-
09/30/2038	-	-	-	-	1,263,141.00
02/15/2039	-	-	155,503.50	155,503.50	-
08/15/2039	950,000.00	2.260%	155,503.50	1,105,503.50	-
09/30/2039	-	-	-	-	1,261,007.00
02/15/2040	-	-	144,768.50	144,768.50	-
08/15/2040	970,000.00	2.620%	144,768.50	1,114,768.50	-
09/30/2040	-	-	-	-	1,259,537.00
02/15/2041	-	-	132,061.50	132,061.50	-
08/15/2041	995,000.00	2.620%	132,061.50	1,127,061.50	-
09/30/2041	-	-	-	-	1,259,123.00
02/15/2042	-	-	119,027.00	119,027.00	-
08/15/2042	1,020,000.00	2.620%	119,027.00	1,139,027.00	-
09/30/2042	-	-	-	-	1,258,054.00
02/15/2043	-	-	105,665.00	105,665.00	-
08/15/2043	1,050,000.00	2.620%	105,665.00	1,155,665.00	-
09/30/2043	-	-	-	-	1,261,330.00
02/15/2044	-	-	91,910.00	91,910.00	-
08/15/2044	1,075,000.00	2.620%	91,910.00	1,166,910.00	-
09/30/2044	-	-	-	-	1,258,820.00
02/15/2045	-	-	77,827.50	77,827.50	-
08/15/2045	1,100,000.00	2.700%	77,827.50	1,177,827.50	-
09/30/2045	-	-	-	-	1,255,655.00
02/15/2046	-	-	62,977.50	62,977.50	-
08/15/2046	1,125,000.00	2.700%	62,977.50	1,187,977.50	-
09/30/2046	-	-	-	-	1,250,955.00
02/15/2047	-	-	47,790.00	47,790.00	-

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Alliance Regional Water Authority

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Debt Service Schedule

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Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
08/15/2047	1,155,000.00	2.700%	47,790.00	1,202,790.00	-
09/30/2047	-	-	-	-	1,250,580.00
02/15/2048	-	-	32,197.50	32,197.50	-
08/15/2048	1,180,000.00	2.700%	32,197.50	1,212,197.50	-
09/30/2048	-	-	-	-	1,244,395.00
02/15/2049	-	-	16,267.50	16,267.50	-
08/15/2049	1,205,000.00	2.700%	16,267.50	1,221,267.50	-
09/30/2049	-	-	-	-	1,237,535.00
Total	\$26,530,000.00	-	\$10,674,199.51	\$37,204,199.51	-

Yield Statistics

Bond Year Dollars	\$451,089.03
Average Life	17.003 Years
Average Coupon	2.3663177%
DV01	35,610.30
Net Interest Cost (NIC)	2.3663177%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	2.3317879%
Bond Yield for Arbitrage Purposes	2.3317879%
All Inclusive Cost (AIC)	2.3317879%

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Net Interest Cost	2.3663177%
Weighted Average Maturity	17.003 Years

ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), made by and between Alliance Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "Authority"), acting by and through its Executive Director and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent together with any successor in such capacity;

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to four separate resolutions finally adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on October 30, 2019 (the "Resolutions"), the Authority authorized the issuance of four separate series of bonds, to wit: \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D, all dated November 20, 2019 (collectively, the "Obligations") to obtain financial assistance from the Texas Water Development Board (the "TWDB") for the purpose of funding water supply improvements, as set forth in the Resolutions (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Escrow Agent is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter D and is otherwise qualified and empowered to enter into this Agreement, and hereby acknowledges its acceptance of the terms and provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, a condition of the Obligations is the deposit of the proceeds of the Obligations (the "Proceeds") in escrow subject to being withdrawn only with the approval of the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or another designated representative; provided, however, the Proceeds can be transferred to different investments so long as all parties hereto consent to such transfer;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual agreements herein contained and in consideration of the amount of fees to be paid by the Authority to the Escrow Agent, as set forth on Exhibit "A", the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the delivery of the Obligations, the parties hereto mutually undertake, promise and agree for themselves, their respective representatives and successors, as follows:

SECTION 1: ESCROW ACCOUNT(S). Upon the delivery of the Obligations described above, the Proceeds identified under TWDB Commitment Numbers L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority), L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas), L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) and L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) shall be deposited to the credit of a special escrow account(s) or escrow subaccount(s) (Escrow Account(s)) maintained at the Escrow Agent on behalf of the Authority and the TWDB and shall not be commingled with any other accounts or with any other proceeds or funds. The Proceeds received by the Escrow Agent under this Agreement shall not be considered as a

banking deposit by the Authority, and the Escrow Agent shall have no right to title with respect thereto except as Escrow Agent under the terms of this Agreement.

The Escrow Account(s) shall be entitled "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) Escrow Account" and "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) Escrow Account" with appropriate subaccount designation for each series of bonds and shall not be subject to warrants, drafts or checks drawn by the Authority but shall be disbursed or withdrawn to pay the costs of the Project for which the Obligations were issued or other purposes in accordance with the Resolution and solely upon written authorization from the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. The Escrow Agent shall provide to the Authority and to the TWDB the Escrow Account(s) bank statements upon request.

SECTION 2: COLLATERAL. All cash deposited to the credit of such Escrow Account(s) and any accrued interest in excess of the amounts insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC") and remaining uninvested under the terms of this Agreement shall be continuously secured by a valid pledge of direct obligations of the United States of America or other collateral meeting the requirements of the Public Funds Collateral Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2257.

SECTION 3: INVESTMENTS. While the Proceeds are held in escrow, the Escrow Agent shall only invest escrowed Proceeds in investments that are authorized by the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256 (the "PFIA"). It is the Authority's responsibility to direct the Escrow Agent to invest all public funds in a manner that is consistent not only with the PFIA but also with its own written investment policy.

SECTION 4: DISBURSEMENTS. The Escrow Agent shall not honor any disbursement from the Escrow Account(s), or any portion thereof, unless and until it has been supplied with written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. However, no written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB shall be required if the disbursement involves transferring Proceeds from one investment to another within the Escrow Account(s) provided that all such investments are consistent with the PFIA requirements.

SECTION 5: UNEXPENDED FUNDS. Any Proceeds remaining unexpended in the Escrow Account(s) after completion of the Project and after the final accounting has been submitted to and approved by the TWDB shall be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of the respective Resolutions. The Authority shall deliver a copy of such TWDB approval of the final accounting to the Escrow Agent together with instructions concerning the disbursement of unexpended Proceeds hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall have no obligation to ensure that such unexpended Proceeds are used as required by the provisions of the Resolutions, that being the sole obligation of the Authority.

SECTION 6: CERTIFICATIONS. The Escrow Agent shall be authorized to accept and rely upon the certifications and documents furnished to the Escrow Agent by the Authority and shall not be liable for the payment of any funds made in reliance in good faith upon such certifications or other documents or approvals, as herein recited.

SECTION 7: LIABILITY OF ESCROW AGENT. To the extent permitted by law, the Escrow Agent shall not be liable for any act done or step taken or omitted by it or any mistake of fact or law, except for its negligence or default or failure in the performance of any obligation imposed upon it hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for any proceedings in connection with the Obligations or any recitation contained in the Obligations.

SECTION 8: RECORDS. The Escrow Agent will keep complete and correct books of record and account relating to the receipts, disbursements, allocations and application of the money deposited to the Escrow Account and investments of the Escrow Account and all Proceeds thereof. The records shall be available for inspection and copying at reasonable hours and under reasonable conditions by the Authority and the TWDB.

SECTION 9: MERGER/CONSOLIDATION. In the event that the Escrow Agent merges or consolidates with another bank or sells or transfers substantially all of its assets or corporate trust business, then the successor bank shall be the successor Escrow Agent without the necessity of further action as long as the successor bank is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 404, Subchapter D. The Escrow Agent must provide the TWDB with written notification within 30 days of acceptance of the merger, consolidation, or transfer. If the merger, consolidation or other transfer has occurred between state banks, the newly-created entity shall forward the certificate of merger or exchange issued by the Texas Department of Banking as well as the statement filed with the pertinent chartering authority, if applicable, to the TWDB within five business days following such merger, consolidation or exchange.

SECTION 10: AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended from time to time as necessary with the written consent of the Authority and the TWDB, but no such amendments shall increase the liabilities or responsibilities or diminish the rights of the Escrow Agent without its consent.

SECTION 11: TERMINATION. In the event that this Agreement is terminated by either the Authority or by the Escrow Agent, the Escrow Agent must report said termination in writing to the TWDB within five business days of such termination. The Authority is responsible for ensuring that the following criteria are satisfied in selecting the successor escrow agent and notifying the TWDB of the change in escrow agents: (a) the successor escrow agent must be an FDIC-insured state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository; (b) the successor escrow agent must be retained prior to or at the time of the termination; (c) an escrow agreement must be executed by and between the Authority and the successor escrow agent and must contain the same or substantially similar terms and conditions as are present in this Agreement; and (d) the Authority must forward a copy of the executed escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent within five business days of said termination. No funds shall be released by the TWDB until it has received,

reviewed and approved the escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent. If the Authority has not appointed a successor escrow agent within thirty (30) days of the notice of termination, the Escrow Agent may petition any court of competent jurisdiction in Texas for the appointment of a successor escrow agent or for other appropriate relief, and any such resulting appointment shall be binding upon the Authority. Whether appointed by the Authority or a court, the successor escrow agent and escrow agreement must be approved by the TWDB for the appointment to be effective. The Escrow Agent is responsible for performance under this Agreement until a successor has been approved by the TWDB and has signed an acceptable escrow agreement.

SECTION 12: EXPIRATION. This Agreement shall expire upon final transfer of the funds in the Escrow Account(s) to the Authority.

SECTION 13: POINT OF CONTACT. The points of contact for the Escrow Agent and the TWDB are as follows:

Tony Hongnoi
BOKF, NA
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225
(972) 892-9968
ctankersley@bankoftexas.com

Jeff Walker
Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
1700 North Congress Avenue
Austin, Texas 78701

SECTION 14: CHOICE OF LAW. This Agreement shall be governed exclusively by the applicable laws of the State of Texas. Venue for disputes shall be in the District Court of Travis County, Texas.

SECTION 15: ASSIGNABILITY. This Agreement shall not be assignable by the parties hereto, in whole or in part, and any attempted assignment shall be void and of no force and effect.

SECTION 16: ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement evidences the entire Escrow Agreement between the Escrow Agent and the Authority and supersedes any other agreements, whether oral or written, between the parties regarding the Proceeds or the Escrow Account(s). No modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be valid unless the same is in writing and is signed by the Authority and consented to by the Escrow Agent and the TWDB.

SECTION 17: VALIDITY OF PROVISIONS. If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions shall remain in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.

SECTION 18: COMPENSATION FOR ESCROW SERVICES. The Escrow Agent shall be entitled to compensation for its services as stated in Exhibit "A," which compensation shall be paid by the Authority but may not be paid directly from the Escrow Account(s).

SECTION 19: NO BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL. The Escrow Agent hereby verifies that, except to the extent otherwise required by applicable federal law, if any, including, without limitation,

50 U.S.C. Section 4607, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement in accordance with Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code. For purposes of this verification, "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

SECTION 20: TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS. The Escrow Agent represents that, neither the Escrow Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>,
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Escrow Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Escrow Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Escrow Agent and exists to make a profit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement effective upon signature of both parties.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____
Executive Director and Authority Representative

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 1040 Highway 123
San Marcos, Texas 78666

BOKF, NA,
as Escrow Agent

By: _____
Title: Vice President

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

EXHIBIT A

Fee Schedule

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into as of November 20, 2019 (this "Agreement"), by and between the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), and BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America (the "Bank").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Authority has duly authorized and provided for the issuance of its \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D (collectively, the "Securities"), such Securities to be issued in fully registered form only as to the payment of principal and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Securities are scheduled to be delivered to the Texas Water Development Board thereof on or about November 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has selected the Bank to serve as Paying Agent/Registrar in connection with the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities and with respect to the registration, transfer and exchange thereof by the registered owners thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to serve in such capacities for and on behalf of the Authority and has full power and authority to perform and serve as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Securities;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

ARTICLE ONE APPOINTMENT OF BANK AS PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

Section 1.01. Appointment.

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank to serve as Paying Agent with respect to the Securities. As Paying Agent for the Securities, the Bank shall be responsible for paying on behalf of the Authority the principal, premium (if any), and interest on the Securities as the same become due and payable to the registered owners thereof, all in accordance with this Agreement and the "Resolutions" (hereinafter defined).

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank as Registrar with respect to the Securities. As Registrar for the Securities, the Bank shall keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority books and records as to the ownership of the Securities and with respect to the transfer and exchange thereof as provided herein and in the "Resolutions."

The Bank hereby accepts its appointment, and agrees to serve as the Paying Agent and Registrar for the Securities.

Section 1.02. Compensation.

As compensation for the Bank's services as Paying Agent/Registrar, the Authority hereby agrees to pay the Bank the fees and amounts set forth in Schedule A attached hereto for the first year of this Agreement and thereafter the fees and amounts set forth in the Bank's current fee schedule then in effect for services as Paying Agent/Registrar for political subdivisions, which shall be supplied to the Authority on or before 90 days prior to the close of the Fiscal Year of the Authority, and shall be effective upon the first day of the following Fiscal Year.

In addition, the Authority agrees to reimburse the Bank upon its request for all reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances incurred or made by the Bank in accordance with any of the provisions hereof (including the reasonable compensation and the expenses and disbursements of its agents and counsel).

**ARTICLE TWO
DEFINITIONS**

Section 2.01. Definitions.

For all purposes of this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Authority Request" and "Authority Resolution" means a written request or resolution signed in the name of the Authority by an authorized representative, delivered to the Bank.

"Bank Office" means the designated office for payment of the Bank as indicated on the signature page hereof. The Bank will notify the Authority in writing of any change in location of the Bank Office.

"Financial Advisor" means Specialized Public Finance, Inc.

"Fiscal Year" means the fiscal year of the Authority, ending September 30.

"Holder" and "Security Holder" each means the Person in whose name a Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Legal Holiday" means a day on which the Bank is required or authorized to be closed.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision of a government.

"Predecessor Securities" of any particular Security means every previous Security evidencing all or a portion of the same obligation as that evidenced by such particular Security (and, for the purposes of this definition, any mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Security for which a replacement Security has been registered and delivered in lieu thereof pursuant to Section 4.06 hereof and the Resolutions).

"Redemption Date" when used with respect to any Bond to be redeemed means the date fixed for such redemption pursuant to the terms of the Resolutions.

"Resolutions" means collectively, the Resolutions of the governing body of the Authority pursuant to which each series of the Securities are issued, certified by the Secretary or any other officer of the Authority and delivered to the Bank.

"Responsible Officer" when used with respect to the Bank means the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors, the Chairman or Vice-chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, the President, any Vice President, the Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Cashier, any Assistant Cashier, any Trust Officer or Assistant Trust Officer, or any other officer of the Bank customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above designated officers and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Security Register" means a register maintained by the Bank on behalf of the Authority providing for the registration and transfer of the Securities.

"Stated Maturity" means the date specified in the Resolutions on which the principal of a Security is scheduled to be due and payable.

Section 2.02. Other Definitions.

The terms "Bank," "Authority," and "Securities (Security)" have the meanings assigned to them in the recital paragraphs of this Agreement.

The term "Paying Agent/Registrar" refers to the Bank in the performance of the duties and functions of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE THREE
PAYING AGENT**

Section 3.01. Duties of Paying Agent.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the principal of each Security at its Stated Maturity or Redemption Date to the Holder upon surrender of the Security to the Bank at the Bank Office.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the interest on each Security when due, by computing the amount of interest to be paid each Holder and preparing and sending checks by United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, on each payment date, to the Holders of the Securities (or their Predecessor Securities) on the respective Record Date, to the address appearing on the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Bank, requested in writing by the Holder at the Holder's risk and expense.

Principal and interest payments made pursuant to this Section 3.01 shall be made by wire transfer.

Section 3.02. Payment Dates.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank to pay the principal of and interest on the Securities on the dates specified in the Resolutions.

Section 3.03. Reporting Requirements.

To the extent required by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the Treasury Regulations, the Bank shall report to or cause to be reported to the Holders and the Internal Revenue Service (i) the amount of "reportable payments," if any, subject to back up withholding during each year and the amount of tax withheld, if any, with respect to the payments on the Securities and (ii) the amount of interest or amount treated as interest, such as original issue discount, on the Securities required to be included in the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes.

**ARTICLE FOUR
REGISTRAR**

Section 4.01. Security Register - Transfers and Exchanges.

The Bank agrees to keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority at the Bank Office books and records (herein sometimes referred to as the "Security Register"), and, if the Bank Office is located outside the State of Texas, a copy of such books and records shall be kept in the State of Texas, for recording the names and addresses of the Holders of the Securities, the transfer, exchange and replacement of the Securities and the payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders and containing such other information as may be reasonably required by the Authority and subject to such reasonable regulations as the Authority and the Bank may prescribe. The Bank

also agrees to keep a copy of the Security Register within the State of Texas. All transfers, exchanges and replacement of Securities shall be noted in the Security Register.

Every Security surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, the signature on which has been guaranteed by an officer of a federal or state bank or a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers, in form satisfactory to the Bank, duly executed by the Holder thereof or his agent duly authorized in writing.

The Bank may request any supporting documentation it feels necessary to effect a re-registration, transfer or exchange of the Securities.

To the extent possible and under reasonable circumstances, the Bank agrees that, in relation to an exchange or transfer of Securities, the exchange or transfer by the Holders thereof will be completed and new Securities delivered to the Holder or the assignee of the Holder in not more than three (3) business days after the receipt of the Securities to be cancelled in an exchange or transfer and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the Holder, or his duly authorized agent, in form and manner satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 4.02. Certificates.

The Authority shall provide an adequate inventory of printed Securities certificates to facilitate transfers or exchanges thereof. The Bank covenants that the inventory of printed Securities certificates will be kept in safekeeping pending their use, and reasonable care will be exercised by the Bank in maintaining such Securities certificates in safekeeping, which shall be not less than the level of care maintained by the Bank for debt securities of other political subdivisions or corporations for which it serves as registrar, or that it maintains for its own securities.

Section 4.03. Form of Security Register.

The Bank, as Registrar, will maintain the Security Register relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Securities in accordance with the Bank's general practices and procedures in effect from time to time. The Bank shall not be obligated to maintain such Security Register in any form other than those which the Bank has currently available and currently utilizes at the time.

The Security Register may be maintained in written form or in any other form capable of being converted into written form within a reasonable time.

Section 4.04. List of Security Holders.

The Bank will provide the Authority at any time requested by the Authority, upon payment of the required fee, a copy of the information contained in the Security Register. The Authority may

also inspect the information contained in the Security Register at any time the Bank is customarily open for business, provided that reasonable time is allowed the Bank to provide an up-to-date listing or to convert the information into written form.

The Bank will not release or disclose the contents of the Security Register to any person other than to, or at the written request of, an authorized officer or employee of the Authority, except upon receipt of a court order or as otherwise required by law. Upon receipt of a court order or other notice of a legal proceeding and prior to the release or disclosure of any of the contents of the Security Register, the Bank will notify the Authority so that the Authority may contest the same or such release or disclosure of the contents of the Security Register.

Section 4.05. Return of Cancelled Certificates.

The Bank will, at such reasonable intervals as it determines, surrender to the Authority, Securities in lieu of which or in exchange for which other Securities have been issued, or which have been paid.

Section 4.06. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Securities.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank, subject to the applicable provisions of the Resolutions, to deliver and issue Securities certificates in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates as long as the same does not result in an overissuance.

In case any Security shall be mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen, the Bank, in its discretion, may execute and deliver a replacement Security of like form and tenor, and in the same denomination and bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Security, or in lieu of and in substitution for such destroyed lost or stolen Security, only after (i) the filing by the Holder thereof with the Bank of evidence satisfactory to the Bank of the destruction, loss or theft of such Security, and of the authenticity of the ownership thereof and (ii) the furnishing to the Bank of indemnification in an amount satisfactory to hold the Authority and the Bank harmless. All expenses and charges associated with such indemnity and with the preparation, execution and delivery of a replacement Security shall be borne by the Holder of the Security mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen.

Section 4.07. Transaction Information to Authority.

The Bank will, within a reasonable time after receipt of written request from the Authority, furnish the Authority information as to the Securities certificates it has paid pursuant to Section 3.01, Securities certificates it has delivered upon the transfer or exchange of any Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.01, and Securities certificates it has delivered in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.06.

**ARTICLE FIVE
THE BANK**

Section 5.01. Duties of Bank.

The Bank undertakes to perform the duties set forth herein and agrees to use reasonable care in the performance thereof.

The Bank is authorized to transfer funds relating to the closing and initial delivery of the Securities in the manner disclosed in the closing memorandum as prepared by the Authority's Financial Advisor or other agent. The Bank may act on facsimile or e-mail transmission of the closing memorandum acknowledged by the Financial Advisor or the Authority as the final closing memorandum. The Bank shall not be liable for any losses, cost or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Bank's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions.

Section 5.02. Reliance on Documents, Etc.

(a) The Bank may conclusively rely, as to the truth of the statements and correctness of the opinions expressed therein, on certificates or opinions furnished to the Bank by the Authority.

(b) The Bank shall not be liable for any error of judgment made in good faith by a Responsible Officer, unless it shall be proven that the Bank was negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts.

(c) No provisions of this Agreement shall require the Bank to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability for performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers, if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or adequate indemnity satisfactory to it against such risks or liability is not assured to it.

(d) The Bank may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing statement, the Bank need not examine the ownership of any Securities, but is protected in acting upon receipt of Securities certificates containing an endorsement or instruction of transfer or power of transfer which appears on its face to be signed by the Holder or an agent of the Holder. The Bank shall not be bound to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in a resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document supplied by the Authority.

(e) The Bank may consult with legal counsel, and the written advice of such counsel or any opinion of counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection with respect to any action taken, suffered, or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon, provided that any such written advice or opinion is supplied to the Authority by the Bank.

(f) The Bank may exercise any of the powers hereunder and perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents or attorneys of the Bank.

Section 5.03. Recitals of Authority.

The recitals contained herein with respect to the Authority and in the Securities shall be taken as the statements of the Authority, and the Bank assumes no responsibility for their correctness.

The Bank shall in no event be liable to the Authority, any Holder or Holders of any Security, or any other Person for any amount due on any Security from its own funds.

Section 5.04. May Hold Securities.

The Bank, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities and may otherwise deal with the Authority with the same rights it would have if it were not the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any other agent.

Section 5.05. Moneys Held by Bank.

The Bank shall deposit any moneys received from the Authority into trust account to be held in a paying agent capacity for the payment of the Securities, with such moneys in the account that exceed the deposit insurance available to the Authority by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, to be fully collateralized with securities or obligations that are eligible under the laws of the State of Texas to secure and be pledged as collateral for such accounts until the principal and interest on such securities have been presented for payment and paid to the owner thereof. Payments made from such account shall be made by check drawn on such account unless the owner of such Securities shall, at its own expense and risk, request such other medium of payment.

Subject to the Unclaimed Property Law of the State of Texas, any money deposited with the Bank for the payment of the principal, premium (if any), or interest on any Security and remaining unclaimed for three years after the final maturity of the Security has become due and payable will be paid by the Bank to the Authority if the Authority so elects, and the Holder of such Security shall hereafter look only to the Authority for payment thereof, and all liability of the Bank with respect to such monies shall thereupon cease. If the Authority does not elect, the Bank is directed to report and dispose of the funds in compliance with Title Six of the Texas Property Code, as amended.

Section 5.06. Indemnification.

To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify the Bank for, and hold it harmless against, any loss, liability, or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on the Bank's part, arising out of or in connection with the Bank's acceptance or administration of its duties hereunder, including the cost and expense incurred by the Bank in defending against any claim or from liability imposed on the Bank in connection with the Bank's exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties under this Agreement.

Section 5.07. Interpleader.

The Authority and the Bank agree that the Bank may seek adjudication of any adverse claim, demand, or controversy over its person as well as funds on deposit, in either a Federal or State District Court located in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas, and agree that service of process by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the address referred to in Section 6.03 of this Agreement shall constitute adequate service. The Authority and the Bank further agree that the Bank has the right to file a Bill of Interpleader in any court of competent jurisdiction in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas to determine the rights of any Person claiming any interest herein.

Section 5.08. Depository Trust Company Services.

It is hereby represented and warranted that, in the event the Securities are otherwise qualified and accepted for "Depository Trust Company" services or equivalent depository trust services by other organizations, the Bank has the capability and, to the extent within its control, will comply with the "Operational Arrangements," effective August 1, 1987, which establishes requirements for securities to be eligible for such type depository trust services, including, but not limited to, requirements for the timeliness of payments and funds availability, transfer turnaround time, and notification of redemptions and calls.

Attached hereto is a copy of the Blanket Authority Letter of Representations between the Authority and The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, providing for the Bonds to be issued in a Book-Entry Only System. The Bank and the Authority hereby confirm their obligations under such Letter of Representation.

**ARTICLE SIX
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

Section 6.01. Amendment.

This Agreement may be amended only by an agreement in writing signed by both of the parties hereto.

Section 6.02. Assignment.

This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other.

Section 6.03. Notices.

Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver, or other document provided or permitted hereby to be given or furnished to the Authority or the Bank shall be mailed or delivered to the Authority or the Bank, respectively, at the addresses shown on the signature page of this Agreement.

Section 6.04. Effect of Headings.

The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

Section 6.05. Successors and Assigns.

All covenants and agreements herein by the Authority and the Bank shall bind their respective successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 6.06. Severability.

In case any provision herein shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 6.07. Benefits of Agreement.

Nothing herein, express or implied, shall give to any Person, other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder.

Section 6.08. Entire Agreement.

This Agreement and the Resolutions constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto relative to the Bank acting as Paying Agent/Registrar and if any conflict exists between this Agreement and the Resolutions, the Resolutions shall govern.

Section 6.09. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

Section 6.10. Termination.

This Agreement will terminate (i) on the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders thereof or (ii) may be earlier terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice; provided, however, an early termination of this Agreement by either party shall not be effective until (a) a successor Paying Agent/Registrar has been appointed by the Authority and such appointment accepted and (b) notice has been given to the Holders of the Securities of the appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar. Furthermore, the Bank and Authority mutually agree that the effective date of an early termination of this Agreement shall not occur at any time which would disrupt, delay or otherwise adversely affect the payment of the Securities.

Upon an early termination of this Agreement, the Bank agrees to promptly transfer and deliver the Security Register (or a copy thereof), together with other pertinent books and records

relating to the Securities, to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Authority.

The provisions of Section 1.02, 5.02, 5.03 and 5.06 of this Agreement shall survive and remain in full force and effect following the termination of this Agreement.

Section 6.11. Governing Law.

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

Section 6.12. Anti-Boycott. The Paying Agent represents and warrants, for purposes of Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code, that at the time of execution and delivery of this Agreement, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, boycotts Israel or will boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement. The foregoing verification is made solely to comply with Section 2270.002, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law. As used in the foregoing verification, "boycotts Israel" and "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean an entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

Section 6.13. Terrorist Organizations. The Paying Agent represents that, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>, <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Paying Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

BOKF, NA

By: _____
Title: Vice President
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____

Name: Graham Moore

Title: Executive Director and Authority
Representative

SCHEDULE A

Paying Agent/Registrar Fee Schedule



Services provided by BOKF, NA

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

Schedule of Fees

Acceptance Fee: WAIVED

Annual Administration Fee: \$350.00/per series

Invoiced semi-annually at \$175.00 with debt service.

First year’s annual fee due at closing.

For ordinary administration services by Paying Agent /Registrar – includes daily routine account management and processing in accordance with the agreement. Float credit received by the bank for receiving funds that remain uninvested are deemed part of the Paying Agent’s compensation.

Call or Redemption of Bonds At Cost

Cost includes distribution to holders of record, redemption processing and notification through DTC. Any and all publication expenses including Bond Buyer, Regional and Financial Periodicals for the call notice will be billed to the Issuer at cost.

Charges for performing extraordinary or other services not contemplated at the time of the execution of the transaction or not specifically covered elsewhere in this schedule will be determined by appraisal in the amounts commensurate with the service provided. Counsel fees, if ever retained as a result of a default, or other extraordinary occurrences on behalf of the bondholders or Bank of Texas, will be billed at cost.

Services not included in this Fee Schedule, but deemed necessary or desirable by you, may be subject to additional charges. Our proposal is subject in all aspects to review and acceptance of the final financing documents which sets forth our duties and responsibilities.

<p>Erin Fitzpatrick Vice President Tel: 972.892.9972 efitzpatrick@bokf.com</p>	<p>BOK Financial Corporate Trust Services 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201 Dallas, TX 75225</p>
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REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.5** Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-003 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
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Background/Information

The next step in the SWIFT process is for the Agency to approve a resolution authorizing the issuance of the contract revenue bonds and related matters. The TWDB sold their bonds in late September and therefore the rates have been established. For the 30-year term requested by Kyle the average interest rate for the period ended up at 2.332%.

The Kyle City Council unanimously approved a resolution approving the bond resolution on October 15th.

Approval of the resolution will also approve the Escrow Agreement and Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement.

The closing date for the Authority is set for November 20th. Representatives with the Authority's bond counsel, McCall, Parkhurst and Horton and the Authority's financial advisor, Specialized Public Finance will attend the Board meeting and will address any legal or financial questions pertaining to the issuance.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-003 – Authorizing the Issuance of Series 2019B Contract Revenue Bonds.
- 2019B Debt Service Schedule – Kyle
- Escrow Agreement
- Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-003 authorizing the issuance of contract revenue bonds Series 2019B and all related matters, as presented.



RESOLUTION NO. 2019-10-30-003

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CITY OF KYLE, TEXAS), SERIES 2019B; AND RESOLVING OTHER MATTERS INCIDENT AND RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE, PAYMENT, SECURITY, SALE AND DELIVERY OF SUCH BONDS

ADOPTED OCTOBER 30, 2019

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 572, as amended, Texas Local Government Code, the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (the "Agency") as a constituted authority and instrumentality and political subdivision of the State of Texas (the "State"), was created by the Cities of Buda ("Buda"), Kyle ("Kyle") and San Marcos, Texas ("San Marcos"), each Texas home rule municipalities, and the Canyon Regional Water Authority ("Canyon Regional"), a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 670, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, as amended (collectively, the "Sponsors" or singularly, a "Sponsor"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency and the Sponsors have entered into a "Regional Water Supply Contract" dated as of January 15, 2008, as amended by Amendment No. 1 and as may be further amended (collectively, the "Contract") pursuant to which the Agency has agreed to design, finance, construct, own, acquire, maintain and operate a water supply project in a manner that will allow the Agency to deliver water to the Sponsors on a regional basis and under which each of the Sponsors agree to pay their share of the project costs and to make payments to or on behalf of the Agency in amounts sufficient to meet all of the Agency's obligations under the Contract including those relating to a Sponsor's bonds issued to finance and refinance a Sponsor's share of the Project Costs and to own, operate and maintain the Project; and

WHEREAS, at the request of Canyon Regional and Kyle, the Agency issued two series of bonds on November 19, 2015 for such Sponsors share of the Phase 1A Project entitled: \$3,960,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2015A and \$3,530,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2015B (collectively, the "Outstanding Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2017, by special act of the 85th Legislature, SB 1198 (the "Act") the Agency was converted to the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district to accomplish the purposes set forth in the Act and of Article XVI, Section 59, Texas Constitution; and

WHEREAS, by operation of the law pursuant to the Act, the Authority assumed all assets, liabilities, bonds, notes and other obligations of the Agency including all obligations pursuant to the Outstanding Bonds and the Contract; and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Sponsors the Authority issued four series of bonds, one for each of the Sponsors' share of the Project Costs, to wit: \$9,865,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2017A, \$8,995,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2017B, \$11,450,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2017C and \$1,625,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2017D; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Authority is empowered to, among other powers, acquire, own, construct, operate, repair, improve, maintain or extend inside or outside its boundaries water improvements, facilities, plants, pipelines, equipment and appliances for the treatment and transportation of water and to deliver this water to the Sponsors; and

WHEREAS, the Act also authorizes the Authority acting through its Board of Directors (the "Board") to issue revenue bonds to finance such water projects, payable solely from the revenues derived from payments to be made to the Authority by one or more of the respective Sponsors for which a series of bonds are issued for the purpose of defraying such Sponsor's share of the cost of financing, acquiring, and constructing water supply facilities including the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project (as hereinafter defined); and

WHEREAS, the Authority expects to issue four additional series of such revenue bonds for Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, to finance their additional share of the Phase 1B Improvements Project costs, with each series payable from and secured solely by payments made by Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, under the Contract; and

WHEREAS, Kyle has requested that the Authority issue a separate series of revenue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$24,200,000 pursuant to the Contract to finance their share of the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project Costs (the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, this Resolution constitutes a Bond Resolution as that term is defined in the Contract; and

WHEREAS, the principal of the Bonds and the interest thereon are and shall be solely payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the portion of the Annual Payments designated as "Bond Payments" to be made by Kyle pursuant to the Contract in amounts sufficient to pay and redeem, and provide for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, when due, and the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent/Registrar and Escrow Agent for the Bonds, all as required by this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY THAT:

Section 1. DEFINITIONS. In addition to the definitions set forth in the preamble of this Resolution, the terms used in this Resolution (except as may be otherwise indicated in the FORM OF BOND) and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given in Exhibit "A" to this Resolution attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. AMOUNT, PURPOSE AND DESIGNATION OF THE BONDS. (a) *Amount and Designation.* The Authority's bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution shall be entitled "ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (Regional Water Supply Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B" and are hereby authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$24,200,000.

(b) *Purpose.* The Bonds are to be issued for the following purposes: (i) FOR DESIGNING, CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PAYMENT OF PROJECT COSTS FOR THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

Section 3. DATE, DENOMINATIONS, NUMBERS, MATURITIES AND TERMS OF BONDS. (a) *Terms of Bonds.* The Bonds shall initially be issued, sold, and delivered hereunder as fully registered bonds, without interest coupons, numbered consecutively from R-1 upward (except the initial Bond delivered to the Attorney General of the State which shall be numbered T-1), dated the date of delivery, payable to the respective initial Registered Owners thereof in an Authorized Denomination, serially on August 15, in the years and in the principal amounts set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>
2021	\$675,000	2036	\$ 815,000
2022	680,000	2037	835,000
2023	690,000	2038	850,000
2024	695,000	2039	870,000
2025	700,000	2040	885,000
2026	705,000	2041	910,000
2027	715,000	2042	935,000
2028	720,000	2043	955,000
2029	730,000	2044	980,000
2030	735,000	2045	1,005,000
2031	745,000	2046	1,030,000
2032	760,000	2047	1,050,000
2033	770,000	2048	1,075,000
2034	785,000	2049	1,100,000
2035	800,000		

(b) *In General.* The Bonds (i) may and shall be redeemed prior to the respective scheduled maturity dates, (ii) may be assigned and transferred, (iii) may be exchanged for other

Bonds, (iv) shall have the characteristics, (v) shall be signed, and the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable, all as provided, and in the manner required or indicated, in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 4. INTEREST. The Bonds shall bear interest, calculated on the basis of a 360-day year composed of twelve 30-day months, from their date of delivery at the rates set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	1.02%	2036	2.27%
2022	1.04	2037	2.33
2023	1.06	2038	2.38
2024	1.09	2039	2.26
2025	1.10	2040	2.62
2026	1.15	2041	2.62
2027	1.21	2042	2.62
2028	1.24	2043	2.62
2029	1.28	2044	2.62
2030	1.44	2045	2.70
2031	1.65	2046	2.70
2032	1.82	2047	2.70
2033	2.04	2048	2.70
2034	2.09	2049	2.70
2035	2.13		

Interest shall be payable to the Registered Owner of any such Bond in the manner provided and on the dates stated in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 5. REGISTRATION, TRANSFER, AND EXCHANGE; AUTHENTICATION. (a) ***Paying Agent/Registrar.*** BOKF, NA is hereby appointed the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. The Authority Representative is authorized to enter into and carry out a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement with the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds in substantially the form and substance presented to the Board in connection with the approval of this Resolution with such changes as are acceptable to the Authority Representative.

(b) ***Registration Books.*** The Board shall keep or cause to be kept at a designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Dallas, Texas (the "Designated Trust Office") the Registration Books and the Board hereby appoints the Paying Agent/Registrar as its registrar and transfer agent to keep such books or records and make such registrations of transfers, exchanges, and replacements under such reasonable regulations as the Board and Paying Agent/Registrar may prescribe; and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make such registrations, transfers, exchanges, and replacements as herein provided. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall obtain and record in the Registration Books the address of the Registered Owner of each Bond to which payments with respect to the Bonds shall be mailed, as herein

provided; but it shall be the duty of each Registered Owner to notify the Paying Agent/Registrar in writing of the address to which payments shall be mailed, and such interest payments shall not be mailed unless such notice has been given. The Board shall have the right to inspect the Registration Books at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar during regular business hours, but otherwise the Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep the Registration Books confidential and, unless otherwise required by law, shall not permit their inspection by any other entity. A copy of the Registration Books shall be maintained in the State.

(c) **Ownership of Bonds.** The entity or person in whose name any Bond shall be registered in the Registration Books at any time shall be deemed and treated as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes of this Resolution, whether or not such Bond shall be overdue, and, to the extent permitted by law, the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary; and payment of, or on account of, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on any such Bond shall be made only to such Registered Owner. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

(d) **Payment of Bonds and Interest.** The Paying Agent/Registrar shall further act as the paying agent for paying the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, all as provided in this Resolution. The Paying Agent/ Registrar shall keep proper records of all payments made by the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds. So long as the Purchaser owns the Bonds, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide a copy to the Purchaser and its designated trustee of all receipts documenting debt service payments.

(e) **Authentication.** The Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution shall be authenticated by the Paying Agent/Registrar by execution of the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate unless they have been approved by the Attorney General of the State and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, and on each substitute Bond issued in exchange for any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution the Paying Agent/Registrar shall execute the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate (the "Authentication Certificate"). The Authentication Certificate shall be in the form set forth in the FORM OF BOND in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

(f) **Transfer, Exchange, or Replacement.** Each Bond issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, to the extent of the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount thereof, may, upon surrender of such Bond at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, together with a written request therefor duly executed by the Registered Owner or the assignee or assignees thereof, or its or their duly authorized attorneys or representatives, with guarantee of signatures satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar, may, at the option of the Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, as appropriate, be exchanged for fully registered Bonds, without interest coupons, in the appropriate form prescribed in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution, in any Authorized Denomination (subject to the requirement hereinafter stated that each substitute Bond shall be of the same Series and have a single stated maturity date), as requested in writing by such Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount of any Bond or Bonds so surrendered, and payable to the appropriate Registered Owner, assignee, or assignees,

as the case may be. If a portion of any Bond shall be redeemed prior to its scheduled maturity as provided herein, a substitute Bond or Bonds having the same Series designation and maturity date, bearing interest at the same rate, and payable in the same manner, in Authorized Denominations at the request of the Registered Owner, and in aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion thereof, will be issued to the Registered Owner upon surrender thereof for cancellation. If any Bond or portion thereof is assigned and transferred, each Bond issued in exchange therefor shall have the same Series designation and maturity date and bear interest at the same rate and payable in the same manner as the Bond for which it is being exchanged. Each substitute Bond shall bear a letter and/or number to distinguish it from each other Bond. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall exchange or replace Bonds as provided herein, and each fully registered Bond delivered in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof as permitted or required by any provision of this Resolution shall constitute one of the Bonds for all purposes of this Resolution, and may again be exchanged or replaced. On each substitute Bond issued in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution there shall be printed an Authentication Certificate, in the form set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution. An authorized representative of the Paying Agent/Registrar shall, before the delivery of any such Bond, date and manually sign the Authentication Certificate, and, except as provided in (e) above, no such Bond shall be deemed to be issued or outstanding unless the Authentication Certificate is so executed. The Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall cancel all Bonds surrendered for transfer, exchange, or replacement. No additional orders or resolutions need be passed or adopted by the Board or any other body or person so as to accomplish the foregoing transfer, exchange, or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof, and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide for the printing, execution, and delivery of the substitute Bonds in the manner prescribed herein, and said Bonds shall be in typed or printed form as determined by the Authority Representative. Pursuant to Subtitle D, Texas Government Code and particularly Section 1201.063, thereof, the duty of transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds as aforesaid is hereby imposed upon the Paying Agent/Registrar, and, upon the execution of the Authentication Certificate, the exchanged or replaced Bond shall be valid, incontestable, and enforceable in the same manner and with the same effect as the Bonds which were originally issued pursuant to this Resolution. The Board shall pay the Paying Agent/Registrar's standard or customary fees and charges, if any, for transferring, and exchanging any Bond or any portion thereof, but the one requesting any such transfer and exchange shall pay any taxes or governmental charges required to be paid with respect thereto as a condition precedent to the exercise of such privilege. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to make any such transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds or any portion thereof (i) during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Bond or portion thereof called for redemption prior to maturity, within 45 days prior to its redemption date. To the extent possible, any new Bond issued in an exchange, replacement, or transfer of a Bond will be delivered to the Registered Owner or assignee of the Registered Owner not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled and the written request as described above.

(g) ***Substitute Paying Agent/Registrar.*** The Board covenants with the Registered Owners of the Bonds that at all times while the Bonds are outstanding the Board will provide a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as and perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds under this Resolution, and that the

Paying Agent/Registrar will be one entity. The Board reserves the right to, and may, at its option, change the Paying Agent/Registrar upon not less than ninety (90) days written notice to the Paying Agent/Registrar, to be effective not later than sixty (60) days prior to the next principal or interest payment date after such notice. In the event that the entity at any time acting as Paying Agent/Registrar (or its successor by merger, acquisition, or other method) should resign or otherwise cease to act as such, the Board covenants that promptly it will appoint a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as Paying Agent/Registrar under this Resolution. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the previous Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall transfer and deliver the Registration Books (or a copy thereof), along with all other pertinent books and records relating to the Bonds, to the new Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Board. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Board promptly will cause a written notice thereof to be sent by the new Paying Agent/Registrar to each Registered Owner of the Bonds, by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, which notice also shall give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar. By accepting the position and performing as such, each Paying Agent/Registrar shall be deemed to have agreed to the provisions of this Resolution, and a certified copy of this Resolution shall be delivered to each Paying Agent/Registrar.

(h) **Notice of Redemption.** Each notice of redemption required in the FORM OF BOND shall contain a description of the Bonds to be redeemed including the complete name of the Bonds, the Series, the date of issue, the interest rate or rates, the maturity date, the CUSIP number, a reference to the certificate numbers and the amounts called of each certificate, the publication and mailing date for the notice, the date of redemption, the redemption price, the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar and the address at which the Bonds may be redeemed, including a contact person and telephone number. All redemption payments made by the Paying Agent/Registrar to the registered owners of the Bonds shall include a CUSIP number relating to each amount paid to such Registered Owner.

(i) **Book-Entry-Only System.** The Bonds issued in exchange for the Bonds initially issued as provided in Section 5(l) shall be issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee of DTC and except as provided in subsection (f) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

With respect to Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation to any securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and certain other organizations on whose behalf DTC was created to hold securities to facilitate the clearance and settlement of securities transactions among DTC participants (the "DTC Participant") or to any person on behalf of whom such a DTC Participant holds an interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede & Co. or any DTC Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any DTC participant or any other person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any notice of redemption, or (iii) the payment to any DTC Participant or any person, other than a Registered

Owner, as shown on the Registration Books of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, but to the extent permitted by law, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Registration Books as the absolute owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest, with respect to such Bond, for the purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or upon the order of the respective Registered Owners, as shown in the Registration Books as provided in this Resolution, or their respective attorneys duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the Authority's obligations with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than a Registered Owner, as shown in the Registration Books, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation of the Authority to make payments of principal, premium, if any, and interest pursuant to the Resolution. Upon delivery by DTC to the Paying Agent/Registrar of written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., and subject to the provisions in this Resolution with respect to interest checks being mailed to the registered owner at the close of business on the Record Date the word "Cede & Co." in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of DTC.

(j) ***Successor Securities Depository; Transfer Outside Book-Entry-Only System.*** In the event the Purchaser no longer owns the Bonds or the Purchaser consents to such action, the Authority may determine to discontinue the book-entry system through DTC or a successor or DTC determines to discontinue providing its services with respect to the Bonds, the Authority shall either (i) appoint a successor securities depository, qualified to act as such under Section 17(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, notify DTC and DTC Participants of the appointment of such successor securities depository and transfer one or more separate Bonds to such successor securities depository or (ii) notify DTC and DTC Participants of the availability through DTC of Bonds and transfer one or more separate Bonds to DTC Participants having Bonds credited to their DTC accounts. In such event, the Bonds shall no longer be restricted to being registered in the Registration Books in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, but may be registered in the name of the successor securities depository, or its nominee, or in whatever name or names Registered Owner transferring or exchanging Bonds shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

(k) ***Payments to Cede & Co.*** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be made and given, respectively, in the manner provided in the Blanket Representation of the Authority to DTC.

(l) ***Initial Bond.*** The Bonds herein authorized shall be initially issued as fully registered bonds, being one bond for each maturity in the denomination of the applicable principal amount and the initial Bond shall be registered in the name of the Registered Owner. The initial Bond shall be the Bond submitted to the Office of the Attorney General of the State

for approval, certified and registered by the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State and delivered to the Registered Owner. Immediately after the delivery of the initial Bond, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cancel the initial Bond delivered hereunder and exchange therefor Bonds in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC and except as provided in Section 5(j), all of the outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

Section 6. FORM OF BOND. The form of the Bond, including the form of the Authentication Certificate, the form of Assignment and the form of Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, with respect to the Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, shall be, respectively, substantially as set forth in Exhibit "B", with such appropriate variations, omissions, or insertions as are permitted or required by this Resolution.

Section 7. PLEDGE OF BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Pledge.* The Authority hereby covenants and agrees that the Bond Payments are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured including the establishment and maintenance of the special funds or accounts created and established on the books and records of the Authority for the payment and security thereof, all as hereinafter provided; and it is hereby resolved that the Bonds Similarly Secured, and the interest thereon, shall constitute a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and be valid and binding without any physical delivery thereof or further act by the Authority, and the lien created hereby on the Bond Payments for the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured shall be prior in right and claim as to any other indebtedness, liability, or obligation of the Authority or the Project payable pursuant to the terms of the Contract. The Authority shall deposit the Bond Payments, as collected and received, into the Debt Service Fund (hereinafter defined), to be utilized pursuant to Section 9 hereof to pay the Bonds.

(b) *Perfection of Pledge.* Chapter 1208, as amended, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured and the lien on and pledge of Bond Payments granted by the Authority under subsection (a) of this Section, and such pledge is therefore valid, effective, and perfected. If State law is amended at any time while the Bonds Similarly Secured are outstanding and unpaid such that the pledge of the Bond Payments granted by the Authority is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Texas Business & Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured the perfection of the security interest in this pledge, the Board agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under State law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, as amended, Texas Business & Commerce Code and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in this pledge to occur.

Section 8. RATES AND CHARGES. For the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured and in addition to all provisions and covenants in the laws of the State and in this Resolution, the Contract between the Authority and the City expressly stipulates and agrees, while any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the City will fix and collect such rates and charges for services to be supplied by the City's respective systems that will

produce gross revenues at all times during the term of the Contract in an amount equal to pay all of the expenses of operation and maintenance of the respective systems including Annual Payments and Bond Payments under the Contract and all other amounts required by the laws and the provisions of the ordinances or resolutions authorizing the City's Outstanding System Obligations now or hereafter outstanding payable, in whole or in part, from the net revenues of the City's Systems, including the amounts required to pay all principal of and interest on the City's outstanding System bonds and other obligations. The Authority hereby expressly stipulates and agrees that it will take all appropriate action to charge rates sufficient and enforce such terms of the Contract while any Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding.

The Registered Owner shall never have the right to demand payment for the Bonds out of any funds raised or to be raised from taxation by the City, other Participating Entities or the Authority.

Section 9. DEBT SERVICE FUND AND PROJECT FUND. (a) *Debt Service Fund.* For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured as the same become due and payable, the Authority agrees to maintain, at a Depository, a separate and special fund or account previously created and known as the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Debt Service Fund" (the "Debt Service Fund"). The Authority covenants that there shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund prior to each principal and interest payment date solely from the available Bond Payments an amount equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured then falling due and payable.

Any accrued interest received from the Purchaser of the Bonds shall be deposited into the subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. In addition, any surplus proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, including investment income therefrom, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund, and such amounts (i.e., accrued and investment interest) so deposited shall reduce the sum otherwise required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund from Bond Payments.

(b) *Project Fund.* The Authority hereby creates and establishes and shall maintain on the books and records of the Authority a separate fund or account to be entitled the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Project Fund" for use by the Authority for payment of the City's share of the Project Costs. The Authority shall deposit the net proceeds from the sale of the Bonds into the Project Fund as provided in this Resolution. Funds in the Project Fund shall be requisitioned for payment of the City's share of Project Costs in accordance with a requisition in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto with such changes as approved by the Authority Representative. Upon payment of all Project Costs, any moneys remaining on deposit in the Project Fund shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund.

In the event the Project is not completed for any reason contemplated in the Contract or otherwise or any proceeds from the Bonds are not used for completion of the Project for any reason, any Bond proceeds and earnings therein not used for completion of the Project shall be

utilized to pay principal and/or interest on the Bonds so as to reduce the Bond Payment as set forth below.

Any surplus proceeds, including the investment earnings derived from the investment of monies on deposit in the Project Fund, from the Bonds remaining on deposit in the Project Fund after completing the Project and upon the completion of the final accounting as described in Section 37(c) hereof, shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to redeem, in inverse order of maturity, the Bonds owned by Purchaser, unless the Executive Administrator of Purchaser approves the use of such surplus proceeds to pay eligible Project Costs by funding projects that are a part of the State Water Plan.

Section 10. DEFICIENCIES - EXCESS BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Deficiencies.* If on any occasion there shall not be sufficient Bond Payments to make the required deposits into the Debt Service Fund, then such deficiency shall be cured as soon as possible from the next available unallocated Bond Payments and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts required to be paid into these Funds or accounts during such month or months.

(b) *Excess Bond Payments* Subject to making the required deposits to the Debt Service Fund when and as required by this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Additional Bonds, any excess Bond Payments may be used by the Authority for any lawful purpose including, but not limited to, the redemption of any Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 11. PAYMENT OF BONDS. While any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the Executive Director of the Authority or other authorized Authority official, shall cause to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor, from funds on deposit in the Debt Service Fund, amounts sufficient to fully pay and discharge promptly each installment of interest on and principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured as such installment accrues or matures; such transfer of funds must be made in such manner as will cause immediately available funds to be deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds at the close of the Business Day next preceding the date a debt service payment is due on the Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 12. INVESTMENTS. Funds held in any fund or account created, established, or maintained pursuant to this Resolution shall, at the option of the Authority, be invested in time deposits, certificates of deposit, guaranteed investment contracts, or similar contracting arrangements and/or as permitted by the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act, as amended, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, or any other law, and secured (to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation) to the fullest extent required by the Public Funds Collateral Act, as amended, Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code. All interest and income derived from deposits and investments in any fund shall immediately be credited to, and any losses debited from, the fund from which such funds were derived. All such investments shall be sold promptly when necessary to prevent any default in connection with the Bonds.

Section 13. ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL BONDS. In addition to the right to issue bonds of inferior lien as authorized by the laws of this State, the Authority reserves the right hereafter to issue Additional Bonds. The Additional Bonds, when issued, shall be payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments in the same manner and to the same

extent as the Bonds and the Bonds Similarly Secured, and shall in all respects be of equal dignity. The Additional Bonds may be issued in one or more Series provided, however, that no Additional Bonds, shall be issued unless and until the following conditions have been met:

(i) Except for a refunding to cure a default, the Authority is not then in default as to any covenant, condition or obligation prescribed in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured or the Contract (including any amendment or supplement thereto) and the funds under the resolution authorizing the same contains the amounts then required to be therein;

(ii) The City shall have approved the resolution(s) authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds as to form and content and acknowledged that the payment of principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds is payable, in whole or in part, from the Bond Payments to be made to the Authority under and pursuant to the Contract;

(iii) The resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds provides for deposits to be made to the Debt Service Fund in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds as the same become due; and

(iv) The City confirms (and counsel to the Authority opines) that the Contract is a legal, valid and binding contract then in effect pursuant to which the City is obligated to make payments to the Authority during each fiscal year (including periods when services of the Project may not be available to such contracting parties and others) in such amounts as shall be necessary to provide to the Authority sufficient funds to pay when due all principal and interest on all Bonds and Additional Bonds to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Bonds.

The Bonds Similarly Secured may be refunded (pursuant to any law then available) upon such terms and conditions as the Board of the Authority may deem to be in the best interest of the Authority.

Section 14. SPECIAL PROJECT BONDS. The Authority further reserves the right to issue bonds in one or more installments for the purchase, construction, improvement, extension, replacement, enlargement or repair of utility facilities necessary under a contract or contracts with persons, corporations, municipal corporations, political subdivisions, or entities including the City, such bonds to be payable from and secured by the proceeds of such contract or contracts (other than the Contract). The Authority further reserves the right to refund such bonds and secure the payment of the debt service requirements on the refunding bonds in the same manner or as otherwise permitted by the laws of the State.

Section 15. MAINTENANCE OF PROJECT - INSURANCE. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that while the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding it will maintain and operate the Project with all possible efficiency and maintain casualty and other insurance on the properties of the Project and its operations of a kind and in such amounts customarily carried by municipal corporations in the State engaged in a similar type of business (which may include an adequate program of self insurance) which insurance

shall also be sufficient to protect the Purchaser, as hereinafter defined; and that it will faithfully and punctually perform all duties with reference to the Project required by the laws of the State. All money received from losses under such insurance policies, other than public liability policies, shall be retained for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured until and unless the proceeds are paid out in making good the loss or damage in respect of which such proceeds are received, either by replacing the property destroyed or repairing the property damaged, and adequate provision for making good such loss or damage must be made within ninety (90) days after the date of loss. The payment of premiums for all insurance policies required under the provisions hereof shall be considered Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the Project. Nothing in this Resolution shall be construed as: (i) requiring the Authority to expend any funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the Project but nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the Authority from doing so or (ii) requiring the purchase of insurance until Facilities are constructed.

Section 16. RECORDS AND ACCOUNTS - ANNUAL AUDIT. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that so long as any of the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding, it will keep and maintain separate and complete records and accounts pertaining to the operations of the Project in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating thereto as provided by applicable law. The Registered Owners of any Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such Registered Owners shall have the right to inspect the Project and all properties comprising the same. The Authority further agrees that following (and in no event later than six (6) months after) the close of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an independent firm of Certified Public Accountants. Expenses incurred in making the annual audit of the operations of the Project are to be regarded as Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project.

Section 17. SALE OR ENCUMBRANCE OF SYSTEM. While any Bonds remain Outstanding, the Authority will not sell, dispose of or further encumber the Project or any substantial part thereof; provided, however, that this provision shall not prevent the Authority from (i) pledging the Bond Payments and Funds to Additional Bonds or Special Project Bonds as set forth in Sections 13 and 14 of this Resolution or (ii) disposing of any part of the Project which is being replaced or is deemed by the Authority to be obsolete, worn out, surplus or no longer needed for the proper operation of the Project. Any agreement pursuant to which the Authority contracts with a person, corporation, municipal corporation or political subdivision to operate the Project or to lease and/or operate all or part of the Project shall not be considered as an encumbrance of the Project; provided, however, no such agreement shall impair the pledge and lien on the Bond Payments and Funds.

Section 18. SPECIAL COVENANTS. The Authority further covenants and agrees that: (a) **Title.** The Authority lawfully owns or will own and is or will be lawfully possessed of the lands, easements or other property rights (including leasehold interests) upon which its Project is and will be located, and has or will purchase good and indefeasible estate in such lands in fee simple, or has or will lawfully obtain any necessary easements or has or will lawfully obtain property rights (including leasehold interests) to operate the Project, and it warrants that it has or will obtain and will defend, the title to all the aforesaid lands, easements and property rights for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds against the claims and demands of

all persons whomsoever, that it is lawfully qualified to pledge the Bond Payments to the payment of the Bonds Similarly Secured, in the manner prescribed herein, and that it has lawfully exercised such rights.

(b) **Liens.** The Authority will from time to time and before the same become delinquent pay and discharge all taxes, assessments, and governmental charges, if any, which shall be lawfully imposed upon it, or its Project, and it will pay all lawful claims for rents, royalties, labor, materials, and supplies which if unpaid might by law become a lien or charge upon its Project, provided, however, that no such tax, assessment, or charge, and that no such claims which might be or other lien or charge, shall be required to be paid while the validity of the same shall be contested in good faith by the Authority.

(c) **Performance.** The Authority will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations, and provisions contained in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured, and in each and every Bond Similarly Secured and pay from the Bond Payments the principal of and interest on every Bond Similarly Secured on the dates and in the places and manner prescribed in such resolutions and Bonds Similarly Secured; and that it will, at the times and in the manner prescribed, deposit or cause to be deposited from the Bond Payments the amounts required to be deposited into the Debt Service Fund; and the Registered Owner of the Bonds Similarly Secured may require the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees to carry out, respect, or enforce the covenants and obligations of this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured including, but without limitation, the use and filing of mandamus proceedings, in any court of competent jurisdiction, against the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees.

(d) **Legal Authority.** The Authority is duly authorized under the laws of the State, including the Act, to issue the Bonds Similarly Secured; that all action on its part for the authorization and issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured has been duly and effectively taken, and the Bonds Similarly Secured in the hands of the Registered Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable special obligations of the Authority in accordance with their terms payable solely from the Bond Payments.

(e) **Budget.** The Authority will prepare, adopt, and place into effect an annual budget (the "Annual Budget") for Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project for each Fiscal Year, including in each Annual Budget such items as are customarily and reasonably contained in a utility project budget under generally accepted accounting procedures and shall deliver such budget at least 90 days prior to adoption for review and comment by the City.

(f) **Permits.** The Authority will comply with all of the terms and conditions of any and all franchises, permits, and authorizations applicable to or necessary with respect to the Project and which have been obtained from any governmental Authority; and the Authority has or will obtain and keep in full force and effect all franchises, permits, authorizations, and other requirements applicable to or necessary with respect to the acquisition, construction, equipment, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Section 19. LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY. The Bonds Similarly Secured are limited, special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments, and the Registered Owners thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of the principal or interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured from any funds raised or to be raised through taxation by the City or the Authority.

Section 20. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. (a) *Events of Default.* Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of this Resolution is hereby declared to be an Event of Default:

(i) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or

(ii) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Authority, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the Registered Owners of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with this Resolution, and, if such default is capable of cure, the continuation thereof for a period of sixty (60) days after notice of such default is given by any Registered Owner to the Authority; or

(iii) a default by the City under the Contract.

(b) *Remedies for Event of Default.*

(i) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then and in every case, any Registered Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including, but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Authority, or any official, officer or employee of the Authority in their official capacity, for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Registered Owners under this Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Registered Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies. The Registered Owners are third party beneficiaries to the Contract with the ability to enforce the provisions of the Contract for such period that a default exists under the Contract.

(ii) It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all Registered Owners of Bonds then Outstanding.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything in this Resolution to the contrary, so long as the Purchaser continue to hold the Bonds, the Purchaser may exercise all remedies available to it in law or equity and any provision in this Resolution or the Bonds that restricts or limits the Purchaser's full exercise of these remedies shall be of no force and effect.

(c) *Remedies Not Exclusive.*

(i) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy or remedies, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Bonds or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Bonds shall not be available as a remedy under this Resolution.

(ii) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

(iii) By accepting the delivery of a Bond authorized under this Resolution, such Registered Owner agrees that the certifications required to effectuate any covenants or representations contained in this Resolution do not and shall never constitute or give rise to a personal or pecuniary liability or charge against the officers, employees or trustees of the Authority or the Board.

(iv) None of the members of the Board, nor any other official or officer, agent, or employee of the Authority, shall be charged personally by the Registered Owners with any liability, or be held personally liable to the Registered Owners under any term or provision of this Resolution, or because of any Event of Default or alleged Event of Default under this Resolution.

Section 21. AMENDMENT OF RESOLUTION. (a) *Amendments Without Consent.* This Resolution and the rights and obligations of the Board and of the Registered Owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time without notice to or the consent of any Registered Owner of the Bonds or any Bond similarly secured, solely for any one or more of the following purposes:

(i) To add to the covenants and agreements of the Board contained in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed, or to surrender any right or power reserved to or conferred upon the Board in this Resolution;

(ii) To cure any ambiguity or inconsistency, or to cure or correct any defective provisions contained in this Resolution, upon receipt by the Board of an opinion of counsel, that the same is needed for such purpose, and will more clearly express the intent of this Resolution;

(iii) To supplement the security for the Bonds, replace or provide additional Credit Agreement, or change the form of the Bonds or make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(iv) To make any changes or amendments requested by any bond rating Authority then rating or requested to rate the Bonds, as a condition to the issuance or maintenance of a rating, which changes or amendments do not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(v) To make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds; or

(vi) To assign the Contract to a trustee.

(b) **Amendments With Consent.** Subject to the other provisions of this Resolution, the Registered Owners of Outstanding Bonds aggregating 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount shall have the right from time to time to approve any amendment, other than amendments described in Subsection (a) of this Section, to this Resolution which may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Board; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall permit or be construed to permit, without the approval of the owners of all of the Outstanding Bonds, the amendment of the terms and conditions in this Resolution or in the Bonds so as to:

- (1) Make any change in the maturity of the Outstanding Bonds;
- (2) Reduce the rate of interest borne by the Outstanding Bonds;
- (3) Reduce the amount of the principal payable on the Outstanding Bonds;
- (4) Modify the terms of payment of principal of or interest on the Outstanding Bonds, or impose any conditions with respect to such payment;
- (5) Affect the rights of the owners of less than all Bonds then Outstanding; or
- (6) Change the minimum percentage of the Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds necessary for consent to such amendment.

(c) **Notice.** (i) If at any time the Board shall desire to amend this Resolution other than pursuant to (a) above, the Board shall cause notice of the proposed amendment to be published in a financial newspaper or journal of general circulation in The City of New York, New York or the State including in the Texas Bond Reporter once during each calendar week for at least two (2) successive calendar weeks. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that a copy thereof is on file at the principal office of the Paying Agent/Registrar for inspection by all owners of Bonds. Such publication is not required, however, if the Board gives or causes to be given such notice in writing to each Registered Owner of Bonds.

(d) **Receipt of Consents.** Whenever at any time not less than thirty (30) days, and within one (1) year, from the date of the first publication of said notice or other service of written notice of the proposed amendment the Board shall receive an instrument or instruments executed by all of the owners or the owners of at least 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, as appropriate, which instrument or instruments shall refer to the proposed amendment described in said notice and which specifically consent to and approve such amendment in substantially the form of the copy thereof on file as aforesaid, the Board may adopt the amendatory resolution in substantially the same form.

(e) **Effect of Amendments.** Upon the adoption by the Board of any resolution to amend this Resolution pursuant to the provisions of this Section, this Resolution shall be deemed to be amended in accordance with the amendatory resolution, and the respective rights, duties, and obligations of the Board and all the owners of then Outstanding Bonds and all future Bonds shall thereafter be determined, exercised, and enforced under the resolution and this Resolution, as amended.

(f) **Consent Irrevocable.** Any consent given by any owner of Bonds pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be irrevocable for a period of six (6) months from the date of the first publication or other service of the notice provided for in this Section, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bonds during such period. Such consent may be revoked at any time after six (6) months from the date of the first publication of such notice by the owner who gave such consent, or by a successor in title, by filing notice thereof with the Registrar and the Board, but such revocation shall not be effective if the owners of 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, prior to the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendment.

(g) **Ownership.** For the purpose of this Section, the ownership and other matters relating to all Bonds registered as to ownership shall be determined from the Registration Books kept by the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor. The Paying Agent/Registrar may conclusively assume that such ownership continues until written notice to the contrary is served upon the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 22. COVENANTS REGARDING TAX EXEMPTION OF INTEREST ON THE BONDS. (a) **Covenants.** The Authority covenants to take any action necessary to assure, or refrain from any action which would adversely affect, the treatment of the Bonds as obligations described in section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the interest on which is not includable in the "gross income" of the holder for purposes of federal income taxation. In furtherance thereof, the Authority covenants as follows:

(1) to take any action to assure that no more than 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited to a reserve fund, if any) are used for any "private business use," as defined in section 141(b)(6) of the Code or, if more than 10 percent of the proceeds or the projects financed therewith are so used, such amounts, whether or not received by the Authority, with respect to such private business use, do not, under the terms of this Order or any underlying arrangement, directly or indirectly, secure or provide for the payment of more than 10 percent of the debt service on the Bonds, in contravention of section 141(b)(2) of the Code;

(2) to take any action to assure that in the event that the "private business use" described in subsection (1) hereof exceeds 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) then the amount in excess of 5 percent is used for a "private business use" which is "related" and not "disproportionate," within the meaning of section 141(b)(3) of the Code, to the governmental use;

(3) to take any action to assure that no amount which is greater than the lesser of \$5,000,000, or 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) is directly or indirectly used to finance loans to persons, other than state or local governmental units, in contravention of section 141(c) of the Code;

(4) to refrain from taking any action which would otherwise result in the Bonds being treated as "private activity bonds" within the meaning of section 141(b) of the Code;

(5) to refrain from taking any action that would result in the Bonds being "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code;

(6) to refrain from using any portion of the proceeds of the Bonds, directly or indirectly, to acquire or to replace funds which were used, directly or indirectly, to acquire investment property (as defined in section 148(b)(2) of the Code) which produces a materially higher yield over the term of the Bonds, other than investment property acquired with --

(A) proceeds of the Bonds invested for a reasonable temporary period of 3 years or less or, in the case of a refunding bond, for a period of 90 days or less until such proceeds are needed for the purpose for which the bonds are issued,

(B) amounts invested in a bona fide debt service fund, within the meaning of section 1.148-1(b) of the Treasury Regulations, and

(C) amounts deposited in any reasonably required reserve or replacement fund to the extent such amounts do not exceed 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds;

(7) to otherwise restrict the use of the proceeds of the Bonds or amounts treated as proceeds of the Bonds, as may be necessary, so that the Bonds do not otherwise contravene the requirements of section 148 of the Code (relating to arbitrage) and, to the extent applicable, section 149(d) of the Code (relating to advance refundings);

(8) to pay to the United States of America at least once during each five-year period (beginning on the date of delivery of the Bonds) an amount that is at least equal to 90 percent of the "Excess Earnings," within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Code and to pay to the United States of America, not later than 60 days after the Bonds have been paid in full, 100 percent of the amount then required to be paid as a result of Excess Earnings under section 148(f) of the Code;

(9) to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury, not later than the 15th day of the second calendar month after the close of the calendar quarter in which the Bonds are issued, an information statement concerning the Bonds, all under and in

accordance with section 149(e) of the Code and the applicable Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder; and

(10) the Authority will not acquire any of the Purchaser source series bonds in an amount related to the amount of Bonds acquired by the Purchaser.

(b) **Rebate Fund.** In order to facilitate compliance with the above covenant (8), a "Rebate Fund" is hereby established by the Authority for the sole benefit of the United States of America, and such fund shall not be subject to the claim of any other person, including without limitation the bondholders. The Rebate Fund is established for the additional purpose of compliance with section 148 of the Code.

(c) **Proceeds.** The Authority understands that the term "proceeds" includes "disposition proceeds" as defined in the Treasury Regulations. It is the understanding of the Authority that the covenants contained herein are intended to assure compliance with the Code and any regulations or rulings promulgated by the U.S. Department of the Treasury pursuant thereto. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which modify or expand provisions of the Code, as applicable to the Bonds, the Authority will not be required to comply with any covenant contained herein to the extent that such failure to comply, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not adversely affect the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which impose additional requirements which are applicable to the Bonds, the Authority agrees to comply with the additional requirements to the extent necessary, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, to preserve the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In furtherance of such intention, the Authority hereby authorizes and directs the Executive Director to execute any documents, certificates or reports required by the Code and to make such elections, on behalf of the Authority, which may be permitted by the Code as are consistent with the purpose for the issuance of the Bonds.

(d) **Allocation Of, and Limitation On, Expenditures for the Project.** The Authority covenants to account for the expenditure of sale proceeds and investment earnings to be used for the purposes described in Section 2 of this Resolution (the "Project") on its books and records in accordance with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Authority recognizes that in order for the proceeds to be considered used for the reimbursement of costs, the proceeds must be allocated to expenditures within 18 months of the later of the date that (1) the expenditure is made, or (2) the Project is completed; but in no event later than three years after the date on which the original expenditure is paid. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Authority recognizes that in order for proceeds to be expended under the Internal Revenue Code, the sale proceeds or investment earnings must be expended no more than 60 days after the earlier of (1) the fifth anniversary of the delivery of the Bonds, or (2) the date the Bonds are retired. The Authority agrees to obtain the advice of nationally-recognized bond counsel if such expenditure fails to comply with the foregoing to assure that such expenditure will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(e) **Disposition of Project.** The Authority covenants that the property constituting the Project will not be sold or otherwise disposed in a transaction resulting in the receipt by the Authority of cash or other compensation, unless any action taken in connection with such disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purpose of the foregoing, the Authority may rely on an opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel that the action taken in connection with such sale or other disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes of the foregoing, the portion of the property comprising personal property and disposed in the ordinary course shall not be treated as a transaction resulting in the receipt of cash or other compensation. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(f) **Reimbursement.** This Resolution is intended to satisfy the official intent requirements set forth in section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations.

Section 23. RESOLUTION TO CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT; EQUAL SECURITY. In consideration of the acceptance of the Bonds, the issuance of which is authorized hereunder, by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the Board and the Registered Owners from time to time of the Bonds and the pledge made in this Resolution by the Board and the covenants and agreements set forth in this Resolution to be performed by the Board shall be for the equal and proportionate benefit, security, and protection of all Registered Owners, without preference, priority, or distinction as to security or otherwise of any of the Bonds authorized hereunder over any of the others by reason of time of issuance, sale, or maturity thereof or otherwise for any cause whatsoever, except as expressly provided in or permitted by this Resolution.

Section 24. SEVERABILITY OF INVALID PROVISIONS. If any one or more of the covenants, agreements, or provisions herein contained shall be held contrary to any express provisions of law or contrary to the policy of express law, though not expressly prohibited, or against public policy, or shall for any reason whatsoever be held invalid, then such covenants, agreements, or provisions shall be null and void and shall be deemed separable from the remaining covenants, agreements, or provisions and shall in no way affect the validity of any of the other provisions hereof or of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 25. PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS DAYS. Except as provided to the contrary in the FORM OF BOND, whenever under the terms of this Resolution or the Bonds, the performance date of any provision hereof or thereof, including the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, shall occur on a day other than a Business Day, then the performance thereof, including the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of performance or payment.

Section 26. LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO THE RESOLUTION. With the exception of the rights or benefits herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or contained herein or implied from the provisions of this Resolution or the Bonds is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any person other than the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar, any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to this Resolution or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, agreement, or provision herein contained. This Resolution and all of the covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions hereof are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive benefit of the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar as herein and therein provided.

Section 27. CUSTODY, APPROVAL, BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION, CUSIP NUMBERS AND PREAMBLE. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized to have control of the Bonds issued hereunder and all necessary records and proceedings pertaining to the Bonds pending their delivery and approval by the Attorney General of the State. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized, to the extent deemed necessary or advisable thereby, in the discretion thereof, to request that the Attorney General approve the Bonds as permitted by Chapter 1202, Texas Government Code, in which case the Authority Representative also is authorized to request the Comptroller of Public Accounts register the Bonds, and to cause an appropriate legend reflecting such approval and registration to appear on the Bonds and the substitute Bonds. The approving legal opinion of the Board's Bond Counsel and the assigned CUSIP numbers may, at the option of the Board, be printed on the Bonds and on any Bonds issued and delivered in exchange or replacement of any Bond, but neither shall have any legal effect, and shall be solely for the convenience and information of the Registered Owners of the Bonds. The preamble to this Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of this Resolution for all purposes.

Section 28. CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING. (a) *Annual Reports.* The Authority shall provide annually to the MSRB, (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the Authority, financial and operating data of the general type, being the information of the type described in Exhibit "D" hereto including financial statements of the Authority if audited financial statements of the Authority are then available, and (2) if not provided as part such financial information and operating data, audited financial statements of the Authority, when and if available. Any financial statements to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles for governmental units, or such other accounting principles as the Authority may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to state law or regulation, and in substantially the form included in the official statement, and (ii) audited, if the Authority commissions an audit of such financial statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the Authority shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available.

If the Authority changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) prior to the next date by which the Board otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data pursuant to this Section.

The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document that is available to the public on the MSRB's internet web site or filed with the SEC. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(b) ***Event Notices.*** The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of the event, of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds:

1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
2. Non-payment related defaults, if material;
3. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
4. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
5. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
6. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other events affecting the tax status of the Bonds
7. Modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material;
8. Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
9. Defeasances;
10. Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material;
11. Rating changes;
12. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Authority;
13. The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Authority or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Authority, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a

definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material;

14. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material;
15. Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which affect security holder, if material; and
16. Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

For these purposes, (a) any event described in the immediately preceding paragraph (12) is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Authority in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers of the Authority in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, and (b) the Authority intends the words used in the immediately preceding paragraphs (15) and (16) and the definition of Financial Obligation in this Section to have the same meanings as when they are used in the Rule, as evidenced by SEC Release No. 34-83885, dated August 20, 2018.

The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any failure by the Authority to provide financial information or operating data in accordance with subsection (a) of this Section by the time required by such subsection. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(c) ***Limitations, Disclaimers, and Amendments.*** The Board shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Section for so long as, but only for so long as, the Board remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds within the meaning of the Rule, except that the Board in any event will give notice of any deposit made in accordance with Section 30 of this Resolution that causes the Bonds no longer to be outstanding.

The provisions of this Section are for the sole benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds, and nothing in this Section, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The Board undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Section and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the Board's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Section or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The Board does not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE AUTHORITY BE LIABLE TO THE HOLDER OR BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY BOND OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE AUTHORITY, WHETHER NEGLIGENT OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS SECTION, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR *MANDAMUS* OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

No default by the Authority in observing or performing its obligations under this Section shall comprise a breach of or default under this Resolution for purposes of any other provision of this Resolution.

Should the Rule be amended to obligate the Authority to make filings with or provide notices to entities other than the MSRB, the Board of the Authority hereby agrees to undertake such obligation with respect to the Bonds in accordance with the Rule as amended.

Nothing in this Section is intended or shall act to disclaim, waive, or otherwise limit the duties of the Authority under federal and state securities laws.

The provisions of this Section may be amended by the Authority from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the Authority, but only if (1) the provisions of this Section, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule since such offering as well as such changed circumstances and (2) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provision of this Resolution that authorizes such an amendment) of the outstanding Bonds consents to such amendment or (b) a person that is unaffiliated with the Authority (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interest of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. If the Authority so amends the provisions of this Section, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data next provided in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section an explanation, in narrative form, of the reason for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information or operating data so provided. The

Authority may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provision of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds.

Section 29. APPLICATION OF BOND PROCEEDS. (a) Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall, promptly upon receipt thereof, be applied by the Authority Representative as follows:

- (i) accrued interest, if any, for the Bonds shall be deposited as provided in Section 9(a);
- (ii) an amount sufficient to accomplish the purposes of Section 2(b) shall be deposited to the Project Fund; and
- (iii) any proceeds from the sale of the Bonds remaining after the deposits provided for in clauses (i) and (ii) above, shall be applied to pay expenses arising in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

Any sale proceeds of the Bonds remaining after making all deposits and payments provided for above shall be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds and deposited into the Debt Service Fund.

Section 30. DEFEASANCE PROVISIONS. (a) Any Bond and the interest thereon shall be deemed to be paid, retired and no longer outstanding (a "Defeased Bond") within the meaning of this Resolution, except to the extent provided in subsections (c) and (e) of this Section, when payment of the principal of such Bond, plus interest thereon to the due date or dates (whether such due date or dates be by reason of maturity, upon redemption, or otherwise) either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof (including the giving of any required notice of redemption or the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice) or (ii) shall have been provided for on or before such due date by irrevocably depositing with or making available to the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for such payment (1) lawful money of the United States of America sufficient to make such payment, (2) Defeasance Securities, certified by an independent public accounting firm of national reputation to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will ensure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to provide for such payment and when proper arrangements have been made by the Authority with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for the payment of its services until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable or (3) any combination of (1) and (2). At such time as a Bond shall be deemed to be a Defeased Bond hereunder, as aforesaid, such Bond and the interest thereon shall no longer be secured by, payable from, or entitled to the benefits of, the Bond Payments as provided in this Resolution, and such principal and interest shall be payable solely from such money or Defeasance Securities.

(b) The deposit under clause (ii) of subsection (a) shall be deemed a payment of a Bond as aforesaid when proper notice of redemption of such Bonds shall have been given or upon the

establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice, in accordance with this Resolution. Any money so deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank as provided in this Section may at the discretion of the Authority also be invested in Defeasance Securities, maturing in the amounts and at the times as hereinbefore set forth, and all income from all Defeasance Securities in possession of the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section which is not required for the payment of such Bond and premium, if any, and interest thereon with respect to which such money has been so deposited, shall be remitted to the Authority.

(c) Notwithstanding any provision of any other Section of this Resolution which may be contrary to the provisions of this Section, all money or Defeasance Securities set aside and held in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of principal of the Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, shall be applied to and used solely for the payment of the particular Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, with respect to which such money or Defeasance Securities have been so set aside in trust. Until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for such Defeased Bonds the same as if they had not been defeased, and the Authority shall make proper arrangements to provide and pay for such services as required by this Resolution.

(d) Notwithstanding anything elsewhere in this Resolution, if money or Defeasance Securities have been deposited or set aside with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section for the payment of Bonds and such Bonds shall not have in fact been actually paid in full, no amendment of the provisions of this Section shall be made without the consent of the registered owner of each Bond affected thereby.

(e) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above, to the extent that, upon the defeasance of any Defeased Bond to be paid at its maturity, the Authority retains the right under State law to later call that Defeased Bond for redemption in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution, the Authority may call such Defeased Bond for redemption upon complying with the provisions of State law and upon the satisfaction of the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above with respect to such Defeased Bond as though it was being defeased at the time of the exercise of the option to redeem the Defeased Bond and the effect of the redemption is taken into account in determining the sufficiency of the provisions made for the payment of the Defeased Bond.

Section 31. SALE OF BONDS; USE OF PROCEEDS. (a) *Sale to the Texas Water Development Board ("Purchaser")*. That the Bonds are hereby sold to the Purchaser for the price of par. The Bonds have been purchased by the Purchaser pursuant to its Resolution No. 17-079, adopted on July 20, 2017, as amended by Resolution 19-077 adopted on July 22, 2019 (collectively, the "Purchaser Resolution"). The Bonds initially delivered shall be registered in the name of the Texas Water Development Board. The Private Placement Memorandum prepared in connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser in substantially the form attached to this Resolution is approved. The Authority has determined, based upon the advice provided by its financial advisors, that acceptance of the purchase price for the Bonds is on terms advantageous to, and in the best interests of, the Authority.

(b) **Notice from Purchaser of Sale of Bonds.** It is the intent of the parties to the sale of the Bonds that if Purchaser ever determines to sell all or a part of the Bonds, it shall notify the Authority at least 60 days prior to the sale of the Bonds of the decision to so sell the Bonds.

(c) **Proceeds.** The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be used in the manner described in the letter of instructions executed by the Authority, or on behalf of the Authority by its financial advisor.

(d) **Payment by Wire Transfer.** Payment of amounts due and owing on the Bonds to the Purchaser shall be made by wire transfer, at no expense to the Purchaser, as provided in the FORM OF BOND.

(e) **Escrow Fund.** By agreeing to the purchase the Bonds, the Purchaser agrees that the Bond proceeds shall be deposited into the escrow fund established in the Escrow Agreement between the Authority and BOKF, NA.

(f) **Investment of Bond Proceeds.** Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be held at a depository or other properly chartered and authorized institution in accordance with Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, and Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code.

Section 32. FURTHER PROCEDURES. The Authority Representative and all other officers, employees, and agents of the Board, and each of them, shall be and they are hereby expressly authorized, empowered, and directed from time to time and at any time to do and perform all such acts and things and to execute, acknowledge, and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Board all such instruments, whether or not herein mentioned, as may be necessary or desirable in order to carry out the terms and provisions of this Resolution, the Bonds, the sale and delivery of the Bonds and fixing all details in connection therewith. The Authority Representative is authorized to sign this Resolution.

Section 33. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS. All resolutions and all parts of any resolutions which are in conflict or inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed and shall be of no further force or effect to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 34. PUBLIC NOTICE. It is hereby found and determined that each of the officers and members of the Board was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place, and purpose of the Meeting at which this Resolution was adopted; that this Resolution would be introduced and considered for adoption at said meeting; and that said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Section 35. NO PERSONAL LIABILITY. No covenant or agreement contained in the Bonds, this Resolution or any corollary instrument shall be deemed to be the covenant or agreement of any member of the Board or the City or any officer, agent, employee or representative of the Board or the City in their individual capacity, and neither the directors, officers, agents, employees or representatives of the Board or the City nor any person executing

the Bonds shall be personally liable thereon or be subject to any personal liability for damages or otherwise or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof, or any actions taken or duties performed, whether by virtue of any constitution, statute or rule of law, or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty, or otherwise, all such liability being expressly released and waived as a condition of and in consideration for the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 36. APPROVAL OF ESCROW AGREEMENT, PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT, BLANKET ISSUER LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS WITH THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY AND CREDIT AGREEMENTS. (a) The Escrow Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent ("Escrow Agreement") in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved, and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Escrow Agreement, as necessary.

(b) The Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA ("Paying Agent Agreement"), in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized and directed to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Paying Agent Agreement, as necessary.

(c) The Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations with the Depository Trust Company has been previously executed by the Authority Representative and is hereby authorized to be utilized in connection with the Bonds.

(d) To the extent permitted by law, the Authority reserves the right to enter into Credit Agreements in connection with the Bonds, upon the written opinion of the Authority Representative that such Credit Agreements are in the best interest of the Authority given the market conditions at the time. The Credit Agreements will constitute a Credit Agreement as defined in this Resolution. Credit Agreements and the obligations thereunder may, pursuant to their terms, constitute (i) debt secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments on parity with the Bonds Similarly Secured (ii) debt secured by an inferior lien secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments subordinate to the Bonds Similarly Secured or (iii) partially parity and partially inferior lien.

Section 37. ADDITIONAL COVENANTS. In connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser, the Authority covenants as follows:

(a) ***Compliance with the Texas Water Development Board's Rules and Regulations.*** The Authority covenants to comply with the rules and regulations of the Purchaser, and to maintain insurance on the Project in such amount as may be required by Purchaser, as further addressed in subsection (h) of this Section.

(b) ***Audits.*** For so long as the State owns any of the Bonds, the Authority shall mail a copy of the audit required by this Resolution to the Purchaser. In addition, monthly operating statements for the Project shall be maintained by the Authority and made available, on request, to the Purchaser as long as the State owns any of the Bonds, and the monthly operating statement shall be in such detail as requested by the Development Fund Manager of the Purchaser until this

requirement is waived thereby. The Authority shall also provide, or cause to be provided, a copy of the City's audit within 180 days after the City's fiscal year end.

(c) **Final Accounting.** Within 60 days of Project completion, the Authority shall render a final accounting to the Purchaser in reference to the total cost incurred by the Authority for the Project which were financed by the issuance of the Bonds, together with a copy of "as built" plans of such Project.

(d) **Defeasance.** Should the Authority exercise its right under this Resolution to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, the Authority agrees that it will provide the Purchaser with 30 days written notice of any such defeasance.

(e) **Segregation of Funds.** The Authority covenants that proceeds of the Bonds shall remain separate and distinct from other sources of funding from the date of the Purchaser commitment through costing and final disbursement.

(f) **Environmental Indemnity.** Proceeds from the Bonds shall not be used by the Authority when sampling, testing, removing, or disposing of contaminated soils and/or media at the Project site. To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and protect the Purchaser from any and all claims, causes of action, or damages to the person or property of third parties arising from the sampling, analysis, transport, storage, treatment, and disposition of any contaminated sewage sludge, contaminated sediments, and/or contaminated media that may be generated by the Authority, its contractors, consultants, agents, officials, and employees as a result of activities relating to the project funded with proceeds of the Bonds.

(g) **Environmental Determination.** In connection with the Project financed with the Bonds, the Authority agrees to implement any environmental determination issued by the Executive Administrator of Purchaser to satisfy the environmental review requirements set forth in 31 Texas Administrative Code 371.

(h) **Insurance.** The Authority agrees that it will maintain insurance on the Project in an amount sufficient to protect Purchaser's interest in the project financed with the proceeds of the Bonds. The Authority may self-insure in respect to satisfying this covenant.

(i) **No Purchase of Purchaser Bonds.** The Authority agrees that it, nor any related party to the Authority, will not purchase, as an investment or otherwise, bonds issued by Purchaser including, without limitation, bonds issued by Purchaser, the proceeds of which were used by Purchaser to purchase the Bonds.

(j) **Compliance with Federal Contracting Laws.** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of federal law relating to contracting with disadvantaged business enterprises.

(k) **Compliance with State Contracting Laws.** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of State law relating to contracting

with historically underutilized businesses and will report to the Purchaser the amounts of Project funds, if any, that are used to compensate historically underutilized businesses that work on the Project in accordance with 31 TAC ' 363.1312.

Section 38. APPROVAL CERTIFICATE. Pursuant to Section 3.1 of the Contract, the City has authorized the execution of an approval certificate attached hereto as Exhibit "F" which evidences the approval of the terms and provisions of the Bonds as set forth herein by the City.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this October 30, 2019.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Authority Representative

EXHIBIT A

DEFINITIONS

As used in this Resolution, the following terms and expressions shall have the meanings set forth below, unless the text in this Resolution specifically indicates otherwise.

The term *Additional Bonds* shall mean the obligations issued in accordance with the terms and conditions prescribed in Section 13 hereof.

The term *Annual Payments* shall have the meaning given in each Contract.

The term *Authorized Denominations* shall mean shall mean the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

The term *Authority* shall mean Alliance Regional Water Authority and any other public Authority succeeding to the powers, rights, privileges and functions of the Authority and, when appropriate, the Board of the Authority.

The term *Authority Representative* shall mean the Chair, Vice Chair or the Executive Director of the Authority or such other person authorized by the Board to act as an Authority Representative.

The term *Average Annual Debt Service Requirements* shall mean that average amount which, at the time of computation, will be required to pay the Debt Service Requirements on all outstanding Bonds Similarly Secured when due (either at Stated Maturity or mandatory redemption) and derived by dividing the total of such Debt Service Requirement by the number of Fiscal Years then remaining before Stated Maturity of such Bonds Similarly Secured. For purposes of this definition, a fractional period of a Fiscal Year shall be treated as an entire Fiscal Year. Capitalized interest payments provided from Bond proceeds shall be excluded in making the aforementioned computation.

The term *Board* shall mean the Board of Directors of the Authority.

The term *Bond Payments* shall mean the payments defined as "Bond Payments" within the Contract that the Authority expects to receive from the City of Kyle, Texas pursuant to the terms of the Contract.

The term *Bonds* shall mean and include collectively the Bonds issued and delivered and all substitute Bonds exchanged therefor, as well as all other substitute bonds and replacement bonds issued pursuant hereto, and the term *Bond* shall mean any of the Bonds.

The term *Bonds Similarly Secured* shall mean the Series 2015 Bonds, the Series 2017 Bonds and the Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution and any Additional Bonds hereafter issued by the Authority or bonds issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that

provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments.

The term *Business Day* shall mean any day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or a day on which banking institutions in The City of New York, New York or in the city where the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close.

The term *Certified Public Accountant* shall mean an independent certified public accountant or firm of independent certified public accountants.

The term *City* shall mean the City of Kyle, Texas.

The term *City System* shall mean and includes the existing combined waterworks and/or wastewater disposal system of the City, together with all future extensions, improvements, enlargements, and additions thereto, including, to the extent permitted by law, storm sewer and drainage and/or reclaimed water systems which are integrated with the waterworks or wastewater disposal system, and all replacements thereof. Provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, and to the extent now or hereafter authorized or permitted by law, the term *City System* shall not include any waterworks or wastewater facilities which are declared by the City not to be a part of the City System, and which are hereafter acquired or constructed by the City with the proceeds from the issuance of "Special Facilities Bonds," which are hereby defined as being special revenue obligations of the City which are not secured by or payable from the net revenues of the City System, but which are secured by and are payable solely from special contract revenues, or payments received from the City or any other legal entity, or any combination thereof, in connection with such facilities; and such revenues or payments shall not be considered as or constitute gross revenues of the City System, unless and to the extent otherwise provided in the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issuance of such *Special Facilities Bonds*.

The term *City Utility Bonds* shall mean the bonds, notes or other obligations issued by the City secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the City System or any part thereof regardless of lien priority including such bonds, notes or other obligations now or hereafter outstanding.

The term *Closing Date* shall mean the date of physical delivery of the Initial Bond issued pursuant to this Resolution for the payment in full by the Purchaser.

The term *Completion Date* shall mean when the Facilities have been substantially complete, the date specified in a certificate of the Authority and Project Engineer that the Project is substantially completed and ready to be placed in service.

The term *Contract* shall mean the Regional Water Supply Contract dated as of January 9, 2008, together with amendments and supplements thereto including Amendment No. 1 (which by the term of such instrument is designated as a supplement or amendment to such Contract) between the Authority and each Participating Entity, conformed copies of the Contract being attached hereto as Exhibit "E" for the purposes of identification.

The term *Credit Agreement* shall mean an Insurance Policy, a surety bond (including any supporting Insurance Agreement), a letter or line of credit or other type of enhancement issued in support of any Bonds or Additional Bonds by a Credit Agreement Provider at the request of the Authority.

The term *Credit Agreement Provider* shall mean (i) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a policy of municipal bond insurance or a surety bond, an issuer of policies of insurance insuring the timely payment of scheduled debt service on governmental obligations such as any Series of Bonds or Additional Bonds, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds upon delivery of the Bonds or Additional Bonds fully insured by a standard policy issued by the issuer in its highest generic rating category for such obligations; and (ii) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a letter or line of credit, any financial institution, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds in one of its two highest generic rating categories for such obligations if the letter or line of credit proposed to be issued by such financial institution secured the timely payment of the entire principal amount of a series of Bonds or Additional Bonds and the interest thereon.

The term *Debt Service Fund* shall mean the special fund or account created and established by the provisions of Section 9(a) of this Resolution.

The term *Debt Service Requirements* shall mean as of any particular date of computation, with respect to any obligations and with respect to any period, the aggregate of the amounts to be paid or set aside by the Authority as of such date or in such period for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (to the extent not capitalized) on such obligations; assuming, in the case of obligations without a fixed numerical rate, that such obligations bear interest calculated by (a) either (i) an interest rate equal to the average rate borne by such Bonds (or by comparable debt in the event that such Bonds have not been outstanding during the preceding 24 months) for any 24 month period ending within 30 days prior to the date of calculation, (ii) if the Bonds bear interest at tax-exempt rates, an interest rate equal to the 24 month average of the Index (as most recently published in The Bond Buyer), unless such index is no longer published in The Bond Buyer, in which case the index to be used in its place shall be that index which the Authority Representative determines most closely replicates such index as set forth in a certificate of a Authority Representative, (iii) if the Bonds bear interest at taxable rates, the index which the Authority Representative determines is an accepted market index for taxable rates, (iv) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based, to the extent possible, upon an accepted market index which corresponds with the provisions of the subject Bonds, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect with respect to such Bonds or (v) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based upon the interest rate methodology in the applicable Credit Agreement if calculating payments under a Credit Agreement, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect; and (b) that the debt service of such bonds is amortized such that annual debt service is substantially level over the remaining stated life of such bonds, and further assuming in the case of obligations required to be redeemed or prepaid as to principal prior to Stated Maturity, the principal amounts thereof will be redeemed

prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the mandatory redemption provisions applicable thereto.

The term *Defeasance Securities* shall mean (i) Federal Securities, (ii) noncallable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm no less than "AAA" or its equivalent, or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Depository* shall mean an official depository bank of the Authority.

The term *Designated Trust Office* shall have the meaning ascribed to said term in Section 5(b) of this Resolution.

The term *Engineering Report* shall mean the "Final Report of the Plumbing Plan," prepared by Lockwood, Andrews & Newnan, Inc., dated September 21, 2007, as such report may be amended, modified and changed and superseded with the approval of the Authority and Sponsors, at any time prior to the execution of construction contracts for the Project or as modified and changed by change orders issued after the execution of such construction contracts; provided, however, no such change orders shall adversely affect any of the Sponsors without the consent of the Sponsors.

The term *Facilities* shall mean the facilities, wells, diversion structures, treatment plants, storage tanks, capacity rights, lines, booster pumps, and other appurtenances sufficient to produce, divert, treat and deliver the water to which the Sponsors are entitled under the Contract and any improvements, additions, or extensions to such Facilities hereafter acquired or constructed to deliver water between such places.

The term *Federal Securities* shall mean direct, non-callable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America (including Interest Strips of the Resolution Funding Corporation).

The term *Financial Obligation* shall mean (a) debt obligation; (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (c) guarantee of a debt obligation or any such derivative instrument; provided that "financial obligation" shall not include municipal securities (as defined in the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

The term *Fiscal Year* shall mean the twelve month accounting period used by the Authority in connection with the operation of the Project, currently ending on September 30th of each year, which may be any twelve consecutive month period established by the Authority, but in no event may the Fiscal Year be changed more than one time in any three calendar year period.

The term *Fitch* shall mean Fitch Ratings, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Fitch shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Funds* shall mean the Debt Service Fund and Project Fund created and held pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Government Securities* shall mean (i) direct non-callable obligations of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America; (ii) non-callable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Interest Payment Date* shall mean the date semiannual interest is payable on the Bonds, while any of the Bonds remain Outstanding as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *IRS Code* shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The term *Land Interests* shall mean the easements, right-of-way, and other interests in real property necessary for the acquisition, construction, and operation of the Facilities and the Water Rights for the Project.

The term *MSRB* means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The term *Maturity* shall mean the date on which the principal of a Bond becomes due and payable as therein and herein provided, whether at Stated Maturity, by redemption or otherwise.

The term *Moody's* shall mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the

functions of a securities rating Authority, Moody's shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Operation and Maintenance Expenses* shall mean all direct costs and expenses incurred by the Authority for its operation and maintenance, including but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of the Project, including (for greater certainty but without limiting the generality of the foregoing) amounts payable under any contract with any person, including, but not limited to any federal, state, or local Authority for the right to produce, withdraw or divert and use water, any contribution or payment in lieu of taxes or any fee or charge by any government authority relating to the Authority's production, withdrawal or diversion of or sale of treated water hereunder, the costs of utilities, supervision, engineering, accounting, auditing, legal services, insurance premiums, supplies, services, and administration of the Project, Overhead Expenses, any required costs of mitigation and land management incidental to Project operation, and costs of operating, repairing, maintaining, and replacing equipment for proper operation and maintenance of the Project. The term "Operation and Maintenance Expenses" does not include depreciation charges or such portion of the above described costs to the extent such costs are paid pursuant to an agreement other than the Contract.

The term *Outstanding* shall mean when used in this Resolution with respect to Bonds means, as of the date of determination, all Bonds of any series issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, except:

(1) those Bonds canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar or delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation;

(2) those Bonds for which payment has been duly provided by the Authority in accordance with the provisions of Section 30 of this Resolution by the irrevocable deposit with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, of money or Government Securities, or both, in the amount necessary to fully pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest thereon to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, provided that, if such Bonds are to be redeemed, notice of redemption thereof shall have been duly given pursuant to this Resolution or irrevocably provided to be given to the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or waived; and

(3) those Bonds that have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen and replacement Bonds have been registered and delivered in lieu thereof as provided in Section 5(f) of this Resolution.

The term *Overhead Expenses* shall mean the Authority's reasonable and necessary costs and expenses incurred at any time directly related to the issuance and servicing of the Bonds, the acquisition of Land Interests required for the Project, the design, permitting, financing, acquisition, construction, and ownership of the Project and any other activities required of or involving the Authority in connection with or attributable to the Project or the Bonds, including, but not limited to: (i) per diem and reimbursable expenses incurred by the Directors of the Authority for special meetings of the Authority's Board related to the Project; (ii) services of the professional, technical skilled and unskilled persons and firms engaged by or associated with the

Authority, other than Authority staff personnel, together with their reimbursable expenses paid or required to be paid by the Authority; (iii) salaries of the Authority's staff attributable to the Project or the Bonds based on time expended, as documented or reasonably estimated by the President, Board of the Authority; (iv) the costs of preparing applications for and obtaining all approvals and authorizations required for the Project or the Bonds from the regulatory authorities having jurisdiction; (v) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance incurred prior to the Completion Date; including any insurance deductible charged to or required to be paid by the Authority; provided that if the Authority is unable to obtain such insurance on an occurrence basis, then any expense incurred by the Authority from and after the Completion Date for casualty and public liability insurance, including any insurance deductible, shall be paid by the Sponsors; (vi) all costs incurred in litigation involving or relating to the Project; and (vii) any and all other costs and expenses, including out-of-pocket expenses, incurred by the Authority attributable to the Project or the Bonds, whether enumerated above or not, and whether or not included in the definition or as a part of Project Costs.

The terms *Paying Agent/Registrar*, *Paying Agent* or *Registrar* shall mean the agent appointed pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution or any successor to such agent.

The term *Participating Entities* shall mean with respect to the Contract, Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos and Canyon Regional Water Authority.

The term *Phase 1A Project* shall mean the design and construction of facilities to interconnect the Cities of Kyle and Buda water systems. The Project will use the Phase 1A Project facilities to deliver Carrizo water into the Buda system. Facilities include a possible water pump section, pumps, ground storage tank, chlorine treatment system, yard piping necessary to receive and pump water, fee simple purchase of property for the pump station and new transmission pipeline.

The term *Phase 1B Improvements Project* shall include design, construction and equipment of multiple wells drilled and installed; the primary collection line from the well field to the treatment plant along with the individual collection lines; a sand filter water treatment plant including filters, disinfection equipment, high service pump station, and clearwell storage; plant construction in phases with Phase 1B expected to provide a treatment capacity of approximately 5 MGD, with an ultimate plant buildout of approximately 35 MGD; and transmission mains from the water treatment plant to the Project's Phase 1A infrastructure all as further set forth in the Authority's application to the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Project* shall mean, collectively, the Land Interests and the Facilities as described in the recitals to the Contract and in the Engineering Report.

The term *Project Costs* shall mean and includes, without limitation, the following costs incurred for the Project by or on behalf of the Authority or the Sponsors: (i) the cost of acquisition of the Land Interests, including appraisals, closing costs and title insurance policies; (ii) the cost of acquisition, construction, repair, replacement, improvement or decommissioning of the Facilities, and any structure, item of equipment, or other item, used for, or in connection with, the Project; (iii) the cost of site preparation of the Land Interests, including demolition or

removal of structures and improvements as necessary or incident to accomplishing the Project; (iv) the cost of engineering, legal, architectural or other related services; (v) the preparation cost of plans, specifications, studies, surveys, cost estimates, and other expenses necessary or incident to planning, providing, or financing the Project; (vi) the cost of machinery, equipment, furnishings, and facilities necessary or incident to placing the Project in operation; (vii) finance charges and interest before, during, and after construction as permitted by the laws of the State; (viii) costs incurred in connection with financing the project, including, without limitation: (1) financing, legal, accounting, financial advisory, rating Authority, and auditing fees, expenses and disbursements; (2) the cost of printing, engraving, and reproduction services; and (3) the cost of a trustee's or paying agent's initial or acceptance fee and subsequent fees; (ix) all costs, fees and expenses of litigation of all kinds; (x) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance; (xi) the fees and costs of the underwriters as the anticipated Purchaser of the Bonds; (xii) reimbursement of the costs previously incurred by the Sponsors with respect to the Project; and (xiii) other costs generally recognized as a part of Project construction costs.

The term *Project Engineer* shall mean such engineer or engineering firm selected by the Authority.

The term *Purchaser* shall mean the initial purchaser of the Bonds, the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Record Date* shall mean the Business Day of each month as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *Registration Books* shall mean the books or records relating to the registration, payment and transfer or exchange of the Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution.

The term *Registered Owner* shall mean the entity or person in whose names any of the Bonds are registered in the Registration Books.

The term *Resolution* shall mean this resolution adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019.

The term *Rule* shall mean SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

The term *SEC* means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

The term *Series* shall mean any designated Series of Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Series 2015 Bonds* shall mean the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2015B.

The term *Series 2017 Bonds* shall mean the Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2017B.

The term *Special Project Bonds* shall mean obligations which the Authority expressly reserves the right to issue in Section 14 of this Resolution.

The term *State* shall mean the State of Texas.

The term *Stated Maturity* shall mean, when used with respect to the Bonds, the scheduled maturity or mandatory sinking fund redemption date of a series of the Bonds.

The term *Water Rights* shall mean the right to produce, withdraw or divert water, and transport the water from the location where it is produced, withdrawn, or diverted into Caldwell County, Guadalupe County, Hays County, and the surrounding counties. "Water Rights" are a component of "Land Interests."

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF BOND

**REGISTERED
NO.** _____

**REGISTERED
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT**
\$ _____

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF TEXAS
ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS
(REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CITY OF KYLE, TEXAS)
SERIES 2019B**

**BOND DATE: STATED
MATURITY: INTEREST RATE: CUSIP NO.:**

November 20, 2019

REGISTERED OWNER: _____

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: _____ **DOLLARS**

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "State"), created by the cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos, Texas and the Canyon Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and existing under the laws of the State, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner specified above, or the registered assigns thereof, on the Stated Maturity date specified above, the Principal Amount specified above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption), and to pay interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to the earlier of redemption or Stated Maturity, at the per annum rate of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15 of each year commencing August 15, 2020.

Principal and premium, if any, of the Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the "Holder") upon presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar executing the registration certificate appearing hereon or a successor thereof. Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond (or one or more Predecessor Bonds, as defined in the Resolution hereinafter referenced) whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is

the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. In addition, interest may be paid by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Registered Owner. The foregoing notwithstanding, so long as the Texas Water Development Board is the registered owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding, payment of principal and interest on the Bonds shall be made thereto by wire transfer, at no expense to the Texas Water Development Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during any period in which ownership of the Bonds is determined only by a book entry at a securities depository for the Bonds, payments made to the securities depository, or its nominee, shall be made in accordance with arrangements between the Authority and the securities depository.

This Bond is one of the series specified in its title issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$24,200,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to a resolution adopted by the governing body of the Authority (the "Resolution"), (i) FOR CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

The principal amount of a Term Bond required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of such mandatory redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the Authority, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of such Stated Maturity which, at least 50 days prior to the mandatory redemption date (1) shall have been defeased or acquired by the Authority and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the request of the Authority with money in the Debt Service Fund, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions set forth below and not theretofore credited against a mandatory redemption requirement.

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if

money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part.

The Bonds of this series are special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments received by the Authority from the City pursuant to the provisions of the Contract. In the Resolution, the Authority reserves and retains the right to issue Additional Bonds, without limitation as to principal amount but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions set forth in the Resolution or as may be applicable thereto under law or otherwise. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the Authority or System, except with respect to the Bond Payments.

The Holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, copies of which are on file in the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and to all of the provisions of which the Holder by his acceptance hereof hereby assents, for definitions of terms; the description and nature of the Special Payments pledged for the payment of the Bonds; the terms and conditions under which the Authority may issue Additional Bonds; the terms and conditions relating to the transfer or exchange of the Bonds; the conditions upon which the Resolution may be amended or supplemented with or without the consent of the Holders; the rights, duties, and obligations of the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar; the terms and provisions upon which this Bond may be redeemed or discharged at or prior to the Stated Maturity thereof, and deemed to be no longer Outstanding thereunder; and for the other terms and provisions specified in the Resolution. Capitalized terms used herein have the same meanings assigned in the Resolution.

This Bond, subject to certain limitations contained in the Resolution, may be transferred on the Registration Books upon presentation and surrender at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar duly executed by the Holder hereof, or his duly authorized agent, and thereupon one or more new fully registered Bonds of the same Stated Maturity, of authorized denominations, bearing the same rate of interest, and of the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

The Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any agent of either, shall treat the Holder hereof whose name appears on the Security Register (i) on the Record Date as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of interest hereon, (ii) on the date of surrender of this Bond as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of principal hereof at its Stated Maturity, or its redemption, in whole or in part, and (iii) on any other date as the owner hereof for

all other purposes, and neither the Authority nor the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any such agent of either, shall be affected by notice to the contrary. In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for thirty (30) days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the Authority. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest (the "Special Payment Date" - which shall be fifteen (15) days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five (5) business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder appearing on the Security Register at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

It is hereby certified, covenanted, and represented that all acts, conditions, and things required to be performed, exist, and be done precedent to the issuance of this Bond in order to render the same a legal, valid, and binding special obligation of the Authority have been performed, exist, and have been done, in regular and due time, form, and manner, as required by law, and that issuance of the Bonds does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; and that due provision has been made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and as otherwise provided in this Resolution. In case any provision in this Bond or any application thereof shall be deemed invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions and applications shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby. The terms and provisions of this Bond and the Resolution shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of the Authority has caused this Bond to be duly signed with the manual or facsimile signature of the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board of the Authority and countersigned with the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board of the Authority.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER
AUTHORITY

Chair [Vice Chair], Board

ATTESTED:

Secretary, Board

C. Form of Registration Certificate of Comptroller of Public Accounts to Appear on Initial Bond Only.

**REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE OF
COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS**

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF '
PUBLIC ACCOUNTS '
THE STATE OF TEXAS ' **REGISTER NO.** _____
'

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Bond has been examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and duly registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.

WITNESS my signature and seal of office this _____.

Comptroller of Public Accounts
Of the State of Texas

D. Form of Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar to Appear on Definitive Bonds Only.

This Bond has been duly issued under the provisions of the within-mentioned Resolution; the Bond or Bonds of the above-entitled and designated series originally delivered having been approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, as shown by the records of the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Registered this date: _____

BOKF, NA
as Paying Agent/Registrar

By: _____
Authorized Signature

E. Form of Assignment.

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto (Print or typewrite name, address, and zip code of transferee): _____

(Social Security or other identifying number): _____

the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints _____ attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

DATED: _____

NOTICE: The signature on this assignment must correspond with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular.

Signature guaranteed:

F. The Initial Bond of each series shall be in the form set forth in paragraph B of this Section, except that the form of a single fully registered Initial Bond shall be modified as follows:

- i) immediately under the name of the Bond(s) the headings "Interest Rate" and "Stated Maturity" shall both be completed "as shown below";
- ii) the first two paragraphs shall read as follows:

Registered Owner: _____

Principal Amount: _____

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas, with its principal office located in San Marcos, Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof, the Principal Amount specified above on the 15th day of August in each of the years and in principal amounts and bearing interest at per annum rates in accordance with the following schedule:

Year of
Stated Maturity

Principal
Amounts (\$)

Interest
Rates (%)

(Information to be inserted from Sections 3 and 4).

(or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption) and to pay interest on the unpaid Principal Amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to Stated Maturity or prior redemption, at the per annum rates of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15, commencing August 15, 2020 (the "Interest Payment Date").

Principal and premium, if any, of this Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the Holder), upon its presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"). Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Interest shall be paid by the Paying Agent/Registrar by check sent on or prior to the appropriate date of payment by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the Holder hereof at the address appearing in the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Holder hereof.

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

DATE: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority hereby makes this requisition pursuant to "A Resolution by the Board of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale, and Delivery of Such Bonds" adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019. The undersigned hereby authorizes disbursement from the Project Fund to pay Project Costs for the purposes and in the amounts as follows:

<u>Name of Payee</u>	<u>Nature of Disbursement</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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EXHIBIT D

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

DESCRIPTION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is referred to in Section 28 of this Resolution.

Annual Financial Statements and Operating Data

The financial information and operating data with respect to the City of Kyle, Texas to be provided annually in accordance with such Section 28 are audited financial statements of the City of Kyle, Texas.

Accounting Principles

The accounting principles referred to in such Section are the accounting principles described in the notes to the financial statements referred to above.

EXHIBIT E

REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT

EXHIBIT F

APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

The undersigned Authorized Representative of the City of Kyle, Texas pursuant to the resolution (the "Resolution") authorizing the issuance of obligations designated as "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas) Series 2019B" (the "Bonds") hereby approves the following terms of the Bonds:

- (i) the total principal amount of the Bonds of \$24,200,000;
- (ii) the purchase price for the Bonds is \$24,200,000 (representing the original principal amount of the Bonds);
- (iii) the interest rates and maturity schedule for the Bonds are as set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	\$675,000	1.02%	2036	\$ 815,000	2.27%
2022	680,000	1.04	2037	835,000	2.33
2023	690,000	1.06	2038	850,000	2.38
2024	695,000	1.09	2039	870,000	2.26
2025	700,000	1.10	2040	885,000	2.62
2026	705,000	1.15	2041	910,000	2.62
2027	715,000	1.21	2042	935,000	2.62
2028	720,000	1.24	2043	955,000	2.62
2029	730,000	1.28	2044	980,000	2.62
2030	735,000	1.44	2045	1,005,000	2.70
2031	745,000	1.65	2046	1,030,000	2.70
2032	760,000	1.82	2047	1,050,000	2.70
2033	770,000	2.04	2048	1,075,000	2.70
2034	785,000	2.09	2049	1,100,000	2.70
2035	800,000	2.13			

- (iv) the Bonds are subject to redemption as set forth below:

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in

the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part; and

(v) the Bonds have been approved for issuance by the Texas Water Development Board and will be approved by the Texas Attorney General.

EXECUTED AND DELIVERED THIS 15th day of October, 2019.

CITY OF KYLE, TEXAS

Title: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$24,200,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project -
City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B (30-Year Low Interest Loan)
11/20/19 Closing and Final Rates Provided by the TWDB on 9/30/19

Pricing Summary

<u>Maturity</u>	<u>Type of Bond</u>	<u>Coupon</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Maturity Value</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Dollar Price</u>
08/15/2021	Serial Coupon	1.020%	1.020%	675,000.00	100.000%	675,000.00
08/15/2022	Serial Coupon	1.040%	1.040%	680,000.00	100.000%	680,000.00
08/15/2023	Serial Coupon	1.060%	1.060%	690,000.00	100.000%	690,000.00
08/15/2024	Serial Coupon	1.090%	1.090%	695,000.00	100.000%	695,000.00
08/15/2025	Serial Coupon	1.100%	1.100%	700,000.00	100.000%	700,000.00
08/15/2026	Serial Coupon	1.150%	1.150%	705,000.00	100.000%	705,000.00
08/15/2027	Serial Coupon	1.210%	1.210%	715,000.00	100.000%	715,000.00
08/15/2028	Serial Coupon	1.240%	1.240%	720,000.00	100.000%	720,000.00
08/15/2029	Serial Coupon	1.280%	1.280%	730,000.00	100.000%	730,000.00
08/15/2030	Serial Coupon	1.440%	1.440%	735,000.00	100.000%	735,000.00
08/15/2031	Serial Coupon	1.650%	1.650%	745,000.00	100.000%	745,000.00
08/15/2032	Serial Coupon	1.820%	1.820%	760,000.00	100.000%	760,000.00
08/15/2033	Serial Coupon	2.040%	2.040%	770,000.00	100.000%	770,000.00
08/15/2034	Serial Coupon	2.090%	2.090%	785,000.00	100.000%	785,000.00
08/15/2035	Serial Coupon	2.130%	2.130%	800,000.00	100.000%	800,000.00
08/15/2036	Serial Coupon	2.270%	2.270%	815,000.00	100.000%	815,000.00
08/15/2037	Serial Coupon	2.330%	2.330%	835,000.00	100.000%	835,000.00
08/15/2038	Serial Coupon	2.380%	2.380%	850,000.00	100.000%	850,000.00
08/15/2039	Serial Coupon	2.260%	2.260%	870,000.00	100.000%	870,000.00
08/15/2040	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	885,000.00	100.000%	885,000.00
08/15/2041	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	910,000.00	100.000%	910,000.00
08/15/2042	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	935,000.00	100.000%	935,000.00
08/15/2043	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	955,000.00	100.000%	955,000.00
08/15/2044	Serial Coupon	2.620%	2.620%	980,000.00	100.000%	980,000.00
08/15/2045	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,005,000.00	100.000%	1,005,000.00
08/15/2046	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,030,000.00	100.000%	1,030,000.00
08/15/2047	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,050,000.00	100.000%	1,050,000.00
08/15/2048	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,075,000.00	100.000%	1,075,000.00
08/15/2049	Serial Coupon	2.700%	2.700%	1,100,000.00	100.000%	1,100,000.00
Total	-	-	-	\$24,200,000.00	-	\$24,200,000.00

Bid Information

Par Amount of Bonds	\$24,200,000.00
Gross Production	\$24,200,000.00
Bid (100.000%)	24,200,000.00
Total Purchase Price	\$24,200,000.00
Bond Year Dollars	\$411,613.89
Average Life	17.009 Years
Average Coupon	2.3665779%
Net Interest Cost (NIC)	2.3665779%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	2.3320852%

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Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$24,200,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project -
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Debt Service Schedule

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Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
11/20/2019	-	-	-	-	-
08/15/2020	-	-	367,710.69	367,710.69	-
09/30/2020	-	-	-	-	367,710.69
02/15/2021	-	-	249,765.75	249,765.75	-
08/15/2021	675,000.00	1.020%	249,765.75	924,765.75	-
09/30/2021	-	-	-	-	1,174,531.50
02/15/2022	-	-	246,323.25	246,323.25	-
08/15/2022	680,000.00	1.040%	246,323.25	926,323.25	-
09/30/2022	-	-	-	-	1,172,646.50
02/15/2023	-	-	242,787.25	242,787.25	-
08/15/2023	690,000.00	1.060%	242,787.25	932,787.25	-
09/30/2023	-	-	-	-	1,175,574.50
02/15/2024	-	-	239,130.25	239,130.25	-
08/15/2024	695,000.00	1.090%	239,130.25	934,130.25	-
09/30/2024	-	-	-	-	1,173,260.50
02/15/2025	-	-	235,342.50	235,342.50	-
08/15/2025	700,000.00	1.100%	235,342.50	935,342.50	-
09/30/2025	-	-	-	-	1,170,685.00
02/15/2026	-	-	231,492.50	231,492.50	-
08/15/2026	705,000.00	1.150%	231,492.50	936,492.50	-
09/30/2026	-	-	-	-	1,167,985.00
02/15/2027	-	-	227,438.75	227,438.75	-
08/15/2027	715,000.00	1.210%	227,438.75	942,438.75	-
09/30/2027	-	-	-	-	1,169,877.50
02/15/2028	-	-	223,113.00	223,113.00	-
08/15/2028	720,000.00	1.240%	223,113.00	943,113.00	-
09/30/2028	-	-	-	-	1,166,226.00
02/15/2029	-	-	218,649.00	218,649.00	-
08/15/2029	730,000.00	1.280%	218,649.00	948,649.00	-
09/30/2029	-	-	-	-	1,167,298.00
02/15/2030	-	-	213,977.00	213,977.00	-
08/15/2030	735,000.00	1.440%	213,977.00	948,977.00	-
09/30/2030	-	-	-	-	1,162,954.00
02/15/2031	-	-	208,685.00	208,685.00	-
08/15/2031	745,000.00	1.650%	208,685.00	953,685.00	-
09/30/2031	-	-	-	-	1,162,370.00
02/15/2032	-	-	202,538.75	202,538.75	-
08/15/2032	760,000.00	1.820%	202,538.75	962,538.75	-
09/30/2032	-	-	-	-	1,165,077.50
02/15/2033	-	-	195,622.75	195,622.75	-
08/15/2033	770,000.00	2.040%	195,622.75	965,622.75	-

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Debt Service Schedule

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Coupon</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total P+I</u>	<u>Fiscal Total</u>
09/30/2033	-	-	-	-	1,161,245.50
02/15/2034	-	-	187,768.75	187,768.75	-
08/15/2034	785,000.00	2.090%	187,768.75	972,768.75	-
09/30/2034	-	-	-	-	1,160,537.50
02/15/2035	-	-	179,565.50	179,565.50	-
08/15/2035	800,000.00	2.130%	179,565.50	979,565.50	-
09/30/2035	-	-	-	-	1,159,131.00
02/15/2036	-	-	171,045.50	171,045.50	-
08/15/2036	815,000.00	2.270%	171,045.50	986,045.50	-
09/30/2036	-	-	-	-	1,157,091.00
02/15/2037	-	-	161,795.25	161,795.25	-
08/15/2037	835,000.00	2.330%	161,795.25	996,795.25	-
09/30/2037	-	-	-	-	1,158,590.50
02/15/2038	-	-	152,067.50	152,067.50	-
08/15/2038	850,000.00	2.380%	152,067.50	1,002,067.50	-
09/30/2038	-	-	-	-	1,154,135.00
02/15/2039	-	-	141,952.50	141,952.50	-
08/15/2039	870,000.00	2.260%	141,952.50	1,011,952.50	-
09/30/2039	-	-	-	-	1,153,905.00
02/15/2040	-	-	132,121.50	132,121.50	-
08/15/2040	885,000.00	2.620%	132,121.50	1,017,121.50	-
09/30/2040	-	-	-	-	1,149,243.00
02/15/2041	-	-	120,528.00	120,528.00	-
08/15/2041	910,000.00	2.620%	120,528.00	1,030,528.00	-
09/30/2041	-	-	-	-	1,151,056.00
02/15/2042	-	-	108,607.00	108,607.00	-
08/15/2042	935,000.00	2.620%	108,607.00	1,043,607.00	-
09/30/2042	-	-	-	-	1,152,214.00
02/15/2043	-	-	96,358.50	96,358.50	-
08/15/2043	955,000.00	2.620%	96,358.50	1,051,358.50	-
09/30/2043	-	-	-	-	1,147,717.00
02/15/2044	-	-	83,848.00	83,848.00	-
08/15/2044	980,000.00	2.620%	83,848.00	1,063,848.00	-
09/30/2044	-	-	-	-	1,147,696.00
02/15/2045	-	-	71,010.00	71,010.00	-
08/15/2045	1,005,000.00	2.700%	71,010.00	1,076,010.00	-
09/30/2045	-	-	-	-	1,147,020.00
02/15/2046	-	-	57,442.50	57,442.50	-
08/15/2046	1,030,000.00	2.700%	57,442.50	1,087,442.50	-
09/30/2046	-	-	-	-	1,144,885.00
02/15/2047	-	-	43,537.50	43,537.50	-

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Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$24,200,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project -
City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B (30-Year Low Interest Loan)
11/20/19 Closing and Final Rates Provided by the TWDB on 9/30/19

Debt Service Schedule

Part 3 of 3

Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
08/15/2047	1,050,000.00	2.700%	43,537.50	1,093,537.50	-
09/30/2047	-	-	-	-	1,137,075.00
02/15/2048	-	-	29,362.50	29,362.50	-
08/15/2048	1,075,000.00	2.700%	29,362.50	1,104,362.50	-
09/30/2048	-	-	-	-	1,133,725.00
02/15/2049	-	-	14,850.00	14,850.00	-
08/15/2049	1,100,000.00	2.700%	14,850.00	1,114,850.00	-
09/30/2049	-	-	-	-	1,129,700.00
Total	\$24,200,000.00	-	\$9,741,163.19	\$33,941,163.19	-

Yield Statistics

Bond Year Dollars	\$411,613.89
Average Life	17.009 Years
Average Coupon	2.3665779%
DV01	32,492.80
Net Interest Cost (NIC)	2.3665779%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	2.3320852%
Bond Yield for Arbitrage Purposes	2.3320852%
All Inclusive Cost (AIC)	2.3320852%

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Net Interest Cost	2.3665779%
Weighted Average Maturity	17.009 Years

ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), made by and between Alliance Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "Authority"), acting by and through its Executive Director and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent together with any successor in such capacity;

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to four separate resolutions finally adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on October 30, 2019 (the "Resolutions"), the Authority authorized the issuance of four separate series of bonds, to wit: \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D, all dated November 20, 2019 (collectively, the "Obligations") to obtain financial assistance from the Texas Water Development Board (the "TWDB") for the purpose of funding water supply improvements, as set forth in the Resolutions (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Escrow Agent is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter D and is otherwise qualified and empowered to enter into this Agreement, and hereby acknowledges its acceptance of the terms and provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, a condition of the Obligations is the deposit of the proceeds of the Obligations (the "Proceeds") in escrow subject to being withdrawn only with the approval of the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or another designated representative; provided, however, the Proceeds can be transferred to different investments so long as all parties hereto consent to such transfer;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual agreements herein contained and in consideration of the amount of fees to be paid by the Authority to the Escrow Agent, as set forth on Exhibit "A", the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the delivery of the Obligations, the parties hereto mutually undertake, promise and agree for themselves, their respective representatives and successors, as follows:

SECTION 1: ESCROW ACCOUNT(S). Upon the delivery of the Obligations described above, the Proceeds identified under TWDB Commitment Numbers L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority), L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas), L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) and L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) shall be deposited to the credit of a special escrow account(s) or escrow subaccount(s) (Escrow Account(s)) maintained at the Escrow Agent on behalf of the Authority and the TWDB and shall not be commingled with any other accounts or with any other proceeds or funds. The Proceeds received by the Escrow Agent under this Agreement shall not be considered as a

banking deposit by the Authority, and the Escrow Agent shall have no right to title with respect thereto except as Escrow Agent under the terms of this Agreement.

The Escrow Account(s) shall be entitled "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) Escrow Account" and "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) Escrow Account" with appropriate subaccount designation for each series of bonds and shall not be subject to warrants, drafts or checks drawn by the Authority but shall be disbursed or withdrawn to pay the costs of the Project for which the Obligations were issued or other purposes in accordance with the Resolution and solely upon written authorization from the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. The Escrow Agent shall provide to the Authority and to the TWDB the Escrow Account(s) bank statements upon request.

SECTION 2: COLLATERAL. All cash deposited to the credit of such Escrow Account(s) and any accrued interest in excess of the amounts insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC") and remaining uninvested under the terms of this Agreement shall be continuously secured by a valid pledge of direct obligations of the United States of America or other collateral meeting the requirements of the Public Funds Collateral Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2257.

SECTION 3: INVESTMENTS. While the Proceeds are held in escrow, the Escrow Agent shall only invest escrowed Proceeds in investments that are authorized by the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256 (the "PFIA"). It is the Authority's responsibility to direct the Escrow Agent to invest all public funds in a manner that is consistent not only with the PFIA but also with its own written investment policy.

SECTION 4: DISBURSEMENTS. The Escrow Agent shall not honor any disbursement from the Escrow Account(s), or any portion thereof, unless and until it has been supplied with written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. However, no written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB shall be required if the disbursement involves transferring Proceeds from one investment to another within the Escrow Account(s) provided that all such investments are consistent with the PFIA requirements.

SECTION 5: UNEXPENDED FUNDS. Any Proceeds remaining unexpended in the Escrow Account(s) after completion of the Project and after the final accounting has been submitted to and approved by the TWDB shall be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of the respective Resolutions. The Authority shall deliver a copy of such TWDB approval of the final accounting to the Escrow Agent together with instructions concerning the disbursement of unexpended Proceeds hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall have no obligation to ensure that such unexpended Proceeds are used as required by the provisions of the Resolutions, that being the sole obligation of the Authority.

SECTION 6: CERTIFICATIONS. The Escrow Agent shall be authorized to accept and rely upon the certifications and documents furnished to the Escrow Agent by the Authority and shall not be liable for the payment of any funds made in reliance in good faith upon such certifications or other documents or approvals, as herein recited.

SECTION 7: LIABILITY OF ESCROW AGENT. To the extent permitted by law, the Escrow Agent shall not be liable for any act done or step taken or omitted by it or any mistake of fact or law, except for its negligence or default or failure in the performance of any obligation imposed upon it hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for any proceedings in connection with the Obligations or any recitation contained in the Obligations.

SECTION 8: RECORDS. The Escrow Agent will keep complete and correct books of record and account relating to the receipts, disbursements, allocations and application of the money deposited to the Escrow Account and investments of the Escrow Account and all Proceeds thereof. The records shall be available for inspection and copying at reasonable hours and under reasonable conditions by the Authority and the TWDB.

SECTION 9: MERGER/CONSOLIDATION. In the event that the Escrow Agent merges or consolidates with another bank or sells or transfers substantially all of its assets or corporate trust business, then the successor bank shall be the successor Escrow Agent without the necessity of further action as long as the successor bank is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 404, Subchapter D. The Escrow Agent must provide the TWDB with written notification within 30 days of acceptance of the merger, consolidation, or transfer. If the merger, consolidation or other transfer has occurred between state banks, the newly-created entity shall forward the certificate of merger or exchange issued by the Texas Department of Banking as well as the statement filed with the pertinent chartering authority, if applicable, to the TWDB within five business days following such merger, consolidation or exchange.

SECTION 10: AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended from time to time as necessary with the written consent of the Authority and the TWDB, but no such amendments shall increase the liabilities or responsibilities or diminish the rights of the Escrow Agent without its consent.

SECTION 11: TERMINATION. In the event that this Agreement is terminated by either the Authority or by the Escrow Agent, the Escrow Agent must report said termination in writing to the TWDB within five business days of such termination. The Authority is responsible for ensuring that the following criteria are satisfied in selecting the successor escrow agent and notifying the TWDB of the change in escrow agents: (a) the successor escrow agent must be an FDIC-insured state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository; (b) the successor escrow agent must be retained prior to or at the time of the termination; (c) an escrow agreement must be executed by and between the Authority and the successor escrow agent and must contain the same or substantially similar terms and conditions as are present in this Agreement; and (d) the Authority must forward a copy of the executed escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent within five business days of said termination. No funds shall be released by the TWDB until it has received,

reviewed and approved the escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent. If the Authority has not appointed a successor escrow agent within thirty (30) days of the notice of termination, the Escrow Agent may petition any court of competent jurisdiction in Texas for the appointment of a successor escrow agent or for other appropriate relief, and any such resulting appointment shall be binding upon the Authority. Whether appointed by the Authority or a court, the successor escrow agent and escrow agreement must be approved by the TWDB for the appointment to be effective. The Escrow Agent is responsible for performance under this Agreement until a successor has been approved by the TWDB and has signed an acceptable escrow agreement.

SECTION 12: EXPIRATION. This Agreement shall expire upon final transfer of the funds in the Escrow Account(s) to the Authority.

SECTION 13: POINT OF CONTACT. The points of contact for the Escrow Agent and the TWDB are as follows:

Tony Hongnoi
BOKF, NA
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225
(972) 892-9968
ctankersley@bankoftexas.com

Jeff Walker
Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
1700 North Congress Avenue
Austin, Texas 78701

SECTION 14: CHOICE OF LAW. This Agreement shall be governed exclusively by the applicable laws of the State of Texas. Venue for disputes shall be in the District Court of Travis County, Texas.

SECTION 15: ASSIGNABILITY. This Agreement shall not be assignable by the parties hereto, in whole or in part, and any attempted assignment shall be void and of no force and effect.

SECTION 16: ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement evidences the entire Escrow Agreement between the Escrow Agent and the Authority and supersedes any other agreements, whether oral or written, between the parties regarding the Proceeds or the Escrow Account(s). No modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be valid unless the same is in writing and is signed by the Authority and consented to by the Escrow Agent and the TWDB.

SECTION 17: VALIDITY OF PROVISIONS. If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions shall remain in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.

SECTION 18: COMPENSATION FOR ESCROW SERVICES. The Escrow Agent shall be entitled to compensation for its services as stated in Exhibit "A," which compensation shall be paid by the Authority but may not be paid directly from the Escrow Account(s).

SECTION 19: NO BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL. The Escrow Agent hereby verifies that, except to the extent otherwise required by applicable federal law, if any, including, without limitation,

50 U.S.C. Section 4607, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement in accordance with Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code. For purposes of this verification, "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

SECTION 20: TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS. The Escrow Agent represents that, neither the Escrow Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>,
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Escrow Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Escrow Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Escrow Agent and exists to make a profit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement effective upon signature of both parties.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____
Executive Director and Authority Representative

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 1040 Highway 123
San Marcos, Texas 78666

BOKF, NA,
as Escrow Agent

By: _____
Title: Vice President

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

EXHIBIT A

Fee Schedule

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into as of November 20, 2019 (this "Agreement"), by and between the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), and BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America (the "Bank").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Authority has duly authorized and provided for the issuance of its \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D (collectively, the "Securities"), such Securities to be issued in fully registered form only as to the payment of principal and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Securities are scheduled to be delivered to the Texas Water Development Board thereof on or about November 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has selected the Bank to serve as Paying Agent/Registrar in connection with the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities and with respect to the registration, transfer and exchange thereof by the registered owners thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to serve in such capacities for and on behalf of the Authority and has full power and authority to perform and serve as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Securities;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

ARTICLE ONE APPOINTMENT OF BANK AS PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

Section 1.01. Appointment.

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank to serve as Paying Agent with respect to the Securities. As Paying Agent for the Securities, the Bank shall be responsible for paying on behalf of the Authority the principal, premium (if any), and interest on the Securities as the same become due and payable to the registered owners thereof, all in accordance with this Agreement and the "Resolutions" (hereinafter defined).

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank as Registrar with respect to the Securities. As Registrar for the Securities, the Bank shall keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority books and records as to the ownership of the Securities and with respect to the transfer and exchange thereof as provided herein and in the "Resolutions."

The Bank hereby accepts its appointment, and agrees to serve as the Paying Agent and Registrar for the Securities.

Section 1.02. Compensation.

As compensation for the Bank's services as Paying Agent/Registrar, the Authority hereby agrees to pay the Bank the fees and amounts set forth in Schedule A attached hereto for the first year of this Agreement and thereafter the fees and amounts set forth in the Bank's current fee schedule then in effect for services as Paying Agent/Registrar for political subdivisions, which shall be supplied to the Authority on or before 90 days prior to the close of the Fiscal Year of the Authority, and shall be effective upon the first day of the following Fiscal Year.

In addition, the Authority agrees to reimburse the Bank upon its request for all reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances incurred or made by the Bank in accordance with any of the provisions hereof (including the reasonable compensation and the expenses and disbursements of its agents and counsel).

**ARTICLE TWO
DEFINITIONS**

Section 2.01. Definitions.

For all purposes of this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Authority Request" and "Authority Resolution" means a written request or resolution signed in the name of the Authority by an authorized representative, delivered to the Bank.

"Bank Office" means the designated office for payment of the Bank as indicated on the signature page hereof. The Bank will notify the Authority in writing of any change in location of the Bank Office.

"Financial Advisor" means Specialized Public Finance, Inc.

"Fiscal Year" means the fiscal year of the Authority, ending September 30.

"Holder" and "Security Holder" each means the Person in whose name a Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Legal Holiday" means a day on which the Bank is required or authorized to be closed.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision of a government.

"Predecessor Securities" of any particular Security means every previous Security evidencing all or a portion of the same obligation as that evidenced by such particular Security (and, for the purposes of this definition, any mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Security for which a replacement Security has been registered and delivered in lieu thereof pursuant to Section 4.06 hereof and the Resolutions).

"Redemption Date" when used with respect to any Bond to be redeemed means the date fixed for such redemption pursuant to the terms of the Resolutions.

"Resolutions" means collectively, the Resolutions of the governing body of the Authority pursuant to which each series of the Securities are issued, certified by the Secretary or any other officer of the Authority and delivered to the Bank.

"Responsible Officer" when used with respect to the Bank means the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors, the Chairman or Vice-chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, the President, any Vice President, the Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Cashier, any Assistant Cashier, any Trust Officer or Assistant Trust Officer, or any other officer of the Bank customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above designated officers and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Security Register" means a register maintained by the Bank on behalf of the Authority providing for the registration and transfer of the Securities.

"Stated Maturity" means the date specified in the Resolutions on which the principal of a Security is scheduled to be due and payable.

Section 2.02. Other Definitions.

The terms "Bank," "Authority," and "Securities (Security)" have the meanings assigned to them in the recital paragraphs of this Agreement.

The term "Paying Agent/Registrar" refers to the Bank in the performance of the duties and functions of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE THREE
PAYING AGENT**

Section 3.01. Duties of Paying Agent.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the principal of each Security at its Stated Maturity or Redemption Date to the Holder upon surrender of the Security to the Bank at the Bank Office.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the interest on each Security when due, by computing the amount of interest to be paid each Holder and preparing and sending checks by United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, on each payment date, to the Holders of the Securities (or their Predecessor Securities) on the respective Record Date, to the address appearing on the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Bank, requested in writing by the Holder at the Holder's risk and expense.

Principal and interest payments made pursuant to this Section 3.01 shall be made by wire transfer.

Section 3.02. Payment Dates.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank to pay the principal of and interest on the Securities on the dates specified in the Resolutions.

Section 3.03. Reporting Requirements.

To the extent required by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the Treasury Regulations, the Bank shall report to or cause to be reported to the Holders and the Internal Revenue Service (i) the amount of "reportable payments," if any, subject to back up withholding during each year and the amount of tax withheld, if any, with respect to the payments on the Securities and (ii) the amount of interest or amount treated as interest, such as original issue discount, on the Securities required to be included in the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes.

**ARTICLE FOUR
REGISTRAR**

Section 4.01. Security Register - Transfers and Exchanges.

The Bank agrees to keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority at the Bank Office books and records (herein sometimes referred to as the "Security Register"), and, if the Bank Office is located outside the State of Texas, a copy of such books and records shall be kept in the State of Texas, for recording the names and addresses of the Holders of the Securities, the transfer, exchange and replacement of the Securities and the payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders and containing such other information as may be reasonably required by the Authority and subject to such reasonable regulations as the Authority and the Bank may prescribe. The Bank

also agrees to keep a copy of the Security Register within the State of Texas. All transfers, exchanges and replacement of Securities shall be noted in the Security Register.

Every Security surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, the signature on which has been guaranteed by an officer of a federal or state bank or a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers, in form satisfactory to the Bank, duly executed by the Holder thereof or his agent duly authorized in writing.

The Bank may request any supporting documentation it feels necessary to effect a re-registration, transfer or exchange of the Securities.

To the extent possible and under reasonable circumstances, the Bank agrees that, in relation to an exchange or transfer of Securities, the exchange or transfer by the Holders thereof will be completed and new Securities delivered to the Holder or the assignee of the Holder in not more than three (3) business days after the receipt of the Securities to be cancelled in an exchange or transfer and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the Holder, or his duly authorized agent, in form and manner satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 4.02. Certificates.

The Authority shall provide an adequate inventory of printed Securities certificates to facilitate transfers or exchanges thereof. The Bank covenants that the inventory of printed Securities certificates will be kept in safekeeping pending their use, and reasonable care will be exercised by the Bank in maintaining such Securities certificates in safekeeping, which shall be not less than the level of care maintained by the Bank for debt securities of other political subdivisions or corporations for which it serves as registrar, or that it maintains for its own securities.

Section 4.03. Form of Security Register.

The Bank, as Registrar, will maintain the Security Register relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Securities in accordance with the Bank's general practices and procedures in effect from time to time. The Bank shall not be obligated to maintain such Security Register in any form other than those which the Bank has currently available and currently utilizes at the time.

The Security Register may be maintained in written form or in any other form capable of being converted into written form within a reasonable time.

Section 4.04. List of Security Holders.

The Bank will provide the Authority at any time requested by the Authority, upon payment of the required fee, a copy of the information contained in the Security Register. The Authority may

also inspect the information contained in the Security Register at any time the Bank is customarily open for business, provided that reasonable time is allowed the Bank to provide an up-to-date listing or to convert the information into written form.

The Bank will not release or disclose the contents of the Security Register to any person other than to, or at the written request of, an authorized officer or employee of the Authority, except upon receipt of a court order or as otherwise required by law. Upon receipt of a court order or other notice of a legal proceeding and prior to the release or disclosure of any of the contents of the Security Register, the Bank will notify the Authority so that the Authority may contest the same or such release or disclosure of the contents of the Security Register.

Section 4.05. Return of Cancelled Certificates.

The Bank will, at such reasonable intervals as it determines, surrender to the Authority, Securities in lieu of which or in exchange for which other Securities have been issued, or which have been paid.

Section 4.06. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Securities.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank, subject to the applicable provisions of the Resolutions, to deliver and issue Securities certificates in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates as long as the same does not result in an overissuance.

In case any Security shall be mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen, the Bank, in its discretion, may execute and deliver a replacement Security of like form and tenor, and in the same denomination and bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Security, or in lieu of and in substitution for such destroyed lost or stolen Security, only after (i) the filing by the Holder thereof with the Bank of evidence satisfactory to the Bank of the destruction, loss or theft of such Security, and of the authenticity of the ownership thereof and (ii) the furnishing to the Bank of indemnification in an amount satisfactory to hold the Authority and the Bank harmless. All expenses and charges associated with such indemnity and with the preparation, execution and delivery of a replacement Security shall be borne by the Holder of the Security mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen.

Section 4.07. Transaction Information to Authority.

The Bank will, within a reasonable time after receipt of written request from the Authority, furnish the Authority information as to the Securities certificates it has paid pursuant to Section 3.01, Securities certificates it has delivered upon the transfer or exchange of any Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.01, and Securities certificates it has delivered in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.06.

**ARTICLE FIVE
THE BANK**

Section 5.01. Duties of Bank.

The Bank undertakes to perform the duties set forth herein and agrees to use reasonable care in the performance thereof.

The Bank is authorized to transfer funds relating to the closing and initial delivery of the Securities in the manner disclosed in the closing memorandum as prepared by the Authority's Financial Advisor or other agent. The Bank may act on facsimile or e-mail transmission of the closing memorandum acknowledged by the Financial Advisor or the Authority as the final closing memorandum. The Bank shall not be liable for any losses, cost or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Bank's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions.

Section 5.02. Reliance on Documents, Etc.

(a) The Bank may conclusively rely, as to the truth of the statements and correctness of the opinions expressed therein, on certificates or opinions furnished to the Bank by the Authority.

(b) The Bank shall not be liable for any error of judgment made in good faith by a Responsible Officer, unless it shall be proven that the Bank was negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts.

(c) No provisions of this Agreement shall require the Bank to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability for performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers, if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or adequate indemnity satisfactory to it against such risks or liability is not assured to it.

(d) The Bank may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing statement, the Bank need not examine the ownership of any Securities, but is protected in acting upon receipt of Securities certificates containing an endorsement or instruction of transfer or power of transfer which appears on its face to be signed by the Holder or an agent of the Holder. The Bank shall not be bound to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in a resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document supplied by the Authority.

(e) The Bank may consult with legal counsel, and the written advice of such counsel or any opinion of counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection with respect to any action taken, suffered, or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon, provided that any such written advice or opinion is supplied to the Authority by the Bank.

(f) The Bank may exercise any of the powers hereunder and perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents or attorneys of the Bank.

Section 5.03. Recitals of Authority.

The recitals contained herein with respect to the Authority and in the Securities shall be taken as the statements of the Authority, and the Bank assumes no responsibility for their correctness.

The Bank shall in no event be liable to the Authority, any Holder or Holders of any Security, or any other Person for any amount due on any Security from its own funds.

Section 5.04. May Hold Securities.

The Bank, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities and may otherwise deal with the Authority with the same rights it would have if it were not the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any other agent.

Section 5.05. Moneys Held by Bank.

The Bank shall deposit any moneys received from the Authority into trust account to be held in a paying agent capacity for the payment of the Securities, with such moneys in the account that exceed the deposit insurance available to the Authority by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, to be fully collateralized with securities or obligations that are eligible under the laws of the State of Texas to secure and be pledged as collateral for such accounts until the principal and interest on such securities have been presented for payment and paid to the owner thereof. Payments made from such account shall be made by check drawn on such account unless the owner of such Securities shall, at its own expense and risk, request such other medium of payment.

Subject to the Unclaimed Property Law of the State of Texas, any money deposited with the Bank for the payment of the principal, premium (if any), or interest on any Security and remaining unclaimed for three years after the final maturity of the Security has become due and payable will be paid by the Bank to the Authority if the Authority so elects, and the Holder of such Security shall hereafter look only to the Authority for payment thereof, and all liability of the Bank with respect to such monies shall thereupon cease. If the Authority does not elect, the Bank is directed to report and dispose of the funds in compliance with Title Six of the Texas Property Code, as amended.

Section 5.06. Indemnification.

To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify the Bank for, and hold it harmless against, any loss, liability, or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on the Bank's part, arising out of or in connection with the Bank's acceptance or administration of its duties hereunder, including the cost and expense incurred by the Bank in defending against any claim or from liability imposed on the Bank in connection with the Bank's exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties under this Agreement.

Section 5.07. Interpleader.

The Authority and the Bank agree that the Bank may seek adjudication of any adverse claim, demand, or controversy over its person as well as funds on deposit, in either a Federal or State District Court located in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas, and agree that service of process by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the address referred to in Section 6.03 of this Agreement shall constitute adequate service. The Authority and the Bank further agree that the Bank has the right to file a Bill of Interpleader in any court of competent jurisdiction in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas to determine the rights of any Person claiming any interest herein.

Section 5.08. Depository Trust Company Services.

It is hereby represented and warranted that, in the event the Securities are otherwise qualified and accepted for "Depository Trust Company" services or equivalent depository trust services by other organizations, the Bank has the capability and, to the extent within its control, will comply with the "Operational Arrangements," effective August 1, 1987, which establishes requirements for securities to be eligible for such type depository trust services, including, but not limited to, requirements for the timeliness of payments and funds availability, transfer turnaround time, and notification of redemptions and calls.

Attached hereto is a copy of the Blanket Authority Letter of Representations between the Authority and The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, providing for the Bonds to be issued in a Book-Entry Only System. The Bank and the Authority hereby confirm their obligations under such Letter of Representation.

**ARTICLE SIX
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

Section 6.01. Amendment.

This Agreement may be amended only by an agreement in writing signed by both of the parties hereto.

Section 6.02. Assignment.

This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other.

Section 6.03. Notices.

Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver, or other document provided or permitted hereby to be given or furnished to the Authority or the Bank shall be mailed or delivered to the Authority or the Bank, respectively, at the addresses shown on the signature page of this Agreement.

Section 6.04. Effect of Headings.

The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

Section 6.05. Successors and Assigns.

All covenants and agreements herein by the Authority and the Bank shall bind their respective successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 6.06. Severability.

In case any provision herein shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 6.07. Benefits of Agreement.

Nothing herein, express or implied, shall give to any Person, other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder.

Section 6.08. Entire Agreement.

This Agreement and the Resolutions constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto relative to the Bank acting as Paying Agent/Registrar and if any conflict exists between this Agreement and the Resolutions, the Resolutions shall govern.

Section 6.09. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

Section 6.10. Termination.

This Agreement will terminate (i) on the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders thereof or (ii) may be earlier terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice; provided, however, an early termination of this Agreement by either party shall not be effective until (a) a successor Paying Agent/Registrar has been appointed by the Authority and such appointment accepted and (b) notice has been given to the Holders of the Securities of the appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar. Furthermore, the Bank and Authority mutually agree that the effective date of an early termination of this Agreement shall not occur at any time which would disrupt, delay or otherwise adversely affect the payment of the Securities.

Upon an early termination of this Agreement, the Bank agrees to promptly transfer and deliver the Security Register (or a copy thereof), together with other pertinent books and records

relating to the Securities, to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Authority.

The provisions of Section 1.02, 5.02, 5.03 and 5.06 of this Agreement shall survive and remain in full force and effect following the termination of this Agreement.

Section 6.11. Governing Law.

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

Section 6.12. Anti-Boycott. The Paying Agent represents and warrants, for purposes of Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code, that at the time of execution and delivery of this Agreement, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, boycotts Israel or will boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement. The foregoing verification is made solely to comply with Section 2270.002, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law. As used in the foregoing verification, "boycotts Israel" and "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean an entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

Section 6.13. Terrorist Organizations. The Paying Agent represents that, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>, <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Paying Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

BOKF, NA

By: _____
Title: Vice President
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____

Name: Graham Moore

Title: Executive Director and Authority
Representative

SCHEDULE A

Paying Agent/Registrar Fee Schedule



Services provided by BOKF, NA

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

Schedule of Fees

Acceptance Fee: WAIVED

Annual Administration Fee: \$350.00/per series

Invoiced semi-annually at \$175.00 with debt service.

First year’s annual fee due at closing.

For ordinary administration services by Paying Agent /Registrar – includes daily routine account management and processing in accordance with the agreement. Float credit received by the bank for receiving funds that remain uninvested are deemed part of the Paying Agent’s compensation.

Call or Redemption of Bonds At Cost

Cost includes distribution to holders of record, redemption processing and notification through DTC. Any and all publication expenses including Bond Buyer, Regional and Financial Periodicals for the call notice will be billed to the Issuer at cost.

Charges for performing extraordinary or other services not contemplated at the time of the execution of the transaction or not specifically covered elsewhere in this schedule will be determined by appraisal in the amounts commensurate with the service provided. Counsel fees, if ever retained as a result of a default, or other extraordinary occurrences on behalf of the bondholders or Bank of Texas, will be billed at cost.

Services not included in this Fee Schedule, but deemed necessary or desirable by you, may be subject to additional charges. Our proposal is subject in all aspects to review and acceptance of the final financing documents which sets forth our duties and responsibilities.

<p>Erin Fitzpatrick Vice President Tel: 972.892.9972 efitzpatrick@bokf.com</p>	<p>BOK Financial Corporate Trust Services 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201 Dallas, TX 75225</p>
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REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.6** Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-004 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
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Background/Information

The next step in the SWIFT process is for the Agency to approve a resolution authorizing the issuance of the contract revenue bonds and related matters. The TWDB sold their bonds in late September and therefore the rates have been established. For the 20-year term requested by San Marcos the average interest rate for the period ended up at 1.524%.

The San Marcos City Council unanimously approved a resolution approving the bond resolution on October 15th.

Approval of the resolution will also approve the Escrow Agreement and Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement.

The closing date for the Authority is set for November 20th. Representatives with the Authority's bond counsel, McCall, Parkhurst and Horton and the Authority's financial advisor, Specialized Public Finance will attend the Board meeting and will address any legal or financial questions pertaining to the issuance.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-004 – Authorizing the Issuance of Series 2019C Contract Revenue Bonds.
- 2019C Debt Service Schedule – San Marcos
- Escrow Agreement
- Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-004 authorizing the issuance of contract revenue bonds Series 2019C and all related matters, as presented.



RESOLUTION NO. 2019-10-30-004

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CITY OF SAN MARCOS, TEXAS), SERIES 2019C; AND RESOLVING OTHER MATTERS INCIDENT AND RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE, PAYMENT, SECURITY, SALE AND DELIVERY OF SUCH BONDS

ADOPTED OCTOBER 30, 2019

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 572, as amended, Texas Local Government Code, the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (the "Agency") as a constituted authority and instrumentality and political subdivision of the State of Texas (the "State"), was created by the Cities of Buda ("Buda"), San Marcos ("San Marcos") and Kyle, Texas ("Kyle"), each Texas home rule municipalities, and the Canyon Regional Water Authority ("Canyon Regional"), a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 670, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, as amended (collectively, the "Sponsors" or singularly, a "Sponsor"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency and the Sponsors have entered into a "Regional Water Supply Contract" dated as of January 15, 2008, as amended by Amendment No. 1 and as may be further amended (collectively, the "Contract") pursuant to which the Agency has agreed to design, finance, construct, own, acquire, maintain and operate a water supply project in a manner that will allow the Agency to deliver water to the Sponsors on a regional basis and under which each of the Sponsors agree to pay their share of the project costs and to make payments to or on behalf of the Agency in amounts sufficient to meet all of the Agency's obligations under the Contract including those relating to a Sponsor's bonds issued to finance and refinance a Sponsor's share of the Project Costs and to own, operate and maintain the Project; and

WHEREAS, at the request of Canyon Regional and Kyle, the Agency issued two series of bonds on November 19, 2015 for such Sponsors share of the Phase 1A Project entitled: \$3,960,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2015A and \$3,530,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2015B (collectively, the "Outstanding Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2017, by special act of the 85th Legislature, SB 1198 (the "Act") the Agency was converted to the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district to accomplish the purposes set forth in the Act and of Article XVI, Section 59, Texas Constitution; and

WHEREAS, by operation of the law pursuant to the Act, the Authority assumed all assets, liabilities, bonds, notes and other obligations of the Agency including all obligations pursuant to the Outstanding Bonds and the Contract; and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Sponsors the Authority issued four series of bonds, one for each of the Sponsors' share of the Project Costs, to wit: \$9,865,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2017A, \$8,995,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2017B, \$11,450,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2017C and \$1,625,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2017D; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Authority is empowered to, among other powers, acquire, own, construct, operate, repair, improve, maintain or extend inside or outside its boundaries water improvements, facilities, plants, pipelines, equipment and appliances for the treatment and transportation of water and to deliver this water to the Sponsors; and

WHEREAS, the Act also authorizes the Authority acting through its Board of Directors (the "Board") to issue revenue bonds to finance such water projects, payable solely from the revenues derived from payments to be made to the Authority by one or more of the respective Sponsors for which a series of bonds are issued for the purpose of defraying such Sponsor's share of the cost of financing, acquiring, and constructing water supply facilities including the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project (as hereinafter defined); and

WHEREAS, the Authority expects to issue four additional series of such revenue bonds for Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, to finance their additional share of the Phase 1B Improvements Project costs, with each series payable from and secured solely by payments made by Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, under the Contract; and

WHEREAS, San Marcos has requested that the Authority issue a separate series of revenue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$30,800,000 pursuant to the Contract to finance their share of the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project Costs (the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, this Resolution constitutes a Bond Resolution as that term is defined in the Contract; and

WHEREAS, the principal of the Bonds and the interest thereon are and shall be solely payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the portion of the Annual Payments designated as "Bond Payments" to be made by San Marcos pursuant to the Contract in amounts sufficient to pay and redeem, and provide for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, when due, and the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent/Registrar and Escrow Agent for the Bonds, all as required by this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY THAT:

Section 1. DEFINITIONS. In addition to the definitions set forth in the preamble of this Resolution, the terms used in this Resolution (except as may be otherwise indicated in the FORM

OF BOND) and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given in Exhibit "A" to this Resolution attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. AMOUNT, PURPOSE AND DESIGNATION OF THE BONDS. (a) *Amount and Designation.* The Authority's bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution shall be entitled "ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (Regional Water Supply Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C" and are hereby authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$30,800,000.

(b) *Purpose.* The Bonds are to be issued for the following purposes: (i) FOR DESIGNING, CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PAYMENT OF PROJECT COSTS FOR THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

Section 3. DATE, DENOMINATIONS, NUMBERS, MATURITIES AND TERMS OF BONDS. (a) *Terms of Bonds.* The Bonds shall initially be issued, sold, and delivered hereunder as fully registered bonds, without interest coupons, numbered consecutively from R-1 upward (except the initial Bond delivered to the Attorney General of the State which shall be numbered T-1), dated the date of delivery, payable to the respective initial Registered Owners thereof in an Authorized Denomination, serially on August 15, in the years and in the principal amounts set forth below:

<u>Year of Stated Maturity (August 15)</u>	<u>Principal Amounts (\$)</u>
2021	\$1,485,000
2022	1,500,000
2023	1,510,000
2024	1,520,000
2025	1,530,000
2026	1,540,000
2027	1,555,000
2028	1,570,000
2029	1,580,000
2030	1,595,000
2031	1,615,000
2032	1,635,000
2033	1,655,000
2034	1,680,000
2035	1,710,000
2036	1,735,000
2037	1,765,000
2038	1,795,000
2039	1,825,000

(b) *In General.* The Bonds (i) may and shall be redeemed prior to the respective scheduled maturity dates, (ii) may be assigned and transferred, (iii) may be exchanged for other Bonds, (iv) shall have the characteristics, (v) shall be signed, and the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable, all as provided, and in the manner required or indicated, in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 4. INTEREST. The Bonds shall bear interest, calculated on the basis of a 360-day year composed of twelve 30-day months, from their date of delivery at the rates set forth below:

<u>Year of Stated Maturity (August 15)</u>	<u>Interest Rates (%)</u>
2021	0.84%
2022	0.85
2023	0.87
2024	0.89
2025	0.90
2026	0.94
2027	0.99
2028	1.01
2029	1.04
2030	1.17
2031	1.34
2032	1.49
2033	1.66
2034	1.70
2035	1.74
2036	1.85
2037	1.90
2038	1.94
2039	1.84

Interest shall be payable to the Registered Owner of any such Bond in the manner provided and on the dates stated in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 5. REGISTRATION, TRANSFER, AND EXCHANGE; AUTHENTICATION.

(a) *Paying Agent/Registrar.* BOKF, NA is hereby appointed the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. The Authority Representative is authorized to enter into and carry out a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement with the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds in substantially the form and substance presented to the Board in connection with the approval of this Resolution with such changes as are acceptable to the Authority Representative.

(b) *Registration Books.* The Board shall keep or cause to be kept at a designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Dallas, Texas (the "Designated Trust

Office") the Registration Books and the Board hereby appoints the Paying Agent/Registrar as its registrar and transfer agent to keep such books or records and make such registrations of transfers, exchanges, and replacements under such reasonable regulations as the Board and Paying Agent/Registrar may prescribe; and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make such registrations, transfers, exchanges, and replacements as herein provided. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall obtain and record in the Registration Books the address of the Registered Owner of each Bond to which payments with respect to the Bonds shall be mailed, as herein provided; but it shall be the duty of each Registered Owner to notify the Paying Agent/Registrar in writing of the address to which payments shall be mailed, and such interest payments shall not be mailed unless such notice has been given. The Board shall have the right to inspect the Registration Books at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar during regular business hours, but otherwise the Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep the Registration Books confidential and, unless otherwise required by law, shall not permit their inspection by any other entity. A copy of the Registration Books shall be maintained in the State.

(c) **Ownership of Bonds.** The entity or person in whose name any Bond shall be registered in the Registration Books at any time shall be deemed and treated as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes of this Resolution, whether or not such Bond shall be overdue, and, to the extent permitted by law, the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary; and payment of, or on account of, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on any such Bond shall be made only to such Registered Owner. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

(d) **Payment of Bonds and Interest.** The Paying Agent/Registrar shall further act as the paying agent for paying the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, all as provided in this Resolution. The Paying Agent/ Registrar shall keep proper records of all payments made by the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds. So long as the Purchaser owns the Bonds, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide a copy to the Purchaser and its designated trustee of all receipts documenting debt service payments.

(e) **Authentication.** The Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution shall be authenticated by the Paying Agent/Registrar by execution of the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate unless they have been approved by the Attorney General of the State and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, and on each substitute Bond issued in exchange for any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution the Paying Agent/Registrar shall execute the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate (the "Authentication Certificate"). The Authentication Certificate shall be in the form set forth in the FORM OF BOND in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

(f) **Transfer, Exchange, or Replacement.** Each Bond issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, to the extent of the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount thereof, may, upon surrender of such Bond at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, together with a written request therefor duly executed by the Registered Owner or the assignee or assignees thereof, or its or their duly authorized attorneys or representatives, with guarantee of signatures satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar, may, at the option of the Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, as appropriate, be exchanged for fully registered Bonds, without interest

coupons, in the appropriate form prescribed in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution, in any Authorized Denomination (subject to the requirement hereinafter stated that each substitute Bond shall be of the same Series and have a single stated maturity date), as requested in writing by such Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount of any Bond or Bonds so surrendered, and payable to the appropriate Registered Owner, assignee, or assignees, as the case may be. If a portion of any Bond shall be redeemed prior to its scheduled maturity as provided herein, a substitute Bond or Bonds having the same Series designation and maturity date, bearing interest at the same rate, and payable in the same manner, in Authorized Denominations at the request of the Registered Owner, and in aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion thereof, will be issued to the Registered Owner upon surrender thereof for cancellation. If any Bond or portion thereof is assigned and transferred, each Bond issued in exchange therefor shall have the same Series designation and maturity date and bear interest at the same rate and payable in the same manner as the Bond for which it is being exchanged. Each substitute Bond shall bear a letter and/or number to distinguish it from each other Bond. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall exchange or replace Bonds as provided herein, and each fully registered Bond delivered in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof as permitted or required by any provision of this Resolution shall constitute one of the Bonds for all purposes of this Resolution, and may again be exchanged or replaced. On each substitute Bond issued in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution there shall be printed an Authentication Certificate, in the form set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution. An authorized representative of the Paying Agent/Registrar shall, before the delivery of any such Bond, date and manually sign the Authentication Certificate, and, except as provided in (e) above, no such Bond shall be deemed to be issued or outstanding unless the Authentication Certificate is so executed. The Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall cancel all Bonds surrendered for transfer, exchange, or replacement. No additional orders or resolutions need be passed or adopted by the Board or any other body or person so as to accomplish the foregoing transfer, exchange, or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof, and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide for the printing, execution, and delivery of the substitute Bonds in the manner prescribed herein, and said Bonds shall be in typed or printed form as determined by the Authority Representative. Pursuant to Subtitle D, Texas Government Code and particularly Section 1201.063, thereof, the duty of transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds as aforesaid is hereby imposed upon the Paying Agent/Registrar, and, upon the execution of the Authentication Certificate, the exchanged or replaced Bond shall be valid, incontestable, and enforceable in the same manner and with the same effect as the Bonds which were originally issued pursuant to this Resolution. The Board shall pay the Paying Agent/Registrar's standard or customary fees and charges, if any, for transferring, and exchanging any Bond or any portion thereof, but the one requesting any such transfer and exchange shall pay any taxes or governmental charges required to be paid with respect thereto as a condition precedent to the exercise of such privilege. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to make any such transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds or any portion thereof (i) during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Bond or portion thereof called for redemption prior to maturity, within 45 days prior to its redemption date. To the extent possible, any new Bond issued in an exchange, replacement, or transfer of a Bond will be delivered to the Registered Owner or assignee of the Registered Owner not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled and the written request as described above.

(g) ***Substitute Paying Agent/Registrar.*** The Board covenants with the Registered Owners of the Bonds that at all times while the Bonds are outstanding the Board will provide a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as and perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds under this Resolution, and that the Paying Agent/Registrar will be one entity. The Board reserves the right to, and may, at its option, change the Paying Agent/Registrar upon not less than ninety (90) days written notice to the Paying Agent/Registrar, to be effective not later than sixty (60) days prior to the next principal or interest payment date after such notice. In the event that the entity at any time acting as Paying Agent/Registrar (or its successor by merger, acquisition, or other method) should resign or otherwise cease to act as such, the Board covenants that promptly it will appoint a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as Paying Agent/Registrar under this Resolution. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the previous Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall transfer and deliver the Registration Books (or a copy thereof), along with all other pertinent books and records relating to the Bonds, to the new Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Board. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Board promptly will cause a written notice thereof to be sent by the new Paying Agent/Registrar to each Registered Owner of the Bonds, by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, which notice also shall give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar. By accepting the position and performing as such, each Paying Agent/Registrar shall be deemed to have agreed to the provisions of this Resolution, and a certified copy of this Resolution shall be delivered to each Paying Agent/Registrar.

(h) ***Notice of Redemption.*** Each notice of redemption required in the FORM OF BOND shall contain a description of the Bonds to be redeemed including the complete name of the Bonds, the Series, the date of issue, the interest rate or rates, the maturity date, the CUSIP number, a reference to the certificate numbers and the amounts called of each certificate, the publication and mailing date for the notice, the date of redemption, the redemption price, the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar and the address at which the Bonds may be redeemed, including a contact person and telephone number. All redemption payments made by the Paying Agent/Registrar to the registered owners of the Bonds shall include a CUSIP number relating to each amount paid to such Registered Owner.

(i) ***Book-Entry-Only System.*** The Bonds issued in exchange for the Bonds initially issued as provided in Section 5(l) shall be issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee of DTC and except as provided in subsection (f) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

With respect to Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation to any securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and certain other organizations on whose behalf DTC was created to hold securities to facilitate the clearance and settlement of securities transactions among DTC participants (the "DTC Participant") or to any person on behalf of whom such a DTC Participant holds an interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede &

Co. or any DTC Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any DTC participant or any other person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any notice of redemption, or (iii) the payment to any DTC Participant or any person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, but to the extent permitted by law, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Registration Books as the absolute owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest, with respect to such Bond, for the purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or upon the order of the respective Registered Owners, as shown in the Registration Books as provided in this Resolution, or their respective attorneys duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the Authority's obligations with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than a Registered Owner, as shown in the Registration Books, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation of the Authority to make payments of principal, premium, if any, and interest pursuant to the Resolution. Upon delivery by DTC to the Paying Agent/Registrar of written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., and subject to the provisions in this Resolution with respect to interest checks being mailed to the registered owner at the close of business on the Record Date the word "Cede & Co." in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of DTC.

(j) ***Successor Securities Depository; Transfer Outside Book-Entry-Only System.*** In the event the Purchaser no longer owns the Bonds or the Purchaser consents to such action, the Authority may determine to discontinue the book-entry system through DTC or a successor or DTC determines to discontinue providing its services with respect to the Bonds, the Authority shall either (i) appoint a successor securities depository, qualified to act as such under Section 17(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, notify DTC and DTC Participants of the appointment of such successor securities depository and transfer one or more separate Bonds to such successor securities depository or (ii) notify DTC and DTC Participants of the availability through DTC of Bonds and transfer one or more separate Bonds to DTC Participants having Bonds credited to their DTC accounts. In such event, the Bonds shall no longer be restricted to being registered in the Registration Books in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, but may be registered in the name of the successor securities depository, or its nominee, or in whatever name or names Registered Owner transferring or exchanging Bonds shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

(k) ***Payments to Cede & Co.*** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be made and given, respectively, in the manner provided in the Blanket Representation of the Authority to DTC.

(1) **Initial Bond.** The Bonds herein authorized shall be initially issued as fully registered bonds, being one bond for each maturity in the denomination of the applicable principal amount and the initial Bond shall be registered in the name of the Registered Owner. The initial Bond shall be the Bond submitted to the Office of the Attorney General of the State for approval, certified and registered by the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State and delivered to the Registered Owner. Immediately after the delivery of the initial Bond, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cancel the initial Bond delivered hereunder and exchange therefor Bonds in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC and except as provided in Section 5(j), all of the outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

Section 6. FORM OF BOND. The form of the Bond, including the form of the Authentication Certificate, the form of Assignment and the form of Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, with respect to the Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, shall be, respectively, substantially as set forth in Exhibit "B", with such appropriate variations, omissions, or insertions as are permitted or required by this Resolution.

Section 7. PLEDGE OF BOND PAYMENTS. (a) **Pledge.** The Authority hereby covenants and agrees that the Bond Payments are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured including the establishment and maintenance of the special funds or accounts created and established on the books and records of the Authority for the payment and security thereof, all as hereinafter provided; and it is hereby resolved that the Bonds Similarly Secured, and the interest thereon, shall constitute a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and be valid and binding without any physical delivery thereof or further act by the Authority, and the lien created hereby on the Bond Payments for the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured shall be prior in right and claim as to any other indebtedness, liability, or obligation of the Authority or the Project payable pursuant to the terms of the Contract. The Authority shall deposit the Bond Payments, as collected and received, into the Debt Service Fund (hereinafter defined), to be utilized pursuant to Section 9 hereof to pay the Bonds.

(b) **Perfection of Pledge.** Chapter 1208, as amended, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured and the lien on and pledge of Bond Payments granted by the Authority under subsection (a) of this Section, and such pledge is therefore valid, effective, and perfected. If State law is amended at any time while the Bonds Similarly Secured are outstanding and unpaid such that the pledge of the Bond Payments granted by the Authority is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Texas Business & Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured the perfection of the security interest in this pledge, the Board agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under State law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, as amended, Texas Business & Commerce Code and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in this pledge to occur.

Section 8. RATES AND CHARGES. For the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured and in addition to all provisions and covenants in the laws of the State

and in this Resolution, the Contract between the Authority and the City expressly stipulates and agrees, while any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the City will fix and collect such rates and charges for services to be supplied by the City's respective systems that will produce gross revenues at all times during the term of the Contract in an amount equal to pay all of the expenses of operation and maintenance of the respective systems including Annual Payments and Bond Payments under the Contract and all other amounts required by the laws and the provisions of the ordinances or resolutions authorizing the City's Outstanding System Obligations now or hereafter outstanding payable, in whole or in part, from the net revenues of the City's Systems, including the amounts required to pay all principal of and interest on the City's outstanding System bonds and other obligations. The Authority hereby expressly stipulates and agrees that it will take all appropriate action to charge rates sufficient and enforce such terms of the Contract while any Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding.

The Registered Owner shall never have the right to demand payment for the Bonds out of any funds raised or to be raised from taxation by the City, other Participating Entities or the Authority.

Section 9. DEBT SERVICE FUND AND PROJECT FUND. (a) *Debt Service Fund.*

For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured as the same become due and payable, the Authority agrees to maintain, at a Depository, a separate and special fund or account to be created and known as the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Debt Service Fund" (the "Debt Service Fund"). The Authority covenants that there shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund prior to each principal and interest payment date solely from the available Bond Payments an amount equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured then falling due and payable.

Any accrued interest received from the Purchaser of the Bonds shall be deposited into the subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. In addition, any surplus proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, including investment income therefrom, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund, and such amounts (i.e., accrued and investment interest) so deposited shall reduce the sum otherwise required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund from Bond Payments.

(b) ***Project Fund.*** The Authority hereby creates and establishes and shall maintain on the books and records of the Authority a separate fund or account to be entitled the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Project Fund" for use by the Authority for payment of the City's share of the Project Costs. The Authority shall deposit the net proceeds from the sale of the Bonds into the Project Fund as provided in this Resolution. Funds in the Project Fund shall be requisitioned for payment of the City's share of Project Costs in accordance with a requisition in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto with such changes as approved by the Authority Representative. Upon payment of all Project Costs, any moneys remaining on deposit in the Project Fund shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund.

In the event the Project is not completed for any reason contemplated in the Contract or otherwise or any proceeds from the Bonds are not used for completion of the Project for any reason, any Bond proceeds and earnings therein not used for completion of the Project shall be utilized to pay principal and/or interest on the Bonds so as to reduce the Bond Payment as set forth below.

Any surplus proceeds, including the investment earnings derived from the investment of monies on deposit in the Project Fund, from the Bonds remaining on deposit in the Project Fund after completing the Project and upon the completion of the final accounting as described in Section 37(c) hereof, shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to redeem, in inverse order of maturity, the Bonds owned by Purchaser, unless the Executive Administrator of Purchaser approves the use of such surplus proceeds to pay eligible Project Costs by funding projects that are a part of the State Water Plan.

Section 10. DEFICIENCIES - EXCESS BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Deficiencies.* If on any occasion there shall not be sufficient Bond Payments to make the required deposits into the Debt Service Fund, then such deficiency shall be cured as soon as possible from the next available unallocated Bond Payments and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts required to be paid into these Funds or accounts during such month or months.

(b) *Excess Bond Payments* Subject to making the required deposits to the Debt Service Fund when and as required by this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Additional Bonds, any excess Bond Payments may be used by the Authority for any lawful purpose including, but not limited to, the redemption of any Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 11. PAYMENT OF BONDS. While any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the Executive Director of the Authority or other authorized Authority official, shall cause to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor, from funds on deposit in the Debt Service Fund, amounts sufficient to fully pay and discharge promptly each installment of interest on and principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured as such installment accrues or matures; such transfer of funds must be made in such manner as will cause immediately available funds to be deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds at the close of the Business Day next preceding the date a debt service payment is due on the Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 12. INVESTMENTS. Funds held in any fund or account created, established, or maintained pursuant to this Resolution shall, at the option of the Authority, be invested in time deposits, certificates of deposit, guaranteed investment contracts, or similar contracting arrangements and/or as permitted by the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act, as amended, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, or any other law, and secured (to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation) to the fullest extent required by the Public Funds Collateral Act, as amended, Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code. All interest and income derived from deposits and investments in any fund shall immediately be credited to, and any losses debited from, the fund from which such funds were derived. All such investments shall be sold promptly when necessary to prevent any default in connection with the Bonds.

Section 13. ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL BONDS. In addition to the right to issue bonds of inferior lien as authorized by the laws of this State, the Authority reserves the right

hereafter to issue Additional Bonds. The Additional Bonds, when issued, shall be payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments in the same manner and to the same extent as the Bonds and the Bonds Similarly Secured, and shall in all respects be of equal dignity. The Additional Bonds may be issued in one or more Series provided, however, that no Additional Bonds, shall be issued unless and until the following conditions have been met:

(i) Except for a refunding to cure a default, the Authority is not then in default as to any covenant, condition or obligation prescribed in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured or the Contract (including any amendment or supplement thereto) and the funds under the resolution authorizing the same contains the amounts then required to be therein;

(ii) The City shall have approved the resolution(s) authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds as to form and content and acknowledged that the payment of principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds is payable, in whole or in part, from the Bond Payments to be made to the Authority under and pursuant to the Contract;

(iii) The resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds provides for deposits to be made to the Debt Service Fund in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds as the same become due; and

(iv) The City confirms (and counsel to the Authority opines) that the Contract is a legal, valid and binding contract then in effect pursuant to which the City is obligated to make payments to the Authority during each fiscal year (including periods when services of the Project may not be available to such contracting parties and others) in such amounts as shall be necessary to provide to the Authority sufficient funds to pay when due all principal and interest on all Bonds and Additional Bonds to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Bonds.

The Bonds Similarly Secured may be refunded (pursuant to any law then available) upon such terms and conditions as the Board of the Authority may deem to be in the best interest of the Authority.

Section 14. SPECIAL PROJECT BONDS. The Authority further reserves the right to issue bonds in one or more installments for the purchase, construction, improvement, extension, replacement, enlargement or repair of utility facilities necessary under a contract or contracts with persons, corporations, municipal corporations, political subdivisions, or entities including the City, such bonds to be payable from and secured by the proceeds of such contract or contracts (other than the Contract). The Authority further reserves the right to refund such bonds and secure the payment of the debt service requirements on the refunding bonds in the same manner or as otherwise permitted by the laws of the State.

Section 15. MAINTENANCE OF PROJECT - INSURANCE. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that while the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding it will maintain and operate the Project with all possible efficiency and maintain casualty and other insurance on the properties of the Project and its operations of a kind and in such amounts customarily carried by municipal corporations in the State engaged in a similar type of business (which may include an adequate program of self-insurance) which insurance

shall also be sufficient to protect the Purchaser; and that it will faithfully and punctually perform all duties with reference to the Project required by the laws of the State. All money received from losses under such insurance policies, other than public liability policies, shall be retained for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured until and unless the proceeds are paid out in making good the loss or damage in respect of which such proceeds are received, either by replacing the property destroyed or repairing the property damaged, and adequate provision for making good such loss or damage must be made within ninety (90) days after the date of loss. The payment of premiums for all insurance policies required under the provisions hereof shall be considered Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the Project. Nothing in this Resolution shall be construed as: (i) requiring the Authority to expend any funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the Project but nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the Authority from doing so or (ii) requiring the purchase of insurance until Facilities are constructed.

Section 16. RECORDS AND ACCOUNTS - ANNUAL AUDIT. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that so long as any of the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding, it will keep and maintain separate and complete records and accounts pertaining to the operations of the Project in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating thereto as provided by applicable law. The Registered Owners of any Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such Registered Owners shall have the right to inspect the Project and all properties comprising the same. The Authority further agrees that following (and in no event later than six (6) months after) the close of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an independent firm of Certified Public Accountants. Expenses incurred in making the annual audit of the operations of the Project are to be regarded as Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project.

Section 17. SALE OR ENCUMBRANCE OF SYSTEM. While any Bonds remain Outstanding, the Authority will not sell, dispose of or further encumber the Project or any substantial part thereof; provided, however, that this provision shall not prevent the Authority from (i) pledging the Bond Payments and Funds to Additional Bonds or Special Project Bonds as set forth in Sections 13 and 14 of this Resolution or (ii) disposing of any part of the Project which is being replaced or is deemed by the Authority to be obsolete, worn out, surplus or no longer needed for the proper operation of the Project. Any agreement pursuant to which the Authority contracts with a person, corporation, municipal corporation or political subdivision to operate the Project or to lease and/or operate all or part of the Project shall not be considered as an encumbrance of the Project; provided, however, no such agreement shall impair the pledge and lien on the Bond Payments and Funds.

Section 18. SPECIAL COVENANTS. The Authority further covenants and agrees that: (a) **Title.** The Authority lawfully owns or will own and is or will be lawfully possessed of the lands, easements or other property rights (including leasehold interests) upon which its Project is and will be located, and has or will purchase good and indefeasible estate in such lands in fee simple, or has or will lawfully obtain any necessary easements or has or will lawfully obtain property rights (including leasehold interests) to operate the Project, and it warrants that it has or will obtain and will defend, the title to all the aforesaid lands, easements and property rights for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds against the claims and demands of all persons whomsoever, that it is lawfully qualified to pledge the Bond Payments to the payment

of the Bonds Similarly Secured, in the manner prescribed herein, and that it has lawfully exercised such rights.

(b) **Liens.** The Authority will from time to time and before the same become delinquent pay and discharge all taxes, assessments, and governmental charges, if any, which shall be lawfully imposed upon it, or its Project, and it will pay all lawful claims for rents, royalties, labor, materials, and supplies which if unpaid might by law become a lien or charge upon its Project, provided, however, that no such tax, assessment, or charge, and that no such claims which might be or other lien or charge, shall be required to be paid while the validity of the same shall be contested in good faith by the Authority.

(c) **Performance.** The Authority will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations, and provisions contained in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured, and in each and every Bond Similarly Secured and pay from the Bond Payments the principal of and interest on every Bond Similarly Secured on the dates and in the places and manner prescribed in such resolutions and Bonds Similarly Secured; and that it will, at the times and in the manner prescribed, deposit or cause to be deposited from the Bond Payments the amounts required to be deposited into the Debt Service Fund; and the Registered Owner of the Bonds Similarly Secured may require the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees to carry out, respect, or enforce the covenants and obligations of this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured including, but without limitation, the use and filing of mandamus proceedings, in any court of competent jurisdiction, against the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees.

(d) **Legal Authority.** The Authority is duly authorized under the laws of the State, including the Act, to issue the Bonds Similarly Secured; that all action on its part for the authorization and issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured has been duly and effectively taken, and the Bonds Similarly Secured in the hands of the Registered Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable special obligations of the Authority in accordance with their terms payable solely from the Bond Payments.

(e) **Budget.** The Authority will prepare, adopt, and place into effect an annual budget (the "Annual Budget") for Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project for each Fiscal Year, including in each Annual Budget such items as are customarily and reasonably contained in a utility project budget under generally accepted accounting procedures and shall deliver such budget at least 90 days prior to adoption for review and comment by the City.

(f) **Permits.** The Authority will comply with all of the terms and conditions of any and all franchises, permits, and authorizations applicable to or necessary with respect to the Project and which have been obtained from any governmental Authority; and the Authority has or will obtain and keep in full force and effect all franchises, permits, authorizations, and other requirements applicable to or necessary with respect to the acquisition, construction, equipment, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Section 19. LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY. The Bonds similarly Secured are limited, special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments, and the Registered Owners

thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of the principal or interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured from any funds raised or to be raised through taxation by the City or the Authority.

Section 20. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. (a) *Events of Default.* Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of this Resolution is hereby declared to be an Event of Default:

(i) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or

(ii) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Authority, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the Registered Owners of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with this Resolution, and, if such default is capable of cure, the continuation thereof for a period of sixty (60) days after notice of such default is given by any Registered Owner to the Authority; or

(iii) a default by the City under the Contract.

(b) *Remedies for Event of Default.*

(i) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then and in every case, any Registered Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including, but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Authority, or any official, officer or employee of the Authority in their official capacity, for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Registered Owners under this Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Registered Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies. The Registered Owners are third party beneficiaries to the Contract with the ability to enforce the provisions of the Contract for such period that a default exists under the Contract.

(ii) It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all Registered Owners of Bonds then Outstanding.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything in this Resolution to the contrary, so long as the Purchaser continue to hold the Bonds, the Purchaser may exercise all remedies available to it in law or equity and any provision in this Resolution or the Bonds that restricts or limits the Purchaser's full exercise of these remedies shall be of no force and effect.

(c) *Remedies Not Exclusive.*

(i) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy or remedies, but each and every such remedy shall be

cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Bonds or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Bonds shall not be available as a remedy under this Resolution.

(ii) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

(iii) By accepting the delivery of a Bond authorized under this Resolution, such Registered Owner agrees that the certifications required to effectuate any covenants or representations contained in this Resolution do not and shall never constitute or give rise to a personal or pecuniary liability or charge against the officers, employees or trustees of the Authority or the Board.

(iv) None of the members of the Board, nor any other official or officer, agent, or employee of the Authority, shall be charged personally by the Registered Owners with any liability, or be held personally liable to the Registered Owners under any term or provision of this Resolution, or because of any Event of Default or alleged Event of Default under this Resolution.

Section 21. AMENDMENT OF RESOLUTION. (a) *Amendments Without Consent.* This Resolution and the rights and obligations of the Board and of the Registered Owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time without notice to or the consent of any Registered Owner of the Bonds or any Bond similarly secured, solely for any one or more of the following purposes:

(i) To add to the covenants and agreements of the Board contained in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed, or to surrender any right or power reserved to or conferred upon the Board in this Resolution;

(ii) To cure any ambiguity or inconsistency, or to cure or correct any defective provisions contained in this Resolution, upon receipt by the Board of an opinion of counsel, that the same is needed for such purpose, and will more clearly express the intent of this Resolution;

(iii) To supplement the security for the Bonds, replace or provide additional Credit Agreement, or change the form of the Bonds or make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(iv) To make any changes or amendments requested by any bond rating Authority then rating or requested to rate the Bonds, as a condition to the issuance or maintenance of a rating, which changes or amendments do not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(v) To make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds; or

(vi) To assign the Contract to a trustee.

(b) **Amendments With Consent.** Subject to the other provisions of this Resolution, the Registered Owners of Outstanding Bonds aggregating 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount shall have the right from time to time to approve any amendment, other than amendments described in Subsection (a) of this Section, to this Resolution which may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Board; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall permit or be construed to permit, without the approval of the owners of all of the Outstanding Bonds, the amendment of the terms and conditions in this Resolution or in the Bonds so as to:

- (1) Make any change in the maturity of the Outstanding Bonds;
- (2) Reduce the rate of interest borne by the Outstanding Bonds;
- (3) Reduce the amount of the principal payable on the Outstanding Bonds;
- (4) Modify the terms of payment of principal of or interest on the Outstanding Bonds, or impose any conditions with respect to such payment;
- (5) Affect the rights of the owners of less than all Bonds then Outstanding; or
- (6) Change the minimum percentage of the Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds necessary for consent to such amendment.

(c) **Notice.** (i) If at any time the Board shall desire to amend this Resolution other than pursuant to (a) above, the Board shall cause notice of the proposed amendment to be published in a financial newspaper or journal of general circulation in The City of New York, New York or the State including in the Texas Bond Reporter once during each calendar week for at least two (2) successive calendar weeks. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that a copy thereof is on file at the principal office of the Paying Agent/Registrar for inspection by all owners of Bonds. Such publication is not required, however, if the Board gives or causes to be given such notice in writing to each Registered Owner of Bonds.

(d) **Receipt of Consents.** Whenever at any time not less than thirty (30) days, and within one (1) year, from the date of the first publication of said notice or other service of written notice of the proposed amendment the Board shall receive an instrument or instruments executed by all of the owners or the owners of at least 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, as appropriate, which instrument or instruments shall refer to the proposed amendment described in said notice and which specifically consent to and approve such amendment in substantially the form of the copy thereof on file as aforesaid, the Board may adopt the amendatory resolution in substantially the same form.

(e) **Effect of Amendments.** Upon the adoption by the Board of any resolution to amend this Resolution pursuant to the provisions of this Section, this Resolution shall be deemed to be amended in accordance with the amendatory resolution, and the respective rights, duties, and obligations of the Board and all the owners of then Outstanding Bonds and all future Bonds shall thereafter be determined, exercised, and enforced under the resolution and this Resolution, as amended.

(f) **Consent Irrevocable.** Any consent given by any owner of Bonds pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be irrevocable for a period of six (6) months from the date of the first publication or other service of the notice provided for in this Section, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bonds during such period. Such consent may be revoked at any time after six (6) months from the date of the first publication of such notice by the owner who gave such consent, or by a successor in title, by filing notice thereof with the Registrar and the Board, but such revocation shall not be effective if the owners of 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, prior to the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendment.

(g) **Ownership.** For the purpose of this Section, the ownership and other matters relating to all Bonds registered as to ownership shall be determined from the Registration Books kept by the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor. The Paying Agent/Registrar may conclusively assume that such ownership continues until written notice to the contrary is served upon the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 22. COVENANTS REGARDING TAX EXEMPTION OF INTEREST ON THE BONDS. (a) **Covenants.** The Authority covenants to take any action necessary to assure, or refrain from any action which would adversely affect, the treatment of the Bonds as obligations described in section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the interest on which is not includable in the "gross income" of the holder for purposes of federal income taxation. In furtherance thereof, the Authority covenants as follows:

- (1) to take any action to assure that no more than 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited to a reserve fund, if any) are used for any "private business use," as defined in section 141(b)(6) of the Code or, if more than 10 percent of the proceeds or the projects financed therewith are so used, such amounts, whether or not received by the Authority, with respect to such private business use, do not, under the terms of this Order or any underlying arrangement, directly or indirectly, secure or provide for the payment of more than 10 percent of the debt service on the Bonds, in contravention of section 141(b)(2) of the Code;
- (2) to take any action to assure that in the event that the "private business use" described in subsection (1) hereof exceeds 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) then the amount in excess of 5 percent is used for a "private business use" which is "related" and not "disproportionate," within the meaning of section 141(b)(3) of the Code, to the governmental use;

- (3) to take any action to assure that no amount which is greater than the lesser of \$5,000,000, or 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) is directly or indirectly used to finance loans to persons, other than state or local governmental units, in contravention of section 141(c) of the Code;
- (4) to refrain from taking any action which would otherwise result in the Bonds being treated as "private activity bonds" within the meaning of section 141(b) of the Code;
- (5) to refrain from taking any action that would result in the Bonds being "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code;
- (6) to refrain from using any portion of the proceeds of the Bonds, directly or indirectly, to acquire or to replace funds which were used, directly or indirectly, to acquire investment property (as defined in section 148(b)(2) of the Code) which produces a materially higher yield over the term of the Bonds, other than investment property acquired with --
 - (A) proceeds of the Bonds invested for a reasonable temporary period of 3 years or less or, in the case of a refunding bond, for a period of 90 days or less until such proceeds are needed for the purpose for which the bonds are issued,
 - (B) amounts invested in a bona fide debt service fund, within the meaning of section 1.148-1(b) of the Treasury Regulations, and
 - (C) amounts deposited in any reasonably required reserve or replacement fund to the extent such amounts do not exceed 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds;
- (7) to otherwise restrict the use of the proceeds of the Bonds or amounts treated as proceeds of the Bonds, as may be necessary, so that the Bonds do not otherwise contravene the requirements of section 148 of the Code (relating to arbitrage) and, to the extent applicable, section 149(d) of the Code (relating to advance refundings);
- (8) to pay to the United States of America at least once during each five-year period (beginning on the date of delivery of the Bonds) an amount that is at least equal to 90 percent of the "Excess Earnings," within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Code and to pay to the United States of America, not later than 60 days after the Bonds have been paid in full, 100 percent of the amount then required to be paid as a result of Excess Earnings under section 148(f) of the Code;
- (9) to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury, not later than the 15th day of the second calendar month after the close of the calendar quarter in which the Bonds are issued, an information statement concerning the Bonds, all

under and in accordance with section 149(e) of the Code and the applicable Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder; and

- (10) the Authority will not acquire any of the Purchaser source series bonds in an amount related to the amount of Bonds acquired by the Purchaser.

(b) **Rebate Fund.** In order to facilitate compliance with the above covenant (8), a "Rebate Fund" is hereby established by the Authority for the sole benefit of the United States of America, and such fund shall not be subject to the claim of any other person, including without limitation the bondholders. The Rebate Fund is established for the additional purpose of compliance with section 148 of the Code.

(c) **Proceeds.** The Authority understands that the term "proceeds" includes "disposition proceeds" as defined in the Treasury Regulations. It is the understanding of the Authority that the covenants contained herein are intended to assure compliance with the Code and any regulations or rulings promulgated by the U.S. Department of the Treasury pursuant thereto. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which modify or expand provisions of the Code, as applicable to the Bonds, the Authority will not be required to comply with any covenant contained herein to the extent that such failure to comply, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not adversely affect the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which impose additional requirements which are applicable to the Bonds, the Authority agrees to comply with the additional requirements to the extent necessary, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, to preserve the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In furtherance of such intention, the Authority hereby authorizes and directs the Executive Director to execute any documents, certificates or reports required by the Code and to make such elections, on behalf of the Authority, which may be permitted by the Code as are consistent with the purpose for the issuance of the Bonds.

(d) **Allocation Of, and Limitation On, Expenditures for the Project.** The Authority covenants to account for the expenditure of sale proceeds and investment earnings to be used for the purposes described in Section 2 of this Resolution (the "Project") on its books and records in accordance with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Authority recognizes that in order for the proceeds to be considered used for the reimbursement of costs, the proceeds must be allocated to expenditures within 18 months of the later of the date that (1) the expenditure is made, or (2) the Project is completed; but in no event later than three years after the date on which the original expenditure is paid. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Authority recognizes that in order for proceeds to be expended under the Internal Revenue Code, the sale proceeds or investment earnings must be expended no more than 60 days after the earlier of (1) the fifth anniversary of the delivery of the Bonds, or (2) the date the Bonds are retired. The Authority agrees to obtain the advice of nationally-recognized bond counsel if such expenditure fails to comply with the foregoing to assure that such expenditure will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(e) **Disposition of Project.** The Authority covenants that the property constituting the Project will not be sold or otherwise disposed in a transaction resulting in the receipt by the Authority of cash or other compensation, unless any action taken in connection with such disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purpose of the foregoing, the Authority may rely on an opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel that the action taken in connection with such sale or other disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes of the foregoing, the portion of the property comprising personal property and disposed in the ordinary course shall not be treated as a transaction resulting in the receipt of cash or other compensation. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(f) **Reimbursement.** This Resolution is intended to satisfy the official intent requirements set forth in section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations.

Section 23. RESOLUTION TO CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT; EQUAL SECURITY. In consideration of the acceptance of the Bonds, the issuance of which is authorized hereunder, by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the Board and the Registered Owners from time to time of the Bonds and the pledge made in this Resolution by the Board and the covenants and agreements set forth in this Resolution to be performed by the Board shall be for the equal and proportionate benefit, security, and protection of all Registered Owners, without preference, priority, or distinction as to security or otherwise of any of the Bonds authorized hereunder over any of the others by reason of time of issuance, sale, or maturity thereof or otherwise for any cause whatsoever, except as expressly provided in or permitted by this Resolution.

Section 24. SEVERABILITY OF INVALID PROVISIONS. If any one or more of the covenants, agreements, or provisions herein contained shall be held contrary to any express provisions of law or contrary to the policy of express law, though not expressly prohibited, or against public policy, or shall for any reason whatsoever be held invalid, then such covenants, agreements, or provisions shall be null and void and shall be deemed separable from the remaining covenants, agreements, or provisions and shall in no way affect the validity of any of the other provisions hereof or of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 25. PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS DAYS. Except as provided to the contrary in the FORM OF BOND, whenever under the terms of this Resolution or the Bonds, the performance date of any provision hereof or thereof, including the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, shall occur on a day other than a Business Day, then the performance thereof, including the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of performance or payment.

Section 26. LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO THE RESOLUTION. With the exception of the rights or benefits herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or contained herein or implied from the provisions of this Resolution or the Bonds is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any person other than the Board, the Registered

Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar, any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to this Resolution or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, agreement, or provision herein contained. This Resolution and all of the covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions hereof are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive benefit of the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar as herein and therein provided.

Section 27. CUSTODY, APPROVAL, BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION, CUSIP NUMBERS AND PREAMBLE. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized to have control of the Bonds issued hereunder and all necessary records and proceedings pertaining to the Bonds pending their delivery and approval by the Attorney General of the State. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized, to the extent deemed necessary or advisable thereby, in the discretion thereof, to request that the Attorney General approve the Bonds as permitted by Chapter 1202, Texas Government Code, in which case the Authority Representative also is authorized to request the Comptroller of Public Accounts register the Bonds, and to cause an appropriate legend reflecting such approval and registration to appear on the Bonds and the substitute Bonds. The approving legal opinion of the Board's Bond Counsel and the assigned CUSIP numbers may, at the option of the Board, be printed on the Bonds and on any Bonds issued and delivered in exchange or replacement of any Bond, but neither shall have any legal effect, and shall be solely for the convenience and information of the Registered Owners of the Bonds. The preamble to this Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of this Resolution for all purposes.

Section 28. CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING. (a) *Annual Reports.* The Authority shall provide annually to the MSRB, (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the Authority, financial and operating data of the general type, being the information of the type described in Exhibit "D" hereto including financial statements of the Authority if audited financial statements of the Authority are then available, and (2) if not provided as part such financial information and operating data, audited financial statements of the Authority, when and if available. Any financial statements to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles for governmental units, or such other accounting principles as the Authority may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to state law or regulation, and in substantially the form included in the official statement, and (ii) audited, if the Authority commissions an audit of such financial statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the Authority shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available.

If the Authority changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) prior to the next date by which the Board otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data pursuant to this Section.

The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document that is available to the public on the MSRB's internet web site or filed with the SEC.

All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(b) ***Event Notices.*** The Authority shall file notice to notify the MSRB of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds in a timely manner and not more than ten business days after the occurrence of the event:

1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
2. Non-payment related defaults, if material;
3. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
4. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
5. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
6. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other events affecting the tax status of the Bonds
7. Modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material;
8. Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
9. Defeasances;
10. Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material;
11. Rating changes;
12. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Authority;
13. The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Authority or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Authority, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material;
14. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material;

15. Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which affect security holder, if material; and
16. Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

For these purposes, (a) any event described in the immediately preceding paragraph (12) is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Authority in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers of the Authority in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, and (b) the Authority intends the words used in the immediately preceding paragraphs (15) and (16) and the definition of Financial Obligation in this Section to have the same meanings as when they are used in the Rule, as evidenced by SEC Release No. 34-83885, dated August 20, 2018.

The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any failure by the Authority to provide financial information or operating data in accordance with subsection (a) of this Section by the time required by such subsection. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(b) ***Limitations, Disclaimers, and Amendments.*** The Board shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Section for so long as, but only for so long as, the Board remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds within the meaning of the Rule, except that the Board in any event will give notice of any deposit made in accordance with Section 30 of this Resolution that causes the Bonds no longer to be outstanding.

The provisions of this Section are for the sole benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds, and nothing in this Section, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The Board undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Section and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the Board's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Section or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The Board does

not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE AUTHORITY BE LIABLE TO THE HOLDER OR BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY BOND OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE AUTHORITY, WHETHER NEGLIGENT OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS SECTION, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR *MANDAMUS* OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

No default by the Authority in observing or performing its obligations under this Section shall comprise a breach of or default under this Resolution for purposes of any other provision of this Resolution.

Should the Rule be amended to obligate the Authority to make filings with or provide notices to entities other than the MSRB, the Board of the Authority hereby agrees to undertake such obligation with respect to the Bonds in accordance with the Rule as amended.

Nothing in this Section is intended or shall act to disclaim, waive, or otherwise limit the duties of the Board under federal and state securities laws.

The provisions of this Section may be amended by the Board of the Authority from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the Board, but only if (1) the provisions of this Section, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule since such offering as well as such changed circumstances and (2) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provision of this Resolution that authorizes such an amendment) of the outstanding Bonds consents to such amendment or (b) a person that is unaffiliated with the Board (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interest of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. If the Board of the Authority so amends the provisions of this Section, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data next provided in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section an explanation, in narrative form, of the reason for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information or operating data so provided. The Board may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provision of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds.

Section 29. APPLICATION OF BOND PROCEEDS. (a) Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall, promptly upon receipt thereof, be applied by the Authority Representative as follows:

- (i) accrued interest, if any, for the Bonds shall be deposited as provided in Section 9(a);
- (ii) an amount sufficient to accomplish the purposes of Section 2(b) shall be deposited to the Project Fund; and
- (iii) any proceeds from the sale of the Bonds remaining after the deposits provided for in clauses (i) and (ii) above, shall be applied to pay expenses arising in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

Any sale proceeds of the Bonds remaining after making all deposits and payments provided for above shall be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds and deposited into the Debt Service Fund.

Section 30. DEFEASANCE PROVISIONS. (a) Any Bond and the interest thereon shall be deemed to be paid, retired and no longer outstanding (a "Defeased Bond") within the meaning of this Resolution, except to the extent provided in subsections (c) and (e) of this Section, when payment of the principal of such Bond, plus interest thereon to the due date or dates (whether such due date or dates be by reason of maturity, upon redemption, or otherwise) either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof (including the giving of any required notice of redemption or the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice) or (ii) shall have been provided for on or before such due date by irrevocably depositing with or making available to the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for such payment (1) lawful money of the United States of America sufficient to make such payment, (2) Defeasance Securities, certified by an independent public accounting firm of national reputation to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will ensure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to provide for such payment and when proper arrangements have been made by the Authority with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for the payment of its services until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable or (3) any combination of (1) and (2). At such time as a Bond shall be deemed to be a Defeased Bond hereunder, as aforesaid, such Bond and the interest thereon shall no longer be secured by, payable from, or entitled to the benefits of, the Bond Payments as provided in this Resolution, and such principal and interest shall be payable solely from such money or Defeasance Securities

b) The deposit under clause (ii) of subsection (a) shall be deemed a payment of a Bond as aforesaid when proper notice of redemption of such Bonds shall have been given or upon the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice, in accordance with this Resolution. Any money so deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank as provided in this Section may at the discretion of the Authority also be invested in Defeasance Securities, maturing in the amounts and at the times as hereinbefore set forth, and all income from all Defeasance Securities in possession of the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section which is not required for the payment of such Bond and premium, if any, and interest thereon with respect to which such money has been so deposited, shall be remitted to the Authority.

c) Notwithstanding any provision of any other Section of this Resolution which may be contrary to the provisions of this Section, all money or Defeasance Securities set aside and held

in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of principal of the Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, shall be applied to and used solely for the payment of the particular Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, with respect to which such money or Defeasance Securities have been so set aside in trust. Until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for such Defeased Bonds the same as if they had not been defeased, and the Authority shall make proper arrangements to provide and pay for such services as required by this Resolution.

d) Notwithstanding anything elsewhere in this Resolution, if money or Defeasance Securities have been deposited or set aside with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section for the payment of Bonds and such Bonds shall not have in fact been actually paid in full, no amendment of the provisions of this Section shall be made without the consent of the registered owner of each Bond affected thereby.

e) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above, to the extent that, upon the defeasance of any Defeased Bond to be paid at its maturity, the Authority retains the right under State law to later call that Defeased Bond for redemption in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution, the Authority may call such Defeased Bond for redemption upon complying with the provisions of State law and upon the satisfaction of the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above with respect to such Defeased Bond as though it was being defeased at the time of the exercise of the option to redeem the Defeased Bond and the effect of the redemption is taken into account in determining the sufficiency of the provisions made for the payment of the Defeased Bond.

Section 31. SALE OF BONDS; USE OF PROCEEDS. (a) *Sale to the Texas Water Development Board ("Purchaser")*. That the Bonds are hereby sold to the Purchaser for the price of par. The Bonds have been purchased by the Purchaser pursuant to its Resolution No. 17-079, adopted on July 20, 2017, as amended by Resolution 19-077 adopted on July 22, 2019 (collectively, the "Purchaser Resolution"). The Bonds initially delivered shall be registered in the name of the Texas Water Development Board. The Private Placement Memorandum prepared in connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser in substantially the form attached to this Resolution is approved. The Authority has determined, based upon the advice provided by its financial advisors, that acceptance of the purchase price for the Bonds is on terms advantageous to, and in the best interests of, the Authority.

(b) *Notice from Purchaser of Sale of Bonds*. It is the intent of the parties to the sale of the Bonds that if Purchaser ever determines to sell all or a part of the Bonds, it shall notify the Authority at least 60 days prior to the sale of the Bonds of the decision to so sell the Bonds.

(c) *Proceeds*. The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be used in the manner described in the letter of instructions executed by the Authority, or on behalf of the Authority by its financial advisor.

(d) *Payment by Wire Transfer*. Payment of amounts due and owing on the Bonds to the Purchaser shall be made by wire transfer, at no expense to the Purchaser, as provided in the FORM OF BOND.

(e) **Escrow Fund.** By agreeing to the purchase the Bonds, the Purchaser agrees that the Bond proceeds shall be deposited into the escrow fund established in the Escrow Agreement between the Authority and BOKF, NA.

(f) **Investment of Bond Proceeds.** Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be held at a depository or other properly chartered and authorized institution in accordance with Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, and Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code.

Section 32. FURTHER PROCEDURES. The Authority Representative and all other officers, employees, and agents of the Board, and each of them, shall be and they are hereby expressly authorized, empowered, and directed from time to time and at any time to do and perform all such acts and things and to execute, acknowledge, and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Board all such instruments, whether or not herein mentioned, as may be necessary or desirable in order to carry out the terms and provisions of this Resolution, the Bonds, the sale and delivery of the Bonds and fixing all details in connection therewith. The Authority Representative is authorized to sign this Resolution.

Section 33. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS. All resolutions and all parts of any resolutions which are in conflict or inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed and shall be of no further force or effect to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 34. PUBLIC NOTICE. It is hereby found and determined that each of the officers and members of the Board was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place, and purpose of the Meeting at which this Resolution was adopted; that this Resolution would be introduced and considered for adoption at said meeting; and that said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Section 35. NO PERSONAL LIABILITY. No covenant or agreement contained in the Bonds, this Resolution or any corollary instrument shall be deemed to be the covenant or agreement of any member of the Board or the City or any officer, agent, employee or representative of the Board or the City in their individual capacity, and neither the directors, officers, agents, employees or representatives of the Board or the City nor any person executing the Bonds shall be personally liable thereon or be subject to any personal liability for damages or otherwise or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof, or any actions taken or duties performed, whether by virtue of any constitution, statute or rule of law, or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty, or otherwise, all such liability being expressly released and waived as a condition of and in consideration for the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 36. APPROVAL OF ESCROW AGREEMENT, PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT, BLANKET ISSUER LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS WITH THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY AND CREDIT AGREEMENTS. (a) The Escrow Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent ("Escrow Agreement") in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved, and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Escrow Agreement, as necessary.

(b) The Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA ("Paying Agent Agreement"), in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized and directed to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Paying Agent Agreement, as necessary.

(c) The Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations with the Depository Trust Company has been previously executed by the Authority Representative and is hereby authorized to be utilized in connection with the Bonds.

(d) To the extent permitted by law, the Authority reserves the right to enter into Credit Agreements in connection with the Bonds, upon the written opinion of the Authority Representative that such Credit Agreements are in the best interest of the Authority given the market conditions at the time. The Credit Agreements will constitute a Credit Agreement as defined in this Resolution. Credit Agreements and the obligations thereunder may, pursuant to their terms, constitute (i) debt secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments on parity with the Bonds Similarly Secured (ii) debt secured by an inferior lien secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments subordinate to the Bonds Similarly Secured or (iii) partially parity and partially inferior lien.

Section 37. ADDITIONAL COVENANTS. In connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser, the Authority covenants as follows:

(a) ***Compliance with the Texas Water Development Board's Rules and Regulations.*** The Authority covenants to comply with the rules and regulations of the Purchaser, and to maintain insurance on the Project in such amount as may be required by Purchaser, as further addressed in subsection (h) of this Section.

(b) ***Audits.*** For so long as the State owns any of the Bonds, the Authority shall mail a copy of the audit required by this Resolution to the Purchaser. In addition, monthly operating statements for the Project shall be maintained by the Authority and made available, on request, to the Purchaser as long as the State owns any of the Bonds, and the monthly operating statement shall be in such detail as requested by the Development Fund Manager of the Purchaser until this requirement is waived thereby. The Authority shall also provide, or cause to be provided, a copy of the City's audit within 180 days after the City's fiscal year end.

(c) ***Final Accounting.*** Within 60 days of Project completion, the Authority shall render a final accounting to the Purchaser in reference to the total cost incurred by the Authority for the Project which were financed by the issuance of the Bonds, together with a copy of "as built" plans of such Project.

(d) ***Defeasance.*** Should the Authority exercise its right under this Resolution to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, the Authority agrees that it will provide the Purchaser with 30 days written notice of any such defeasance.

(e) ***Segregation of Funds.*** The Authority covenants that proceeds of the Bonds shall remain separate and distinct from other sources of funding from the date of the Purchaser commitment through costing and final disbursement.

(f) ***Environmental Indemnity.*** Proceeds from the Bonds shall not be used by the Authority when sampling, testing, removing, or disposing of contaminated soils and/or media at the Project site. To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and protect the Purchaser from any and all claims, causes of action, or damages to the person or property of third parties arising from the sampling, analysis, transport, storage, treatment, and disposition of any contaminated sewage sludge, contaminated sediments, and/or contaminated media that may be generated by the Authority, its contractors, consultants, agents, officials, and employees as a result of activities relating to the project funded with proceeds of the Bonds.

(g) ***Environmental Determination.*** In connection with the Project financed with the Bonds, the Authority agrees to implement any environmental determination issued by the Executive Administrator of Purchaser to satisfy the environmental review requirements set forth in 31 Texas Administrative Code 371.

(h) ***Insurance.*** The Authority agrees that it will maintain insurance on the Project in an amount sufficient to protect Purchaser's interest in the project financed with the proceeds of the Bonds. The Authority may self-insure in respect to satisfying this covenant.

(i) ***No Purchase of Purchaser Bonds.*** The Authority agrees that it, nor any related party to the Authority, will not purchase, as an investment or otherwise, bonds issued by Purchaser including, without limitation, bonds issued by Purchaser, the proceeds of which were used by Purchaser to purchase the Bonds.

(j) ***Compliance with Federal Contracting Laws.*** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of federal law relating to contracting with disadvantaged business enterprises.

(k) ***Compliance with State Contracting Laws.*** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of State law relating to contracting with historically underutilized businesses and will report to the Purchaser the amounts of Project funds, if any, that are used to compensate historically underutilized businesses that work on the Project in accordance with 31 TAC '363.1312.

Section 38. APPROVAL CERTIFICATE. Pursuant to Section 3.1 of the Contract, the City has authorized the execution of an approval certificate attached hereto as Exhibit "F" which evidences the approval of the terms and provisions of the Bonds as set forth herein by the City.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this October 30, 2019

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Authority Representative

EXHIBIT A DEFINITIONS

As used in this Resolution, the following terms and expressions shall have the meanings set forth below, unless the text in this Resolution specifically indicates otherwise.

The term *Additional Bonds* shall mean the obligations issued in accordance with the terms and conditions prescribed in Section 13 hereof.

The term *Annual Payments* shall have the meaning given in each Contract.

The term *Authorized Denominations* shall mean shall mean the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

The term *Authority* shall mean Alliance Regional Water Authority and any other public Authority succeeding to the powers, rights, privileges and functions of the Authority and, when appropriate, the Board of the Authority.

The term *Authority Representative* shall mean the Chair, Vice Chair or the Executive Director of the Authority or such other person authorized by the Board to act as an Authority Representative.

The term *Average Annual Debt Service Requirements* shall mean that average amount which, at the time of computation, will be required to pay the Debt Service Requirements on all outstanding Bonds Similarly Secured when due (either at Stated Maturity or mandatory redemption) and derived by dividing the total of such Debt Service Requirement by the number of Fiscal Years then remaining before Stated Maturity of such Bonds Similarly Secured. For purposes of this definition, a fractional period of a Fiscal Year shall be treated as an entire Fiscal Year. Capitalized interest payments provided from Bond proceeds shall be excluded in making the aforementioned computation.

The term *Board* shall mean the Board of Directors of the Authority.

The term *Bond Payments* shall mean the payments defined as "Bond Payments" within the Contract that the Authority expects to receive from the City of San Marcos, Texas pursuant to the terms of the Contract.

The term *Bonds* shall mean and include collectively the Bonds issued and delivered and all substitute Bonds exchanged therefor, as well as all other substitute bonds and replacement bonds issued pursuant hereto, and the term *Bond* shall mean any of the Bonds.

The term *Bonds Similarly Secured* shall mean the Series 2017 Bonds and the Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution and any Additional Bonds hereafter issued by the Authority or bonds issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that provides that the refunding bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments.

The term *Business Day* shall mean any day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or a day on which banking institutions in The Authority of New York, New York or in the city where the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close.

The term *Certified Public Accountant* shall mean an independent certified public accountant or firm of independent certified public accountants.

The term *City* shall mean the City of San Marcos, Texas.

The term *City System* shall mean and includes the existing combined waterworks and/or wastewater disposal system of the City, together with all future extensions, improvements, enlargements, and additions thereto, including, to the extent permitted by law, storm sewer and drainage and/or reclaimed water systems which are integrated with the waterworks or wastewater disposal system, and all replacements thereof. Provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, and to the extent now or hereafter authorized or permitted by law, the term *City System* shall not include any waterworks or wastewater facilities which are declared by the Authority not to be a part of the City System, and which are hereafter acquired or constructed by the Authority with the proceeds from the issuance of "Special Facilities Bonds," which are hereby defined as being special revenue obligations of the City which are not secured by or payable from the net revenues of the City System, but which are secured by and are payable solely from special contract revenues, or payments received from the City or any other legal entity, or any combination thereof, in connection with such facilities; and such revenues or payments shall not be considered as or constitute gross revenues of the City System, unless and to the extent otherwise provided in the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issuance of such *Special Facilities Bonds*.

The term *City Utility Bonds* shall mean the bonds, notes or other obligations issued by the City secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the City System or any part thereof regardless of lien priority including such bonds, notes or other obligations now or hereafter outstanding.

The term *Closing Date* shall mean the date of physical delivery of the Initial Bond issued pursuant to this Resolution for the payment in full by the Purchaser.

The term *Completion Date* shall mean when the Facilities have been substantially complete, the date specified in a certificate of the Authority and Project Engineer that the Project is substantially completed and ready to be placed in service.

The term *Contract* shall mean the Regional Water Supply Contract dated as of January 9, 2008, together with amendments and supplements thereto including Amendment No. 1 (which by the term of such instrument is designated as a supplement or amendment to such Contract) between the Authority and each Participating Entity, conformed copies of the Contract being attached hereto as Exhibit "E" for the purposes of identification.

The term *Credit Agreement* shall mean an Insurance Policy, a surety bond (including any supporting Insurance Agreement), a letter or line of credit or other type of enhancement issued in support of any Bonds or Additional Bonds by a Credit Agreement Provider at the request of the Authority.

The term *Credit Agreement Provider* shall mean (i) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a policy of municipal bond insurance or a surety bond, an issuer of policies of insurance insuring the timely payment of scheduled debt service on governmental obligations such as any Series of Bonds or Additional Bonds, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds upon delivery of the Bonds or Additional Bonds fully insured by a standard policy issued by the issuer in its highest generic rating category for such obligations; and (ii) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a letter or line of credit, any financial institution, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds in one of its two highest generic rating categories for such obligations if the letter or line of credit proposed to be issued by such financial institution secured the timely payment of the entire principal amount of a series of Bonds or Additional Bonds and the interest thereon.

The term *Debt Service Fund* shall mean the special fund or account created and established by the provisions of Section 9(a) of this Resolution.

The term *Debt Service Requirements* shall mean as of any particular date of computation, with respect to any obligations and with respect to any period, the aggregate of the amounts to be paid or set aside by the Authority as of such date or in such period for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (to the extent not capitalized) on such obligations; assuming, in the case of obligations without a fixed numerical rate, that such obligations bear interest calculated by (a) either (i) an interest rate equal to the average rate borne by such Bonds (or by comparable debt in the event that such Bonds have not been outstanding during the preceding 24 months) for any 24 month period ending within 30 days prior to the date of calculation, (ii) if the Bonds bear interest at tax-exempt rates, an interest rate equal to the 24 month average of the Index (as most recently published in The Bond Buyer), unless such index is no longer published in The Bond Buyer, in which case the index to be used in its place shall be that index which the Authority Representative determines most closely replicates such index as set forth in a certificate of a Authority Representative, (iii) if the Bonds bear interest at taxable rates, the index which the Authority Representative determines is an accepted market index for taxable rates, (iv) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based, to the extent possible, upon an accepted market index which corresponds with the provisions of the subject Bonds, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect with respect to such Bonds or (v) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based upon the interest rate methodology in the applicable Credit Agreement if calculating payments under a Credit Agreement, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect; and (b) that the debt service of such bonds is amortized such that annual debt service is substantially level over the remaining stated life of such bonds, and further assuming in the case of obligations required to be redeemed or prepaid as to principal prior to Stated Maturity, the principal amounts thereof will be redeemed prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the mandatory redemption provisions applicable thereto.

The term *Defeasance Securities* shall mean (i) Federal Securities, (ii) noncallable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm no less than "AAA" or its equivalent, or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Depository* shall mean an official depository bank of the Authority.

The term *Designated Trust Office* shall have the meaning ascribed to said term in Section 5(b) of this Resolution.

The term *Engineering Report* shall mean the "Final Report of the Plumbing Plan," prepared by Lockwood, Andrews & Newnan, Inc., dated September 21, 2007, as such report may be amended, modified and changed and superseded with the approval of the Authority and Sponsors, at any time prior to the execution of construction contracts for the Project or as modified and changed by change orders issued after the execution of such construction contracts; provided, however, no such change orders shall adversely affect any of the Sponsors without the consent of the Sponsors.

The term *Facilities* shall mean the facilities, wells, diversion structures, treatment plants, storage tanks, capacity rights, lines, booster pumps, and other appurtenances sufficient to produce, divert, treat and deliver the water to which the Sponsors are entitled under the Contract and any improvements, additions, or extensions to such Facilities hereafter acquired or constructed to deliver water between such places.

The term *Federal Securities* shall mean direct, non-callable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America (including Interest Strips of the Resolution Funding Corporation).

The term *Financial Obligation* shall mean (a) debt obligation; (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (c) guarantee of a debt obligation or any such derivative instrument; provided that "financial obligation" shall not include municipal securities (as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

The term *Fiscal Year* shall mean the twelve month accounting period used by the Authority in connection with the operation of the Project, currently ending on September 30th of each year,

which may be any twelve consecutive month period established by the Authority, but in no event may the Fiscal Year be changed more than one time in any three calendar year period.

The term *Fitch* shall mean Fitch Ratings, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Fitch shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Funds* shall mean the Debt Service Fund and Project Fund created and held pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Government Securities* shall mean (i) direct non-callable obligations of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America; (ii) non-callable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Interest Payment Date* shall mean the date semiannual interest is payable on the Bonds, while any of the Bonds remain Outstanding as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *IRS Code* shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The term *Land Interests* shall mean the easements, right-of-way, and other interests in real property necessary for the acquisition, construction, and operation of the Facilities and the Water Rights for the Project.

The term *MSRB* means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The term *Maturity* shall mean the date on which the principal of a Bond becomes due and payable as therein and herein provided, whether at Stated Maturity, by redemption or otherwise.

The term *Moody's* shall mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Moody's shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Operation and Maintenance Expenses* shall mean all direct costs and expenses incurred by the Authority for its operation and maintenance, including but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of the Project, including (for greater certainty but without limiting the

generality of the foregoing) amounts payable under any contract with any person, including, but not limited to any federal, state, or local Authority for the right to produce, withdraw or divert and use water, any contribution or payment in lieu of taxes or any fee or charge by any government authority relating to the Authority's production, withdrawal or diversion of or sale of treated water hereunder, the costs of utilities, supervision, engineering, accounting, auditing, legal services, insurance premiums, supplies, services, and administration of the Project, Overhead Expenses, any required costs of mitigation and land management incidental to Project operation, and costs of operating, repairing, maintaining, and replacing equipment for proper operation and maintenance of the Project. The term "Operation and Maintenance Expenses" does not include depreciation charges or such portion of the above described costs to the extent such costs are paid pursuant to an agreement other than the Contract.

The term *Outstanding* shall mean when used in this Resolution with respect to Bonds means, as of the date of determination, all Bonds of any series issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, except:

- (1) those Bonds canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar or delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation;
- (2) those Bonds for which payment has been duly provided by the Authority in accordance with the provisions of Section 30 of this Resolution by the irrevocable deposit with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, of money or Government Securities, or both, in the amount necessary to fully pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest thereon to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, provided that, if such Bonds are to be redeemed, notice of redemption thereof shall have been duly given pursuant to this Resolution or irrevocably provided to be given to the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or waived; and
- (3) those Bonds that have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen and replacement Bonds have been registered and delivered in lieu thereof as provided in Section 5(f) of this Resolution.

The term *Overhead Expenses* shall mean the Authority's reasonable and necessary costs and expenses incurred at any time directly related to the issuance and servicing of the Bonds, the acquisition of Land Interests required for the Project, the design, permitting, financing, acquisition, construction, and ownership of the Project and any other activities required of or involving the Authority in connection with or attributable to the Project or the Bonds, including, but not limited to: (i) per diem and reimbursable expenses incurred by the Directors of the Authority for special meetings of the Authority's Board related to the Project; (ii) services of the professional, technical skilled and unskilled persons and firms engaged by or associated with the Authority, other than Authority staff personnel, together with their reimbursable expenses paid or required to be paid by the Authority; (iii) salaries of the Authority's staff attributable to the Project or the Bonds based on time expended, as documented or reasonably estimated by the President, Board of the Authority; (iv) the costs of preparing applications for and obtaining all approvals and authorizations required for the Project or the Bonds from the regulatory authorities having jurisdiction; (v) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance incurred prior to the Completion Date; including any insurance deductible charged to or required to be paid by

the Authority; provided that if the Authority is unable to obtain such insurance on an occurrence basis, then any expense incurred by the Authority from and after the Completion Date for casualty and public liability insurance, including any insurance deductible, shall be paid by the Sponsors; (vi) all costs incurred in litigation involving or relating to the Project; and (vii) any and all other costs and expenses, including out-of-pocket expenses, incurred by the Authority attributable to the Project or the Bonds, whether enumerated above or not, and whether or not included in the definition or as a part of Project Costs.

The terms *Paying Agent/Registrar*, *Paying Agent* or *Registrar* shall mean the agent appointed pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution or any successor to such agent.

The term *Participating Entities* shall mean with respect to the Contract, Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos and Canyon Regional Water Authority.

The term *Phase 1A Project* shall mean the design and construction of facilities to interconnect the Cities of Kyle and Buda water systems. The Project will use the Phase 1A Project facilities to deliver Carrizo water into the Buda system. Facilities include a possible water pump section, pumps, ground storage tank, chlorine treatment system, yard piping necessary to receive and pump water, fee simple purchase of property for the pump station and new transmission pipeline.

The term *Phase 1B Improvements Project* shall include design, construction and equipment of multiple wells drilled and installed; the primary collection line from the well field to the treatment plant along with the individual collection lines; a sand filter water treatment plant including filters, disinfection equipment, high service pump station, and clearwell storage; plant construction in phases with Phase 1B expected to provide a treatment capacity of approximately 5 MGD, with an ultimate plant buildout of approximately 35 MGD; and transmission mains from the water treatment plant to the Project's Phase 1A infrastructure all as further set forth in the Authority's application to the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Project* shall mean, collectively, the Land Interests and the Facilities as described in the recitals to the Contract and in the Engineering Report.

The term *Project Costs* shall mean and includes, without limitation, the following costs incurred for the Project by or on behalf of the Authority or the Sponsors: (i) the cost of acquisition of the Land Interests, including appraisals, closing costs and title insurance policies; (ii) the cost of acquisition, construction, repair, replacement, improvement or decommissioning of the Facilities, and any structure, item of equipment, or other item, used for, or in connection with, the Project; (iii) the cost of site preparation of the Land Interests, including demolition or removal of structures and improvements as necessary or incident to accomplishing the Project; (iv) the cost of engineering, legal, architectural or other related services; (v) the preparation cost of plans, specifications, studies, surveys, cost estimates, and other expenses necessary or incident to planning, providing, or financing the Project; (vi) the cost of machinery, equipment, furnishings, and facilities necessary or incident to placing the Project in operation; (vii) finance charges and interest before, during, and after construction as permitted by the laws of the State; (viii) costs incurred in connection with financing the project, including, without limitation: (1) financing, legal, accounting, financial advisory, rating Authority, and auditing fees, expenses and

disbursements; (2) the cost of printing, engraving, and reproduction services; and (3) the cost of a trustee's or paying agent's initial or acceptance fee and subsequent fees; (ix) all costs, fees and expenses of litigation of all kinds; (x) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance; (xi) the fees and costs of the underwriters as the anticipated Purchaser of the Bonds; reimbursement of the costs previously incurred by the Sponsors with respect to the Project; and (xiii) other costs generally recognized as a part of Project construction costs.

The term *Project Engineer* shall mean such engineer or engineering firm selected by the Authority.

The term *Purchaser* shall mean the initial purchaser of the Bonds, the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Record Date* shall mean the Business Day of each month as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *Registration Books* shall mean the books or records relating to the registration, payment and transfer or exchange of the Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution.

The term *Registered Owner* shall mean the entity or person in whose names any of the Bonds are registered in the Registration Books.

The term *Resolution* shall mean this resolution adopted by the Board of Authority on October 30, 2019.

The term *Rule* shall mean SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

The term *SEC* means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

The term *Series* shall mean any designated Series of Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Series 2017 Bonds* shall mean the Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2017C.

The term *Special Project Bonds* shall mean obligations which the Authority expressly reserves the right to issue in Section 14 of this Resolution.

The term *State* shall mean the State of Texas.

The term *Stated Maturity* shall mean, when used with respect to the Bonds, the scheduled maturity or mandatory sinking fund redemption date of a series of the Bonds.

The term *Water Rights* shall mean the right to produce, withdraw or divert water, and transport the water from the location where it is produced, withdrawn, or diverted into Caldwell

County, Guadalupe County, Hays County, and the surrounding counties. "Water Rights" are a component of "Land Interests."

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF TEXAS
ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS
(REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT –
CITY OF SAN MARCOS, TEXAS), SERIES 2019C

<u>BOND</u> <u>DATE:</u>	<u>STATED</u> <u>MATURITY:</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATE:</u>	<u>CUSIP</u> <u>NO.:</u>
November 20, 2019			

REGISTERED OWNER: _____

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: _____ **DOLLARS**

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "State"), created by the Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos, Texas and the Canyon Regional Water Authority a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and existing under the laws of the State, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner specified above, or the registered assigns thereof, on the Stated Maturity date specified above, the Principal Amount specified above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption), and to pay interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to the earlier of redemption or Stated Maturity, at the per annum rate of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15 of each year commencing August 15, 2020.

Principal and premium, if any, of the Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the "Holder") upon presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar executing the registration certificate appearing hereon or a successor thereof. Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond (or one or more Predecessor Bonds, as defined in the Resolution hereinafter referenced) whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of

principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. In addition, interest may be paid by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Registered Owner. The foregoing notwithstanding, so long as the Texas Water Development Board is the registered owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding, payment of principal and interest on the Bonds shall be made thereto by wire transfer, at no expense to the Texas Water Development Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during any period in which ownership of the Bonds is determined only by a book entry at a securities depository for the Bonds, payments made to the securities depository, or its nominee, shall be made in accordance with arrangements between the Authority and the securities depository.

This Bond is one of the series specified in its title issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$30,800,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to a resolution adopted by the governing body of the Authority (the "Resolution"), (i) FOR CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

The principal amount of a Term Bond required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of such mandatory redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the Authority, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of such Stated Maturity which, at least 50 days prior to the mandatory redemption date (1) shall have been defeased or acquired by the Authority and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the request of the Authority with money in the Debt Service Fund, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions set forth below and not theretofore credited against a mandatory redemption requirement.

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying

Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part.

The Bonds of this series are special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments received by the Authority from the Authority pursuant to the provisions of the Contract. In the Resolution, the Authority reserves and retains the right to issue Additional Bonds, without limitation as to principal amount but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions set forth in the Resolution or as may be applicable thereto under law or otherwise. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the Authority or System, except with respect to the Bond Payments.

The Holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, copies of which are on file in the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and to all of the provisions of which the Holder by his acceptance hereof hereby assents, for definitions of terms; the description and nature of the Special Payments pledged for the payment of the Bonds; the terms and conditions under which the Authority may issue Additional Bonds; the terms and conditions relating to the transfer or exchange of the Bonds; the conditions upon which the Resolution may be amended or supplemented with or without the consent of the Holders; the rights, duties, and obligations of the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar; the terms and provisions upon which this Bond may be redeemed or discharged at or prior to the Stated Maturity thereof, and deemed to be no longer Outstanding thereunder; and for the other terms and provisions specified in the Resolution. Capitalized terms used herein have the same meanings assigned in the Resolution.

This Bond, subject to certain limitations contained in the Resolution, may be transferred on the Registration Books upon presentation and surrender at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar duly executed by the Holder hereof, or his duly authorized agent, and thereupon one or more new fully registered Bonds of the same Stated Maturity, of authorized denominations, bearing the same rate of interest, and of the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

The Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any agent of either, shall treat the Holder hereof whose name appears on the Security Register (i) on the Record Date as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of interest hereon, (ii) on the date of surrender of this Bond as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of principal hereof at its Stated Maturity, or its redemption, in whole or in part, and (iii) on any other date as the owner hereof for all other purposes, and neither the Authority nor the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any such agent of either, shall be affected by notice to the contrary. In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for thirty (30) days thereafter, a new record date for such interest

payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the Authority. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest (the "Special Payment Date" - which shall be fifteen (15) days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five (5) business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder appearing on the Security Register at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

It is hereby certified, covenanted, and represented that all acts, conditions, and things required to be performed, exist, and be done precedent to the issuance of this Bond in order to render the same a legal, valid, and binding special obligation of the Authority have been performed, exist, and have been done, in regular and due time, form, and manner, as required by law, and that issuance of the Bonds does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; and that due provision has been made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and as otherwise provided in this Resolution. In case any provision in this Bond or any application thereof shall be deemed invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions and applications shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby. The terms and provisions of this Bond and the Resolution shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of the Authority has caused this Bond to be duly signed with the manual or facsimile signature of the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board of the Authority and countersigned with the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board of the Authority.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER
AUTHORITY

Chair, Board

ATTESTED:

Secretary, Board

A. Form of Registration Certificate of Comptroller of Public Accounts to Appear on Initial Bond Only.

**REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE OF
COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS**

**OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF
PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
THE STATE OF TEXAS**

REGISTER NO. _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Bond has been examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and duly registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.

WITNESS my signature and seal of office this _____.

Comptroller of Public Accounts
Of the State of Texas

B. Form of Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar to Appear on Definitive Bonds Only:

This Bond has been duly issued under the provisions of the within-mentioned Resolution; the Bond or Bonds of the above-entitled and designated series originally delivered having been approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, as shown by the records of the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Registered this date: _____

BOKF, NA
as Paying Agent/Registrar

By: _____
Authorized Signature

C. Form of Assignment.

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto (Print or typewrite name, address, and zip code of transferee): _____

(Social Security or other identifying number): _____

the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints _____ attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

DATED: _____

NOTICE: The signature on this assignment must correspond

with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular.

Signature guaranteed:

D. The Initial Bond of each series shall be in the form set forth in paragraph B of this Section, except that the form of a single fully registered Initial Bond shall be modified as follows:

- i) immediately under the name of the Bond(s) the headings "Interest Rate" and "Stated Maturity" shall both be completed "as shown below";
- ii) the first two paragraphs shall read as follows:

Registered Owner: _____

Principal Amount: _____

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas, with its principal office located in San Marcos, Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof, the Principal Amount specified above on the 15th day of August in each of the years and in principal amounts and bearing interest at per annum rates in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Year of</u> <u>Stated Maturity</u>	<u>Principal</u> <u>Amounts (\$)</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rates (%)</u>
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(Information to be inserted from Sections 3 and 4).

(or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption) and to pay interest on the unpaid Principal Amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to Stated Maturity or prior redemption, at the per annum rates of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15, commencing August 15, 2020 (the "Interest Payment Date").

Principal and premium, if any, of this Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the Holder), upon its presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"). Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Interest shall be paid by the Paying Agent/Registrar by check sent on or prior to the appropriate date of payment by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the Holder hereof at the address appearing in the Security

Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Holder hereof.

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

DATE: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority hereby makes this requisition pursuant to "A Resolution by the Board of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale, and Delivery of Such Bonds" adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019. The undersigned hereby authorizes disbursement from the Project Fund to pay Project Costs for the purposes and in the amounts as follows:

<u>Name of Payee</u>	<u>Nature of Disbursement</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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EXHIBIT D

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

DESCRIPTION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is referred to in Section 28 of this Resolution.

Annual Financial Statements and Operating Data

The financial information and operating data with respect to the City of San Marcos, Texas to be provided annually in accordance with such Section 28 are audited financial statements of the City of San Marcos, Texas.

Accounting Principles

The accounting principles referred to in such Section are the accounting principles described in the notes to the financial statements referred to above.

EXHIBIT E

REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT

EXHIBIT F

APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

The undersigned Authorized Representative of the City of San Marcos, Texas pursuant to the resolution (the "Resolution") authorizing the issuance of obligations designated as "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C" (the "Bonds") hereby approves the following terms of the Bonds:

- (i) the total principal amount of the Bonds of \$30,800,000;
- (ii) the purchase price for the Bonds is \$30,800,000 (representing the original principal amount of the Bonds);
- (iii) the interest rates and maturity schedule for the Bonds are as set forth below:

<u>Year of Stated Maturity (August 15)</u>	<u>Principal Amounts (\$)</u>	<u>Interest Rates (%)</u>
2021	\$1,485,000	0.84%
2022	1,500,000	0.85
2023	1,510,000	0.87
2024	1,520,000	0.89
2025	1,530,000	0.90
2026	1,540,000	0.94
2027	1,555,000	0.99
2028	1,570,000	1.01
2029	1,580,000	1.04
2030	1,595,000	1.17
2031	1,615,000	1.34
2032	1,635,000	1.49
2033	1,655,000	1.66
2034	1,680,000	1.70
2035	1,710,000	1.74
2036	1,735,000	1.85
2037	1,765,000	1.90
2038	1,795,000	1.94
2039	1,825,000	1.84

- (iv) the Bonds are subject to redemption as set forth below:

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption

price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part; and

(v) the Bonds have been approved for issuance by the Texas Water Development Board and will be approved by the Texas Attorney General.

EXECUTED AND DELIVERED THIS 15th day of October, 2019.

CITY OF SAN MARCOS, TEXAS

Title: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority

\$30,800,000 Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project -
City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C (20-Year Low Interest Loan)
11/20/19 Closing and Final Rates Provided by the TWDB on 9/30/19

Pricing Summary

Maturity	Type of Bond	Coupon	Yield	Maturity Value	Price	Dollar Price
08/15/2021	Serial Coupon	0.840%	0.840%	1,485,000.00	100.000%	1,485,000.00
08/15/2022	Serial Coupon	0.850%	0.850%	1,500,000.00	100.000%	1,500,000.00
08/15/2023	Serial Coupon	0.870%	0.870%	1,510,000.00	100.000%	1,510,000.00
08/15/2024	Serial Coupon	0.890%	0.890%	1,520,000.00	100.000%	1,520,000.00
08/15/2025	Serial Coupon	0.900%	0.900%	1,530,000.00	100.000%	1,530,000.00
08/15/2026	Serial Coupon	0.940%	0.940%	1,540,000.00	100.000%	1,540,000.00
08/15/2027	Serial Coupon	0.990%	0.990%	1,555,000.00	100.000%	1,555,000.00
08/15/2028	Serial Coupon	1.010%	1.010%	1,570,000.00	100.000%	1,570,000.00
08/15/2029	Serial Coupon	1.040%	1.040%	1,580,000.00	100.000%	1,580,000.00
08/15/2030	Serial Coupon	1.170%	1.170%	1,595,000.00	100.000%	1,595,000.00
08/15/2031	Serial Coupon	1.340%	1.340%	1,615,000.00	100.000%	1,615,000.00
08/15/2032	Serial Coupon	1.490%	1.490%	1,635,000.00	100.000%	1,635,000.00
08/15/2033	Serial Coupon	1.660%	1.660%	1,655,000.00	100.000%	1,655,000.00
08/15/2034	Serial Coupon	1.700%	1.700%	1,680,000.00	100.000%	1,680,000.00
08/15/2035	Serial Coupon	1.740%	1.740%	1,710,000.00	100.000%	1,710,000.00
08/15/2036	Serial Coupon	1.850%	1.850%	1,735,000.00	100.000%	1,735,000.00
08/15/2037	Serial Coupon	1.900%	1.900%	1,765,000.00	100.000%	1,765,000.00
08/15/2038	Serial Coupon	1.940%	1.940%	1,795,000.00	100.000%	1,795,000.00
08/15/2039	Serial Coupon	1.840%	1.840%	1,825,000.00	100.000%	1,825,000.00
Total	-	-	-	\$30,800,000.00	-	\$30,800,000.00

Bid Information

Par Amount of Bonds	\$30,800,000.00
Gross Production	\$30,800,000.00
Bid (100.000%)	30,800,000.00
Total Purchase Price	\$30,800,000.00
Bond Year Dollars	\$341,092.22
Average Life	11.074 Years
Average Coupon	1.5368286%
Net Interest Cost (NIC)	1.5368286%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	1.5241286%

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Debt Service Schedule

Part 1 of 2

Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
11/20/2019	-	-	-	-	-
08/15/2020	-	-	303,502.29	303,502.29	-
09/30/2020	-	-	-	-	303,502.29
02/15/2021	-	-	206,152.50	206,152.50	-
08/15/2021	1,485,000.00	0.840%	206,152.50	1,691,152.50	-
09/30/2021	-	-	-	-	1,897,305.00
02/15/2022	-	-	199,915.50	199,915.50	-
08/15/2022	1,500,000.00	0.850%	199,915.50	1,699,915.50	-
09/30/2022	-	-	-	-	1,899,831.00
02/15/2023	-	-	193,540.50	193,540.50	-
08/15/2023	1,510,000.00	0.870%	193,540.50	1,703,540.50	-
09/30/2023	-	-	-	-	1,897,081.00
02/15/2024	-	-	186,972.00	186,972.00	-
08/15/2024	1,520,000.00	0.890%	186,972.00	1,706,972.00	-
09/30/2024	-	-	-	-	1,893,944.00
02/15/2025	-	-	180,208.00	180,208.00	-
08/15/2025	1,530,000.00	0.900%	180,208.00	1,710,208.00	-
09/30/2025	-	-	-	-	1,890,416.00
02/15/2026	-	-	173,323.00	173,323.00	-
08/15/2026	1,540,000.00	0.940%	173,323.00	1,713,323.00	-
09/30/2026	-	-	-	-	1,886,646.00
02/15/2027	-	-	166,085.00	166,085.00	-
08/15/2027	1,555,000.00	0.990%	166,085.00	1,721,085.00	-
09/30/2027	-	-	-	-	1,887,170.00
02/15/2028	-	-	158,387.75	158,387.75	-
08/15/2028	1,570,000.00	1.010%	158,387.75	1,728,387.75	-
09/30/2028	-	-	-	-	1,886,775.50
02/15/2029	-	-	150,459.25	150,459.25	-
08/15/2029	1,580,000.00	1.040%	150,459.25	1,730,459.25	-
09/30/2029	-	-	-	-	1,880,918.50
02/15/2030	-	-	142,243.25	142,243.25	-
08/15/2030	1,595,000.00	1.170%	142,243.25	1,737,243.25	-
09/30/2030	-	-	-	-	1,879,486.50
02/15/2031	-	-	132,912.50	132,912.50	-
08/15/2031	1,615,000.00	1.340%	132,912.50	1,747,912.50	-
09/30/2031	-	-	-	-	1,880,825.00
02/15/2032	-	-	122,092.00	122,092.00	-
08/15/2032	1,635,000.00	1.490%	122,092.00	1,757,092.00	-
09/30/2032	-	-	-	-	1,879,184.00
02/15/2033	-	-	109,911.25	109,911.25	-
08/15/2033	1,655,000.00	1.660%	109,911.25	1,764,911.25	-

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Debt Service Schedule

Part 2 of 2

Date	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
09/30/2033	-	-	-	-	1,874,822.50
02/15/2034	-	-	96,174.75	96,174.75	-
08/15/2034	1,680,000.00	1.700%	96,174.75	1,776,174.75	-
09/30/2034	-	-	-	-	1,872,349.50
02/15/2035	-	-	81,894.75	81,894.75	-
08/15/2035	1,710,000.00	1.740%	81,894.75	1,791,894.75	-
09/30/2035	-	-	-	-	1,873,789.50
02/15/2036	-	-	67,017.75	67,017.75	-
08/15/2036	1,735,000.00	1.850%	67,017.75	1,802,017.75	-
09/30/2036	-	-	-	-	1,869,035.50
02/15/2037	-	-	50,969.00	50,969.00	-
08/15/2037	1,765,000.00	1.900%	50,969.00	1,815,969.00	-
09/30/2037	-	-	-	-	1,866,938.00
02/15/2038	-	-	34,201.50	34,201.50	-
08/15/2038	1,795,000.00	1.940%	34,201.50	1,829,201.50	-
09/30/2038	-	-	-	-	1,863,403.00
02/15/2039	-	-	16,790.00	16,790.00	-
08/15/2039	1,825,000.00	1.840%	16,790.00	1,841,790.00	-
09/30/2039	-	-	-	-	1,858,580.00
Total	\$30,800,000.00	-	\$5,242,002.79	\$36,042,002.79	-

Yield Statistics

Bond Year Dollars	\$341,092.22
Average Life	11.074 Years
Average Coupon	1.5368286%
DV01	30,746.90

Net Interest Cost (NIC)	1.5368286%
True Interest Cost (TIC)	1.5241286%
Bond Yield for Arbitrage Purposes	1.5241286%
All Inclusive Cost (AIC)	1.5241286%

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Net Interest Cost	1.5368286%
Weighted Average Maturity	11.074 Years

ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), made by and between Alliance Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "Authority"), acting by and through its Executive Director and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent together with any successor in such capacity;

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to four separate resolutions finally adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on October 30, 2019 (the "Resolutions"), the Authority authorized the issuance of four separate series of bonds, to wit: \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D, all dated November 20, 2019 (collectively, the "Obligations") to obtain financial assistance from the Texas Water Development Board (the "TWDB") for the purpose of funding water supply improvements, as set forth in the Resolutions (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Escrow Agent is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter D and is otherwise qualified and empowered to enter into this Agreement, and hereby acknowledges its acceptance of the terms and provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, a condition of the Obligations is the deposit of the proceeds of the Obligations (the "Proceeds") in escrow subject to being withdrawn only with the approval of the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or another designated representative; provided, however, the Proceeds can be transferred to different investments so long as all parties hereto consent to such transfer;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual agreements herein contained and in consideration of the amount of fees to be paid by the Authority to the Escrow Agent, as set forth on Exhibit "A", the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the delivery of the Obligations, the parties hereto mutually undertake, promise and agree for themselves, their respective representatives and successors, as follows:

SECTION 1: ESCROW ACCOUNT(S). Upon the delivery of the Obligations described above, the Proceeds identified under TWDB Commitment Numbers L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority), L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas), L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) and L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) shall be deposited to the credit of a special escrow account(s) or escrow subaccount(s) (Escrow Account(s)) maintained at the Escrow Agent on behalf of the Authority and the TWDB and shall not be commingled with any other accounts or with any other proceeds or funds. The Proceeds received by the Escrow Agent under this Agreement shall not be considered as a

banking deposit by the Authority, and the Escrow Agent shall have no right to title with respect thereto except as Escrow Agent under the terms of this Agreement.

The Escrow Account(s) shall be entitled "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) Escrow Account" and "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) Escrow Account" with appropriate subaccount designation for each series of bonds and shall not be subject to warrants, drafts or checks drawn by the Authority but shall be disbursed or withdrawn to pay the costs of the Project for which the Obligations were issued or other purposes in accordance with the Resolution and solely upon written authorization from the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. The Escrow Agent shall provide to the Authority and to the TWDB the Escrow Account(s) bank statements upon request.

SECTION 2: COLLATERAL. All cash deposited to the credit of such Escrow Account(s) and any accrued interest in excess of the amounts insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC") and remaining uninvested under the terms of this Agreement shall be continuously secured by a valid pledge of direct obligations of the United States of America or other collateral meeting the requirements of the Public Funds Collateral Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2257.

SECTION 3: INVESTMENTS. While the Proceeds are held in escrow, the Escrow Agent shall only invest escrowed Proceeds in investments that are authorized by the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256 (the "PFIA"). It is the Authority's responsibility to direct the Escrow Agent to invest all public funds in a manner that is consistent not only with the PFIA but also with its own written investment policy.

SECTION 4: DISBURSEMENTS. The Escrow Agent shall not honor any disbursement from the Escrow Account(s), or any portion thereof, unless and until it has been supplied with written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. However, no written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB shall be required if the disbursement involves transferring Proceeds from one investment to another within the Escrow Account(s) provided that all such investments are consistent with the PFIA requirements.

SECTION 5: UNEXPENDED FUNDS. Any Proceeds remaining unexpended in the Escrow Account(s) after completion of the Project and after the final accounting has been submitted to and approved by the TWDB shall be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of the respective Resolutions. The Authority shall deliver a copy of such TWDB approval of the final accounting to the Escrow Agent together with instructions concerning the disbursement of unexpended Proceeds hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall have no obligation to ensure that such unexpended Proceeds are used as required by the provisions of the Resolutions, that being the sole obligation of the Authority.

SECTION 6: CERTIFICATIONS. The Escrow Agent shall be authorized to accept and rely upon the certifications and documents furnished to the Escrow Agent by the Authority and shall not be liable for the payment of any funds made in reliance in good faith upon such certifications or other documents or approvals, as herein recited.

SECTION 7: LIABILITY OF ESCROW AGENT. To the extent permitted by law, the Escrow Agent shall not be liable for any act done or step taken or omitted by it or any mistake of fact or law, except for its negligence or default or failure in the performance of any obligation imposed upon it hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for any proceedings in connection with the Obligations or any recitation contained in the Obligations.

SECTION 8: RECORDS. The Escrow Agent will keep complete and correct books of record and account relating to the receipts, disbursements, allocations and application of the money deposited to the Escrow Account and investments of the Escrow Account and all Proceeds thereof. The records shall be available for inspection and copying at reasonable hours and under reasonable conditions by the Authority and the TWDB.

SECTION 9: MERGER/CONSOLIDATION. In the event that the Escrow Agent merges or consolidates with another bank or sells or transfers substantially all of its assets or corporate trust business, then the successor bank shall be the successor Escrow Agent without the necessity of further action as long as the successor bank is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 404, Subchapter D. The Escrow Agent must provide the TWDB with written notification within 30 days of acceptance of the merger, consolidation, or transfer. If the merger, consolidation or other transfer has occurred between state banks, the newly-created entity shall forward the certificate of merger or exchange issued by the Texas Department of Banking as well as the statement filed with the pertinent chartering authority, if applicable, to the TWDB within five business days following such merger, consolidation or exchange.

SECTION 10: AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended from time to time as necessary with the written consent of the Authority and the TWDB, but no such amendments shall increase the liabilities or responsibilities or diminish the rights of the Escrow Agent without its consent.

SECTION 11: TERMINATION. In the event that this Agreement is terminated by either the Authority or by the Escrow Agent, the Escrow Agent must report said termination in writing to the TWDB within five business days of such termination. The Authority is responsible for ensuring that the following criteria are satisfied in selecting the successor escrow agent and notifying the TWDB of the change in escrow agents: (a) the successor escrow agent must be an FDIC-insured state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository; (b) the successor escrow agent must be retained prior to or at the time of the termination; (c) an escrow agreement must be executed by and between the Authority and the successor escrow agent and must contain the same or substantially similar terms and conditions as are present in this Agreement; and (d) the Authority must forward a copy of the executed escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent within five business days of said termination. No funds shall be released by the TWDB until it has received,

reviewed and approved the escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent. If the Authority has not appointed a successor escrow agent within thirty (30) days of the notice of termination, the Escrow Agent may petition any court of competent jurisdiction in Texas for the appointment of a successor escrow agent or for other appropriate relief, and any such resulting appointment shall be binding upon the Authority. Whether appointed by the Authority or a court, the successor escrow agent and escrow agreement must be approved by the TWDB for the appointment to be effective. The Escrow Agent is responsible for performance under this Agreement until a successor has been approved by the TWDB and has signed an acceptable escrow agreement.

SECTION 12: EXPIRATION. This Agreement shall expire upon final transfer of the funds in the Escrow Account(s) to the Authority.

SECTION 13: POINT OF CONTACT. The points of contact for the Escrow Agent and the TWDB are as follows:

Tony Hongnoi
BOKF, NA
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225
(972) 892-9968
ctankersley@bankoftexas.com

Jeff Walker
Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
1700 North Congress Avenue
Austin, Texas 78701

SECTION 14: CHOICE OF LAW. This Agreement shall be governed exclusively by the applicable laws of the State of Texas. Venue for disputes shall be in the District Court of Travis County, Texas.

SECTION 15: ASSIGNABILITY. This Agreement shall not be assignable by the parties hereto, in whole or in part, and any attempted assignment shall be void and of no force and effect.

SECTION 16: ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement evidences the entire Escrow Agreement between the Escrow Agent and the Authority and supersedes any other agreements, whether oral or written, between the parties regarding the Proceeds or the Escrow Account(s). No modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be valid unless the same is in writing and is signed by the Authority and consented to by the Escrow Agent and the TWDB.

SECTION 17: VALIDITY OF PROVISIONS. If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions shall remain in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.

SECTION 18: COMPENSATION FOR ESCROW SERVICES. The Escrow Agent shall be entitled to compensation for its services as stated in Exhibit "A," which compensation shall be paid by the Authority but may not be paid directly from the Escrow Account(s).

SECTION 19: NO BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL. The Escrow Agent hereby verifies that, except to the extent otherwise required by applicable federal law, if any, including, without limitation,

50 U.S.C. Section 4607, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement in accordance with Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code. For purposes of this verification, "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

SECTION 20: TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS. The Escrow Agent represents that, neither the Escrow Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>, <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Escrow Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Escrow Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Escrow Agent and exists to make a profit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement effective upon signature of both parties.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____
Executive Director and Authority Representative

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 1040 Highway 123
San Marcos, Texas 78666

BOKF, NA,
as Escrow Agent

By: _____
Title: Vice President

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

EXHIBIT A

Fee Schedule

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into as of November 20, 2019 (this "Agreement"), by and between the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), and BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America (the "Bank").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Authority has duly authorized and provided for the issuance of its \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D (collectively, the "Securities"), such Securities to be issued in fully registered form only as to the payment of principal and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Securities are scheduled to be delivered to the Texas Water Development Board thereof on or about November 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has selected the Bank to serve as Paying Agent/Registrar in connection with the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities and with respect to the registration, transfer and exchange thereof by the registered owners thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to serve in such capacities for and on behalf of the Authority and has full power and authority to perform and serve as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Securities;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

ARTICLE ONE APPOINTMENT OF BANK AS PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

Section 1.01. Appointment.

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank to serve as Paying Agent with respect to the Securities. As Paying Agent for the Securities, the Bank shall be responsible for paying on behalf of the Authority the principal, premium (if any), and interest on the Securities as the same become due and payable to the registered owners thereof, all in accordance with this Agreement and the "Resolutions" (hereinafter defined).

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank as Registrar with respect to the Securities. As Registrar for the Securities, the Bank shall keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority books and records as to the ownership of the Securities and with respect to the transfer and exchange thereof as provided herein and in the "Resolutions."

The Bank hereby accepts its appointment, and agrees to serve as the Paying Agent and Registrar for the Securities.

Section 1.02. Compensation.

As compensation for the Bank's services as Paying Agent/Registrar, the Authority hereby agrees to pay the Bank the fees and amounts set forth in Schedule A attached hereto for the first year of this Agreement and thereafter the fees and amounts set forth in the Bank's current fee schedule then in effect for services as Paying Agent/Registrar for political subdivisions, which shall be supplied to the Authority on or before 90 days prior to the close of the Fiscal Year of the Authority, and shall be effective upon the first day of the following Fiscal Year.

In addition, the Authority agrees to reimburse the Bank upon its request for all reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances incurred or made by the Bank in accordance with any of the provisions hereof (including the reasonable compensation and the expenses and disbursements of its agents and counsel).

**ARTICLE TWO
DEFINITIONS**

Section 2.01. Definitions.

For all purposes of this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Authority Request" and "Authority Resolution" means a written request or resolution signed in the name of the Authority by an authorized representative, delivered to the Bank.

"Bank Office" means the designated office for payment of the Bank as indicated on the signature page hereof. The Bank will notify the Authority in writing of any change in location of the Bank Office.

"Financial Advisor" means Specialized Public Finance, Inc.

"Fiscal Year" means the fiscal year of the Authority, ending September 30.

"Holder" and "Security Holder" each means the Person in whose name a Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Legal Holiday" means a day on which the Bank is required or authorized to be closed.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision of a government.

"Predecessor Securities" of any particular Security means every previous Security evidencing all or a portion of the same obligation as that evidenced by such particular Security (and, for the purposes of this definition, any mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Security for which a replacement Security has been registered and delivered in lieu thereof pursuant to Section 4.06 hereof and the Resolutions).

"Redemption Date" when used with respect to any Bond to be redeemed means the date fixed for such redemption pursuant to the terms of the Resolutions.

"Resolutions" means collectively, the Resolutions of the governing body of the Authority pursuant to which each series of the Securities are issued, certified by the Secretary or any other officer of the Authority and delivered to the Bank.

"Responsible Officer" when used with respect to the Bank means the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors, the Chairman or Vice-chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, the President, any Vice President, the Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Cashier, any Assistant Cashier, any Trust Officer or Assistant Trust Officer, or any other officer of the Bank customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above designated officers and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Security Register" means a register maintained by the Bank on behalf of the Authority providing for the registration and transfer of the Securities.

"Stated Maturity" means the date specified in the Resolutions on which the principal of a Security is scheduled to be due and payable.

Section 2.02. Other Definitions.

The terms "Bank," "Authority," and "Securities (Security)" have the meanings assigned to them in the recital paragraphs of this Agreement.

The term "Paying Agent/Registrar" refers to the Bank in the performance of the duties and functions of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE THREE
PAYING AGENT**

Section 3.01. Duties of Paying Agent.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the principal of each Security at its Stated Maturity or Redemption Date to the Holder upon surrender of the Security to the Bank at the Bank Office.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the interest on each Security when due, by computing the amount of interest to be paid each Holder and preparing and sending checks by United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, on each payment date, to the Holders of the Securities (or their Predecessor Securities) on the respective Record Date, to the address appearing on the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Bank, requested in writing by the Holder at the Holder's risk and expense.

Principal and interest payments made pursuant to this Section 3.01 shall be made by wire transfer.

Section 3.02. Payment Dates.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank to pay the principal of and interest on the Securities on the dates specified in the Resolutions.

Section 3.03. Reporting Requirements.

To the extent required by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the Treasury Regulations, the Bank shall report to or cause to be reported to the Holders and the Internal Revenue Service (i) the amount of "reportable payments," if any, subject to back up withholding during each year and the amount of tax withheld, if any, with respect to the payments on the Securities and (ii) the amount of interest or amount treated as interest, such as original issue discount, on the Securities required to be included in the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes.

**ARTICLE FOUR
REGISTRAR**

Section 4.01. Security Register - Transfers and Exchanges.

The Bank agrees to keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority at the Bank Office books and records (herein sometimes referred to as the "Security Register"), and, if the Bank Office is located outside the State of Texas, a copy of such books and records shall be kept in the State of Texas, for recording the names and addresses of the Holders of the Securities, the transfer, exchange and replacement of the Securities and the payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders and containing such other information as may be reasonably required by the Authority and subject to such reasonable regulations as the Authority and the Bank may prescribe. The Bank

also agrees to keep a copy of the Security Register within the State of Texas. All transfers, exchanges and replacement of Securities shall be noted in the Security Register.

Every Security surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, the signature on which has been guaranteed by an officer of a federal or state bank or a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers, in form satisfactory to the Bank, duly executed by the Holder thereof or his agent duly authorized in writing.

The Bank may request any supporting documentation it feels necessary to effect a re-registration, transfer or exchange of the Securities.

To the extent possible and under reasonable circumstances, the Bank agrees that, in relation to an exchange or transfer of Securities, the exchange or transfer by the Holders thereof will be completed and new Securities delivered to the Holder or the assignee of the Holder in not more than three (3) business days after the receipt of the Securities to be cancelled in an exchange or transfer and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the Holder, or his duly authorized agent, in form and manner satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 4.02. Certificates.

The Authority shall provide an adequate inventory of printed Securities certificates to facilitate transfers or exchanges thereof. The Bank covenants that the inventory of printed Securities certificates will be kept in safekeeping pending their use, and reasonable care will be exercised by the Bank in maintaining such Securities certificates in safekeeping, which shall be not less than the level of care maintained by the Bank for debt securities of other political subdivisions or corporations for which it serves as registrar, or that it maintains for its own securities.

Section 4.03. Form of Security Register.

The Bank, as Registrar, will maintain the Security Register relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Securities in accordance with the Bank's general practices and procedures in effect from time to time. The Bank shall not be obligated to maintain such Security Register in any form other than those which the Bank has currently available and currently utilizes at the time.

The Security Register may be maintained in written form or in any other form capable of being converted into written form within a reasonable time.

Section 4.04. List of Security Holders.

The Bank will provide the Authority at any time requested by the Authority, upon payment of the required fee, a copy of the information contained in the Security Register. The Authority may

also inspect the information contained in the Security Register at any time the Bank is customarily open for business, provided that reasonable time is allowed the Bank to provide an up-to-date listing or to convert the information into written form.

The Bank will not release or disclose the contents of the Security Register to any person other than to, or at the written request of, an authorized officer or employee of the Authority, except upon receipt of a court order or as otherwise required by law. Upon receipt of a court order or other notice of a legal proceeding and prior to the release or disclosure of any of the contents of the Security Register, the Bank will notify the Authority so that the Authority may contest the same or such release or disclosure of the contents of the Security Register.

Section 4.05. Return of Cancelled Certificates.

The Bank will, at such reasonable intervals as it determines, surrender to the Authority, Securities in lieu of which or in exchange for which other Securities have been issued, or which have been paid.

Section 4.06. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Securities.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank, subject to the applicable provisions of the Resolutions, to deliver and issue Securities certificates in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates as long as the same does not result in an overissuance.

In case any Security shall be mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen, the Bank, in its discretion, may execute and deliver a replacement Security of like form and tenor, and in the same denomination and bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Security, or in lieu of and in substitution for such destroyed lost or stolen Security, only after (i) the filing by the Holder thereof with the Bank of evidence satisfactory to the Bank of the destruction, loss or theft of such Security, and of the authenticity of the ownership thereof and (ii) the furnishing to the Bank of indemnification in an amount satisfactory to hold the Authority and the Bank harmless. All expenses and charges associated with such indemnity and with the preparation, execution and delivery of a replacement Security shall be borne by the Holder of the Security mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen.

Section 4.07. Transaction Information to Authority.

The Bank will, within a reasonable time after receipt of written request from the Authority, furnish the Authority information as to the Securities certificates it has paid pursuant to Section 3.01, Securities certificates it has delivered upon the transfer or exchange of any Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.01, and Securities certificates it has delivered in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.06.

**ARTICLE FIVE
THE BANK**

Section 5.01. Duties of Bank.

The Bank undertakes to perform the duties set forth herein and agrees to use reasonable care in the performance thereof.

The Bank is authorized to transfer funds relating to the closing and initial delivery of the Securities in the manner disclosed in the closing memorandum as prepared by the Authority's Financial Advisor or other agent. The Bank may act on facsimile or e-mail transmission of the closing memorandum acknowledged by the Financial Advisor or the Authority as the final closing memorandum. The Bank shall not be liable for any losses, cost or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Bank's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions.

Section 5.02. Reliance on Documents, Etc.

(a) The Bank may conclusively rely, as to the truth of the statements and correctness of the opinions expressed therein, on certificates or opinions furnished to the Bank by the Authority.

(b) The Bank shall not be liable for any error of judgment made in good faith by a Responsible Officer, unless it shall be proven that the Bank was negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts.

(c) No provisions of this Agreement shall require the Bank to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability for performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers, if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or adequate indemnity satisfactory to it against such risks or liability is not assured to it.

(d) The Bank may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing statement, the Bank need not examine the ownership of any Securities, but is protected in acting upon receipt of Securities certificates containing an endorsement or instruction of transfer or power of transfer which appears on its face to be signed by the Holder or an agent of the Holder. The Bank shall not be bound to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in a resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document supplied by the Authority.

(e) The Bank may consult with legal counsel, and the written advice of such counsel or any opinion of counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection with respect to any action taken, suffered, or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon, provided that any such written advice or opinion is supplied to the Authority by the Bank.

(f) The Bank may exercise any of the powers hereunder and perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents or attorneys of the Bank.

Section 5.03. Recitals of Authority.

The recitals contained herein with respect to the Authority and in the Securities shall be taken as the statements of the Authority, and the Bank assumes no responsibility for their correctness.

The Bank shall in no event be liable to the Authority, any Holder or Holders of any Security, or any other Person for any amount due on any Security from its own funds.

Section 5.04. May Hold Securities.

The Bank, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities and may otherwise deal with the Authority with the same rights it would have if it were not the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any other agent.

Section 5.05. Moneys Held by Bank.

The Bank shall deposit any moneys received from the Authority into trust account to be held in a paying agent capacity for the payment of the Securities, with such moneys in the account that exceed the deposit insurance available to the Authority by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, to be fully collateralized with securities or obligations that are eligible under the laws of the State of Texas to secure and be pledged as collateral for such accounts until the principal and interest on such securities have been presented for payment and paid to the owner thereof. Payments made from such account shall be made by check drawn on such account unless the owner of such Securities shall, at its own expense and risk, request such other medium of payment.

Subject to the Unclaimed Property Law of the State of Texas, any money deposited with the Bank for the payment of the principal, premium (if any), or interest on any Security and remaining unclaimed for three years after the final maturity of the Security has become due and payable will be paid by the Bank to the Authority if the Authority so elects, and the Holder of such Security shall hereafter look only to the Authority for payment thereof, and all liability of the Bank with respect to such monies shall thereupon cease. If the Authority does not elect, the Bank is directed to report and dispose of the funds in compliance with Title Six of the Texas Property Code, as amended.

Section 5.06. Indemnification.

To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify the Bank for, and hold it harmless against, any loss, liability, or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on the Bank's part, arising out of or in connection with the Bank's acceptance or administration of its duties hereunder, including the cost and expense incurred by the Bank in defending against any claim or from liability imposed on the Bank in connection with the Bank's exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties under this Agreement.

Section 5.07. Interpleader.

The Authority and the Bank agree that the Bank may seek adjudication of any adverse claim, demand, or controversy over its person as well as funds on deposit, in either a Federal or State District Court located in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas, and agree that service of process by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the address referred to in Section 6.03 of this Agreement shall constitute adequate service. The Authority and the Bank further agree that the Bank has the right to file a Bill of Interpleader in any court of competent jurisdiction in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas to determine the rights of any Person claiming any interest herein.

Section 5.08. Depository Trust Company Services.

It is hereby represented and warranted that, in the event the Securities are otherwise qualified and accepted for "Depository Trust Company" services or equivalent depository trust services by other organizations, the Bank has the capability and, to the extent within its control, will comply with the "Operational Arrangements," effective August 1, 1987, which establishes requirements for securities to be eligible for such type depository trust services, including, but not limited to, requirements for the timeliness of payments and funds availability, transfer turnaround time, and notification of redemptions and calls.

Attached hereto is a copy of the Blanket Authority Letter of Representations between the Authority and The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, providing for the Bonds to be issued in a Book-Entry Only System. The Bank and the Authority hereby confirm their obligations under such Letter of Representation.

**ARTICLE SIX
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

Section 6.01. Amendment.

This Agreement may be amended only by an agreement in writing signed by both of the parties hereto.

Section 6.02. Assignment.

This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other.

Section 6.03. Notices.

Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver, or other document provided or permitted hereby to be given or furnished to the Authority or the Bank shall be mailed or delivered to the Authority or the Bank, respectively, at the addresses shown on the signature page of this Agreement.

Section 6.04. Effect of Headings.

The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

Section 6.05. Successors and Assigns.

All covenants and agreements herein by the Authority and the Bank shall bind their respective successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 6.06. Severability.

In case any provision herein shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 6.07. Benefits of Agreement.

Nothing herein, express or implied, shall give to any Person, other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder.

Section 6.08. Entire Agreement.

This Agreement and the Resolutions constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto relative to the Bank acting as Paying Agent/Registrar and if any conflict exists between this Agreement and the Resolutions, the Resolutions shall govern.

Section 6.09. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

Section 6.10. Termination.

This Agreement will terminate (i) on the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders thereof or (ii) may be earlier terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice; provided, however, an early termination of this Agreement by either party shall not be effective until (a) a successor Paying Agent/Registrar has been appointed by the Authority and such appointment accepted and (b) notice has been given to the Holders of the Securities of the appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar. Furthermore, the Bank and Authority mutually agree that the effective date of an early termination of this Agreement shall not occur at any time which would disrupt, delay or otherwise adversely affect the payment of the Securities.

Upon an early termination of this Agreement, the Bank agrees to promptly transfer and deliver the Security Register (or a copy thereof), together with other pertinent books and records

relating to the Securities, to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Authority.

The provisions of Section 1.02, 5.02, 5.03 and 5.06 of this Agreement shall survive and remain in full force and effect following the termination of this Agreement.

Section 6.11. Governing Law.

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

Section 6.12. Anti-Boycott. The Paying Agent represents and warrants, for purposes of Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code, that at the time of execution and delivery of this Agreement, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, boycotts Israel or will boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement. The foregoing verification is made solely to comply with Section 2270.002, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law. As used in the foregoing verification, "boycotts Israel" and "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean an entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

Section 6.13. Terrorist Organizations. The Paying Agent represents that, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>, <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Paying Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

BOKF, NA

By: _____
Title: Vice President
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____

Name: Graham Moore

Title: Executive Director and Authority
Representative

SCHEDULE A

Paying Agent/Registrar Fee Schedule



Services provided by BOKF, NA

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

Schedule of Fees

Acceptance Fee: WAIVED

Annual Administration Fee: \$350.00/per series

Invoiced semi-annually at \$175.00 with debt service.

First year’s annual fee due at closing.

For ordinary administration services by Paying Agent /Registrar – includes daily routine account management and processing in accordance with the agreement. Float credit received by the bank for receiving funds that remain uninvested are deemed part of the Paying Agent’s compensation.

Call or Redemption of Bonds At Cost

Cost includes distribution to holders of record, redemption processing and notification through DTC. Any and all publication expenses including Bond Buyer, Regional and Financial Periodicals for the call notice will be billed to the Issuer at cost.

Charges for performing extraordinary or other services not contemplated at the time of the execution of the transaction or not specifically covered elsewhere in this schedule will be determined by appraisal in the amounts commensurate with the service provided. Counsel fees, if ever retained as a result of a default, or other extraordinary occurrences on behalf of the bondholders or Bank of Texas, will be billed at cost.

Services not included in this Fee Schedule, but deemed necessary or desirable by you, may be subject to additional charges. Our proposal is subject in all aspects to review and acceptance of the final financing documents which sets forth our duties and responsibilities.

<p>Erin Fitzpatrick Vice President Tel: 972.892.9972 efitzpatrick@bokf.com</p>	<p>BOK Financial Corporate Trust Services 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201 Dallas, TX 75225</p>
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REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.7** Consideration and action with respect to Resolution 2019-10-30-005 by the Board of Directors of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale and Delivery of Such Bonds. ~ *Carol Polumbo, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton, LLP*
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Background/Information

The next step in the SWIFT process is for the Agency to approve a resolution authorizing the issuance of the contract revenue bonds and related matters. The TWDB sold their bonds in late September and therefore the rates have been established. For the 20-year term requested by Buda the average interest rate for the period ended up at 1.524%.

The Buda City Council unanimously approved a resolution approving the bond resolution on October 15th.

Approval of the resolution will also approve the Escrow Agreement and Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement.

The closing date for the Authority is set for November 20th. Representatives with the Authority's bond counsel, McCall, Parkhurst and Horton and the Authority's financial advisor, Specialized Public Finance will attend the Board meeting and will address any legal or financial questions pertaining to the issuance.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-005 – Authorizing the Issuance of Series 2019D Contract Revenue Bonds.
- 2019D Debt Service Schedule – Buda
- Escrow Agreement
- Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- Adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-005 authorizing the issuance of contract revenue bonds Series 2019D and all related matters, as presented.



RESOLUTION NO. 2019-10-30-005

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CITY OF BUDA, TEXAS), SERIES 2019D; AND RESOLVING OTHER MATTERS INCIDENT AND RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE, PAYMENT, SECURITY, SALE AND DELIVERY OF SUCH BONDS

ADOPTED OCTOBER 30, 2019

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 572, as amended, Texas Local Government Code, the Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency (the "Agency") as a constituted authority and instrumentality and political subdivision of the State of Texas (the "State," was created by the Cities of Buda ("Buda"), Kyle ("Kyle") and San Marcos, Texas ("San Marcos"), each Texas home rule municipalities, and the Canyon Regional Water Authority ("Canyon Regional"), a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and Chapter 670, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, as amended (collectively, the "Sponsors" or singularly, a "Sponsor"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency and the Sponsors have entered into a "Regional Water Supply Contract" dated as of January 15, 2008, as amended by Amendment No. 1 and as may be further amended (collectively, the "Contract") pursuant to which the Agency has agreed to design, finance, construct, own, acquire, maintain and operate a water supply project in a manner that will allow the Agency to deliver water to the Sponsors on a regional basis and under which each of the Sponsors agree to pay their share of the project costs and to make payments to or on behalf of the Agency in amounts sufficient to meet all of the Agency's obligations under the Contract including those relating to a Sponsor's bonds issued to finance and refinance a Sponsor's share of the Project Costs and to own, operate and maintain the Project; and

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2017, by special act of the 85th Legislature, SB 1198 (the "Act") the Agency was converted to the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district to accomplish the purposes set forth in the Act and of Article XVI, Section 59, Texas Constitution; and

WHEREAS, by operation of the law pursuant to the Act, the Authority assumed all assets, liabilities, bonds, notes and other obligations of the Agency including all obligations pursuant to the Outstanding Bonds and the Contract; and

WHEREAS, at the request of Canyon Regional and Kyle, the Agency issued two series of bonds on November 19, 2015 for such Sponsors share of the Phase 1A Project entitled: \$3,960,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2015A and \$3,530,000 Hays Caldwell Public Utility Agency Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2015B (collectively, the "Outstanding Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Sponsors the Authority issued four series of bonds, one for each of the Sponsors' share of the Project Costs, to wit: \$9,865,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2017A, \$8,995,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2017B, \$11,450,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2017C and \$1,625,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds, (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2017D; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Authority is empowered to, among other powers, acquire, own, construct, operate, repair, improve, maintain or extend inside or outside its boundaries water improvements, facilities, plants, pipelines, equipment and appliances for the treatment and transportation of water and to deliver this water to the Sponsors; and

WHEREAS, the Act also authorizes the Authority acting through its Board of Directors (the "Board") to issue revenue bonds to finance such water projects, payable solely from the revenues derived from payments to be made to the Authority by one or more of the respective Sponsors for which a series of bonds are issued for the purpose of defraying such Sponsor's share of the cost of financing, acquiring, and constructing water supply facilities including the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project (as hereinafter defined); and

WHEREAS, the Authority expects to issue four additional series of such revenue bonds for Canyon Regional, Kyle, San Marcos and Buda, respectively, to finance their additional share of the Phase 1B Improvements Project costs, with each series payable from and secured solely by payments made by Canyon Regional, Buda, San Marcos and Kyle, respectively, under the Contract; and

WHEREAS, Buda has requested that the Authority issue a separate series of revenue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$4,370,000 pursuant to the Contract to finance their share of the Phase 1B Improvements Water Supply Project Costs (the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, this Resolution constitutes a Bond Resolution as that term is defined in the Contract; and

WHEREAS, the principal of the Bonds and the interest thereon are and shall be solely payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the portion of the Annual Payments designated as "Bond Payments" to be made by Buda pursuant to the Contract in amounts sufficient to pay and redeem, and provide for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, when due, and the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent/Registrar and Escrow Agent for the Bonds, all as required by this Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY THAT:

Section 1. DEFINITIONS. In addition to the definitions set forth in the preamble of this Resolution, the terms used in this Resolution (except as may be otherwise indicated in the FORM OF BOND) and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given in Exhibit "A" to this Resolution attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. AMOUNT, PURPOSE AND DESIGNATION OF THE BONDS. (a) *Amount and Designation.* The Authority's bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution shall be entitled "ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS (Regional Water Supply Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D" and are hereby authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$4,370,000.

(b) *Purpose.* The Bonds are to be issued for the following purposes: (i) FOR DESIGNING, CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PAYMENT OF PROJECT COSTS FOR THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

Section 3. DATE, DENOMINATIONS, NUMBERS, MATURITIES AND TERMS OF BONDS. (a) *Terms of Bonds.* The Bonds shall initially be issued, sold, and delivered hereunder as fully registered bonds, without interest coupons, numbered consecutively from R-1 upward (except the initial Bond delivered to the Attorney General of the State which shall be numbered T-1), dated the date of delivery, payable to the respective initial Registered Owners thereof in an Authorized Denomination, serially on August 15, in the years and in the principal amounts set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>
2021	\$210,000	2031	\$230,000
2022	215,000	2032	230,000
2023	215,000	2033	235,000
2024	215,000	2034	240,000
2025	215,000	2035	240,000
2026	220,000	2036	245,000
2027	220,000	2037	250,000
2028	225,000	2038	255,000
2029	225,000	2039	260,000
2030	225,000		

b) *In General.* The Bonds (i) may and shall be redeemed prior to the respective scheduled maturity dates, (ii) may be assigned and transferred, (iii) may be exchanged for other Bonds, (iv) shall have the characteristics, (v) shall be signed, and the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable, all as provided, and in the manner required or indicated, in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 4. INTEREST. The Bonds shall bear interest, calculated on the basis of a 360-day year composed of twelve 30-day months, from their date of delivery at the rates set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	0.84%	2031	1.34%
2022	0.85	2032	1.49
2023	0.87	2033	1.66
2024	0.89	2034	1.70
2025	0.90	2035	1.74
2026	0.94	2036	1.85
2027	0.99	2037	1.90
2028	1.01	2038	1.94
2029	1.04	2039	1.84
2030	1.17		

Interest shall be payable to the Registered Owner of any such Bond in the manner provided and on the dates stated in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution.

Section 5. REGISTRATION, TRANSFER, AND EXCHANGE; AUTHENTICATION. (a) *Paying Agent/Registrar.* BOKF, NA is hereby appointed the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. The Authority Representative is authorized to enter into and carry out a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement with the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds in substantially the form and substance presented to the Board in connection with the approval of this Resolution with such changes as are acceptable to the Authority Representative.

(b) *Registration Books.* The Board shall keep or cause to be kept at a designated corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Dallas, Texas (the "Designated Trust Office") the Registration Books and the Board hereby appoints the Paying Agent/Registrar as its registrar and transfer agent to keep such books or records and make such registrations of transfers, exchanges, and replacements under such reasonable regulations as the Board and Paying Agent/Registrar may prescribe; and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall make such registrations, transfers, exchanges, and replacements as herein provided. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall obtain and record in the Registration Books the address of the Registered Owner of each Bond to which payments with respect to the Bonds shall be mailed, as herein provided; but it shall be the duty of each Registered Owner to notify the Paying Agent/Registrar in writing of the address to which payments shall be mailed, and such interest payments shall not be mailed unless such notice has been given. The Board shall have the right to inspect the Registration Books at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar during regular business hours, but otherwise the Paying Agent/Registrar shall keep the Registration Books confidential and, unless otherwise required by law, shall not permit their inspection by any other entity. A copy of the Registration Books shall be maintained in the State.

(c) **Ownership of Bonds.** The entity or person in whose name any Bond shall be registered in the Registration Books at any time shall be deemed and treated as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes of this Resolution, whether or not such Bond shall be overdue, and, to the extent permitted by law, the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary; and payment of, or on account of, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on any such Bond shall be made only to such Registered Owner. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

(d) **Payment of Bonds and Interest.** The Paying Agent/Registrar shall further act as the paying agent for paying the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, all as provided in this Resolution. The Paying Agent/ Registrar shall keep proper records of all payments made by the Board and the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to the Bonds. So long as the Purchaser owns the Bonds, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide a copy to the Purchaser and its designated trustee of all receipts documenting debt service payments.

(e) **Authentication.** The Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution shall be authenticated by the Paying Agent/Registrar by execution of the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate unless they have been approved by the Attorney General of the State and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, and on each substitute Bond issued in exchange for any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution the Paying Agent/Registrar shall execute the Paying Agent/Registrar's Authentication Certificate (the "Authentication Certificate"). The Authentication Certificate shall be in the form set forth in the FORM OF BOND in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.

(f) **Transfer, Exchange, or Replacement.** Each Bond issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, to the extent of the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount thereof, may, upon surrender of such Bond at the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, together with a written request therefor duly executed by the Registered Owner or the assignee or assignees thereof, or its or their duly authorized attorneys or representatives, with guarantee of signatures satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar, may, at the option of the Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, as appropriate, be exchanged for fully registered Bonds, without interest coupons, in the appropriate form prescribed in the FORM OF BOND set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution, in any Authorized Denomination (subject to the requirement hereinafter stated that each substitute Bond shall be of the same Series and have a single stated maturity date), as requested in writing by such Registered Owner or such assignee or assignees, in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unpaid or unredeemed principal amount of any Bond or Bonds so surrendered, and payable to the appropriate Registered Owner, assignee, or assignees, as the case may be. If a portion of any Bond shall be redeemed prior to its scheduled maturity as provided herein, a substitute Bond or Bonds having the same Series designation and maturity date, bearing interest at the same rate, and payable in the same manner, in Authorized Denominations at the request of the Registered Owner, and in aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion thereof, will be issued to the Registered Owner upon surrender thereof for cancellation. If any Bond or portion thereof is assigned and transferred, each Bond issued in

exchange therefor shall have the same Series designation and maturity date and bear interest at the same rate and payable in the same manner as the Bond for which it is being exchanged. Each substitute Bond shall bear a letter and/or number to distinguish it from each other Bond. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall exchange or replace Bonds as provided herein, and each fully registered Bond delivered in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof as permitted or required by any provision of this Resolution shall constitute one of the Bonds for all purposes of this Resolution, and may again be exchanged or replaced. On each substitute Bond issued in exchange for or replacement of any Bond or Bonds issued under this Resolution there shall be printed an Authentication Certificate, in the form set forth in Exhibit "B" to this Resolution. An authorized representative of the Paying Agent/Registrar shall, before the delivery of any such Bond, date and manually sign the Authentication Certificate, and, except as provided in (e) above, no such Bond shall be deemed to be issued or outstanding unless the Authentication Certificate is so executed. The Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall cancel all Bonds surrendered for transfer, exchange, or replacement. No additional orders or resolutions need be passed or adopted by the Board or any other body or person so as to accomplish the foregoing transfer, exchange, or replacement of any Bond or portion thereof, and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall provide for the printing, execution, and delivery of the substitute Bonds in the manner prescribed herein, and said Bonds shall be in typed or printed form as determined by the Authority Representative. Pursuant to Subtitle D, Texas Government Code and particularly Section 1201.063, thereof, the duty of transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds as aforesaid is hereby imposed upon the Paying Agent/Registrar, and, upon the execution of the Authentication Certificate, the exchanged or replaced Bond shall be valid, incontestable, and enforceable in the same manner and with the same effect as the Bonds which were originally issued pursuant to this Resolution. The Board shall pay the Paying Agent/Registrar's standard or customary fees and charges, if any, for transferring, and exchanging any Bond or any portion thereof, but the one requesting any such transfer and exchange shall pay any taxes or governmental charges required to be paid with respect thereto as a condition precedent to the exercise of such privilege. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to make any such transfer, exchange, or replacement of Bonds or any portion thereof (i) during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following interest payment date, or (ii) with respect to any Bond or portion thereof called for redemption prior to maturity, within 45 days prior to its redemption date. To the extent possible, any new Bond issued in an exchange, replacement, or transfer of a Bond will be delivered to the Registered Owner or assignee of the Registered Owner not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled and the written request as described above.

(g) ***Substitute Paying Agent/Registrar.*** The Board covenants with the Registered Owners of the Bonds that at all times while the Bonds are outstanding the Board will provide a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as and perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds under this Resolution, and that the Paying Agent/Registrar will be one entity. The Board reserves the right to, and may, at its option, change the Paying Agent/Registrar upon not less than ninety (90) days written notice to the Paying Agent/Registrar, to be effective not later than sixty (60) days prior to the next principal or interest payment date after such notice. In the event that the entity at any time acting as Paying Agent/Registrar (or its successor by merger, acquisition, or other method) should resign or

otherwise cease to act as such, the Board covenants that promptly it will appoint a competent and legally qualified bank, trust company, financial institution, or other Authority to act as Paying Agent/Registrar under this Resolution. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the previous Paying Agent/Registrar promptly shall transfer and deliver the Registration Books (or a copy thereof), along with all other pertinent books and records relating to the Bonds, to the new Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Board. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Board promptly will cause a written notice thereof to be sent by the new Paying Agent/Registrar to each Registered Owner of the Bonds, by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, which notice also shall give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar. By accepting the position and performing as such, each Paying Agent/Registrar shall be deemed to have agreed to the provisions of this Resolution, and a certified copy of this Resolution shall be delivered to each Paying Agent/Registrar.

(h) **Notice of Redemption.** Each notice of redemption required in the FORM OF BOND shall contain a description of the Bonds to be redeemed including the complete name of the Bonds, the Series, the date of issue, the interest rate or rates, the maturity date, the CUSIP number, a reference to the certificate numbers and the amounts called of each certificate, the publication and mailing date for the notice, the date of redemption, the redemption price, the name of the Paying Agent/Registrar and the address at which the Bonds may be redeemed, including a contact person and telephone number. All redemption payments made by the Paying Agent/Registrar to the registered owners of the Bonds shall include a CUSIP number relating to each amount paid to such Registered Owner.

(i) **Book-Entry-Only System.** The Bonds issued in exchange for the Bonds initially issued as provided in Section 5(l) shall be issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee of DTC and except as provided in subsection (f) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

With respect to Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation to any securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and certain other organizations on whose behalf DTC was created to hold securities to facilitate the clearance and settlement of securities transactions among DTC participants (the "DTC Participant") or to any person on behalf of whom such a DTC Participant holds an interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede & Co. or any DTC Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any DTC participant or any other person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any notice of redemption, or (iii) the payment to any DTC Participant or any person, other than a Registered Owner, as shown on the Registration Books of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, but to the extent permitted by law, the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be entitled to treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the

Registration Books as the absolute owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest, with respect to such Bond, for the purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes whatsoever. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or upon the order of the respective Registered Owners, as shown in the Registration Books as provided in this Resolution, or their respective attorneys duly authorized in writing, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the Authority's obligations with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than a Registered Owner, as shown in the Registration Books, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation of the Authority to make payments of principal, premium, if any, and interest pursuant to the Resolution. Upon delivery by DTC to the Paying Agent/Registrar of written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., and subject to the provisions in this Resolution with respect to interest checks being mailed to the registered owner at the close of business on the Record Date the word "Cede & Co." in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of DTC.

(j) ***Successor Securities Depository; Transfer Outside Book-Entry-Only System.*** In the event the Purchaser no longer owns the Bonds or the Purchaser consents to such action, the Authority may determine to discontinue the book-entry system through DTC or a successor or DTC determines to discontinue providing its services with respect to the Bonds, the Authority shall either (i) appoint a successor securities depository, qualified to act as such under Section 17(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, notify DTC and DTC Participants of the appointment of such successor securities depository and transfer one or more separate Bonds to such successor securities depository or (ii) notify DTC and DTC Participants of the availability through DTC of Bonds and transfer one or more separate Bonds to DTC Participants having Bonds credited to their DTC accounts. In such event, the Bonds shall no longer be restricted to being registered in the Registration Books in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, but may be registered in the name of the successor securities depository, or its nominee, or in whatever name or names Registered Owner transferring or exchanging Bonds shall designate, in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

(k) ***Payments to Cede & Co.*** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be made and given, respectively, in the manner provided in the Blanket Representation of the Authority to DTC.

(l) ***Initial Bond.*** The Bonds herein authorized shall be initially issued as fully registered bonds, being one bond for each maturity in the denomination of the applicable principal amount and the initial Bond shall be registered in the name of the Registered Owner. The initial Bond shall be the Bond submitted to the Office of the Attorney General of the State for approval, certified and registered by the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State and delivered to the Registered Owner. Immediately after the delivery of the initial Bond, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cancel the initial Bond delivered hereunder and exchange

therefor Bonds in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities thereof registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC and except as provided in Section 5(j), all of the outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

Section 6. FORM OF BOND. The form of the Bond, including the form of the Authentication Certificate, the form of Assignment and the form of Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State, with respect to the Bonds initially issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, shall be, respectively, substantially as set forth in Exhibit "B", with such appropriate variations, omissions, or insertions as are permitted or required by this Resolution.

Section 7. PLEDGE OF BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Pledge.* The Authority hereby covenants and agrees that the Bond Payments are hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured including the establishment and maintenance of the special funds or accounts created and established on the books and records of the Authority for the payment and security thereof, all as hereinafter provided; and it is hereby resolved that the Bonds Similarly Secured, and the interest thereon, shall constitute a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and be valid and binding without any physical delivery thereof or further act by the Authority, and the lien created hereby on the Bond Payments for the payment and security of the Bonds Similarly Secured shall be prior in right and claim as to any other indebtedness, liability, or obligation of the Authority or the Project payable pursuant to the terms of the Contract. The Authority shall deposit the Bond Payments, as collected and received, into the Debt Service Fund (hereinafter defined), to be utilized pursuant to Section 9 hereof to pay the Bonds.

(b) *Perfection of Pledge.* Chapter 1208, as amended, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured and the lien on and pledge of Bond Payments granted by the Authority under subsection (a) of this Section, and such pledge is therefore valid, effective, and perfected. If State law is amended at any time while the Bonds Similarly Secured are outstanding and unpaid such that the pledge of the Bond Payments granted by the Authority is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Texas Business & Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured the perfection of the security interest in this pledge, the Board agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under State law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, as amended, Texas Business & Commerce Code and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in this pledge to occur.

Section 8. RATES AND CHARGES. For the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured and in addition to all provisions and covenants in the laws of the State and in this Resolution, the Contract between the Authority and the City expressly stipulates and agrees, while any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the City will fix and collect such rates and charges for services to be supplied by the City's respective systems that will produce gross revenues at all times during the term of the Contract in an amount equal to pay all of the expenses of operation and maintenance of the respective systems including Annual Payments and Bond Payments under the Contract and all other amounts required by the laws and

the provisions of the ordinances or resolutions authorizing the City's Outstanding System Obligations now or hereafter outstanding payable, in whole or in part, from the net revenues of the City's Systems, including the amounts required to pay all principal of and interest on the City's outstanding System bonds and other obligations. The Authority hereby expressly stipulates and agrees that it will take all appropriate action to charge rates sufficient and enforce such terms of the Contract while any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding.

The Registered Owner shall never have the right to demand payment for the Bonds out of any funds raised or to be raised from taxation by the City, other Participating Entities or the Authority.

Section 9. DEBT SERVICE FUND AND PROJECT FUND. (a) *Debt Service Fund.* For purposes of providing funds to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured as the same become due and payable, the Authority agrees to maintain, at a Depository, a separate and special fund or account to be created and known as the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Debt Service Fund" (the "Debt Service Fund"). The Authority covenants that there shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund prior to each principal and interest payment date solely from the available Bond Payments an amount equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the interest on and the principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured then falling due and payable.

Any accrued interest received from the Purchaser of the Bonds shall be deposited into the subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. In addition, any surplus proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, including investment income therefrom, not expended for authorized purposes shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund, and such amounts (i.e., accrued and investment interest) so deposited shall reduce the sum otherwise required to be deposited in the Debt Service Fund from Bond Payments.

(b) *Project Fund.* The Authority hereby creates and establishes and shall maintain on the books and records of the Authority a separate fund or account to be entitled the "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Project Fund" for use by the Authority for payment of the City's share of the Project Costs. The Authority shall deposit the net proceeds from the sale of the Bonds into the Project Fund as provided in this Resolution. Funds in the Project Fund shall be requisitioned for payment of the City's share of Project Costs in accordance with a requisition in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto with such changes as approved by the Authority Representative. Upon payment of all Project Costs, any moneys remaining on deposit in the Project Fund shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund.

In the event the Project is not completed for any reason contemplated in the Contract or otherwise or any proceeds from the Bonds are not used for completion of the Project for any reason, any Bond proceeds and earnings therein not used for completion of the Project shall be utilized to pay principal and/or interest on the Bonds so as to reduce the Bond Payment as set forth below.

Any surplus proceeds, including the investment earnings derived from the investment of monies on deposit in the Project Fund, from the Bonds remaining on deposit in the Project Fund after completing the Project and upon the completion of the final accounting as described in Section 37(c) hereof, shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to redeem, in inverse order of maturity, the Bonds owned by Purchaser, unless the Executive Administrator of Purchaser approves the use of such surplus proceeds to pay eligible Project Costs by funding projects that are a part of the State Water Plan.

Section 10. DEFICIENCIES - EXCESS BOND PAYMENTS. (a) *Deficiencies.* If on any occasion there shall not be sufficient Bond Payments to make the required deposits into the Debt Service Fund, then such deficiency shall be cured as soon as possible from the next available unallocated Bond Payments and such payments shall be in addition to the amounts required to be paid into these Funds or accounts during such month or months.

(b) *Excess Bond Payments* Subject to making the required deposits to the Debt Service Fund when and as required by this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Additional Bonds, any excess Bond Payments may be used by the Authority for any lawful purpose including, but not limited to, the redemption of any Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 11. PAYMENT OF BONDS. While any of the Bonds Similarly Secured are Outstanding, the Executive Director of the Authority or other authorized Authority official, shall cause to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor, from funds on deposit in the Debt Service Fund, amounts sufficient to fully pay and discharge promptly each installment of interest on and principal of the Bonds Similarly Secured as such installment accrues or matures; such transfer of funds must be made in such manner as will cause immediately available funds to be deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds at the close of the Business Day next preceding the date a debt service payment is due on the Bonds Similarly Secured.

Section 12. INVESTMENTS. Funds held in any fund or account created, established, or maintained pursuant to this Resolution shall, at the option of the Authority, be invested in time deposits, certificates of deposit, guaranteed investment contracts, or similar contracting arrangements and/or as permitted by the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act, as amended, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, or any other law, and secured (to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation) to the fullest extent required by the Public Funds Collateral Act, as amended, Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code. All interest and income derived from deposits and investments in any fund shall immediately be credited to, and any losses debited from, the fund from which such funds were derived. All such investments shall be sold promptly when necessary to prevent any default in connection with the Bonds.

Section 13. ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL BONDS. In addition to the right to issue bonds of inferior lien as authorized by the laws of this State, the Authority reserves the right hereafter to issue Additional Bonds. The Additional Bonds, when issued, shall be payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments in the same manner and to the same extent as the Bonds and the Bonds Similarly Secured, and shall in all respects be of equal dignity.

The Additional Bonds may be issued in one or more Series provided, however, that no Additional Bonds, shall be issued unless and until the following conditions have been met:

(i) Except for a refunding to cure a default, the Authority is not then in default as to any covenant, condition or obligation prescribed in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured or the Contract (including any amendment or supplement thereto) and the funds under the resolution authorizing the same contains the amounts then required to be therein;

(ii) The City shall have approved the resolution(s) authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds as to form and content and acknowledged that the payment of principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds is payable, in whole or in part, from the Bond Payments to be made to the Authority under and pursuant to the Contract;

(iii) The resolution authorizing the issuance of the Additional Bonds provides for deposits to be made to the Debt Service Fund in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such Additional Bonds as the same become due; and

(iv) The City confirms (and counsel to the Authority opines) that the Contract is a legal, valid and binding contract then in effect pursuant to which the City is obligated to make payments to the Authority during each fiscal year (including periods when services of the Project may not be available to such contracting parties and others) in such amounts as shall be necessary to provide to the Authority sufficient funds to pay when due all principal and interest on all Bonds and Additional Bonds to be outstanding after the issuance of the proposed Additional Bonds.

The Bonds Similarly Secured may be refunded (pursuant to any law then available) upon such terms and conditions as the Board of the Authority may deem to be in the best interest of the Authority.

Section 14. SPECIAL PROJECT BONDS. The Authority further reserves the right to issue bonds in one or more installments for the purchase, construction, improvement, extension, replacement, enlargement or repair of utility facilities necessary under a contract or contracts with persons, corporations, municipal corporations, political subdivisions, or entities including the City, such bonds to be payable from and secured by the proceeds of such contract or contracts (other than the Contract). The Authority further reserves the right to refund such bonds and secure the payment of the debt service requirements on the refunding bonds in the same manner or as otherwise permitted by the laws of the State.

Section 15. MAINTENANCE OF PROJECT - INSURANCE. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that while the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding it will maintain and operate the Project with all possible efficiency and maintain casualty and other insurance on the properties of the Project and its operations of a kind and in such amounts customarily carried by municipal corporations in the State engaged in a similar type of business (which may include an adequate program of self- insurance) which insurance

shall also be sufficient to protect the Purchaser; and that it will faithfully and punctually perform all duties with reference to the Project required by the laws of the State. All money received from losses under such insurance policies, other than public liability policies, shall be retained for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds Similarly Secured until and unless the proceeds are paid out in making good the loss or damage in respect of which such proceeds are received, either by replacing the property destroyed or repairing the property damaged, and adequate provision for making good such loss or damage must be made within ninety (90) days after the date of loss. The payment of premiums for all insurance policies required under the provisions hereof shall be considered Maintenance and Operating Expenses of the Project. Nothing in this Resolution shall be construed as: (i) requiring the Authority to expend any funds which are derived from sources other than the operation of the Project but nothing herein shall be construed as preventing the Authority from doing so or (ii) requiring the purchase of insurance until Facilities are constructed.

Section 16. RECORDS AND ACCOUNTS - ANNUAL AUDIT. The Authority covenants, agrees, and affirms its covenants that so long as any of the Bonds Similarly Secured remain outstanding, it will keep and maintain separate and complete records and accounts pertaining to the operations of the Project in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating thereto as provided by applicable law. The Registered Owners of any Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such Registered Owners shall have the right to inspect the Project and all properties comprising the same. The Authority further agrees that following (and in no event later than six (6) months after) the close of each Fiscal Year, it will cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an independent firm of Certified Public Accountants. Expenses incurred in making the annual audit of the operations of the Project are to be regarded as Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project.

Section 17. SALE OR ENCUMBRANCE OF SYSTEM. While any Bonds remain Outstanding, the Authority will not sell, dispose of or further encumber the Project or any substantial part thereof; provided, however, that this provision shall not prevent the Authority from (i) pledging the Bond Payments and Funds to Additional Bonds or Special Project Bonds as set forth in Sections 13 and 14 of this Resolution or (ii) disposing of any part of the Project which is being replaced or is deemed by the Authority to be obsolete, worn out, surplus or no longer needed for the proper operation of the Project. Any agreement pursuant to which the Authority contracts with a person, corporation, municipal corporation or political subdivision to operate the Project or to lease and/or operate all or part of the Project shall not be considered as an encumbrance of the Project; provided, however, no such agreement shall impair the pledge and lien on the Bond Payments and Funds.

Section 18. SPECIAL COVENANTS. The Authority further covenants and agrees that: (a) **Title.** The Authority lawfully owns or will own and is or will be lawfully possessed of the lands, easements or other property rights (including leasehold interests) upon which its Project is and will be located, and has or will purchase good and indefeasible estate in such lands in fee simple, or has or will lawfully obtain any necessary easements or has or will lawfully obtain property rights (including leasehold interests) to operate the Project, and it warrants that it has or will obtain and will defend, the title to all the aforesaid lands, easements and property

rights for the benefit of the Registered Owners of the Bonds against the claims and demands of all persons whomsoever, that it is lawfully qualified to pledge the Bond Payments to the payment of the Bonds Similarly Secured, in the manner prescribed herein, and that it has lawfully exercised such rights.

(b) **Liens.** The Authority will from time to time and before the same become delinquent pay and discharge all taxes, assessments, and governmental charges, if any, which shall be lawfully imposed upon it, or its Project, and it will pay all lawful claims for rents, royalties, labor, materials, and supplies which if unpaid might by law become a lien or charge upon its Project, provided, however, that no such tax, assessment, or charge, and that no such claims which might be or other lien or charge, shall be required to be paid while the validity of the same shall be contested in good faith by the Authority.

(c) **Performance.** The Authority will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations, and provisions contained in the resolutions authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured, and in each and every Bond Similarly Secured and pay from the Bond Payments the principal of and interest on every Bond Similarly Secured on the dates and in the places and manner prescribed in such resolutions and Bonds Similarly Secured; and that it will, at the times and in the manner prescribed, deposit or cause to be deposited from the Bond Payments the amounts required to be deposited into the Debt Service Fund; and the Registered Owner of the Bonds Similarly Secured may require the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees to carry out, respect, or enforce the covenants and obligations of this Resolution or any resolution authorizing the issuance of Bonds Similarly Secured including, but without limitation, the use and filing of mandamus proceedings, in any court of competent jurisdiction, against the Authority, its officials, agents, and employees.

(d) **Legal Authority.** The Authority is duly authorized under the laws of the State, including the Act, to issue the Bonds Similarly Secured; that all action on its part for the authorization and issuance of the Bonds Similarly Secured has been duly and effectively taken, and the Bonds Similarly Secured in the hands of the Registered Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable special obligations of the Authority in accordance with their terms payable solely from the Bond Payments.

(e) **Budget.** The Authority will prepare, adopt, and place into effect an annual budget (the "Annual Budget") for Operation and Maintenance Expenses of the Project for each Fiscal Year, including in each Annual Budget such items as are customarily and reasonably contained in a utility project budget under generally accepted accounting procedures and shall deliver such budget at least 90 days prior to adoption for review and comment by the City.

(f) **Permits.** The Authority will comply with all of the terms and conditions of any and all franchises, permits, and authorizations applicable to or necessary with respect to the Project and which have been obtained from any governmental Authority; and the Authority has or will obtain and keep in full force and effect all franchises, permits, authorizations, and other requirements applicable to or necessary with respect to the acquisition, construction, equipment, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Section 19. LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE AUTHORITY. The Bonds Similarly Secured are limited, special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments, and the Registered Owners thereof shall never have the right to demand payment of the principal or interest on the Bonds Similarly Secured from any funds raised or to be raised through taxation by the City or the Authority.

Section 20. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. (a) *Events of Default.* Each of the following occurrences or events for the purpose of this Resolution is hereby declared to be an Event of Default:

(i) the failure to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable; or

(ii) default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the Authority, the failure to perform which materially, adversely affects the rights of the Registered Owners of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with this Resolution, and, if such default is capable of cure, the continuation thereof for a period of sixty (60) days after notice of such default is given by any Registered Owner to the Authority; or

(iii) a default by the City under the Contract.

(b) *Remedies for Event of Default.*

(i) Upon the happening of any Event of Default, then and in every case, any Registered Owner or an authorized representative thereof, including, but not limited to, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the Authority, or any official, officer or employee of the Authority in their official capacity, for the purpose of protecting and enforcing the rights of the Registered Owners under this Resolution, by mandamus or other suit, action or special proceeding in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any relief permitted by law, including the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained herein, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing that may be unlawful or in violation of any right of the Registered Owners hereunder or any combination of such remedies. The Registered Owners are third party beneficiaries to the Contract with the ability to enforce the provisions of the Contract for such period that a default exists under the Contract.

(ii) It is provided that all such proceedings shall be instituted and maintained for the equal benefit of all Registered Owners of Bonds then Outstanding.

(iii) Notwithstanding anything in this Resolution to the contrary, so long as the Purchaser continue to hold the Bonds, the Purchaser may exercise all remedies available to it in law or equity and any provision in this Resolution or the Bonds that restricts or limits the Purchaser's full exercise of these remedies shall be of no force and effect.

(c) ***Remedies Not Exclusive.***

(i) No remedy herein conferred or reserved is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy or remedies, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or under the Bonds or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity; provided, however, that notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, the right to accelerate the debt evidenced by the Bonds shall not be available as a remedy under this Resolution.

(ii) The exercise of any remedy herein conferred or reserved shall not be deemed a waiver of any other available remedy.

(iii) By accepting the delivery of a Bond authorized under this Resolution, such Registered Owner agrees that the certifications required to effectuate any covenants or representations contained in this Resolution do not and shall never constitute or give rise to a personal or pecuniary liability or charge against the officers, employees or trustees of the Authority or the Board.

(iv) None of the members of the Board, nor any other official or officer, agent, or employee of the Authority, shall be charged personally by the Registered Owners with any liability, or be held personally liable to the Registered Owners under any term or provision of this Resolution, or because of any Event of Default or alleged Event of Default under this Resolution.

Section 21. AMENDMENT OF RESOLUTION. (a) ***Amendments Without Consent.*** This Resolution and the rights and obligations of the Board and of the Registered Owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time without notice to or the consent of any Registered Owner of the Bonds or any Bond similarly secured, solely for any one or more of the following purposes:

(i) To add to the covenants and agreements of the Board contained in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed, or to surrender any right or power reserved to or conferred upon the Board in this Resolution;

(ii) To cure any ambiguity or inconsistency, or to cure or correct any defective provisions contained in this Resolution, upon receipt by the Board of an opinion of counsel, that the same is needed for such purpose, and will more clearly express the intent of this Resolution;

(iii) To supplement the security for the Bonds, replace or provide additional Credit Agreement, or change the form of the Bonds or make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(iv) To make any changes or amendments requested by any bond rating Authority then rating or requested to rate the Bonds, as a condition to the issuance or maintenance of a rating,

which changes or amendments do not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds;

(v) To make such other changes in the provisions hereof as the Board may deem necessary or desirable and which shall not, in the judgment of the Board, materially adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Outstanding Bonds; or

(vi) To assign the Contract to a trustee.

(b) **Amendments With Consent.** Subject to the other provisions of this Resolution, the Registered Owners of Outstanding Bonds aggregating 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount shall have the right from time to time to approve any amendment, other than amendments described in Subsection (a) of this Section, to this Resolution which may be deemed necessary or desirable by the Board; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall permit or be construed to permit, without the approval of the owners of all of the Outstanding Bonds, the amendment of the terms and conditions in this Resolution or in the Bonds so as to:

- (1) Make any change in the maturity of the Outstanding Bonds;
- (2) Reduce the rate of interest borne by the Outstanding Bonds;
- (3) Reduce the amount of the principal payable on the Outstanding Bonds;
- (4) Modify the terms of payment of principal of or interest on the Outstanding Bonds, or impose any conditions with respect to such payment;
- (5) Affect the rights of the owners of less than all Bonds then Outstanding; or
- (6) Change the minimum percentage of the Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds necessary for consent to such amendment.

(c) **Notice.** (i) If at any time the Board shall desire to amend this Resolution other than pursuant to (a) above, the Board shall cause notice of the proposed amendment to be published in a financial newspaper or journal of general circulation in The City of New York, New York or the State including in the Texas Bond Reporter once during each calendar week for at least two (2) successive calendar weeks. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that a copy thereof is on file at the principal office of the Paying Agent/Registrar for inspection by all owners of Bonds. Such publication is not required, however, if the Board gives or causes to be given such notice in writing to each Registered Owner of Bonds.

(d) **Receipt of Consents.** Whenever at any time not less than thirty (30) days, and within one (1) year, from the date of the first publication of said notice or other service of written notice of the proposed amendment the Board shall receive an instrument or instruments executed by all of the owners or the owners of at least 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, as

appropriate, which instrument or instruments shall refer to the proposed amendment described in said notice and which specifically consent to and approve such amendment in substantially the form of the copy thereof on file as aforesaid, the Board may adopt the amendatory resolution in substantially the same form.

(e) ***Effect of Amendments.*** Upon the adoption by the Board of any resolution to amend this Resolution pursuant to the provisions of this Section, this Resolution shall be deemed to be amended in accordance with the amendatory resolution, and the respective rights, duties, and obligations of the Board and all the owners of then Outstanding Bonds and all future Bonds shall thereafter be determined, exercised, and enforced under the resolution and this Resolution, as amended.

(f) ***Consent Irrevocable.*** Any consent given by any owner of Bonds pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be irrevocable for a period of six (6) months from the date of the first publication or other service of the notice provided for in this Section, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bonds during such period. Such consent may be revoked at any time after six (6) months from the date of the first publication of such notice by the owner who gave such consent, or by a successor in title, by filing notice thereof with the Registrar and the Board, but such revocation shall not be effective if the owners of 51% in Outstanding Principal Amount of Bonds, prior to the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendment.

(g) ***Ownership.*** For the purpose of this Section, the ownership and other matters relating to all Bonds registered as to ownership shall be determined from the Registration Books kept by the Paying Agent/Registrar therefor. The Paying Agent/Registrar may conclusively assume that such ownership continues until written notice to the contrary is served upon the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 22. COVENANTS REGARDING TAX EXEMPTION OF INTEREST ON THE BONDS. (a) ***Covenants.*** The Authority covenants to take any action necessary to assure, or refrain from any action which would adversely affect, the treatment of the Bonds as obligations described in section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), the interest on which is not includable in the "gross income" of the holder for purposes of federal income taxation. In furtherance thereof, the Authority covenants as follows:

(1) to take any action to assure that no more than 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited to a reserve fund, if any) are used for any "private business use," as defined in section 141(b)(6) of the Code or, if more than 10 percent of the proceeds or the projects financed therewith are so used, such amounts, whether or not received by the Authority, with respect to such private business use, do not, under the terms of this Order or any underlying arrangement, directly or indirectly, secure or provide for the payment of more than 10 percent of the debt service on the Bonds, in contravention of section 141(b)(2) of the Code;

(2) to take any action to assure that in the event that the "private business use" described in subsection (1) hereof exceeds 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds or the projects financed therewith (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) then the amount in excess of 5 percent is used for a "private business use" which is "related" and not "disproportionate," within the meaning of section 141(b)(3) of the Code, to the governmental use;

(3) to take any action to assure that no amount which is greater than the lesser of \$5,000,000, or 5 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds (less amounts deposited into a reserve fund, if any) is directly or indirectly used to finance loans to persons, other than state or local governmental units, in contravention of section 141(c) of the Code;

(4) to refrain from taking any action which would otherwise result in the Bonds being treated as "private activity bonds" within the meaning of section 141(b) of the Code;

(5) to refrain from taking any action that would result in the Bonds being "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code;

(6) to refrain from using any portion of the proceeds of the Bonds, directly or indirectly, to acquire or to replace funds which were used, directly or indirectly, to acquire investment property (as defined in section 148(b)(2) of the Code) which produces a materially higher yield over the term of the Bonds, other than investment property acquired with --

(A) proceeds of the Bonds invested for a reasonable temporary period of 3 years or less or, in the case of a refunding bond, for a period of 90 days or less until such proceeds are needed for the purpose for which the bonds are issued,

(B) amounts invested in a bona fide debt service fund, within the meaning of section 1.148-1(b) of the Treasury Regulations, and

(C) amounts deposited in any reasonably required reserve or replacement fund to the extent such amounts do not exceed 10 percent of the proceeds of the Bonds;

(7) to otherwise restrict the use of the proceeds of the Bonds or amounts treated as proceeds of the Bonds, as may be necessary, so that the Bonds do not otherwise contravene the requirements of section 148 of the Code (relating to arbitrage) and, to the extent applicable, section 149(d) of the Code (relating to advance refundings);

(8) to pay to the United States of America at least once during each five-year period (beginning on the date of delivery of the Bonds) an amount that is at least equal to 90 percent of the "Excess Earnings," within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Code and to pay to the United States of America, not later than 60 days after the Bonds have

been paid in full, 100 percent of the amount then required to be paid as a result of Excess Earnings under section 148(f) of the Code;

(9) to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury, not later than the 15th day of the second calendar month after the close of the calendar quarter in which the Bonds are issued, an information statement concerning the Bonds, all under and in accordance with section 149(e) of the Code and the applicable Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder; and

(10) the Authority will not acquire any of the Purchaser source series bonds in an amount related to the amount of Bonds acquired by the Purchaser.

(b) **Rebate Fund.** In order to facilitate compliance with the above covenant (8), a "Rebate Fund" is hereby established by the Authority for the sole benefit of the United States of America, and such fund shall not be subject to the claim of any other person, including without limitation the bondholders. The Rebate Fund is established for the additional purpose of compliance with section 148 of the Code.

(c) **Proceeds.** The Authority understands that the term "proceeds" includes "disposition proceeds" as defined in the Treasury Regulations. It is the understanding of the Authority that the covenants contained herein are intended to assure compliance with the Code and any regulations or rulings promulgated by the U.S. Department of the Treasury pursuant thereto. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which modify or expand provisions of the Code, as applicable to the Bonds, the Authority will not be required to comply with any covenant contained herein to the extent that such failure to comply, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not adversely affect the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In the event that regulations or rulings are hereafter promulgated which impose additional requirements which are applicable to the Bonds, the Authority agrees to comply with the additional requirements to the extent necessary, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, to preserve the exemption from federal income taxation of interest on the Bonds under section 103 of the Code. In furtherance of such intention, the Authority hereby authorizes and directs the Executive Director to execute any documents, certificates or reports required by the Code and to make such elections, on behalf of the Authority, which may be permitted by the Code as are consistent with the purpose for the issuance of the Bonds.

(d) **Allocation Of, and Limitation On, Expenditures for the Project.** The Authority covenants to account for the expenditure of sale proceeds and investment earnings to be used for the purposes described in Section 2 of this Resolution (the "Project") on its books and records in accordance with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Authority recognizes that in order for the proceeds to be considered used for the reimbursement of costs, the proceeds must be allocated to expenditures within 18 months of the later of the date that (1) the expenditure is made, or (2) the Project is completed; but in no event later than three years after the date on which the original expenditure is paid. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Authority recognizes that in order for proceeds to be expended under the Internal Revenue Code, the sale proceeds or

investment earnings must be expended no more than 60 days after the earlier of (1) the fifth anniversary of the delivery of the Bonds, or (2) the date the Bonds are retired. The Authority agrees to obtain the advice of nationally-recognized bond counsel if such expenditure fails to comply with the foregoing to assure that such expenditure will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(e) ***Disposition of Project.*** The Authority covenants that the property constituting the Project will not be sold or otherwise disposed in a transaction resulting in the receipt by the Authority of cash or other compensation, unless any action taken in connection with such disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purpose of the foregoing, the Authority may rely on an opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel that the action taken in connection with such sale or other disposition will not adversely affect the tax-exempt status of the Bonds. For purposes of the foregoing, the portion of the property comprising personal property and disposed in the ordinary course shall not be treated as a transaction resulting in the receipt of cash or other compensation. For purposes hereof, the Authority shall not be obligated to comply with this covenant if it obtains an opinion that such failure to comply will not adversely affect the excludability for federal income tax purposes from gross income of the interest.

(f) ***Reimbursement.*** This Resolution is intended to satisfy the official intent requirements set forth in section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations.

Section 23. RESOLUTION TO CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT; EQUAL SECURITY. In consideration of the acceptance of the Bonds, the issuance of which is authorized hereunder, by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the Board and the Registered Owners from time to time of the Bonds and the pledge made in this Resolution by the Board and the covenants and agreements set forth in this Resolution to be performed by the Board shall be for the equal and proportionate benefit, security, and protection of all Registered Owners, without preference, priority, or distinction as to security or otherwise of any of the Bonds authorized hereunder over any of the others by reason of time of issuance, sale, or maturity thereof or otherwise for any cause whatsoever, except as expressly provided in or permitted by this Resolution.

Section 24. SEVERABILITY OF INVALID PROVISIONS. If any one or more of the covenants, agreements, or provisions herein contained shall be held contrary to any express provisions of law or contrary to the policy of express law, though not expressly prohibited, or against public policy, or shall for any reason whatsoever be held invalid, then such covenants, agreements, or provisions shall be null and void and shall be deemed separable from the remaining covenants, agreements, or provisions and shall in no way affect the validity of any of the other provisions hereof or of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 25. PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS DAYS. Except as provided to the contrary in the FORM OF BOND, whenever under the terms of this Resolution or the Bonds, the performance date of any provision hereof or thereof, including the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, shall occur on a day other than a Business Day, then the performance thereof, including the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of performance or payment.

Section 26. LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO THE RESOLUTION. With the exception of the rights or benefits herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or contained herein or implied from the provisions of this Resolution or the Bonds is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any person other than the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar, any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to this Resolution or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, agreement, or provision herein contained. This Resolution and all of the covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions hereof are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive benefit of the Board, the Registered Owners, and the Paying Agent/Registrar as herein and therein provided.

Section 27. CUSTODY, APPROVAL, BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION, CUSIP NUMBERS AND PREAMBLE. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized to have control of the Bonds issued hereunder and all necessary records and proceedings pertaining to the Bonds pending their delivery and approval by the Attorney General of the State. The Authority Representative is hereby authorized, to the extent deemed necessary or advisable thereby, in the discretion thereof, to request that the Attorney General approve the Bonds as permitted by Chapter 1202, Texas Government Code, in which case the Authority Representative also is authorized to request the Comptroller of Public Accounts register the Bonds, and to cause an appropriate legend reflecting such approval and registration to appear on the Bonds and the substitute Bonds. The approving legal opinion of the Board's Bond Counsel and the assigned CUSIP numbers may, at the option of the Board, be printed on the Bonds and on any Bonds issued and delivered in exchange or replacement of any Bond, but neither shall have any legal effect, and shall be solely for the convenience and information of the Registered Owners of the Bonds. The preamble to this Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of this Resolution for all purposes.

Section 28. CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING. (a) *Annual Reports.* The Authority shall provide annually to the MSRB, (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the Authority, financial and operating data of the general type, being the information of the type described in Exhibit "D" hereto including financial statements of the Authority if audited financial statements of the Authority are then available, and (2) if not provided as part such financial information and operating data, audited financial statements of the Authority, when and if available. Any financial statements to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles for governmental units, or such other accounting principles as the Authority may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to state law or regulation, and in substantially the form included in the official

statement, and (ii) audited, if the Authority commissions an audit of such financial statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within 12 months after any such fiscal year end, then the Authority shall file unaudited financial statements within such 12-month period and audited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year, when and if the audit report on such statements becomes available.

If the Authority changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change (and of the date of the new fiscal year end) prior to the next date by which the Board otherwise would be required to provide financial information and operating data pursuant to this Section.

The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document that is available to the public on the MSRB's internet web site or filed with the SEC. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(b) ***Event Notices.*** The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of the event, of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds:

1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
2. Non-payment related defaults, if material;
3. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
4. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
5. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
6. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other events affecting the tax status of the Bonds
7. Modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material;
8. Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
9. Defeasances;
10. Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material;

11. Rating changes;
12. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Authority;
13. The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Authority or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Authority, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material;
14. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material;
15. Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which affect security holder, if material; and
16. Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the Authority, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

For these purposes, (a) any event described in the immediately preceding paragraph (12) is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Authority in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers of the Authority in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Authority, and (b) the Authority intends the words used in the immediately preceding paragraphs (15) and (16) and the definition of Financial Obligation in this Section to have the same meanings as when they are used in the Rule, as evidenced by SEC Release No. 34-83885, dated August 20, 2018.

The Authority shall notify the MSRB, in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any failure by the Authority to provide financial information or operating data in accordance with subsection (a) of this Section by the time required by such subsection.

All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Section shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(c) ***Limitations, Disclaimers, and Amendments.*** The Authority shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Section for so long as, but only for so long as, the Authority remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds within the meaning of the Rule, except that the Board in any event will give notice of any deposit made in accordance with Section 30 of this Resolution that causes the Bonds no longer to be outstanding.

The provisions of this Section are for the sole benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds, and nothing in this Section, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The Authority undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Section and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the Authority's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Section or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The Authority does not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE AUTHORITY BE LIABLE TO THE HOLDER OR BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY BOND OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE AUTHORITY, WHETHER NEGLIGENT OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS SECTION, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR *MANDAMUS* OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

No default by the Authority in observing or performing its obligations under this Section shall comprise a breach of or default under this Resolution for purposes of any other provision of this Resolution.

Should the Rule be amended to obligate the Authority to make filings with or provide notices to entities other than the MSRB, the Board of the Authority hereby agrees to undertake such obligation with respect to the Bonds in accordance with the Rule as amended.

Nothing in this Section is intended or shall act to disclaim, waive, or otherwise limit the duties of the Authority under federal and state securities laws.

The provisions of this Section may be amended by the Authority from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the Authority, but only if (1) the provisions of this Section, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds in compliance with the Rule, taking into

account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule since such offering as well as such changed circumstances and (2) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provision of this Resolution that authorizes such an amendment) of the outstanding Bonds consents to such amendment or (b) a person that is unaffiliated with the Authority (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interest of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. If the Authority so amends the provisions of this Section, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data next provided in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section an explanation, in narrative form, of the reason for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information or operating data so provided. The Authority may also amend or repeal the provisions of this continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provision of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the Rule are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds.

Section 29. APPLICATION OF BOND PROCEEDS. (a) Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall, promptly upon receipt thereof, be applied by the Authority Representative as follows:

- (i) accrued interest, if any, for the Bonds shall be deposited as provided in Section 9(a);
- (ii) an amount sufficient to accomplish the purposes of Section 2(b) shall be deposited to the Project Fund; and
- (iii) any proceeds from the sale of the Bonds remaining after the deposits provided for in clauses (i) and (ii) above, shall be applied to pay expenses arising in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

Any sale proceeds of the Bonds remaining after making all deposits and payments provided for above shall be applied to the payment of interest on the Bonds and deposited into the Debt Service Fund.

Section 30. DEFEASANCE PROVISIONS. (a) Any Bond and the interest thereon shall be deemed to be paid, retired and no longer outstanding (a "Defeased Bond") within the meaning of this Resolution, except to the extent provided in subsections (c) and (e) of this Section, when payment of the principal of such Bond, plus interest thereon to the due date or dates (whether such due date or dates be by reason of maturity, upon redemption, or otherwise) either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof (including the giving of any required notice of redemption or the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice) or (ii) shall have been provided for on or before such due date by irrevocably depositing with or making available to the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for such payment (1) lawful money of the United States of America sufficient to make such payment, (2) Defeasance Securities, certified by an independent public accounting firm of national reputation to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will ensure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient

money to provide for such payment and when proper arrangements have been made by the Authority with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank for the payment of its services until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable or (3) any combination of (1) and (2). At such time as a Bond shall be deemed to be a Defeased Bond hereunder, as aforesaid, such Bond and the interest thereon shall no longer be secured by, payable from, or entitled to the benefits of, the Bond Payments as provided in this Resolution, and such principal and interest shall be payable solely from such money or Defeasance Securities.

(b) The deposit under clause (ii) of subsection (a) shall be deemed a payment of a Bond as aforesaid when proper notice of redemption of such Bonds shall have been given or upon the establishment of irrevocable provisions for the giving of such notice, in accordance with this Resolution. Any money so deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank as provided in this Section may at the discretion of the Authority also be invested in Defeasance Securities, maturing in the amounts and at the times as hereinbefore set forth, and all income from all Defeasance Securities in possession of the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section which is not required for the payment of such Bond and premium, if any, and interest thereon with respect to which such money has been so deposited, shall be remitted to the Authority.

(c) Notwithstanding any provision of any other Section of this Resolution which may be contrary to the provisions of this Section, all money or Defeasance Securities set aside and held in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of principal of the Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, shall be applied to and used solely for the payment of the particular Bonds and premium, if any, and interest thereon, with respect to which such money or Defeasance Securities have been so set aside in trust. Until all Defeased Bonds shall have become due and payable, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall perform the services of Paying Agent/Registrar for such Defeased Bonds the same as if they had not been defeased, and the Authority shall make proper arrangements to provide and pay for such services as required by this Resolution.

(d) Notwithstanding anything elsewhere in this Resolution, if money or Defeasance Securities have been deposited or set aside with the Paying Agent/Registrar or an eligible trust company or commercial bank pursuant to this Section for the payment of Bonds and such Bonds shall not have in fact been actually paid in full, no amendment of the provisions of this Section shall be made without the consent of the registered owner of each Bond affected thereby.

(e) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above, to the extent that, upon the defeasance of any Defeased Bond to be paid at its maturity, the Authority retains the right under State law to later call that Defeased Bond for redemption in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution, the Authority may call such Defeased Bond for redemption upon complying with the provisions of State law and upon the satisfaction of the provisions of subsection (a) immediately above with respect to such Defeased Bond as though it was being defeased at the time of the exercise of the option to redeem the Defeased Bond and the effect of

the redemption is taken into account in determining the sufficiency of the provisions made for the payment of the Defeased Bond.

Section 31. SALE OF BONDS; USE OF PROCEEDS. (a) *Sale to the Texas Water Development Board ("Purchaser")*. That the Bonds are hereby sold to the Purchaser for the price of par. The Bonds have been purchased by the Purchaser pursuant to its Resolution No. 17-079, adopted on July 20, 2017, as amended by Resolution 19-077 adopted on July 22, 2019 (collectively, the "Purchaser Resolution"). The Bonds initially delivered shall be registered in the name of the Texas Water Development Board. The Private Placement Memorandum prepared in connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser in substantially the form attached to this Resolution is approved. The Authority has determined, based upon the advice provided by its financial advisors, that acceptance of the purchase price for the Bonds is on terms advantageous to, and in the best interests of, the Authority.

(b) *Notice from Purchaser of Sale of Bonds*. It is the intent of the parties to the sale of the Bonds that if Purchaser ever determines to sell all or a part of the Bonds, it shall notify the Authority at least 60 days prior to the sale of the Bonds of the decision to so sell the Bonds.

(c) *Proceeds*. The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be used in the manner described in the letter of instructions executed by the Authority, or on behalf of the Authority by its financial advisor.

(d) *Payment by Wire Transfer*. Payment of amounts due and owing on the Bonds to the Purchaser shall be made by wire transfer, at no expense to the Purchaser, as provided in the FORM OF BOND.

(e) *Escrow Fund*. By agreeing to the purchase the Bonds, the Purchaser agrees that the Bond proceeds shall be deposited into the escrow fund established in the Escrow Agreement between the Authority and BOKF, NA.

(f) *Investment of Bond Proceeds*. Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be held at a depository or other properly chartered and authorized institution in accordance with Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, and Chapter 2257, Texas Government Code.

Section 32. FURTHER PROCEDURES. The Authority Representative and all other officers, employees, and agents of the Board, and each of them, shall be and they are hereby expressly authorized, empowered, and directed from time to time and at any time to do and perform all such acts and things and to execute, acknowledge, and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Board all such instruments, whether or not herein mentioned, as may be necessary or desirable in order to carry out the terms and provisions of this Resolution, the Bonds, the sale and delivery of the Bonds and fixing all details in connection therewith. The Authority Representative is authorized to sign this Resolution.

Section 33. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS. All resolutions and all parts of any resolutions which are in conflict or inconsistent with this Resolution are hereby repealed and shall be of no further force or effect to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 34. PUBLIC NOTICE. It is hereby found and determined that each of the officers and members of the Board was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place, and purpose of the Meeting at which this Resolution was adopted; that this Resolution would be introduced and considered for adoption at said meeting; and that said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Section 35. NO PERSONAL LIABILITY. No covenant or agreement contained in the Bonds, this Resolution or any corollary instrument shall be deemed to be the covenant or agreement of any member of the Board or the City or any officer, agent, employee or representative of the Board or the City in their individual capacity, and neither the directors, officers, agents, employees or representatives of the Board or the City nor any person executing the Bonds shall be personally liable thereon or be subject to any personal liability for damages or otherwise or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof, or any actions taken or duties performed, whether by virtue of any constitution, statute or rule of law, or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty, or otherwise, all such liability being expressly released and waived as a condition of and in consideration for the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 36. APPROVAL OF ESCROW AGREEMENT, PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT, BLANKET ISSUER LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS WITH THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY AND CREDIT AGREEMENTS. (a) The Escrow Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent ("Escrow Agreement") in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved, and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Escrow Agreement, as necessary.

(b) The Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement by and between the Authority and BOKF, NA ("Paying Agent Agreement"), in substantially the form and substance submitted to the Board is hereby approved and the Authority Representative is hereby authorized and directed to complete, amend, modify, and execute the Paying Agent Agreement, as necessary.

(c) The Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations with the Depository Trust Company has been previously executed by the Authority Representative and is hereby authorized to be utilized in connection with the Bonds.

(d) To the extent permitted by law, the Authority reserves the right to enter into Credit Agreements in connection with the Bonds, upon the written opinion of the Authority Representative that such Credit Agreements are in the best interest of the Authority given the market conditions at the time. The Credit Agreements will constitute a Credit Agreement as defined in this Resolution. Credit Agreements and the obligations thereunder may, pursuant to their terms, constitute (i) debt secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments on parity with the

Bonds Similarly Secured (ii) debt secured by an inferior lien secured by a pledge of the Bond Payments subordinate to the Bonds Similarly Secured or (iii) partially parity and partially inferior lien.

Section 37. ADDITIONAL COVENANTS. In connection with the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser, the Authority covenants as follows:

(a) ***Compliance with the Texas Water Development Board's Rules and Regulations.*** The Authority covenants to comply with the rules and regulations of the Purchaser, and to maintain insurance on the Project in such amount as may be required by Purchaser, as further addressed in subsection (h) of this Section.

(b) ***Audits.*** For so long as the State owns any of the Bonds, the Authority shall mail a copy of the audit required by this Resolution to the Purchaser. In addition, monthly operating statements for the Project shall be maintained by the Authority and made available, on request, to the Purchaser as long as the State owns any of the Bonds, and the monthly operating statement shall be in such detail as requested by the Development Fund Manager of the Purchaser until this requirement is waived thereby. The Authority shall also provide, or cause to be provided, a copy of the City's audit within 180 days after the City's fiscal year end.

(c) ***Final Accounting.*** Within 60 days of Project completion, the Authority shall render a final accounting to the Purchaser in reference to the total cost incurred by the Authority for the Project which were financed by the issuance of the Bonds, together with a copy of "as built" plans of such Project.

(d) ***Defeasance.*** Should the Authority exercise its right under this Resolution to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, the Authority agrees that it will provide the Purchaser with 30 days written notice of any such defeasance.

(e) ***Segregation of Funds.*** The Authority covenants that proceeds of the Bonds shall remain separate and distinct from other sources of funding from the date of the Purchaser commitment through costing and final disbursement.

(f) ***Environmental Indemnity.*** Proceeds from the Bonds shall not be used by the Authority when sampling, testing, removing, or disposing of contaminated soils and/or media at the Project site. To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and protect the Purchaser from any and all claims, causes of action, or damages to the person or property of third parties arising from the sampling, analysis, transport, storage, treatment, and disposition of any contaminated sewage sludge, contaminated sediments, and/or contaminated media that may be generated by the Authority, its contractors, consultants, agents, officials, and employees as a result of activities relating to the project funded with proceeds of the Bonds.

(g) ***Environmental Determination.*** In connection with the Project financed with the Bonds, the Authority agrees to implement any environmental determination issued by the

Executive Administrator of Purchaser to satisfy the environmental review requirements set forth in 31 Texas Administrative Code 371.

(h) **Insurance.** The Authority agrees that it will maintain insurance on the Project in an amount sufficient to protect Purchaser's interest in the project financed with the proceeds of the Bonds. The Authority may self-insure in respect to satisfying this covenant.

(i) **No Purchase of Purchaser Bonds.** The Authority agrees that it, nor any related party to the Authority, will not purchase, as an investment or otherwise, bonds issued by Purchaser including, without limitation, bonds issued by Purchaser, the proceeds of which were used by Purchaser to purchase the Bonds.

(j) **Compliance with Federal Contracting Laws.** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of federal law relating to contracting with disadvantaged business enterprises.

(k) **Compliance with State Contracting Laws.** The Authority acknowledges that it has a legal obligation to comply with any applicable requirements of State law relating to contracting with historically underutilized businesses and will report to the Purchaser the amounts of Project funds, if any that are used to compensate historically underutilized businesses that work on the Project in accordance with 31 TAC ' 363.1312.

Section 38. APPROVAL CERTIFICATE. Pursuant to Section 3.1 of the Contract, the City has authorized the execution of an approval certificate attached hereto as Exhibit "F" which evidences the approval of the terms and provisions of the Bonds as set forth herein by the City.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this October 30, 2019.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Authority Representative

EXHIBIT A

DEFINITIONS

As used in this Resolution, the following terms and expressions shall have the meanings set forth below, unless the text in this Resolution specifically indicates otherwise.

The term *Additional Bonds* shall mean the obligations issued in accordance with the terms and conditions prescribed in Section 13 hereof.

The term *Annual Payments* shall have the meaning given in each Contract.

The term *Authorized Denominations* shall mean shall mean the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

The term *Authority* shall mean Alliance Regional Water Authority and any other public Authority succeeding to the powers, rights, privileges and functions of the Authority and, when appropriate, the Board of the Authority.

The term *Authority Representative* shall mean the Chair, Vice Chair or the Executive Director of the Authority or such other person authorized by the Board to act as an Authority Representative.

The term *Average Annual Debt Service Requirements* shall mean that average amount which, at the time of computation, will be required to pay the Debt Service Requirements on all outstanding Bonds Similarly Secured when due (either at Stated Maturity or mandatory redemption) and derived by dividing the total of such Debt Service Requirement by the number of Fiscal Years then remaining before Stated Maturity of such Bonds Similarly Secured. For purposes of this definition, a fractional period of a Fiscal Year shall be treated as an entire Fiscal Year. Capitalized interest payments provided from Bond proceeds shall be excluded in making the aforementioned computation.

The term *Board* shall mean the Board of Directors of the Authority.

The term *Bond Payments* shall mean the payments defined as "Bond Payments" within the Contract that the Authority expects to receive from the City of Buda, Texas pursuant to the terms of the Contract.

The term *Bonds* shall mean and include collectively the Bonds issued and delivered and all substitute Bonds exchanged therefor, as well as all other substitute bonds and replacement bonds issued pursuant hereto, and the term *Bond* shall mean any of the Bonds.

The term *Bonds Similarly Secured* shall mean the Series 2017 Bonds and the Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution and any Additional Bonds hereafter issued by the Authority or bonds issued to refund any of the foregoing if issued in a manner that provides that the refunding

bonds are payable from and equally and ratably secured by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments.

The term *Business Day* shall mean any day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or a day on which banking institutions in The City of New York, New York or in the city where the Designated Trust Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close.

The term *Certified Public Accountant* shall mean an independent certified public accountant or firm of independent certified public accountants.

The term *City* shall mean the City of Buda, Texas.

The term *City System* shall mean and includes the existing combined waterworks and/or wastewater disposal system of the City, together with all future extensions, improvements, enlargements, and additions thereto, including, to the extent permitted by law, storm sewer and drainage and/or reclaimed water systems which are integrated with the waterworks or wastewater disposal system, and all replacements thereof. Provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, and to the extent now or hereafter authorized or permitted by law, the term *City System* shall not include any waterworks or wastewater facilities which are declared by the City not to be a part of the City System, and which are hereafter acquired or constructed by the City with the proceeds from the issuance of "Special Facilities Bonds," which are hereby defined as being special revenue obligations of the City which are not secured by or payable from the net revenues of the City System, but which are secured by and are payable solely from special contract revenues, or payments received from the City or any other legal entity, or any combination thereof, in connection with such facilities; and such revenues or payments shall not be considered as or constitute gross revenues of the City System, unless and to the extent otherwise provided in the ordinance or ordinances authorizing the issuance of such *Special Facilities Bonds*.

The term *City Utility Bonds* shall mean the bonds, notes or other obligations issued by the City secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues of the City System or any part thereof regardless of lien priority including such bonds, notes or other obligations now or hereafter outstanding.

The term *Closing Date* shall mean the date of physical delivery of the Initial Bond issued pursuant to this Resolution for the payment in full by the Purchaser.

The term *Completion Date* shall mean when the Facilities have been substantially complete, the date specified in a certificate of the Authority and Project Engineer that the Project is substantially completed and ready to be placed in service.

The term *Contract* shall mean the Regional Water Supply Contract dated as of January 9, 2008, together with amendments and supplements thereto including Amendment No. 1 (which by the term of such instrument is designated as a supplement or amendment to such Contract)

between the Authority and each Participating Entity, conformed copies of the Contract being attached hereto as Exhibit "E" for the purposes of identification.

The term *Credit Agreement* shall mean an Insurance Policy, a surety bond (including any supporting Insurance Agreement), a letter or line of credit or other type of enhancement issued in support of any Bonds or Additional Bonds by a Credit Agreement Provider at the request of the Authority.

The term *Credit Agreement Provider* shall mean (i) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a policy of municipal bond insurance or a surety bond, an issuer of policies of insurance insuring the timely payment of scheduled debt service on governmental obligations such as any Series of Bonds or Additional Bonds, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds upon delivery of the Bonds or Additional Bonds fully insured by a standard policy issued by the issuer in its highest generic rating category for such obligations; and (ii) with respect to any Credit Agreement consisting of a letter or line of credit, any financial institution, provided that a Rating Authority having an outstanding rating on the Bonds or Additional Bonds would rate the Bonds or Additional Bonds in one of its two highest generic rating categories for such obligations if the letter or line of credit proposed to be issued by such financial institution secured the timely payment of the entire principal amount of a series of Bonds or Additional Bonds and the interest thereon.

The term *Debt Service Fund* shall mean the special fund or account created and established by the provisions of Section 9(a) of this Resolution.

The term *Debt Service Requirements* shall mean as of any particular date of computation, with respect to any obligations and with respect to any period, the aggregate of the amounts to be paid or set aside by the Authority as of such date or in such period for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (to the extent not capitalized) on such obligations; assuming, in the case of obligations without a fixed numerical rate, that such obligations bear interest calculated by (a) either (i) an interest rate equal to the average rate borne by such Bonds (or by comparable debt in the event that such Bonds have not been outstanding during the preceding 24 months) for any 24 month period ending within 30 days prior to the date of calculation, (ii) if the Bonds bear interest at tax-exempt rates, an interest rate equal to the 24 month average of the Index (as most recently published in The Bond Buyer), unless such index is no longer published in The Bond Buyer, in which case the index to be used in its place shall be that index which the Authority Representative determines most closely replicates such index as set forth in a certificate of a Authority Representative, (iii) if the Bonds bear interest at taxable rates, the index which the Authority Representative determines is an accepted market index for taxable rates, (iv) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based, to the extent possible, upon an accepted market index which corresponds with the provisions of the subject Bonds, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect with respect to such Bonds or (v) that interest rate which, in the judgment of the Authority Representative, based upon the interest rate methodology in the applicable Credit Agreement if calculating payments under a Credit Agreement, is the average rate anticipated to be in effect; and (b) that the debt service of such

bonds is amortized such that annual debt service is substantially level over the remaining stated life of such bonds, and further assuming in the case of obligations required to be redeemed or prepaid as to principal prior to Stated Maturity, the principal amounts thereof will be redeemed prior to Stated Maturity in accordance with the mandatory redemption provisions applicable thereto.

The term *Defeasance Securities* shall mean (i) Federal Securities, (ii) noncallable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the Board adopts or approves proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds or otherwise provide for the funding of an escrow to effect the defeasance of the Bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm no less than "AAA" or its equivalent, or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Depository* shall mean an official depository bank of the Authority.

The term *Designated Trust Office* shall have the meaning ascribed to said term in Section 5(b) of this Resolution.

The term *Engineering Report* shall mean the "Final Report of the Plumbing Plan," prepared by Lockwood, Andrews & Newnan, Inc., dated September 21, 2007, as such report may be amended, modified and changed and superseded with the approval of the Authority and Sponsors, at any time prior to the execution of construction contracts for the Project or as modified and changed by change orders issued after the execution of such construction contracts; provided, however, no such change orders shall adversely affect any of the Sponsors without the consent of the Sponsors.

The term *Facilities* shall mean the facilities, wells, diversion structures, treatment plants, storage tanks, capacity rights, lines, booster pumps, and other appurtenances sufficient to produce, divert, treat and deliver the water to which the Sponsors are entitled under the Contract and any improvements, additions, or extensions to such Facilities hereafter acquired or constructed to deliver water between such places.

The term *Federal Securities* shall mean direct, non-callable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America (including Interest Strips of the Resolution Funding Corporation).

The term *Financial Obligation* shall mean (a) debt obligation; (b) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or

planned debt obligation; or (c) guarantee of a debt obligation or any such derivative instrument; provided that “financial obligation” shall not include municipal securities (as defined in the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

The term *Fiscal Year* shall mean the twelve month accounting period used by the Authority in connection with the operation of the Project, currently ending on September 30th of each year, which may be any twelve consecutive month period established by the Authority, but in no event may the Fiscal Year be changed more than one time in any three calendar year period.

The term *Fitch* shall mean Fitch Ratings, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Fitch shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Funds* shall mean the Debt Service Fund and Project Fund created and held pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Government Securities* shall mean (i) direct non-callable obligations of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America; (ii) non-callable obligations of an Authority or instrumentality of the United States, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the Authority or instrumentality and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; (iii) non-callable obligations of a state or an Authority or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and that, on the date the governing body of the issuer adopts or approves the proceedings authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent; or (iv) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by the laws of the State as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds.

The term *Interest Payment Date* shall mean the date semiannual interest is payable on the Bonds, while any of the Bonds remain Outstanding as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *IRS Code* shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The term *Land Interests* shall mean the easements, right-of-way, and other interests in real property necessary for the acquisition, construction, and operation of the Facilities and the Water Rights for the Project.

The term *MSRB* means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The term *Maturity* shall mean the date on which the principal of a Bond becomes due and payable as therein and herein provided, whether at Stated Maturity, by redemption or otherwise.

The term *Moody's* shall mean Moody's Investors Service, Inc., its successors and their assigns, and, if such corporation shall be dissolved or liquidated or shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating Authority, Moody's shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating Authority designated by the Authority.

The term *Operation and Maintenance Expenses* shall mean all direct costs and expenses incurred by the Authority for its operation and maintenance, including but not limited to, the operation and maintenance of the Project, including (for greater certainty but without limiting the generality of the foregoing) amounts payable under any contract with any person, including, but not limited to any federal, state, or local Authority for the right to produce, withdraw or divert and use water, any contribution or payment in lieu of taxes or any fee or charge by any government authority relating to the Authority's production, withdrawal or diversion of or sale of treated water hereunder, the costs of utilities, supervision, engineering, accounting, auditing, legal services, insurance premiums, supplies, services, and administration of the Project, Overhead Expenses, any required costs of mitigation and land management incidental to Project operation, and costs of operating, repairing, maintaining, and replacing equipment for proper operation and maintenance of the Project. The term "Operation and Maintenance Expenses" does not include depreciation charges or such portion of the above described costs to the extent such costs are paid pursuant to an agreement other than the Contract.

The term *Outstanding* shall mean when used in this Resolution with respect to Bonds means, as of the date of determination, all Bonds of any series issued and delivered pursuant to this Resolution, except:

(1) those Bonds canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar or delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation;

(2) those Bonds for which payment has been duly provided by the Authority in accordance with the provisions of Section 30 of this Resolution by the irrevocable deposit with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, of money or Government Securities, or both, in the amount necessary to fully pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest thereon to maturity or redemption, as the case may be, provided that, if such Bonds are to be redeemed, notice of redemption thereof shall have been duly given pursuant to this Resolution or irrevocably provided to be given to the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or waived; and

(3) those Bonds that have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen and replacement Bonds have been registered and delivered in lieu thereof as provided in Section 5(f) of this Resolution.

The term *Overhead Expenses* shall mean the Authority's reasonable and necessary costs and expenses incurred at any time directly related to the issuance and servicing of the Bonds, the

acquisition of Land Interests required for the Project, the design, permitting, financing, acquisition, construction, and ownership of the Project and any other activities required of or involving the Authority in connection with or attributable to the Project or the Bonds, including, but not limited to: (i) per diem and reimbursable expenses incurred by the Directors of the Authority for special meetings of the Authority's Board related to the Project; (ii) services of the professional, technical skilled and unskilled persons and firms engaged by or associated with the Authority, other than Authority staff personnel, together with their reimbursable expenses paid or required to be paid by the Authority; (iii) salaries of the Authority's staff attributable to the Project or the Bonds based on time expended, as documented or reasonably estimated by the President, Board of the Authority; (iv) the costs of preparing applications for and obtaining all approvals and authorizations required for the Project or the Bonds from the regulatory authorities having jurisdiction; (v) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance incurred prior to the Completion Date; including any insurance deductible charged to or required to be paid by the Authority; provided that if the Authority is unable to obtain such insurance on an occurrence basis, then any expense incurred by the Authority from and after the Completion Date for casualty and public liability insurance, including any insurance deductible, shall be paid by the Sponsors; (vi) all costs incurred in litigation involving or relating to the Project; and (vii) any and all other costs and expenses, including out-of-pocket expenses, incurred by the Authority attributable to the Project or the Bonds, whether enumerated above or not, and whether or not included in the definition or as a part of Project Costs.

The terms *Paying Agent/Registrar*, *Paying Agent* or *Registrar* shall mean the agent appointed pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution or any successor to such agent.

The term *Participating Entities* shall mean with respect to the Contract, Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos and Canyon Regional Water Authority.

The term *Phase 1A Project* shall mean the design and construction of facilities to interconnect the Cities of Kyle and Buda water systems. The Project will use the Phase 1A Project facilities to deliver Carrizo water into the Buda system. Facilities include a possible water pump section, pumps, ground storage tank, chlorine treatment system, yard piping necessary to receive and pump water, fee simple purchase of property for the pump station and new transmission pipeline.

The term *Phase 1B Improvements Project* shall include design, construction and equipment of multiple wells drilled and installed; the primary collection line from the well field to the treatment plant along with the individual collection lines; a sand filter water treatment plant including filters, disinfection equipment, high service pump station, and clearwell storage; plant construction in phases with Phase 1B expected to provide a treatment capacity of approximately 5 MGD, with an ultimate plant buildout of approximately 35 MGD; and transmission mains from the water treatment plant to the Project's Phase 1A infrastructure all as further set forth in the Authority's application to the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Project* shall mean, collectively, the Land Interests and the Facilities as described in the recitals to the Contract and in the Engineering Report.

The term *Project Costs* shall mean and includes, without limitation, the following costs incurred for the Project by or on behalf of the Authority or the Sponsors: (i) the cost of acquisition of the Land Interests, including appraisals, closing costs and title insurance policies; (ii) the cost of acquisition, construction, repair, replacement, improvement or decommissioning of the Facilities, and any structure, item of equipment, or other item, used for, or in connection with, the Project; (iii) the cost of site preparation of the Land Interests, including demolition or removal of structures and improvements as necessary or incident to accomplishing the Project; (iv) the cost of engineering, legal, architectural or other related services; (v) the preparation cost of plans, specifications, studies, surveys, cost estimates, and other expenses necessary or incident to planning, providing, or financing the Project; (vi) the cost of machinery, equipment, furnishings, and facilities necessary or incident to placing the Project in operation; (vii) finance charges and interest before, during, and after construction as permitted by the laws of the State; (viii) costs incurred in connection with financing the project, including, without limitation: (1) financing, legal, accounting, financial advisory, rating Authority, and auditing fees, expenses and disbursements; (2) the cost of printing, engraving, and reproduction services; and (3) the cost of a trustee's or paying agent's initial or acceptance fee and subsequent fees; (ix) all costs, fees and expenses of litigation of all kinds; (x) the cost of property casualty and public liability insurance; (xi) the fees and costs of the underwriters as the anticipated Purchaser of the Bonds; (xii) reimbursement of the costs previously incurred by the Sponsors with respect to the Project; and (xiii) other costs generally recognized as a part of Project construction costs.

The term *Project Engineer* shall mean such engineer or engineering firm selected by the Authority.

The term *Purchaser* shall mean the initial purchaser of the Bonds, the Texas Water Development Board.

The term *Record Date* shall mean the Business Day of each month as set forth in the FORM OF BOND.

The term *Registration Books* shall mean the books or records relating to the registration, payment and transfer or exchange of the Bonds maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar pursuant to Section 5 of this Resolution.

The term *Registered Owner* shall mean the entity or person in whose names any of the Bonds are registered in the Registration Books.

The term *Resolution* shall mean this resolution adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019.

The term *Rule* shall mean SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

The term *SEC* means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

The term *Series* shall mean any designated Series of Bonds issued pursuant to this Resolution.

The term *Series 2017 Bonds* shall mean the Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2017D.

The term *Special Project Bonds* shall mean obligations which the Authority expressly reserves the right to issue in Section 14 of this Resolution.

The term *State* shall mean the State of Texas.

The term *Stated Maturity* shall mean, when used with respect to the Bonds, the scheduled maturity or mandatory sinking fund redemption date of a series of the Bonds.

The term *Water Rights* shall mean the right to produce, withdraw or divert water, and transport the water from the location where it is produced, withdrawn, or diverted into Caldwell County, Guadalupe County, Hays County, and the surrounding counties. "Water Rights" are a component of "Land Interests."

EXHIBIT B
FORM OF BOND

**REGISTERED
NO.** _____

**REGISTERED
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT**
\$ _____

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF TEXAS
ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
CONTRACT REVENUE BONDS
(REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT PROJECT – CITY OF BUDA, TEXAS)
SERIES 2019D**

BOND DATE: **STATED**
MATURITY: **INTEREST RATE:** **CUSIP NO.:**

November 20, 2019

REGISTERED OWNER: _____

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: _____ **DOLLARS**

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "State"), created by the Cities of Buda, Kyle and San Marcos, Texas and the Canyon Regional Water Authority a conservation and reclamation district and political subdivision of the State created and existing pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution and existing under the laws of the State, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner specified above, or the registered assigns thereof, on the Stated Maturity date specified above, the Principal Amount specified above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption), and to pay interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to the earlier of redemption or Stated Maturity, at the per annum rate of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15 of each year commencing August 15, 2020.

Principal and premium, if any, of the Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the "Holder") upon presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar executing the registration certificate appearing hereon or a successor thereof. Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond (or one or more Predecessor Bonds, as defined in the Resolution hereinafter referenced) whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is

the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. In addition, interest may be paid by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Registered Owner. The foregoing notwithstanding, so long as the Texas Water Development Board is the registered owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding, payment of principal and interest on the Bonds shall be made thereto by wire transfer, at no expense to the Texas Water Development Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during any period in which ownership of the Bonds is determined only by a book entry at a securities depository for the Bonds, payments made to the securities depository, or its nominee, shall be made in accordance with arrangements between the Authority and the securities depository.

This Bond is one of the series specified in its title issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$4,370,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to a resolution adopted by the governing body of the Authority (the "Resolution"), (i) FOR CONSTRUCTING, ACQUIRING, IMPROVING AND/OR EXPANDING THE PROJECT INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE PHASE 1B IMPROVEMENTS WATER SUPPLY PROJECT AND (ii) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

The principal amount of a Term Bond required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of such mandatory redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the Authority, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of such Stated Maturity which, at least 50 days prior to the mandatory redemption date (1) shall have been defeased or acquired by the Authority and delivered to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and canceled by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the request of the Authority with money in the Debt Service Fund, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions set forth below and not theretofore credited against a mandatory redemption requirement.

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond

(or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part.

The Bonds of this series are special obligations of the Authority payable from and equally and ratably secured solely by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments received by the Authority from the City pursuant to the provisions of the Contract. In the Resolution, the Authority reserves and retains the right to issue Additional Bonds, without limitation as to principal amount but subject to any terms, conditions, or restrictions set forth in the Resolution or as may be applicable thereto under law or otherwise. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien, or encumbrance upon any property of the Authority or System, except with respect to the Bond Payments.

The Holder hereof shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, copies of which are on file in the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and to all of the provisions of which the Holder by his acceptance hereof hereby assents, for definitions of terms; the description and nature of the Special Payments pledged for the payment of the Bonds; the terms and conditions under which the Authority may issue Additional Bonds; the terms and conditions relating to the transfer or exchange of the Bonds; the conditions upon which the Resolution may be amended or supplemented with or without the consent of the Holders; the rights, duties, and obligations of the Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar; the terms and provisions upon which this Bond may be redeemed or discharged at or prior to the Stated Maturity thereof, and deemed to be no longer Outstanding thereunder; and for the other terms and provisions specified in the Resolution. Capitalized terms used herein have the same meanings assigned in the Resolution.

This Bond, subject to certain limitations contained in the Resolution, may be transferred on the Registration Books upon presentation and surrender at a corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar duly executed by the Holder hereof, or his duly authorized agent, and thereupon one or more new fully registered Bonds of the same Stated Maturity, of authorized denominations, bearing the same rate of interest, and of the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

The Authority and the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any agent of either, shall treat the Holder hereof whose name appears on the Security Register (i) on the Record Date as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of interest hereon, (ii) on the date of surrender of this

Bond as the owner hereof for purposes of receiving payment of principal hereof at its Stated Maturity, or its redemption, in whole or in part, and (iii) on any other date as the owner hereof for all other purposes, and neither the Authority nor the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any such agent of either, shall be affected by notice to the contrary. In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for thirty (30) days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the Authority. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest (the "Special Payment Date" - which shall be fifteen (15) days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five (5) business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder appearing on the Security Register at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

It is hereby certified, covenanted, and represented that all acts, conditions, and things required to be performed, exist, and be done precedent to the issuance of this Bond in order to render the same a legal, valid, and binding special obligation of the Authority have been performed, exist, and have been done, in regular and due time, form, and manner, as required by law, and that issuance of the Bonds does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; and that due provision has been made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds by a lien on and pledge of the Bond Payments and as otherwise provided in this Resolution. In case any provision in this Bond or any application thereof shall be deemed invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions and applications shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby. The terms and provisions of this Bond and the Resolution shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of the Authority has caused this Bond to be duly signed with the manual or facsimile signature of the Chair or Vice Chair of the Board of the Authority and countersigned with the manual or facsimile signature of the Secretary of the Board of the Authority.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER
AUTHORITY

Chair [Vice Chair], Board

ATTESTED:

Secretary, Board

C. Form of Registration Certificate of Comptroller of Public Accounts to Appear on Initial Bond Only.

**REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE OF
COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS**

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF '
PUBLIC ACCOUNTS '
THE STATE OF TEXAS ' **REGISTER NO.** _____
'

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Bond has been examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and duly registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.

WITNESS my signature and seal of office this _____.

Comptroller of Public Accounts
Of the State of Texas

D. Form of Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar to Appear on Definitive Bonds Only.

This Bond has been duly issued under the provisions of the within-mentioned Resolution; the Bond or Bonds of the above-entitled and designated series originally delivered having been approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, as shown by the records of the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Registered this date: _____

BOKF, NA
as Paying Agent/Registrar

By: _____
Authorized Signature

E. Form of Assignment.

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned hereby sells, assigns, and transfers unto (Print or typewrite name, address, and zip code of transferee): _____

(Social Security or other identifying number): _____
the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints _____ attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

DATED: _____

NOTICE: The signature on this assignment must correspond with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular.

Signature guaranteed:

F. The Initial Bond of each series shall be in the form set forth in paragraph B of this Section, except that the form of a single fully registered Initial Bond shall be modified as follows:

- i) immediately under the name of the Bond(s) the headings "Interest Rate" and "Stated Maturity" shall both be completed "as shown below";
- ii) the first two paragraphs shall read as follows:

Registered Owner: _____

Principal Amount: _____

The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas, with its principal office located in San Marcos, Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the order of the Registered Owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof, the Principal Amount specified above on the 15th day of August in each of the years and in principal amounts and bearing interest at per annum rates in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Year of Stated Maturity</u>	<u>Principal Amounts (\$)</u>	<u>Interest Rates (%)</u>
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(Information to be inserted from Sections 3 and 4).

(or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption) and to pay interest on the unpaid Principal Amount hereof from the Bond Date, or from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, to Stated Maturity or prior redemption, at the per annum rates of interest specified above computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months; such interest being payable on February 15 and August 15, commencing August 15, 2020 (the "Interest Payment Date").

Principal and premium, if any, of this Bond shall be payable to the Registered Owner hereof (the Holder), upon its presentation and surrender, at a corporate trust office of BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"). Interest shall be payable to the Holder of this Bond whose name appears on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date, which is the last Business Day of the month next preceding each interest payment date. All payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Interest shall be paid by the Paying Agent/Registrar by check sent on or prior to the appropriate date of payment by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to the Holder hereof at the address appearing in the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar, requested by, and at the risk and expense of, the Holder hereof.

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

PROJECT FUND REQUISITION

DATE: _____

Alliance Regional Water Authority hereby makes this requisition pursuant to "A Resolution by the Board of the Alliance Regional Water Authority Authorizing the Issuance of Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D; and Resolving Other Matters Incident and Relating to the Issuance, Payment, Security, Sale, and Delivery of Such Bonds" adopted by the Board of the Authority on October 30, 2019. The undersigned hereby authorizes disbursement from the Project Fund to pay Project Costs for the purposes and in the amounts as follows:

<u>Name of Payee</u>	<u>Nature of Disbursement</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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EXHIBIT D

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

DESCRIPTION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is referred to in Section 28 of this Resolution.

Annual Financial Statements and Operating Data

The financial information and operating data with respect to the City of Buda, Texas to be provided annually in accordance with such Section 28 are audited financial statements of the City of Buda, Texas.

Accounting Principles

The accounting principles referred to in such Section are the accounting principles described in the notes to the financial statements referred to above.

EXHIBIT E

REGIONAL WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT

EXHIBIT F

APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

The undersigned Authorized Representative of the City of Buda, Texas pursuant to the resolution (the "Resolution") authorizing the issuance of obligations designated as "Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas) Series 2019D" (the "Bonds") hereby approves the following terms of the Bonds:

- (i) the total principal amount of the Bonds of \$4,370,000;
- (ii) the purchase price for the Bonds is \$4,370,000 (representing the original principal amount of the Bonds);
- (iii) the interest rates and maturity schedule for the Bonds are as set forth below:

<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>	<u>YEAR</u> <u>OF STATED</u> <u>MATURITY</u> <u>(August 15)</u>	<u>PRINCIPAL</u> <u>AMOUNTS (\$)</u>	<u>INTEREST</u> <u>RATES (%)</u>
2021	\$210,000	0.84%	2031	\$230,000	1.34%
2022	215,000	0.85	2032	230,000	1.49
2023	215,000	0.87	2033	235,000	1.66
2024	215,000	0.89	2034	240,000	1.70
2025	215,000	0.90	2035	240,000	1.74
2026	220,000	0.94	2036	245,000	1.85
2027	220,000	0.99	2037	250,000	1.90
2028	225,000	1.01	2038	255,000	1.94
2029	225,000	1.04	2039	260,000	1.84
2030	225,000	1.17			

- (iv) the Bonds are subject to redemption as set forth below:

The Bonds stated to mature on and after August 15, 2030 may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the Authority, in inverse order of maturity on February 15, 2030, or on any date thereafter, in whole or in part in an Authorized Denomination (and if within a Stated Maturity selected at random and by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar) at the redemption price of par, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption, and upon thirty (30) days prior written notice being given by United States mail, first-class postage prepaid, to Holders of the Bonds to be redeemed, and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Resolution. If this Bond is subject to redemption prior to Stated Maturity and in an Authorized Denomination thereof may be redeemed, and, if less than all of the principal sum hereof is to be redeemed, there shall be issued, without charge therefor, to the Holder hereof, upon the surrender of this Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its corporate trust office, a new

Bond or Bonds of like Stated Maturity and interest rate in any authorized denominations provided in the Resolution for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum hereof.

If this Bond (or any portion of the principal sum hereof) shall have been duly called for redemption and notice of such redemption duly given, then upon such redemption date this Bond (or the portion of the principal sum hereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, and, if money for the payment of the redemption price and the interest accrued on the principal amount to be redeemed to the date of redemption is held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar, interest shall cease to accrue and be payable hereon from and after the redemption date on the principal amount hereof to be redeemed. If this Bond is called for redemption, in whole or in part, the Authority or the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to issue, transfer, or exchange this Bond within forty-five (45) days of the date fixed for redemption; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance hereof in the event of its redemption in part; and

(v) the Bonds have been approved for issuance by the Texas Water Development Board and will be approved by the Texas Attorney General.

EXECUTED AND DELIVERED THIS 15th day of October, 2019.

CITY OF BUDA, TEXAS

Title: _____

ESCROW AGREEMENT

THIS ESCROW AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), made by and between Alliance Regional Water Authority, a conservation and reclamation district of the State of Texas (the "Authority"), acting by and through its Executive Director and BOKF, NA, as Escrow Agent together with any successor in such capacity;

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to four separate resolutions finally adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on October 30, 2019 (the "Resolutions"), the Authority authorized the issuance of four separate series of bonds, to wit: \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D, all dated November 20, 2019 (collectively, the "Obligations") to obtain financial assistance from the Texas Water Development Board (the "TWDB") for the purpose of funding water supply improvements, as set forth in the Resolutions (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Escrow Agent is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter D and is otherwise qualified and empowered to enter into this Agreement, and hereby acknowledges its acceptance of the terms and provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, a condition of the Obligations is the deposit of the proceeds of the Obligations (the "Proceeds") in escrow subject to being withdrawn only with the approval of the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or another designated representative; provided, however, the Proceeds can be transferred to different investments so long as all parties hereto consent to such transfer;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual agreements herein contained and in consideration of the amount of fees to be paid by the Authority to the Escrow Agent, as set forth on Exhibit "A", the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the delivery of the Obligations, the parties hereto mutually undertake, promise and agree for themselves, their respective representatives and successors, as follows:

SECTION 1: ESCROW ACCOUNT(S). Upon the delivery of the Obligations described above, the Proceeds identified under TWDB Commitment Numbers L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority), L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas), L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) and L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) shall be deposited to the credit of a special escrow account(s) or escrow subaccount(s) (Escrow Account(s)) maintained at the Escrow Agent on behalf of the Authority and the TWDB and shall not be commingled with any other accounts or with any other proceeds or funds. The Proceeds received by the Escrow Agent under this Agreement shall not be considered as a

banking deposit by the Authority, and the Escrow Agent shall have no right to title with respect thereto except as Escrow Agent under the terms of this Agreement.

The Escrow Account(s) shall be entitled "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17076 (Canyon Regional Water Authority) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17077 (City of Kyle, Texas) Escrow Account," "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17078 (City of San Marcos, Texas) Escrow Account" and "Alliance Regional Water Authority, Contract Revenue Bonds, Texas Water Development Board L17079 (City of Buda, Texas) Escrow Account" with appropriate subaccount designation for each series of bonds and shall not be subject to warrants, drafts or checks drawn by the Authority but shall be disbursed or withdrawn to pay the costs of the Project for which the Obligations were issued or other purposes in accordance with the Resolution and solely upon written authorization from the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. The Escrow Agent shall provide to the Authority and to the TWDB the Escrow Account(s) bank statements upon request.

SECTION 2: COLLATERAL. All cash deposited to the credit of such Escrow Account(s) and any accrued interest in excess of the amounts insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC") and remaining uninvested under the terms of this Agreement shall be continuously secured by a valid pledge of direct obligations of the United States of America or other collateral meeting the requirements of the Public Funds Collateral Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2257.

SECTION 3: INVESTMENTS. While the Proceeds are held in escrow, the Escrow Agent shall only invest escrowed Proceeds in investments that are authorized by the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256 (the "PFIA"). It is the Authority's responsibility to direct the Escrow Agent to invest all public funds in a manner that is consistent not only with the PFIA but also with its own written investment policy.

SECTION 4: DISBURSEMENTS. The Escrow Agent shall not honor any disbursement from the Escrow Account(s), or any portion thereof, unless and until it has been supplied with written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB or his/her designated representative. However, no written approval and consent by the Executive Administrator of the TWDB shall be required if the disbursement involves transferring Proceeds from one investment to another within the Escrow Account(s) provided that all such investments are consistent with the PFIA requirements.

SECTION 5: UNEXPENDED FUNDS. Any Proceeds remaining unexpended in the Escrow Account(s) after completion of the Project and after the final accounting has been submitted to and approved by the TWDB shall be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of the respective Resolutions. The Authority shall deliver a copy of such TWDB approval of the final accounting to the Escrow Agent together with instructions concerning the disbursement of unexpended Proceeds hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall have no obligation to ensure that such unexpended Proceeds are used as required by the provisions of the Resolutions, that being the sole obligation of the Authority.

SECTION 6: CERTIFICATIONS. The Escrow Agent shall be authorized to accept and rely upon the certifications and documents furnished to the Escrow Agent by the Authority and shall not be liable for the payment of any funds made in reliance in good faith upon such certifications or other documents or approvals, as herein recited.

SECTION 7: LIABILITY OF ESCROW AGENT. To the extent permitted by law, the Escrow Agent shall not be liable for any act done or step taken or omitted by it or any mistake of fact or law, except for its negligence or default or failure in the performance of any obligation imposed upon it hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for any proceedings in connection with the Obligations or any recitation contained in the Obligations.

SECTION 8: RECORDS. The Escrow Agent will keep complete and correct books of record and account relating to the receipts, disbursements, allocations and application of the money deposited to the Escrow Account and investments of the Escrow Account and all Proceeds thereof. The records shall be available for inspection and copying at reasonable hours and under reasonable conditions by the Authority and the TWDB.

SECTION 9: MERGER/CONSOLIDATION. In the event that the Escrow Agent merges or consolidates with another bank or sells or transfers substantially all of its assets or corporate trust business, then the successor bank shall be the successor Escrow Agent without the necessity of further action as long as the successor bank is a state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository institution in accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 404, Subchapter C, or is a designated custodian of collateral in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 404, Subchapter D. The Escrow Agent must provide the TWDB with written notification within 30 days of acceptance of the merger, consolidation, or transfer. If the merger, consolidation or other transfer has occurred between state banks, the newly-created entity shall forward the certificate of merger or exchange issued by the Texas Department of Banking as well as the statement filed with the pertinent chartering authority, if applicable, to the TWDB within five business days following such merger, consolidation or exchange.

SECTION 10: AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended from time to time as necessary with the written consent of the Authority and the TWDB, but no such amendments shall increase the liabilities or responsibilities or diminish the rights of the Escrow Agent without its consent.

SECTION 11: TERMINATION. In the event that this Agreement is terminated by either the Authority or by the Escrow Agent, the Escrow Agent must report said termination in writing to the TWDB within five business days of such termination. The Authority is responsible for ensuring that the following criteria are satisfied in selecting the successor escrow agent and notifying the TWDB of the change in escrow agents: (a) the successor escrow agent must be an FDIC-insured state or national bank designated by the Texas Comptroller as a state depository; (b) the successor escrow agent must be retained prior to or at the time of the termination; (c) an escrow agreement must be executed by and between the Authority and the successor escrow agent and must contain the same or substantially similar terms and conditions as are present in this Agreement; and (d) the Authority must forward a copy of the executed escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent within five business days of said termination. No funds shall be released by the TWDB until it has received,

reviewed and approved the escrow agreement with the successor escrow agent. If the Authority has not appointed a successor escrow agent within thirty (30) days of the notice of termination, the Escrow Agent may petition any court of competent jurisdiction in Texas for the appointment of a successor escrow agent or for other appropriate relief, and any such resulting appointment shall be binding upon the Authority. Whether appointed by the Authority or a court, the successor escrow agent and escrow agreement must be approved by the TWDB for the appointment to be effective. The Escrow Agent is responsible for performance under this Agreement until a successor has been approved by the TWDB and has signed an acceptable escrow agreement.

SECTION 12: EXPIRATION. This Agreement shall expire upon final transfer of the funds in the Escrow Account(s) to the Authority.

SECTION 13: POINT OF CONTACT. The points of contact for the Escrow Agent and the TWDB are as follows:

Tony Hongnoi
BOKF, NA
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225
(972) 892-9968
ctankersley@bankoftexas.com

Jeff Walker
Executive Administrator
Texas Water Development Board
1700 North Congress Avenue
Austin, Texas 78701

SECTION 14: CHOICE OF LAW. This Agreement shall be governed exclusively by the applicable laws of the State of Texas. Venue for disputes shall be in the District Court of Travis County, Texas.

SECTION 15: ASSIGNABILITY. This Agreement shall not be assignable by the parties hereto, in whole or in part, and any attempted assignment shall be void and of no force and effect.

SECTION 16: ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement evidences the entire Escrow Agreement between the Escrow Agent and the Authority and supersedes any other agreements, whether oral or written, between the parties regarding the Proceeds or the Escrow Account(s). No modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be valid unless the same is in writing and is signed by the Authority and consented to by the Escrow Agent and the TWDB.

SECTION 17: VALIDITY OF PROVISIONS. If any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, the remainder of the provisions shall remain in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated thereby.

SECTION 18: COMPENSATION FOR ESCROW SERVICES. The Escrow Agent shall be entitled to compensation for its services as stated in Exhibit "A," which compensation shall be paid by the Authority but may not be paid directly from the Escrow Account(s).

SECTION 19: NO BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL. The Escrow Agent hereby verifies that, except to the extent otherwise required by applicable federal law, if any, including, without limitation,

50 U.S.C. Section 4607, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement in accordance with Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code. For purposes of this verification, "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

SECTION 20: TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS. The Escrow Agent represents that, neither the Escrow Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>,
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Escrow Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Escrow Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Escrow Agent and exists to make a profit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement effective upon signature of both parties.

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____
Executive Director and Authority Representative

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 1040 Highway 123
San Marcos, Texas 78666

BOKF, NA,
as Escrow Agent

By: _____
Title: Vice President

Date: November 20, 2019

Address: 5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

EXHIBIT A

Fee Schedule

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into as of November 20, 2019 (this "Agreement"), by and between the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority"), and BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America (the "Bank").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Authority has duly authorized and provided for the issuance of its \$26,530,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A, \$24,200,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B, \$30,800,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C and \$4,370,000 Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds (Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D (collectively, the "Securities"), such Securities to be issued in fully registered form only as to the payment of principal and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Securities are scheduled to be delivered to the Texas Water Development Board thereof on or about November 20, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has selected the Bank to serve as Paying Agent/Registrar in connection with the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities and with respect to the registration, transfer and exchange thereof by the registered owners thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to serve in such capacities for and on behalf of the Authority and has full power and authority to perform and serve as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Securities;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

ARTICLE ONE APPOINTMENT OF BANK AS PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

Section 1.01. Appointment.

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank to serve as Paying Agent with respect to the Securities. As Paying Agent for the Securities, the Bank shall be responsible for paying on behalf of the Authority the principal, premium (if any), and interest on the Securities as the same become due and payable to the registered owners thereof, all in accordance with this Agreement and the "Resolutions" (hereinafter defined).

The Authority hereby appoints the Bank as Registrar with respect to the Securities. As Registrar for the Securities, the Bank shall keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority books and records as to the ownership of the Securities and with respect to the transfer and exchange thereof as provided herein and in the "Resolutions."

The Bank hereby accepts its appointment, and agrees to serve as the Paying Agent and Registrar for the Securities.

Section 1.02. Compensation.

As compensation for the Bank's services as Paying Agent/Registrar, the Authority hereby agrees to pay the Bank the fees and amounts set forth in Schedule A attached hereto for the first year of this Agreement and thereafter the fees and amounts set forth in the Bank's current fee schedule then in effect for services as Paying Agent/Registrar for political subdivisions, which shall be supplied to the Authority on or before 90 days prior to the close of the Fiscal Year of the Authority, and shall be effective upon the first day of the following Fiscal Year.

In addition, the Authority agrees to reimburse the Bank upon its request for all reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances incurred or made by the Bank in accordance with any of the provisions hereof (including the reasonable compensation and the expenses and disbursements of its agents and counsel).

**ARTICLE TWO
DEFINITIONS**

Section 2.01. Definitions.

For all purposes of this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Authority Request" and "Authority Resolution" means a written request or resolution signed in the name of the Authority by an authorized representative, delivered to the Bank.

"Bank Office" means the designated office for payment of the Bank as indicated on the signature page hereof. The Bank will notify the Authority in writing of any change in location of the Bank Office.

"Financial Advisor" means Specialized Public Finance, Inc.

"Fiscal Year" means the fiscal year of the Authority, ending September 30.

"Holder" and "Security Holder" each means the Person in whose name a Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Legal Holiday" means a day on which the Bank is required or authorized to be closed.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision of a government.

"Predecessor Securities" of any particular Security means every previous Security evidencing all or a portion of the same obligation as that evidenced by such particular Security (and, for the purposes of this definition, any mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Security for which a replacement Security has been registered and delivered in lieu thereof pursuant to Section 4.06 hereof and the Resolutions).

"Redemption Date" when used with respect to any Bond to be redeemed means the date fixed for such redemption pursuant to the terms of the Resolutions.

"Resolutions" means collectively, the Resolutions of the governing body of the Authority pursuant to which each series of the Securities are issued, certified by the Secretary or any other officer of the Authority and delivered to the Bank.

"Responsible Officer" when used with respect to the Bank means the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors, the Chairman or Vice-chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, the President, any Vice President, the Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Cashier, any Assistant Cashier, any Trust Officer or Assistant Trust Officer, or any other officer of the Bank customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above designated officers and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Security Register" means a register maintained by the Bank on behalf of the Authority providing for the registration and transfer of the Securities.

"Stated Maturity" means the date specified in the Resolutions on which the principal of a Security is scheduled to be due and payable.

Section 2.02. Other Definitions.

The terms "Bank," "Authority," and "Securities (Security)" have the meanings assigned to them in the recital paragraphs of this Agreement.

The term "Paying Agent/Registrar" refers to the Bank in the performance of the duties and functions of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE THREE
PAYING AGENT**

Section 3.01. Duties of Paying Agent.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the principal of each Security at its Stated Maturity or Redemption Date to the Holder upon surrender of the Security to the Bank at the Bank Office.

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Authority, pay on behalf of the Authority the interest on each Security when due, by computing the amount of interest to be paid each Holder and preparing and sending checks by United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, on each payment date, to the Holders of the Securities (or their Predecessor Securities) on the respective Record Date, to the address appearing on the Security Register or by such other method, acceptable to the Bank, requested in writing by the Holder at the Holder's risk and expense.

Principal and interest payments made pursuant to this Section 3.01 shall be made by wire transfer.

Section 3.02. Payment Dates.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank to pay the principal of and interest on the Securities on the dates specified in the Resolutions.

Section 3.03. Reporting Requirements.

To the extent required by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or the Treasury Regulations, the Bank shall report to or cause to be reported to the Holders and the Internal Revenue Service (i) the amount of "reportable payments," if any, subject to back up withholding during each year and the amount of tax withheld, if any, with respect to the payments on the Securities and (ii) the amount of interest or amount treated as interest, such as original issue discount, on the Securities required to be included in the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes.

**ARTICLE FOUR
REGISTRAR**

Section 4.01. Security Register - Transfers and Exchanges.

The Bank agrees to keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Authority at the Bank Office books and records (herein sometimes referred to as the "Security Register"), and, if the Bank Office is located outside the State of Texas, a copy of such books and records shall be kept in the State of Texas, for recording the names and addresses of the Holders of the Securities, the transfer, exchange and replacement of the Securities and the payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders and containing such other information as may be reasonably required by the Authority and subject to such reasonable regulations as the Authority and the Bank may prescribe. The Bank

also agrees to keep a copy of the Security Register within the State of Texas. All transfers, exchanges and replacement of Securities shall be noted in the Security Register.

Every Security surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, the signature on which has been guaranteed by an officer of a federal or state bank or a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers, in form satisfactory to the Bank, duly executed by the Holder thereof or his agent duly authorized in writing.

The Bank may request any supporting documentation it feels necessary to effect a re-registration, transfer or exchange of the Securities.

To the extent possible and under reasonable circumstances, the Bank agrees that, in relation to an exchange or transfer of Securities, the exchange or transfer by the Holders thereof will be completed and new Securities delivered to the Holder or the assignee of the Holder in not more than three (3) business days after the receipt of the Securities to be cancelled in an exchange or transfer and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the Holder, or his duly authorized agent, in form and manner satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar.

Section 4.02. Certificates.

The Authority shall provide an adequate inventory of printed Securities certificates to facilitate transfers or exchanges thereof. The Bank covenants that the inventory of printed Securities certificates will be kept in safekeeping pending their use, and reasonable care will be exercised by the Bank in maintaining such Securities certificates in safekeeping, which shall be not less than the level of care maintained by the Bank for debt securities of other political subdivisions or corporations for which it serves as registrar, or that it maintains for its own securities.

Section 4.03. Form of Security Register.

The Bank, as Registrar, will maintain the Security Register relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Securities in accordance with the Bank's general practices and procedures in effect from time to time. The Bank shall not be obligated to maintain such Security Register in any form other than those which the Bank has currently available and currently utilizes at the time.

The Security Register may be maintained in written form or in any other form capable of being converted into written form within a reasonable time.

Section 4.04. List of Security Holders.

The Bank will provide the Authority at any time requested by the Authority, upon payment of the required fee, a copy of the information contained in the Security Register. The Authority may

also inspect the information contained in the Security Register at any time the Bank is customarily open for business, provided that reasonable time is allowed the Bank to provide an up-to-date listing or to convert the information into written form.

The Bank will not release or disclose the contents of the Security Register to any person other than to, or at the written request of, an authorized officer or employee of the Authority, except upon receipt of a court order or as otherwise required by law. Upon receipt of a court order or other notice of a legal proceeding and prior to the release or disclosure of any of the contents of the Security Register, the Bank will notify the Authority so that the Authority may contest the same or such release or disclosure of the contents of the Security Register.

Section 4.05. Return of Cancelled Certificates.

The Bank will, at such reasonable intervals as it determines, surrender to the Authority, Securities in lieu of which or in exchange for which other Securities have been issued, or which have been paid.

Section 4.06. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Securities.

The Authority hereby instructs the Bank, subject to the applicable provisions of the Resolutions, to deliver and issue Securities certificates in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates as long as the same does not result in an overissuance.

In case any Security shall be mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen, the Bank, in its discretion, may execute and deliver a replacement Security of like form and tenor, and in the same denomination and bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Security, or in lieu of and in substitution for such destroyed lost or stolen Security, only after (i) the filing by the Holder thereof with the Bank of evidence satisfactory to the Bank of the destruction, loss or theft of such Security, and of the authenticity of the ownership thereof and (ii) the furnishing to the Bank of indemnification in an amount satisfactory to hold the Authority and the Bank harmless. All expenses and charges associated with such indemnity and with the preparation, execution and delivery of a replacement Security shall be borne by the Holder of the Security mutilated, or destroyed, lost or stolen.

Section 4.07. Transaction Information to Authority.

The Bank will, within a reasonable time after receipt of written request from the Authority, furnish the Authority information as to the Securities certificates it has paid pursuant to Section 3.01, Securities certificates it has delivered upon the transfer or exchange of any Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.01, and Securities certificates it has delivered in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities certificates pursuant to Section 4.06.

**ARTICLE FIVE
THE BANK**

Section 5.01. Duties of Bank.

The Bank undertakes to perform the duties set forth herein and agrees to use reasonable care in the performance thereof.

The Bank is authorized to transfer funds relating to the closing and initial delivery of the Securities in the manner disclosed in the closing memorandum as prepared by the Authority's Financial Advisor or other agent. The Bank may act on facsimile or e-mail transmission of the closing memorandum acknowledged by the Financial Advisor or the Authority as the final closing memorandum. The Bank shall not be liable for any losses, cost or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Bank's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions.

Section 5.02. Reliance on Documents, Etc.

(a) The Bank may conclusively rely, as to the truth of the statements and correctness of the opinions expressed therein, on certificates or opinions furnished to the Bank by the Authority.

(b) The Bank shall not be liable for any error of judgment made in good faith by a Responsible Officer, unless it shall be proven that the Bank was negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts.

(c) No provisions of this Agreement shall require the Bank to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability for performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers, if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or adequate indemnity satisfactory to it against such risks or liability is not assured to it.

(d) The Bank may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing statement, the Bank need not examine the ownership of any Securities, but is protected in acting upon receipt of Securities certificates containing an endorsement or instruction of transfer or power of transfer which appears on its face to be signed by the Holder or an agent of the Holder. The Bank shall not be bound to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in a resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, note, security, or other paper or document supplied by the Authority.

(e) The Bank may consult with legal counsel, and the written advice of such counsel or any opinion of counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection with respect to any action taken, suffered, or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon, provided that any such written advice or opinion is supplied to the Authority by the Bank.

(f) The Bank may exercise any of the powers hereunder and perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents or attorneys of the Bank.

Section 5.03. Recitals of Authority.

The recitals contained herein with respect to the Authority and in the Securities shall be taken as the statements of the Authority, and the Bank assumes no responsibility for their correctness.

The Bank shall in no event be liable to the Authority, any Holder or Holders of any Security, or any other Person for any amount due on any Security from its own funds.

Section 5.04. May Hold Securities.

The Bank, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities and may otherwise deal with the Authority with the same rights it would have if it were not the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any other agent.

Section 5.05. Moneys Held by Bank.

The Bank shall deposit any moneys received from the Authority into trust account to be held in a paying agent capacity for the payment of the Securities, with such moneys in the account that exceed the deposit insurance available to the Authority by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, to be fully collateralized with securities or obligations that are eligible under the laws of the State of Texas to secure and be pledged as collateral for such accounts until the principal and interest on such securities have been presented for payment and paid to the owner thereof. Payments made from such account shall be made by check drawn on such account unless the owner of such Securities shall, at its own expense and risk, request such other medium of payment.

Subject to the Unclaimed Property Law of the State of Texas, any money deposited with the Bank for the payment of the principal, premium (if any), or interest on any Security and remaining unclaimed for three years after the final maturity of the Security has become due and payable will be paid by the Bank to the Authority if the Authority so elects, and the Holder of such Security shall hereafter look only to the Authority for payment thereof, and all liability of the Bank with respect to such monies shall thereupon cease. If the Authority does not elect, the Bank is directed to report and dispose of the funds in compliance with Title Six of the Texas Property Code, as amended.

Section 5.06. Indemnification.

To the extent permitted by law, the Authority agrees to indemnify the Bank for, and hold it harmless against, any loss, liability, or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on the Bank's part, arising out of or in connection with the Bank's acceptance or administration of its duties hereunder, including the cost and expense incurred by the Bank in defending against any claim or from liability imposed on the Bank in connection with the Bank's exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties under this Agreement.

Section 5.07. Interpleader.

The Authority and the Bank agree that the Bank may seek adjudication of any adverse claim, demand, or controversy over its person as well as funds on deposit, in either a Federal or State District Court located in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas, and agree that service of process by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the address referred to in Section 6.03 of this Agreement shall constitute adequate service. The Authority and the Bank further agree that the Bank has the right to file a Bill of Interpleader in any court of competent jurisdiction in Bexar, Caldwell, Comal, Guadalupe or Hays County, Texas to determine the rights of any Person claiming any interest herein.

Section 5.08. Depository Trust Company Services.

It is hereby represented and warranted that, in the event the Securities are otherwise qualified and accepted for "Depository Trust Company" services or equivalent depository trust services by other organizations, the Bank has the capability and, to the extent within its control, will comply with the "Operational Arrangements," effective August 1, 1987, which establishes requirements for securities to be eligible for such type depository trust services, including, but not limited to, requirements for the timeliness of payments and funds availability, transfer turnaround time, and notification of redemptions and calls.

Attached hereto is a copy of the Blanket Authority Letter of Representations between the Authority and The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, providing for the Bonds to be issued in a Book-Entry Only System. The Bank and the Authority hereby confirm their obligations under such Letter of Representation.

**ARTICLE SIX
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

Section 6.01. Amendment.

This Agreement may be amended only by an agreement in writing signed by both of the parties hereto.

Section 6.02. Assignment.

This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other.

Section 6.03. Notices.

Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver, or other document provided or permitted hereby to be given or furnished to the Authority or the Bank shall be mailed or delivered to the Authority or the Bank, respectively, at the addresses shown on the signature page of this Agreement.

Section 6.04. Effect of Headings.

The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

Section 6.05. Successors and Assigns.

All covenants and agreements herein by the Authority and the Bank shall bind their respective successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 6.06. Severability.

In case any provision herein shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 6.07. Benefits of Agreement.

Nothing herein, express or implied, shall give to any Person, other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder.

Section 6.08. Entire Agreement.

This Agreement and the Resolutions constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto relative to the Bank acting as Paying Agent/Registrar and if any conflict exists between this Agreement and the Resolutions, the Resolutions shall govern.

Section 6.09. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

Section 6.10. Termination.

This Agreement will terminate (i) on the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders thereof or (ii) may be earlier terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice; provided, however, an early termination of this Agreement by either party shall not be effective until (a) a successor Paying Agent/Registrar has been appointed by the Authority and such appointment accepted and (b) notice has been given to the Holders of the Securities of the appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar. Furthermore, the Bank and Authority mutually agree that the effective date of an early termination of this Agreement shall not occur at any time which would disrupt, delay or otherwise adversely affect the payment of the Securities.

Upon an early termination of this Agreement, the Bank agrees to promptly transfer and deliver the Security Register (or a copy thereof), together with other pertinent books and records

relating to the Securities, to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Authority.

The provisions of Section 1.02, 5.02, 5.03 and 5.06 of this Agreement shall survive and remain in full force and effect following the termination of this Agreement.

Section 6.11. Governing Law.

This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

Section 6.12. Anti-Boycott. The Paying Agent represents and warrants, for purposes of Chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code, that at the time of execution and delivery of this Agreement, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, boycotts Israel or will boycott Israel during the term of this Agreement. The foregoing verification is made solely to comply with Section 2270.002, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law. As used in the foregoing verification, "boycotts Israel" and "boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean an entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

Section 6.13. Terrorist Organizations. The Paying Agent represents that, neither the Paying Agent, nor any parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries or affiliates of the same, if any, are companies identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 2252.153 or Section 2270.0201, Texas Government Code, and posted on any of the following pages of such officer's internet website: <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/sudanlist.pdf>, <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/iran-list.pdf>, or <https://comptroller.texas.gov/purchasing/docs/ftolist.pdf>. The foregoing representation is made solely to comply with Section 2252.152, Texas Government Code, and to the extent such Section does not contravene applicable Federal law and excludes the Paying Agent and each parent company, wholly- or majority-owned subsidiaries, and other affiliates of the same, if any, that the United States government has affirmatively declared to be excluded from its federal sanctions regime relating to Sudan or Iran or any federal sanctions regime relating to a foreign terrorist organization. The Paying Agent understands "affiliate" to mean any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the Paying Agent and exists to make a profit.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

BOKF, NA

By: _____
Title: Vice President
5956 Sherry Lane, Suite 1201
Dallas, Texas 75225

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

By: _____

Name: Graham Moore

Title: Executive Director and Authority
Representative

SCHEDULE A

Paying Agent/Registrar Fee Schedule



Services provided by BOKF, NA

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY

Alliance Regional Water Authority Contract Revenue Bonds

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – Canyon Regional Water Authority), Series 2019A

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Kyle, Texas), Series 2019B

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of San Marcos, Texas), Series 2019C

(Regional Water Supply Contract Project – City of Buda, Texas), Series 2019D

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

Schedule of Fees

Acceptance Fee: WAIVED

Annual Administration Fee: \$350.00/per series

Invoiced semi-annually at \$175.00 with debt service.

First year’s annual fee due at closing.

For ordinary administration services by Paying Agent /Registrar – includes daily routine account management and processing in accordance with the agreement. Float credit received by the bank for receiving funds that remain uninvested are deemed part of the Paying Agent’s compensation.

Call or Redemption of Bonds At Cost

Cost includes distribution to holders of record, redemption processing and notification through DTC. Any and all publication expenses including Bond Buyer, Regional and Financial Periodicals for the call notice will be billed to the Issuer at cost.

Charges for performing extraordinary or other services not contemplated at the time of the execution of the transaction or not specifically covered elsewhere in this schedule will be determined by appraisal in the amounts commensurate with the service provided. Counsel fees, if ever retained as a result of a default, or other extraordinary occurrences on behalf of the bondholders or Bank of Texas, will be billed at cost.

Services not included in this Fee Schedule, but deemed necessary or desirable by you, may be subject to additional charges. Our proposal is subject in all aspects to review and acceptance of the final financing documents which sets forth our duties and responsibilities.

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Vice President
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BOK Financial
Corporate Trust Services
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REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.

501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.8** Update and discussion regarding the status of the Authority's Phase 1B program, and direction to staff and consultants. ~ *Ryan Sowa, P.E., Kimley-Horn & Associates*
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Background/Information

Ryan Sowa with Kimley-Horn will update the Committee on their recent activities associated with the Phase 1B program.

Attachment(s)

- Kimley-Horn's Project Monthly Invoice & Summary for October 2019
- Phase 1B Program Update – October 30, 2019

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.



Phase 1B Program Update

Board of Directors Meeting
October 30, 2019



Ongoing Progress

Contracting Update

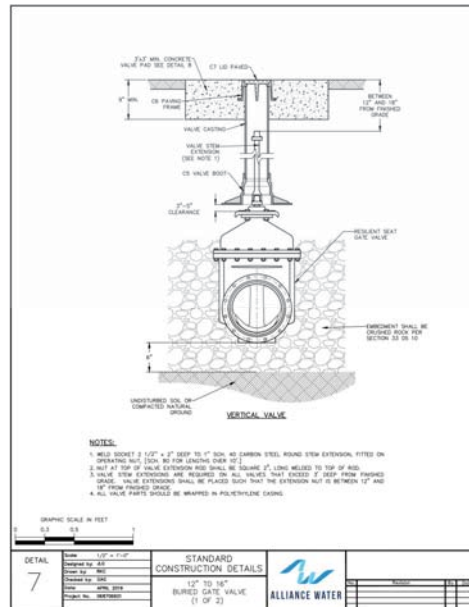
- Pipeline Segment D
 - Final Design & Procurement Contract – November
- Water Treatment Plant
 - Final Design & Procurement Contract – November/December

Design Standards Update

- Construction Specifications & Details – Final Draft
- Instrumentation & Controls – Draft
- Cathodic Protection – Underway

Design Milestone Reviews

- Water Treatment Plant
 - Draft Design Report – October
- Booster Pump Station & Delivery Points
 - Draft Technical Memorandum – October
- Raw Water Infrastructure
 - Draft Technical Memorandum – October
- Pipeline Segment C
 - Draft Engineering Feasibility Report – November



Phase 1B

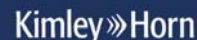
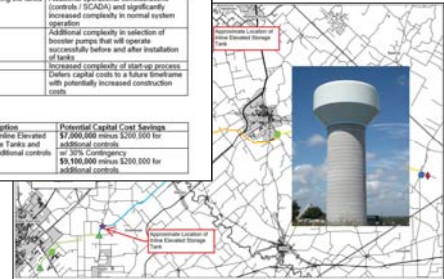
PROGRAM COST EVALUATION



Program Cost Evaluation – Next Steps

- Feedback on Packet
- Further Discussion at Upcoming Meetings

PHASE 1B PROGRAM COST EVALUATION FACT SHEET		
Item Under Consideration: Defer Inline Elevated Storage Tanks Potential Cost Savings (Without Contingency): \$5,100,000 Potential Cost Savings (With Contingency): \$5,100,000		
Summary Two inline Elevated Storage Tanks are proposed to be installed along the transmission delivery pipelines, one on Segment C and the other on Segment D. The benefits of these tanks are that they will provide a consistent delivery pressure range for the proposed booster pumps as well as provide water to delivery points during periods of low demand, resulting in a straightforward system for APVIA to control. This option considers the deferral of these tanks, instead relying solely on controls and SCADA to operate the system. This alternative approach will require additional operational controls and SCADA to be installed.		
Pros Capital cost savings in deferring the tanks	Cons Additional operational considerations (controls / SCADA) and significantly increased complexity in normal system operation Additional complexity in selection of booster pumps that will operate successfully before and after installation of tanks Increased complexity of start-up process Defers capital costs to a future timeframe with potentially increased construction costs.	
Cost Evaluation Options Defer Inline Elevated Storage Tanks	Description Defer Inline Elevated Storage Tanks and add additional controls	Potential Capital Cost Savings \$7,600,000 minus \$200,000 for additional controls or 20% Contingency \$5,100,000 minus \$200,000 for additional controls



Pipeline Route Analyses & Rights of Entry

Pipeline Segment	Number of Right-of-Entry Requests	Right-of-Entry Received or Access Granted (No. of Parcels)	Right-of-Entry Received or Access Granted (%)	Alignment Confirmed (%)
A	44	41	93%	77%
B	55	52	95%	69%
D	83	78	94%	65%
C	87	58	67%	0%
E	32	20	63%	6%
Wellfield	15	8	53%	0%
Total	316	257		



Kimley»Horn

Acquisition Process – Status Update

Pipeline Segment	Number of Parcels	Appraisals Prepared	Final Offer Letter Delivered	Easement Signed/Closed
A	44	16	0	0
B	55	1	1	0
D	83	0	0	0
C	87	0	0	0
E	32	0	0	0
Wellfield	15	0	0	0
Total	316	17	1	0



Kimley»Horn



Questions?



Kimley»Horn

ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY
 ATTN: GRAHAM MOORE
 1040 HIGHWAY 123
 SAN MARCOS, TX 78666

Please send payments to:
 KIMLEY-HORN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.
 P.O. BOX 951640
 DALLAS, TX 75395-1640

Invoice No: 068706602-0919
 Invoice Date: Sep 30, 2019
 Invoice Amount: \$ 269,932.92
 Project No: 068706602
 Project Name: ARWA PROGRAM YEAR 2
 Project Manager: SOWA, RYAN

Client Reference:

For Services Rendered through Sep 30, 2019

Federal Tax Id: 56-0885615

COST PLUS MAX

KHA Ref # 068706602.3-14834677

Description	Contract Value	Amount Billed to Date	Previous Amount Billed	Current Amount Due
PROGRAM MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATES	39,934.00	7,146.00	7,146.00	0.00
STAKEHOLDER COORDINATION	299,997.00	163,857.54	137,469.72	26,387.82
BUDGETTING	111,073.00	71,196.40	41,712.80	29,483.60
SCHEDULE	113,584.00	58,100.80	53,956.60	4,144.20
REPORTING	40,450.00	26,275.00	20,205.00	6,070.00
DATA MANAGEMENT	83,746.00	73,252.96	62,043.92	11,209.04
ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT	193,252.00	63,559.50	53,349.50	10,210.00
LAND ACQUISITION MANAGEMENT	289,226.00	212,117.55	165,957.03	46,160.52
TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD MANAGEMENT	70,764.00	23,433.53	18,697.12	4,736.41
DESIGN STANDARDS	287,643.00	165,074.69	123,082.65	41,992.03
ENGINEERING DESIGN MANAGEMENT	831,824.00	426,604.84	363,501.73	63,103.11
QUALITY ASSURANCE	46,646.00	43,263.46	34,862.50	8,400.96
ELECTRICAL POWER PLANNING	105,747.00	37,602.66	34,161.87	3,440.79
PERMIT COORDINATION/TRACKING	57,683.00	35,343.83	30,721.50	4,622.33
PROJECT ADMINISTRATION	53,067.00	25,870.25	19,856.15	6,014.10
OTHER SERVICES	252,467.00	72,052.80	68,094.80	3,958.00
Subtotal	2,877,103.00	1,504,751.81	1,234,818.89	269,932.92
Total COST PLUS MAX				269,932.92

Total Invoice: \$ 269,932.92

If you have questions regarding this invoice, please call Jessica Olivarez at (972) 770-1352.

October 14, 2019

Project Monthly Summary

September 2019 Tasks Performed:

- Task 1 – Program Management Plan (PMP)
 - Coordinated additional updates to the Real Estate Acquisition and Management Plan based on feedback from ARWA.
- Task 2 – Stakeholder Coordination
 - Coordination and/or meetings with entities including: Caldwell County, Guadalupe County, Bluebonnet Electric Coop, TCEQ, and TWDB.
 - Continued weekly task coordination with Alliance Water.
 - Prepared and presented Project Advisory Committee Meeting Update.
 - Prepared and presented Technical Committee Meeting Update.
 - Prepared and presented Board Meeting Update.
 - Prepared for and held Monthly Status Meeting with Alliance Water.
- Task 3 – Budgeting
 - Continued cost analyses for evaluating potential reductions in overall Program costs.
 - Began preparing for the Program Cost Workshop.
 - Updates to Budget Workbook to include monthly tracking of actual costs for ARWA review.
- Task 4 – Schedule
 - Coordinated with Program team to integrate each project schedule into overall Program schedule.
 - Prepared monthly schedule update.
- Task 6 – Data Management
 - Ongoing maintenance of Microsoft SharePoint Online program.
 - Continued updating of web-based GIS for right-of-entry process.
- Task 7 – Environmental Management
 - Coordinated with Environmental Consultant to finalize draft WTP Environmental Reports for ARWA review.
 - Submitted the WTP Environmental Reports for Agency review
 - Performed coordination between Program Environmental Consultant and Land Acquisition Consultant to clarify environmental field work to be done on properties as part of right-of-entry process.
 - Monthly progress meeting and ongoing coordination with Program Environmental Consultant.

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- Continued coordination between Program Environmental Consultant and Design Engineers.
- Reviewed Program Environmental invoices, schedule, and risk log.

- Task 8 – Land Acquisition Management
 - Finalized Land Acquisition Workflow process defining protocol associated with land acquisition process.
 - Coordinated the appraisal process for Segment A and Segment B parcels.
 - Coordinated with Program Survey Consultant, Program Environmental Consultant, and Land Acquisition team to address questions that arise as part of the field work coordination process.
 - Performed weekly QC of parcel files in SharePoint, provided comments to Land Acquisition team.
 - Weekly coordination meeting with land agents to discuss status of rights-of-entry and to provide Program clarification on any questions/requests that have come from landowners.
 - Reviewed Program Land Acquisition team, Program Legal, and Program Survey invoices.

- Task 9 – Texas Water Development Board Management
 - Continue coordination with TWDB Staff to track all EFRs and environmental reports currently under review.

- Task 10 – Design Standards
 - Coordinated with ARWA and addressed comments on the Draft Alliance Water Front End Contract Documents.
 - Coordinated with Well Drilling consultant to develop proposal documents for Well Drilling construction.
 - Began addressing comments from GBRA, ARWA, and design consultants regarding the Pipeline Construction Standards.
 - Coordinated and meet with ARWA for the continued development of standards for fiber and SCADA.

- Task 11 – Engineering Design Management
 - Pipelines:
 - Segment A
 - Coordinated with design consultant to finalize EFR.
 - Coordinated with design consultant to finalize the scope and fee for final design and procurement phase.
 - Continued coordination with design consultant regarding ongoing field work and pipeline alignment considerations as part of right-of-entry process.
 - Segment B
 - Reviewed Draft EFR submitted by the design consultant.

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- Coordinated with design consultant to finalize the scope and fee for final design and procurement phase.
 - Continued coordination with design consultant regarding ongoing field work and pipeline alignment considerations as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
- Segment C
 - Continued coordination with design consultant regarding upcoming field work as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
- Segment D
 - Reviewed Draft EFR submitted by the design consultant.
 - Continued coordination with design consultant regarding ongoing field work as part of right-of-entry.
 - Coordinated with design consultant to prepare the scope for final design and procurement phase.
- Segment E
 - Continued coordination with design consultant regarding upcoming field work as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
- Wellfield:
 - Continued coordination regarding front end documents for the bidding of Wells 6-9.
- Raw Water Infrastructure:
 - Continued coordination concerning schedule for environmental study for the wellfield, to attempt to accelerate schedule for upcoming bidding of the well drilling.
- Water Treatment Plant:
 - Coordinated with design consultant concerning WTP Site Plan and Plant Hydraulics.
 - Coordinated and reviewed 30% TM.
 - Attended the 30% Mechanical TM Design Presentation.
- Booster Pump Station:
 - Attended Schematic Design Review Workshop.
 - Reviewed Updated Hydraulic Analysis Report submitted by the design consultant and provided comments.
- Inline Elevated Storage Tanks:
 - Issued NTP to design consultant for tank site analysis.
 - Coordinated with design consultant concerning for 30% design development.
- Administrative & Operations Facility
 - Prepared for and attended scoping meeting for design phase.
 - Reviewed Draft scope and fee submitted by design consultant.
- Other:

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- Monthly progress meetings with all design consultants (pipelines, water treatment plant, raw water infrastructure, wellfield, booster pump station).
 - Review invoices, schedules, and risk logs for consultants
- Task 13 – Electrical Power Planning
 - Coordinated with ARWA concerning emergency power needs and service options for the water treatment plant and wellfield.
 - Coordinated with GVEC regarding electric service to the WTP and wellfield.
- Task 14 – Permit Coordination/Tracking
 - Continued Permit coordination with Pipeline consultants
 - Coordinated with Caldwell County concerning variance request for the Site Development Permit.
 - Continued General Coordination with TxDOT
 - Continued General Coordination with GVEC and BBEC
 - On-going Permit Tracking Log Updates
- Task 17 – Other Services
 - Continued field work coordination to notify landowners of upcoming field work by consultants.
 - Prepared the City of San Marcos Watershed Protection Plan for the Booster Pump Station Plat for ARWA’s review.

October 2019 Projection:

- Task 1 – Program Management Plan (PMP)
 - Finalize additional updates to the Real Estate Acquisition and Management Plan based on feedback from the ARWA.
- Task 2 – Stakeholder Coordination
 - Coordination and/or meetings with entities including: Caldwell County, Guadalupe County, GVEC, Bluebonnet Electric Coop, TCEQ, and TWDB.
 - Prepare and meet with the TCEQ to discuss Phase 1B Program updates.
 - Continue weekly task coordination with Alliance Water.
 - Prepare and present Technical Committee Meeting Update.
 - Prepare and present Board Meeting Update.
 - Prepare and present PAC Meeting Update.
 - Prepare for and held Monthly Status Meeting with Alliance Water.
- Task 3 – Budgeting
 - Continue cost analyses for evaluating potential reductions in overall Program costs.
 - Prepare a summary of cost analyses and develop presentation for the Program Cost Workshop.

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- Updates to Budget Workbook to include monthly tracking of actual costs for ARWA review.
- Task 4 – Schedule
 - Coordinate with Program team to integrate each project schedule into overall Program schedule.
- Task 6 – Data Management
 - Ongoing maintenance of Microsoft SharePoint Online program.
 - Continued updating of web-based GIS for right-of-entry process and alignment changes.
- Task 7 – Environmental Management
 - Prepare for and attend Environmental Amendment Discussion with Environmental Consultant.
 - Perform coordination between Program Environmental Consultant and Land Acquisition Consultant to clarify environmental field work to be done on properties as part of right-of-entry process.
 - Monthly progress meeting and ongoing coordination with Program Environmental Consultant.
 - Continue coordination between Program Environmental Consultant and Design Engineers.
 - Review Program Environmental invoices, schedule, and risk log.
- Task 8 – Land Acquisition Management
 - Coordinate the appraisal process for Segment A and Segment B parcels.
 - Coordinate with Program Survey Consultant, Program Environmental Consultant, and Land Acquisition team to address questions that arise as part of the field work coordination process.
 - Perform weekly QC of parcel files in SharePoint, provide comments to Land Acquisition team.
 - Weekly coordination meeting with land agents to discuss status of rights-of-entry and to provide Program clarification on any questions/requests that have come from landowners.
 - Review Program Land Acquisition team, Program Legal, and Program Survey invoices.
- Task 9 – Texas Water Development Board Management
 - Continue coordination with TWDB Staff to track all EFRs and environmental reports currently under review.
- Task 10 – Design Standards
 - Finalize Front End Contract Documents based on comments from ARWA.
 - Continue addressing comments from GBRA, ARWA, and design consultants for the Pipeline Construction Standards.

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- Prepare for and attend Construction Standards Follow-Up Discussion.
- Continue coordinating with ARWA for the continued development of standards for fiber and SCADA.

- Task 11 – Engineering Design Management
 - Pipelines:
 - Segment A
 - Continue coordination with design consultant to finalize EFR given alignment revisions.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant for final design.
 - Segment B
 - Continue coordination with design consultant to backcheck and finalize EFR.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant regarding for final design.
 - Segment C
 - Continue coordination with design consultant regarding ongoing field work and pipeline alignment considerations as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
 - Segment D
 - Continue coordination with design consultant to finalize EFR.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant to prepare the scope and fee for final design and procurement phase.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant regarding ongoing field work and pipeline alignment considerations as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
 - Segment E
 - Continue coordination with design consultant regarding upcoming field work as part of right-of-entry process and EFR development.
 - Wellfield:
 - Continued coordination regarding front end documents for the bidding of Wells 6-9.
 - Raw Water Infrastructure:
 - Review and comment on 30% Design Report.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant for 30% design development.
 - Water Treatment Plant:
 - Review and comment on 30% Design Report.
 - Continue coordination with design consultant for 30% design development.
 - Booster Pump Station:
 - Review of 30% Design Report to be submitted by the design consultant.
 - Inline Elevated Storage Tanks:

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- Coordination with design consultant for 30% design development.
 - Administrative/Operations Building:
 - Coordination concerning development of scope and fee with design consultant.
 - Other:
 - Monthly progress meetings with all design consultants (pipelines, water treatment plant, raw water infrastructure, wellfield).
 - Review invoices, schedules, and risk logs for consultants
- Task 13 – Electrical Power Planning
 - Coordination with ARWA concerning emergency power needs and service options for the water treatment plant and wellfield.
 - Coordination with GVEC regarding electric service to the WTP and wellfield.
- Task 14 – Permit Coordination/Tracking
 - Continue Permit coordination with Pipeline consultants
 - Continue Coordination with Caldwell County for variance request for the Site Development Permit.
 - Continue coordination with Guadalupe County regarding Program’s impact to property owners.
 - General Coordination with TxDOT
 - General Coordination with GVEC and BBEC
 - Prepare for and attend coordination meeting with BBEC.
 - Permit Tracking Log Updates
- Task 17 – Other Services
 - Continue field work coordination to notify landowners of upcoming field work by consultants.
 - Finalize and submit the City of San Marcos Watershed Protection Plan for the Booster Pump Station Plat.

Scope Elements Added/Removed:

None at this time.

Outstanding Issues/Concerns:

None at this time.

HUB Participation:

64.5% allotted by Contract (based on contract total fee)

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48.1% to date of Billing

Design Consultant Certifications: N/A

Sub Consultant	Sub Consultant Certifications	Task Description	Contract Value (\$)	Percent Complete to Date (%)	Amount Billed to Date (\$)	Amount Paid to Date (\$)
Foster CM Croup, Inc.	DBE; AABE; MBE; SBE	Budgeting, Schedule, and Data Management	\$228,846.00	55%	\$125,377.34	\$96,637.99
CP&Y, Inc.	ABE; MBE	Program Standards, Compliance, and Project Management	\$1,065,009.00	33%	\$350,160.10	\$284,289.31
Grubb Engineering, Inc.	ESBE; SBE; WBE	Electrical Power Planning	\$99,000.00	32%	\$31,981.13	\$29,097.75
Spitzer and Associates, Inc.	SBE; WBE	Land Acquisition Management	\$348,720.00	59%	\$207,094.80	\$166,420.10
RVK Architects, Inc.	WBE	Architectural Project Management	\$49,165.00	11%	\$5,574.25	\$4,193.75
V&A Consulting Engineers, Inc.	SBE; HABE; MBE	Cathodic Protection Standards	\$64,678.00	5%	\$3,217.50	-
		Subtotal	\$1,855,418.00	39.0%	\$723,405.13	\$580,638.91

REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.

501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- G.9** Consider and possible adoption of Resolution 2019-10-30-006 adopting a Policy on Form of Board and Committee Actions. ~ *Mark B. Taylor, General Counsel*
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Background/Information

In consultation with the Executive Director, the General Counsel drafted the attached Policy on the Form of Board and Committee Actions to assist the Board members and Staff in determining when to utilize the appropriate actions. When applicable references are made to the Authority's enabling act, it's bylaws and other resources.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution 2019-10-30-006
- Policy on Form of Board and Committee Actions

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.



ALLIANCE WATER

RESOLUTION NO. 20191030-006

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVING AND ADOPTING A POLICY ON THE FORM OF BOARD AND COMMITTEE ACTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

RECITALS:

1. The Alliance Regional Water Authority (the "Authority") Board of Directors (the "Authority Board") approved and adopted bylaws for the Authority on March 28, 2018.

2. The Authority Board adopted a policy on meeting procedures for the Authority Board and committees in April 2018 and approved the amended version in September 2019.

3. The Authority Board wishes to adopt a policy on the form of actions for Authority Board and committee actions to help provide guidance.

4. The Authority general counsel has drafted the attached Policy on Form of Board and Committee Actions. The Policy is consistent with the bylaws and rules previously approved by the Authority Board.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ALLIANCE REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. The Authority Board approves and adopts the attached Policy on the Form of Board and Committee Actions.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED: October 30, 2019.

ATTEST:

Chris Betz
Chair, Board of Directors

James Earp
Secretary, Board of Directors



Alliance Regional Water Authority
Policy on Form of Board and Committee Actions
Adopted _____, 2019

Note: This Policy is intended to serve as a guideline for determining the form to be used by the Board of Directors (the “Board”) and committees of the Alliance Regional Water Authority (the “Authority”) to take various types of actions. References are provided in brackets for some types of actions; these should be consulted as needed when making determinations. The Authority’s Enabling Act is Chapter 11010 of the Texas Special Districts Local Laws Code.

Article 1. Board Actions

Section 1.1. Orders. An **Order** is used to:

- A. Add a local government or private entity to the Authority as a Sponsor. [Enabling Act 11010.005(e) and (f)]
- B. Remove a local government or private entity from the Authority as a Sponsor. [Enabling Act 11010.006(c)]
- C. Adopt a rule of the Authority.

Section 1.2. Rules. A **Rule** is used to:

- A. Prescribe the manner and form of submission of a petition to add a Sponsor to the Authority. [Enabling Act 11010.005(b)]
- B. Prescribe the manner and form of submission of petition to remove a Sponsor from the Authority. [Enabling Act 11010.006(b)]
- C. Establish the number of directors and apportion the directors among the Sponsors. [Enabling Act 11010.051(c)]; or reapportion directors among Sponsors after addition or removal of a Sponsor; or increase or decrease the number of directors. [Enabling Act 11010.007]
- D. Prescribe the method by which the Sponsors appoint directors. [Enabling Act 11010.053(b)]
- E. Mandate concurrence of a greater number of directors than a majority of a quorum for specific types of decisions. [Enabling Act 11010.005(e) and (f)]
- F. Adopt, implement, enforce, and manage water conservation or drought contingency plans for the authority or any portion of the authority territory. [Enabling Act 11010.005(e) and (f)]

Section 1.3. Resolutions. A **Resolution** is used to:

- A. Approve or amend the Authority’s annual budget.
- B. Adopt a policy on Board and committee meeting procedures [Bylaws 3.10] and/or other operational policies.
- C. Approve a contract, a contract award, or a professional services authorization/work order that requires approval by the Authority Board under the Authority’s Purchasing Policies, or under state law [e.g., interlocal agreements, Government Code Chapter 791].
- D. Reject all bids or proposals submitted in response to an invitation for bids or request for proposals.
- E. Approve an amendment to a contract previously approved by the Authority Board, except when the authority to amend the contract is delegated in the original resolution or in the Authority’s Purchasing Policies to the Technical Committee or the Executive Director.
- F. Provide direction to the Authority staff on the scope, schedule and/or budget for construction, operation or maintenance projects or contracts, or on the negotiation of major contracts.
- G. Appoint an executive director and designate the duties and responsibilities of the executive director. [Bylaws 3.11]
- H. Delegate any or all of the duties of the Board Treasurer or Secretary on an interim or ongoing basis to another Director, the executive director, or a member of the Authority staff. [Bylaws 4.4, 4.5]
- D. Designate locations for Board meetings. [Bylaws 3.2]
- I. Approve a lease of property to the Authority, or a lease of Authority property to a person or entity.
- J. Approve a contract for the purchase of real property that requires approval by the Authority Board under the Authority’s Property Acquisition Policies.
- K. Approve a contract for the sale of Authority real property.
- L. Approve a groundwater development agreement/lease with an owner of groundwater rights.
- M. Authorize the use of eminent domain proceedings to acquire real property. [Government Code 2206.053(a) and (b) require a “record vote” and an “ordinance, resolution or order”]
- N. Express the Authority’s position on proposed or pending state or federal legislation.
- O. Approve a financing agreement with a state agency related to the issuance of bonds, notes or other obligations. [TWDB rules]

- P. Authorize the issuance of bonds, notes or other debt obligations. [Enabling Act 11010.201(g) and 11010.203]
- Q. Approve a seal for the Authority. [Bylaws 10.2]
- R. Approve a settlement agreement for litigation if it requires an expenditure of Authority funds or binds the Authority as to future action(s).
- S. Designate a depository bank/approve a depository agreement. [Water Code 49.156]
- T. Create a Technical Committee, Advisory Committee, or other standing committee; describe the composition, role and authority of the committee; amend the composition, role or authority of the committee. [Bylaws 3.7, 3.8 and 3.9.a]
- U. Create a temporary committee (can also be done by motion/vote). [Bylaws 3.9.b]
- V. Appoint members to a committee, usually included in resolution creating committee (can also be done by motion/vote).

Section 1.4. Motion/Vote. A **Motion/Vote** is used to:

- A. Elect Board officers (Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer)
- B. Change a Board regular meeting date.
- C. Approve a change order on a construction contract in an amount that requires Board approval.
- D. Set the salary or other compensation for the Executive Director.
- E. Create a temporary committee (can also be done by resolution). [Bylaws 3.9.b]
- F. Appoint members to a committee (can also be done by resolution).
- G. Set a hearing on a petition to add a Sponsor to, or remove a Sponsor from, the Authority. [Enabling Act 11010.005(c) and 11010]

Section 1.5. Discussion Items. A **Discussion Item** is used to:

- A. Present a report to the Authority Board.
- B. Obtain informal direction from the Authority Board on an issue, if the agenda so provides.

Section 1.6. Executive Session Items. An **Executive Session Item** is used to:

- A. Obtain the advice of general counsel or special counsel on matters such as pending or contemplated litigation, contract and ordinance interpretation and drafting, and other matters involving attorney-client privilege.

- B. Discuss the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property, or contracts for gifts or donations to the Authority.
- C. Discuss the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of an Authority officer or employee, or discuss complaints or charges against an Authority officer or employee.
- D. Discuss the deployment or implementation of security personnel or devices.

Section 1.7. Public Hearings A **Public Hearing** by the Authority Board is used to:

- A. Secure public input prior to adopting or revising a rule or an emergency rule that directly affects one or more Sponsors or customers of the Authority [Bylaws 6.2, 6.3.B], or any other rule [Bylaws 6.4].
- B. Secure public input before considering the conversion of park land to non-park use. [Parks and Wildlife Code 26.001]
- C. Secure public input on whether to add a local government or private entity to the Authority as a Sponsor. [Enabling Act 11010.005(d)]

Article 2. Committee Actions

Section 2.1. A **Motion/Vote** is used by a committee to make all decisions and recommendations.

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Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
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- G.10** Update on status of groundwater management in project target area, and Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District, Plum Creek Conservation District, Groundwater Management Area 13, Region L Planning Group, Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority, Hays County and Capital Area Planning Group activities.
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Gonzales County Underground Water Conservation District (GCUWCD)

The GCUWCD met on October 8th. The GCUWCD Board approved Alliance Water's permit amendment application for 1,320 acre-feet per year, effectively immediately.

Plum Creek Conservation District (PCCD)

The PCCD met on October 15th. No items directly affecting the Authority was discussed at the meeting.

Groundwater Management Area 13

The next GMA meeting is scheduled for November 8th.

Region L Planning Group

The Region L Planning Group is scheduled to meet on November 7th. Alliance Water's three water supply projects (Phase 1 – Carrizo, Phase 2 – Carrizo and Phase 3 – Direct Potable Reuse) are scheduled to be presented to the planning group. Staff has reviewed the write-ups and presentation and provided comments.

On October 30th the Policy Work Group is scheduled to meet to discuss the possible policy recommendations to the planning group. A verbal report will be provided to the Board.

Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority; Hays County Activities; CAPCOG Activities

No update.

Board Decision(s) Needed:

- None.

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Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

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H. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND LEGAL COUNSEL REPORTS

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Remaining 2019 Schedule

As a reminder the following dates are set for the remaining Board meetings in 2019:

- Wednesday, November 20th – San Marcos Activity Center
- Wednesday, December 18th

Log and Calendar of Events

- Attached is the log of activities for September along with the 3-month look ahead calendar for the Executive Director.

**Executive Director
Log of Activities**

September						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>1-Sep</i>	<i>2-Sep</i>	<i>3-Sep</i>	<i>4-Sep</i>	<i>5-Sep</i>	<i>6-Sep</i>	<i>7-Sep</i>
	Labor Day Holiday	Mtg w/ Kenneth Williams	1B Monthly Check-In	1B BPS Schematic Workshop	ROW Call	
		Personnel Policies	Invoicing	Mtg reservations	IRWA Presentation	
		WTP Enviro Report review		Packet preparation	Board Packet	
		Payments			Admin Cmte Packet	
<i>8-Sep</i>	<i>9-Sep</i>	<i>10-Sep</i>	<i>11-Sep</i>	<i>12-Sep</i>	<i>13-Sep</i>	<i>14-Sep</i>
	CRWA Board Meeting	GCUWCD Board Mtg	Admin Cmte Mtg	Segment D EFR review mtg	Mtg w/ Jones & Carter	
	Segment D EFR Review	WTP Tech Memo reviews	Tech Cmte Mtg	ROW Call	Mtg w/ Weston Solutions	
	invoicing	GVSUD coordination	Bookkeeper job description	1A BPS construction mtg	CRWA 30th Anniversary	
		Survey review				
<i>15-Sep</i>	<i>16-Sep</i>	<i>17-Sep</i>	<i>18-Sep</i>	<i>19-Sep</i>	<i>20-Sep</i>	<i>21-Sep</i>
	1A BPS Change Order	TWDB SWIFT Coordination	Ethics Webinar	WTP Progress Mtg	Project Advisory Cmte meeting	
	1BSB Supplemental Svcs	1B Appraisal approvals	Amended Mtg Procedures	Board Packet	SCADA Vendor Presentation	
	August Financials	GBRA Invoice	Electronic payments	Gap Strategies coordination	Board Packet	
	Review Admin/Ops Scope of Work		Personnel Policies		Admin Cmte Packet	
<i>22-Sep</i>	<i>23-Sep</i>	<i>24-Sep</i>	<i>25-Sep</i>	<i>26-Sep</i>	<i>27-Sep</i>	<i>28-Sep</i>
	Mtg w/ Gap Strategies	Social media coordination	CRWA Board of Managers Mtg	ROW Call	County Line Interconnect Mtg	
	Mtg to discuss scope/fee of Admin/Ops Facility	GBRA invoice coordination	Admin Cmte Mtg	Filing/checks	Black & Veatch mtg	
	GCUWCD Hearing coordination	Prep for 9/25 meetings	Board of Directors Mtg	1ABPS change order coordination	GCUWCD permit hearing prep	
		Review program cost summaries		2019 issuance coordination	Audit prep	
<i>29-Sep</i>	<i>30-Sep</i>					
	Meet w/ Dee Rodgers					
	Crysal Clear SUD site visit					
	PR transition					

October 2019

October 2019							November 2019						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	28	29	30

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Sep 29	30	Oct 1	2	3	4	5
		9:00am Alliance Water - Monthly Check-in (Skype Meeting, ~TX-SNA-RM-Trainin g Room (Trio)) - Cobler, Nathan		11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call 1:30pm Sign Agreements 2:00pm Betz - Sign GWDA (County Line)	9:00am FW: S. Marcos Business on the Green-Golf Classic (Plum Creek Golf Course; 4301 Benner Rd.) - Abby Shelton	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	9:30am ROE Signatures (Starbucks (5401 S Fm 11:30am Lunch Alliance/PD (TBD) - 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress	10:00am ARWAPRG1B - TCEQ Coordination 1:30pm ARWA1B - Environmental 4:30pm GCUWCD 5:30pm GCUWCD Board	3:00pm ARWA Technical Committee Meeting (Kyle Public Works)	11:00am ARWA - Weekly ROW Call 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call 11:45am 1A CM Lunch 1:30pm Phase 1A	2:45pm ROE Signing - Angie White (Starbucks - 5401 S FM 1626, Kyle, TX 78640, United States)	
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	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - 6:30pm CRWA Board Meeting (CRWA Offices (850 Lakeside	10:00am Region L Staff Work Group Meeting 1:00pm PCCD Meeting (Lockhart, Texas, 6:00pm San Marcos / Buda / Kyle City	9:00am Caldwell County Update Mtg (1700 FM 1:00pm ARWA Board Workshop - Cost 2:00pm Alliance Water - Board Workshop;	9:00am ARWA Coordination (1A Trailer) 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) -	9:20am Graham - Eye Appointment (Buda - Vision Source)	
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	11:30am ARWA1B - Land Acquisition 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress 2:00pm Conference call 6:30pm County Line	10:30am Sign ROEs (Starbucks (5401 S Fm 11:00am Check-in Mtg with ARWA (LAN San 12:00pm Lunch with 1:30pm ARWA1B -	10:00am CRWA Board of Managers Meeting (CRWA Offices)	9:00am Green Valley SUD Board Meeting 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call 1:00pm ARWA1BWTP - 6:30pm Crystal Clear	1:00pm City Of Kyle Public Works 3:00pm Plus Six Engineering - CM 3:00pm Six Sigma Engineering - Matt	
27	28	29	30	31	Nov 1	2
		Save the Date - Review RWI Phase 1B EFR - Alisa Gruber				
	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - 3:00pm ARWA Board Workshop De-Brief	9:30am CH2MHill (Starbucks (5401 S Fm 1626, Kyle, TX 78640, United States))	7:30am Region L - Ch. 8 Policy Workfroup 2:00pm General Counsel 3:00pm ARWA Board 3:00pm ARWA Board	11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - Sowa, Ryan		

November 2019

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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					Save the Date - Review RWI Phase 1B EFR - Alisa Gruber	
					9:00am Project Advisory Committee Meeting (Kyle Public Works)	
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	Save the Date - Review RWI Phase 1B EFR - Alisa Gruber					
	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola	9:00am Alliance Water - Monthly Check-in (Skype Meeting, ~TX-SNA-RM-Training Room (Trio)) -		9:30am Region L Meeting (San Antonio Water System (2800	9:30am GMA-13 Meeting (Evergreen Uwcd (110 Wyoming Blvd, Pleasanton, TX 78064, United States))	
				11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call		
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	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) -	3:00pm Alliance Water - Technical Committee Meeting (Kyle Public	3:00pm ARWA - Administrative Committee Meeting (Kyle - Public Works Facility) - Graham Moore	11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) -		
	6:30pm CRWA Board Meeting (CRWA Offices (850 Lakeside	5:30pm GCUWCD Board Meeting (GCUWCD Offices)		1:30pm Phase 1A Construction Meetings		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola	1:00pm PCCD Meeting (Lockhart, Texas, United States)	TWDB 2019 SWIFT Closings	11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - Sowa, Ryan		
			3:00pm ARWA Board Meeting (TBD)			
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola			Thanksgiving Holiday		
				11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - Sowa, Ryan		

December 2019

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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8	9 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - 6:30pm CRWA Board Meeting (CRWA Offices (850 Lakeside	10 5:30pm GCUWCD Board Meeting (GCUWCD Offices)	11 3:00pm ARWA Technical Committee Meeting (Kyle Public Works)	12 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - 1:30pm Phase 1A Construction Meetings	13 1:00pm Citect HMI Presentation (City Of Kyle Public Works Administration, Ranch to Market Road 150, Kyle, TX) - Liang Li	14
15	16 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola	17 1:00pm PCCD Meeting (Lockhart, Texas, United States)	18 3:00pm ARWA Board Meeting (TBD)	19 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - Sowa, Ryan	20 9:00am Project Advisory Committee Meeting (Kyle Public Works)	21
22	23 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola	24	25	26 11:00am ARWA1B - Weekly ROW Call (Skype Meeting) - Sowa, Ryan	27	28
29	30 1:30pm ARWA Phase 1B Weekly Progress Meetings (WEBEX) - Shore, Nichola	31	Jan 1, 20	2	3	4

REGULAR MEETING
Alliance Regional Water Authority Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBER PACKET
Wednesday, October 30, 2019 at 3:00 P.M.
501 E. Hopkins, San Marcos, TX 78666

- I. BOARD MEMBER ITEMS OR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS – no action to be taken.
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Background/Information

The Committee Members have an opportunity to make announcements or to request that items be added to future Board or Committee agendas.

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- J.1** *Executive Session pursuant to the Government Code, Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney) and/or Section 551.072 and/or Section 551.073 (Real Property Deliberations) regarding:*
- A. Water supply partnership options*
 - B. Groundwater leases*
 - C. Acquisition of real property for water supply project purposes*
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J.2 Action from Executive Session on the following matters:

- A. *Water supply partnership options*
 - B. *Groundwater leases*
 - C. *Acquisition of real property for water supply project purposes*
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K. ADJOURNMENT
