RESOLUTION NO. 25-082

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD CONTRACT NO. 25-V-06 ENTITLED "FURNISH AND DELIVER CORROSION INHIBITOR"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, on May 6, 2025, one (1) bid was received by Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") for Contract No. 25-V-06 entitled "Furnish and Deliver Corrosion Inhibitor"; and

WHEREAS, the lowest responsible, responsive bid submitted for this contract was that of Carus, LLC of Peru, Illinois, (the "Awardee") with respect to said bid, in the amount of \$684,210.00 for a period of one (1) year; and

WHEREAS, the bids have been reviewed by the Engineering
Department and the Director of Purchasing, and a copy of said bid
tabulation sheet is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit
A; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law provides for award of the Contract upon receipt of bids and qualifications of bidders therefore; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and a copy of the said certification is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit B;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

1. That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 19:44A-

- 20.7, and in accordance with said Response, as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	<u>X</u>			
DEPADUA, C.				X
FRIEND, G.				
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GERALD FRIEND
VICE President

RUBY N. COTTON Secretary

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

Title: Furnish and Deliver Corrosion Inhibitor

Contract #25-V-06

Bid Tabulation Evaluation

Bid Opening Date: May 6, 2025 at 2:00 PM

BIDDERS	BID DEPOSIT	TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT	REMARKS
Carus LLC	Certified Check	\$684,210.00	Business Registration Cert.
315 Fifth Street	Cashier's Check		X PVWC Consent of Surety
Peru, IL 61354	X Bid Bond 10%	\$2,736.84 Per Dry Ton	Other Consent of Surety
	X Not to Exceed \$20K		Public Works Cont. Cert.
	Certified Check		EEO
	Cashier's Check		Business Registration Cert.
		<u> </u>	PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%	1	Other Consent of Surety Public Works Cont. Cert.
	Not to Exceed 20K	<u> </u>	EEO Public Works Cont. Cert.
	Certified Check		
	Cashier's Check		Business Registration Cert. PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%		
			Other Consent of Surety
	Not to Exceed \$20K	_	Public Works Cont. Cert. EEO
	Certified Check		
	Cashier's Check	-	Business Registration Cert.
			PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%		Other Consent of Surety
	Not to Exceed 20K	I	Public Works Cont. Cert.
	0-45-701-1		EEO
	Certified Check		Business Registration Cert.
	Cashier's Check	<u> </u>	PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%		Other Consent of Surety
	Not to Exceed \$20K		Public Works Cont. Cert.
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	Certified Check		Business Registration Cert.
	Cashier's Check		PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%		Other Consent of Surety
	Not to Exceed 20K		Public Works Cont. Cert.
	- No. 181		EEO
	Certified Check		Business Registration Cert.
	Cashier's Check		PVWC Consent of Surety
	Bid Bond 10%		Other Consent of Surety
	Not to Exceed 20K		Public Works Cont. Cert.
			EEO

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EXHIBIT B

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Contract No.: 25-V-06

"Furnish and Deliver Corrosion Inhibitor"

Carus, LLC

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$684,210.00 - Contract 25-V-06

1. Acct: # 001-1002-421-70-11 PURCHASES/CHEMICALS

2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: Budget: 2025 - 2026

Other comments: One Year Commencing in May 2025

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025

Amount Certified: \$684,210.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION # 25-083

RESOLUTION OF PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION FOR FINAL RECONCILIATION FOR CONTRACT
CLOSEOUT, CHANGE ORDER NO. 1, CONTRACT NO. 23-B-05 ENTITLED
"AUDITORIUM/PURIFICATION STAIR ENCLOSURE AT THE
PVWC LITTLE FALLS WATER TREATMENT PLANT,
BOROUGH OF TOTOWA, NEW JERSEY"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, under Contract 23-B-05 entitled "Auditorium/Purification Stair Enclosure at the PVWC Little Falls Water Treatment Plant, Borough of Totowa, New Jersey" (the "Contract"), was awarded to Grove Contracting, LLC, of Verona, New Jersey (the "Contractor") at PVWC's Commission Meeting dated November 29, 2023 (PVWC Resolution No. 23-155) in accordance with the authorized scope of work; and

WHEREAS, Change Order No. 1, for final reconciliation of unused bid items for contract closeout as described in **Exhibit A**, decreases the Contract Price by \$237,907.54 (20.0% decrease), which reduces the total adjusted Contract Price to \$954,092.46.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby approves Change Order No. 1 and awards the changes to the scope of Work for the Project as set forth hereinabove;
 and
- 2. That the appropriate officials of PVWC, and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, are hereby authorized to execute and enter into the said Amendment to the Agreement, and to perform such other acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution; and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for

inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF	COMMISSION	VOTE ON	FINAL	PASSAGE
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	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
VAN RENSALIER, R.	<u>X</u>			
COTTON, R.	<u>X</u>			
SANCHEZ, R.	<u>X</u>			
RIZZI, D.	X			
DEPADUA, C.				X
FRIEND, G.	X			
LEVINE, J.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND

RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A



Executive Director James Mueller, PE Commissioners
Rigo Sanchez, President, Passaic
Gerald Friend, Vice President, Clifton
Carmen DePadua, Treasurer, Paterson
Ruby N. Cotton, Secretary, Paterson
Jeffrey Levine, Commissioner, Paterson
Deborah Rizzi, Commissioner, Clifton
Ronald Van Rensalier, Commissioner, Passaic

To, Julie Alesandrelli, PE Supervising Engineer

Date: 8th May 2025

Subject: Approval of Negative Change order For Project 23-B-05 Auditorium Stairs Project

Hi Julie,

I hereby approve the change order in the amount of (\$237,907.54) for Project 23-B-05 – Auditorium Stairs to facilitate the closure of this project.

With the approval of this change order, the following adjustments will be made to the contract amount.

Original Bid Amount:

\$1,192,000.00

Change Order Amount:

(\$ 237,907.54)

Final Contract Amount:

\$ 954,092.46

Please feel contact for any further clarifications.

Mansi Master Digitally signed by Mansi Master Date: 2025.05.08 17:01:51 -04'00'

Mansi Master, PE Principal Engineer

mmaster@pvwc.com

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION 1525 MAIN AVENUE • P.O. BOX 230 CLIFTON, NEW JERSEY 07011 (973) 340-4300 Grove Contracting, LLC.

70 Durrell Street Verona, NJ 07044 Phone: 973-571-1041 Fax: 973-571-1043

Zero'd Out Contract for Final Pay App Release

Grove Project No.: GP2401 Contract / Project No.: 2401 Date: 04/14/2025

This document confirms the reconciliation of all remaining allowances, credited back to the Owner. The total credit of (\$237,907.54) reduces the contract value to zero, finalizing the contract balance and enabling the release of the final pay application.

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Final Total: -237,907.54		
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Prepared By:		
Michael Ciccarelli, President/Owner		Date: 05/08/2025
Print: Michael Ciccarelli	Ciamatum	(m)
THE THOUSE CICCONOTI	Signature:	N. D.

GROVE PROJECT NO.: GP2401

CONTRACT / PROJECT NAME: PVWC AUDITORIUM

CONTRACT / PROJECT NO.: 2401 CHANGE ORDER PROPOSAL NO.: Zero DATE:

4/14/2025

SPECIFIED DURATION: (TBD) CALENDAR DAYS **REQUIRED DURATION: (TBD) CALENDAR DAYS**

Zero'ed Out Contract For Final Pay App Release

PREPARED BY: Mike Jr. President Grove Contracting

ITEM#	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	SCHEDULED	COMPLETED	BALANCE TO	CREDIT	AMOUNT	CR	EDIT TOTAL
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03-01-003	ALLOWANCE- REPOINTING	\$9,000.00	\$5,221.92	\$3,778.08	-\$3,778.08		-	-\$3,778.08
04-01-004	ALLOWANCE- CONCRETE	\$14,000.00	\$5,760.00	\$8,240.00	-\$8,240.00			-\$8,240.00
05-01-005	ALLOWANCE- STEEL	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00	-\$6,000.00		+	-\$6,000.00
06-01-006	ALLOWANCE- EXCAVATION	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	-\$10,000.00			-\$10,000.00
07-01-007	ALLOWANCE- PERMIT	\$100,000.00	\$26,272.00	\$73,728.00	-\$73,728.00		-	-\$73,728.00
08-01-008	ALLOWANCE- ELECTRICAL	\$15,000.00	\$966.35	\$14,033.65	-\$14,033.65		+	-\$14,033.65
09-01-009	ALLOWANCE- CONCEALED	\$20,000.00	\$18,502.00	\$1,498.00	-\$1,498.00			-\$1,498.00
10-01-010	ALLOWANCE- HVAC	\$20,000.00	\$0.00	\$20,000.00	-\$20,000.00			-\$20,000.00
11-01-011	ALLOWANCE- PLUMBING	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	-\$10,000.00			-\$10,000.00
12-01-012	ALLOWANCE- HAZARDOUS	\$20,000.00	\$0.00	\$20,000.00	-\$20,000.00		+	-\$20,000.00
13-01-013	ALLOWANCE- MASONRY	\$30,000.00	\$6,500.00	\$23,500.00	-\$23,500.00			-\$23,500.00
14-01-014	ALLOWANCE- I&C WORK	\$10,000.00	\$0.00	\$10,000.00	-\$10,000.00			-\$10,000.00
15-01-015	ALLOWANCE- DEMOLITION	\$10,000.00	\$3,768.00	\$6,232.00	-\$6,232.00			-\$6,232.00
16-01-016	ALLOWANCE- STRUCTURAL	\$20,000.00	\$4,364.64	\$15,635.36	-\$15,635.36		+	-\$15,635.36
17-01-017	ALLOWANCE- FLOORING	\$25,000.00	\$9,737.55	\$15,262.45	-\$15,262.45			-\$15,262.45
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	COMMEN	ITS			Subtotal		\$	(237,907.54)
					FINAL	TOTAL		-\$237.907.54

Michael Ciccoselli

X 05/08/25

RESOLUTION NO. 25-084

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE PROCUREMENT OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND ASSET INVENTORY SERVICES FROM SHI CORPORATION UNDER THE NEW JERSEY PURCHASING ALLIANCE CONTRACT CK04, SUBCONTRACT NO. 24-38

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: **RUBY N. COTTON**

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, the Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") seeks to modernize and upgrade their Operational Technology space as PVWC continues to modernize technology; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Purchasing Alliance, Contract CK04, Subcontract No. 24-38, (the "Cooperative") shall be used for the procurement of services for the necessary upgrade; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the memorandum written by the Director of IT, dated April 11, 2025, recommending the procurement of these services is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12, PVWC may purchase goods or services under contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, PVWC has elected to procure the above-referenced services of SHI Corporation of Somerset, New Jersey (the "Awardee") under the Cooperative, with the cost of the upgrade being \$799,694.31; a copy of the quotation number 26027175 is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 of the Local Public Contracts Law provides for the awarding of said contract to the Awardee; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and a copy of the said certification is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **Exhibit C**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey;

- That the Cooperative Pricing Agreement for procurement of the abovereferenced services is hereby awarded to the Awardee as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That the appropriate officers and employees of PVWC are hereby authorized and directed to perform such acts and execute such documents as are consistent herewith, with respect to the Cooperative Pricing Agreement as set forth hereinabove.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	_X_			
DEPADUA, C.				X
FRIEND, G.	<u>X</u>		<u> </u>	
LEVINE, J.	<u> </u>			
RIZZI, D.	_X_			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_X_			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GÉRALD FRIEND

Vice President

RUBY N. COTTON

Secretary

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CERTIFICATION

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LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

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Passaic Valley Water Commission Inter - Office Memorandum

To:

L. Bresemann

From:

L. Ducheine

CC:

J. Mueller

Date:

April 11, 2025

Re:

Recommendation to approve engineering and automation consulting services

The Department of Information Technology recommends the Commission approves the engineering and automation consulting services. The Operational Technology space is growing more complex as we continue our modernization efforts. Therefore, many concurrent projects in varying phases of execution require close monitoring of their interdependence. The Information Technology department possesses neither formal expertise nor bandwidth, to effectively generate the anticipated project deliverables, from scheduled upgrades to capital project requirements. The project will help PVWC acquire a baseline view of the state of all our OT assets. The benefit is a clear and rational view of which assets are critically deprecated, need to be repaired, maintained or upgraded.

Many of our assets are old, also, with many vendors adopting differing design preferences, asset life cycle management was ad hoc. This project will help solve some of the issues plaguing operations. It will help identify, deploy and manage current assets in service. Prospective assets to be acquired, for the capital portfolio, will subscribe to standards developed by this project. The accrued benefits of this project will generate measurable savings in:

- A better ability to manage and rationalize our spare parts inventory.
- A compatible and deliberate leveraging of CMMS.
- The cost-effective management of a preventative maintenance program.
- An emergent capability to sensibly forecast future needs.
- Implement vendor design compliance programs, with PVWC standards, as an oversight mechanism.
- Creation of a foundational posture for the arrival Artificial Intelligence as a tool for predictive maintenance.

For a sense of scale and amount of work to be completed by this project, our OT assets, for the most part, consist of:

- Remote SCADA
 - 60+ Primary Remote Assets (Remote Terminal Units)
 2000+ Sub-Assets (Sensors)
- Located across an area greater than 150 mi²
- Oldest Assets at 15+ years of service.
- Plant SCADA
 - · 52+ Primary Plant Assets (RTUs) 2500+ Sub - Assets (Sensors)
- Located at PVWC's Little Falls Water Treatment Plant.
- Oldest Asset at 25+ years of service.

There is not a definitive finding of the state of these assets. This project seeks to establish that:

- An instrumentation inventory has been completed.
- Drawing sets are based upon field verifications.
- Baselining of current Piping & Instrument Diagrams is established, instances where missing, identified and mitigated to augment operational visibility – is either in progress or completed.
- Copy of the PLC and Human Machine Interface programs is available, to assist with disaster recovery and operational investigations – is either in progress or completed.

The costs associated with this project are listed as follows:

Product	Price
Project Management and Project Lead Activities	\$56,296.76
Standards Development and specific project investigations	\$58,152.36
Request For Information Responses	\$22,312.40
Plant Asset Inventory Office Work	\$99,373.26
Remote Asset Inventory Office Work	\$395,222.67
All Asset Inventory Site Time (incl. Expenses)	\$168,336.86
Total	\$799,694.31

If approved, the project avails us with the services of a Vendor with deep and comprehensive technical resources and personnel. Their services are essential to our modernization efforts as well as meaningfully preparing for the upcoming capital projects. Additionally, they are well versed in the deployment of industry best practices.

The services provided through this contract are indispensable to the work being done in preparation for the capital project portfolio.

- Project Management and Lead activities Will provide create a space to monitor important
 project parameters through weekly status meetings to provide progress updates and risk
 awareness. Also, provide resources for some of the required engineering
- Standard development and specific Project Investigations
- Request for Information Responses
- Plant Asset Inventory Work
- Remote Asset Inventory Work
- All Asset Inventory Site Work (Incl. Expenses)

The Vendor will coordinate and facilitate weekly status meetings to provide progress updates, risk management and open questions. Project per task, spend tracking will be provided through Project Mgt. deliverables. PVWC developed SCADA Standards specifications will be maintained to incorporate additional inputs:

- From PVWC personnel
- To add standards for additional technologies
- To update the current section to reflect most recent technology
- Develop PLC and HMI standards for future OT upgrades or installations
- Examine new installations/proposed solutions for agreement with agreed upon standards.

Continuation of previous year's work is provided for with Specific Project Investigations, which includes investigation of proposed solutions for best course of action to resolve Operational Technology related issues. The findings may be documented in a formal report format, to help mitigation strategy formulations. Requests For Information reviews engineering project bid specifications to ensure they align with PVWC standards. Also, makes available automation expertise to help with outside vendors, and ensure PVWC is not at an information deficit.

The Plant Asset Inventory work aims to provide high visibility into the equipment installed at the facility. Also, it will acquire all the collateral information necessary to provide, upon request, high quality

estimates associated with upgrading these assets to PVWC RTU design standards. Remote Asset Inventory work will similarly bring visibility into our remote assets. Additionally, electrical drawings for the remote assets would be digitized in a standard format now, instead of waiting for the next upgrade cycle.

A dedicated team of Senior Engineers will be continuously engaged to this effort. **Asset Inventory Site Work** will be monitored through bi-weekly updates, status reports on progress, activities and burn rate. The Department of Technology recommends the Board approve this funding request for Engineering Consulting Services.

EXHIBIT B



Pricing Proposal

Quotation #: 26027175 Created On: 4/2/2025 Valid Until: 4/30/2025

NJ-City of Passaic Valley Water Commission

Account Executive

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Email: ecoan@pvwc.com

All Prices are in US Dollar (USD)

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Your Price

	Product	21
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1	Project Management and Project Lead Activities	
	Actemium - Part#:	
	Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance	
	Contract #: CK04	
	Subcontract #: 24-38	

\$56,296.76 \$56,296.76

Total

2	Standards Development and Specific Project Investigations
	Actemium - Part#:
	Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance
	Contract #: CK04
	Subcontract #: 24-38

\$58,152.36 \$58,152.36

1	RFI Responses
	Actemium - Part#:
	Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance
	Contract #: CK04
	Subcontract #: 24-38

\$22,312.40 \$22,312.40

4 Plant Asset Inventory Office Work
Actemium - Part#:
Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance
Contract #: CK04
Subcontract #: 24-38

\$99,373.26 \$99,373.26

5 Remote Asset Inventory Office Work Actemium - Part#: 1 \$395,222.67 \$395,222.67

Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance
Contract #: CK04
Subcontract #: 24-38

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6 All Asset Inventory Site Time (incl. Expenses)

Actemium - Part#:

Contract Name: New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Alliance

Contract #: CK04 Subcontract #: 24-38

Total \$799,694.31

EXHIBIT C

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Procurement Through the New Jersey

Purchasing Alliance, Contract CK04,

Subcontract No. 22-24

SHI Corporation

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$799,694.31

1. Acct: 001-0901-419-95-28 Capital/SCADA

2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: Capital

Other comments: One Year Commencing May 2025

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025

Amount Certified: \$799,694.31

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION # 25-085 PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD PROJECT NO. 25-PE-11, "PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATORY COMPLIANCE ISSUES"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable Services) for Award Project No. 25-PE-11, "Professional Engineering Services for Environmental Compliance Issues" (hereinafter the "Project"), with said solicitation and procurement of responses (and evaluation of same) undertaken through a fair and open process, as defined in N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7 (hereinafter the "Fair and Open Process"); and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and the Fair and Open Process require that notice, with respect to contracts for professional services (or extraordinary un-specifiable services), procured through a fair and open process and awarded without competitive bids, must be publicly advertised; and

WHEREAS, following public advertisement as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and placement of the said notice on the official website of PVWC, as well as in the official newspaper of PVWC and any other such publications as may have been deemed appropriate, PVWC has received a response to provide professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) related to the Project from four (4) professional (or provider of extraordinary unspecifiable services) providers; and

WHEREAS, responses received for the Project have been evaluated by PVWC based on criteria as set forth in the request for responses for the Project, and a copy of PVWC's Evaluation Matrix Summary is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**; and

WHEREAS, based on the said evaluation of the responses received, and as can be seen from the above-referenced PVWC Evaluation Matrix Summary, the firm of H2M Architects and Engineers of Parsippany, New Jersey (the "Awardee") was determined to be the most professionally qualified and capable of performing the required services with respect to the Project and the responses received May 13, 2025 (hereinafter the "Responses"), with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay, Time-and-Materials basis, not to exceed \$120,000.00 for the Awardee for services related to the Project, as stipulated by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, said contract shall be used for the following activities: 1) Assist PVWC with following all NJDEP requirements for monitoring groundwater at Clifton Yard; 2) Management of Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act (TCPA), Underground Storage Tanks (UST), Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC), Discharge Prevention, Containment, and Countermeasure (DPCC) programs; 3) Management of Asbestos Containing Material (ACM) and Lead Plans; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, the services to be rendered pursuant hereto constitute professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) within the meaning and intent of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, the Responses and solicitations are on file in the office of the Administrative Secretary and available for inspection; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and said certificate is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:11-1 et seq. and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-20.7, and in accordance with said Responses, as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution, and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	X			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>X</u>
FRIEND, G.	X			
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_ X			
SANCHEZ, R.	<u> </u>			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND

Secretary RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

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Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

Professional Engineering Services for Regulatory Compliance Issues

Project No. 25-PE-11
Bid Opening Date: May 13, 2025

NTE Amount = \$120,000

Evaluation Matrix Summary

Reviewer	Boswell	CME Associates	Entech	900 850	
1	820 835	690	825		
2		660	775		
Average Score	828	675	800	875	

Score out of 1000

EXHIBIT B

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PE-11

"Professional Engineering Services for

Environmental Regulatory Compliance Issues"

H2M Associates

Project No. 25-PE-11 Not to Exceed \$120,000.00

- 1. Acct: # 001-0301-413-31-01 BUDGET/Professional Services Engineering
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: BUDGET: 2025-2026

Other comments: Professional Service - One Year

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$120,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION NO. 25-086

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION AWARDING PROJECT 25-PE-12 ENTITLED "PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR CONDUCTING CONDITION ASSESSMENTS ON PVWC'S TRANSMISSION MAINS

TO THE PVWC RESERVOIRS"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for Extraordinary

Unspecifiable Services ("EUSs") for Contract No. 25-PE-12 entitled "Professional Services for

Conducting Condition Assessments on PVWC's Reservoirs" (hereinafter the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, said Contract shall be awarded as an EUS under the Non-Fair and Open

Process and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) for providing professional engineering services for

Utilizing Pipeline Condition Assessment Tools to Perform a Comprehensive Condition

Assessment on 42-inch Transmission Main from LFWTP MPS to New Street Reservoir; and

Utilizing Pipeline Condition Assessment Tools to Perform a Comprehensive Condition

Assessment on 51-inch Transmission Main from LFWTP MPS to Great Notch Reservoir/ Route

46 Crossing/ Oak Hill Road Ending at Belleville; and Utilizing Pipeline Condition Assessment

Tools to Perform a Comprehensive Condition Assessment on Miscellaneous Transmission

Mains; and Performing System Valve Inspections in Accordance with WQAA Requirement and

Provide Evaluation of Cathodic Protection Test Stations on the MCC; and

WHEREAS, said Contract is the continuation of on-going work required to complete

said projects; and

WHEREAS, the firm of Pure Technologies U.S. Inc. of Linthicum Heights, Maryland

(the "Awardee") was determined to be professionally qualified and capable of performing the

required services with respect to the Project, with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay,

Time-and-Materials basis, not to exceed \$2,200,000 over a period of one (1) year, as

stipulated by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the

"Contract"); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities

to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that

funds are currently available for said purpose and a copy of the said certification is attached

hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with <u>N.J.S.A.</u>
 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-1 et seq. as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution; and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	<u>X</u>			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>X</u>
FRIEND, G.	X			
LEVINE, J.	<u>X</u>			
RIZZI, D.	_X			***
VAN RENSALIER, R.	<u>X</u>			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water-Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND Secretary RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

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Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PE-12

"Professional Services for Conducting Condition Assessments on PVWC's Transmission Mains

to the PVWC Reservoirs" Pure Technologies US., Inc.

Project No. 25-PE-12 Not to Exceed \$2,200,000.00

- 1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-14 CAPITAL/Transition Mains/Pipes (Water Main Improvements)
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: CAPITAL: 2025- 2026

Other comments: Professional Service - One Year

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$2,200,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION # 25-087 PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD PROJECT NO. 25-PE-20, "PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR FILTER OPTIMIZATION"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for

professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable Services) for Award Project No.

25-PE-20, "Professional Services for Filter Optimization" (hereinafter the "Project"),

with said solicitation and procurement of responses (and evaluation of same)

undertaken through a fair and open process, as defined in N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7

(hereinafter the "Fair and Open Process"); and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and the

Fair and Open Process require that notice, with respect to contracts for professional

services (or extraordinary un-specifiable services), procured through a fair and open

process and awarded without competitive bids, must be publicly advertised; and

WHEREAS, following public advertisement as required by New Jersey law, in

accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and placement of the said notice on

the official website of PVWC, as well as in the official newspaper of PVWC and any

other such publications as may have been deemed appropriate, PVWC has received a

response to provide professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services)

related to the Project from one (1) professional (or provider of extraordinary

unspecifiable services) provider; and

WHEREAS, responses received for the Project have been evaluated by PVWC

based on criteria as set forth in the request for responses for the Project, and a copy

of PVWC's Evaluation Matrix Summary is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, based on the said evaluation of the responses received, and as can

be seen from the above-referenced PVWC Evaluation Matrix Summary, the firm of

Carollo Engineers, Inc. of Ramsey, New Jersey (the "Awardee") was determined to

be the most professionally qualified and capable of performing the required services

with respect to the Project and the responses received May 15, 2025 (hereinafter the

"Responses"), with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay, Time-and-Materials

basis, not to exceed \$150,000.00 for the Awardee for services related to the Project,

as stipulated by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services

(the "Contract"); and

whereas, said contract shall be used for the following activities: 1) Provide engineering services associated with filter optimization at the Little Falls Water Treatment Plant (LFWTP) which will include but are not limited to the following items below; 2) Evaluation of regular filter operations, filter backwash operations and associated infrastructure; 3) Evaluation of filter bed expansion and incorporation of bed expansion measurements and/or bed expansion monitors into a filter backwash routine; 4) Development of recommendations to optimize post-backwash recovery, reduce hydraulic surges during flow changes, and optimize filter run times; and 5) Evaluation of associated pressure transmitters, water level sensors and flow monitoring systems; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, the services to be rendered pursuant hereto constitute professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) within the meaning and intent of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, the Responses and solicitations are on file in the office of the Administrative Secretary and available for inspection; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and said certificate is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:11-1 et seq. and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-20.7, and in accordance with said Responses, as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution, and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	<u> </u>			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>X</u>
FRIEND, G.	<u> </u>			
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	<u>X</u>			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	<u>X</u>			
SANCHEZ, R.	<u> </u>			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND

Secretary RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

Project: 25-PE-20 Professional Services for Filter

Optimization

Evaluation Matrix

May 16, 2025

500 Total Possible Score

	Carollo Engineers								
-1 - N - Columbia	1		2						
Evaluation Criteria	Ranking	Score	Ranking	Score					
Overall Background, Qualifications, Skills, & Experience of Firm and its Staff (25%)	4	100	4.5	113					
Ability to provide	-	100	7.5	113					
adequate resources for successful implementation and completion of the									
Project (25%)	4	100	4.5	113					
References (25%)	4	100	4	100					
Schedule of Hourly Rates and Charges (25%)	4	100	4	100					
Totals		400		425					

Average - Carollo 413

EXHIBIT B

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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PE-20

"Professional Services for Filter Optimization"

Carollo Engineers, Inc.

Project No. 25-PE-20 Not to Exceed \$150,000.00

- 1. Acct: # 001-0301-413-31-01 BUDGET/Professional Services Engineering
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: BUDGET: 2025-2026

Other comments: Professional Service - One Year

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$150,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION # 25-088 PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD PROJECT NO. 25-PE-22, "PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR PROVIDING ENHANCEMENTS TO ESRI APPLICATIONS AND GEODATABASES"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable Services) for Award Project No. 25-PE-22, "Professional Services for Providing Enhancements to ESRI Applications and Geodatabases" (hereinafter the "Project"), with said solicitation and procurement of responses (and evaluation of same) undertaken through a fair and open process, as defined in N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7 (hereinafter the "Fair and Open Process"); and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and the Fair and Open Process require that notice, with respect to contracts for professional services (or extraordinary un-specifiable services), procured through a fair and open process and awarded without competitive bids, must be publicly advertised; and

WHEREAS, following public advertisement as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and placement of the said notice on the official website of PVWC, as well as in the official newspaper of PVWC and any other such publications as may have been deemed appropriate, PVWC has received a response to provide professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) related to the Project from three (3) professional (or provider of extraordinary unspecifiable services) providers; and

WHEREAS, responses received for the Project have been evaluated by PVWC based on criteria as set forth in the request for responses for the Project, and a copy of PVWC's Evaluation Matrix Summary is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, based on the said evaluation of the responses received, and as can be seen from the above-referenced PVWC Evaluation Matrix Summary, the firm of Mott MacDonald, LLC of Iselin, New Jersey (the "Awardee") was determined to be the most professionally qualified and capable of performing the required services with respect to the Project and the responses received May 15, 2025 (hereinafter the "Responses"), with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay, Time-and-Materials basis, not to exceed \$100,000.00 for the Awardee for services related to the Project, as stipulated by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, said contract shall be used to augment the Commission's GIS Group and provide technical support for managing and enhancing the Commission's GIS applications and geodatabases; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, the services to be rendered pursuant hereto constitute professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) within the meaning and intent of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, the Responses and solicitations are on file in the office of the Administrative Secretary and available for inspection; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and said certificate is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:11-1 et seq. and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-20.7, and in accordance with said Responses, as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution, and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	_ X			
DEPADUA, C.				X
FRIEND, G.	<u>X</u>			
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_ X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water-Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND Secretary RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

Professional Services for Providing Enhancements to ESRI Applications and Geodatabases

Project No. 25-PE-22 Bid Opening Date: May 15, 2025

NTE Amount = \$100,000

Evaluation Matrix Summary

Reviewer	French and Parrello Associates	Mott MacDonald	Suburban Consulting Engineers
1	485	715	680
2	215	805	765
3	660	855	810
Average Score	453	792	752

Score out of 1000

EXHIBIT B

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It	is hereby certif	fied th	at subject t	o Con	nmis	sion	appr	oval	of future	Budgets, w	ith resp	pect
to	multi-budget	year	contracts,	there	are	or	will	be	sufficient	available	funds	for
ex	penditures to b	e incu	irred as a re	sult of	any	con	tract	or co	ommitmen	t to be ente	red into	by
Pa	assaic Valley W	later (Commission	as fo	llow	s:						

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PE-22

"Professional Services for Providing Enhancements

to ESRI Applications and Geodatabases"

Mott MacDonald

Project No. 25-PE-22 Not to Exceed \$100,000.00

- 1. Acct: # 001-0301-413-31-01 BUDGET/Professional Services Engineering
- Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: BUDGET: 2025- 2026

Other comments: Professional Service - One Year

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$100,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION NO. 25-089

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD CONTRACT NO. 25-PE-25 ENTITLED "METER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM: CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

SERVICES FOR THE METER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for Extraordinary

Unspecifiable Services ("EUSs") for Contract No. 25-PE-25 entitled "Meter Replacement

Program: Construction Administration and Management Services for the Meter Replacement

Program" (hereinafter the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, said Contract shall be awarded as an EUS under the Non-Fair and Open

Process and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) for providing professional construction administration

and management services for overseeing the meter replacement contracts for the Main

System - Phase 1A and 1B in accordance with the New Jersey Infrastructure Financing

Program; and

WHEREAS, said Contract is the continuation of on-going work required to complete

said projects; and

WHEREAS, the firm of Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc. of Flanders, New Jersey

(the "Awardee") was determined to be professionally qualified and capable of performing the

required services with respect to the Project, with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay,

Time-and-Materials basis, not to exceed \$580,000 over a period of two (2) years, as stipulated

by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities

to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that

funds are currently available for said purpose and a copy of the said certification is attached

hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with <u>N.J.S.A.</u>
 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-1 et seq. as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution; and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	X			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>X</u>
FRIEND, G.	<u> </u>			
LEVINE, J.	_X			
RIZZI, D.	X			-
VAN RENSALIER, R.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND Secretary RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PE-25

"Meter Replacement Program: Construction Administration and Management Services for

the Meter Replacement Program" Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Project No. 25-PE-25 Not to Exceed \$580,000.00

- 1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-15 CAPITAL/Meters
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: CAPITAL: 2025- 2027

Other comments: Professional Service - Two Years

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$580,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION NO. 25-090

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD CONTRACT 25-PA-08 ENTITLED "PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION

OF ORACLE FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: **RUBY N. COTTON**

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has

solicited for Extraordinary Unspecifiable Services ("EUSs") for Contract

25-PA-08 entitled "Professional Services for Technical Implementation

of Oracle Financial Management System"; and

WHEREAS, said Contract shall be awarded as an EUS under the

Non-Fair and Open Process and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) for providing

services for the implementation of PVWC's Financial Management

System with Oracle; and

WHEREAS, the firm of CGI Technologies and Solutions, Inc., (the

"Awardee") was determined to be professionally qualified and capable

of performing the required services with respect to the Project, with

reimbursement to on a Take-and-Pay, Time-and-Materials basis, not to

exceed \$405,000.00 over a period of nine (9) months, as stipulated by

the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the

"Contract"); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and

constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services

of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with

respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and

a copy of said certification is attached hereto and made a part hereof as

Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and N.J.S.A. 19:44A-1 et seq., and as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution; and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	_X			<u> </u>
DEPADUA, C.				_X
FRIEND, G.	X			
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GERALD FRIEND Vice President RÚBY N. COTTON Secretary

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PA-08

"Professional Services for Technical Implementation of Oracle Financial

Management System"

CGI Technologies and Solutions, Inc.

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$405,000.00 - Project No. 25-PA-08

- 1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-05 CAPITAL/OUTSIDE CONTRACTORS
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: CAPITAL 2025-2026

Other comments: One Year Commencing in May 2025

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$405,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION NO. 25-091

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD CONTRACT 25-PA-09 ENTITLED "PROJECT MANAGEMENT OF FINANCIAL

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: **RUBY N. COTTON**

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has

solicited for Extraordinary Unspecifiable Services ("EUSs") for Contract

25-PA-09 entitled "Project Management of Financial Management

System Implementation"; and

WHEREAS, said Contract shall be awarded as an EUS under the

Non-Fair and Open Process and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) for providing

services for the project management of the implementation of PVWC's

Financial Management System with Oracle; and

WHEREAS, the firm of Raftelis, (the "Awardee") was determined

to be professionally qualified and capable of performing the required

services with respect to the Project, with reimbursement to on a Take-

and-Pay, Time-and-Materials basis, not to exceed \$346,580.00 over a

period of nine (9) months, as stipulated by the Commission in the Form

of Agreement for Professional Services (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and

constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services

of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with

respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and

a copy of said certification is attached hereto and made a part hereof as

Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) and N.J.S.A. 19:44A-1 et seq., and as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution; and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	_X			
DEPADUA, C.				<u> </u>
FRIEND, G.	_X			
LEVINE, J.	_X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	<u>X</u>			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GERALD FRIEND Vice President

RUBY N. COTTON Secretary

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CERTIFICATION

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LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PA-09

"Project Management of Financial Management System Implementation"

Raftelis

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$346,580.00 - Project No. 25-PA-09

- 1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-05 CAPITAL/OUTSIDE CONTRACTORS
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: CAPITAL 2025-2026

Other comments: One Year Commencing in May 2025

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$346,580.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION # 25-092 PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION TO AWARD PROJECT 25-PA-07 ENTITLED "PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS"

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: **RUBY N. COTTON**

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") has solicited for professional legal services (or extraordinary unspecifiable Services) for Award Project No. 25-PA-07, "Professional Services for Government Relations and Public Affairs" (hereinafter the "Project"), with said solicitation and procurement of responses (and evaluation of same) undertaken through a fair and open process, as defined in N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7 (hereinafter the "Fair and Open Process"); and

WHEREAS, following public advertisement as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and placement of the said notice on the official website of PVWC, as well as in the official newspaper of PVWC and any other such publications as may have been deemed appropriate, PVWC has received a response to provide professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) related to the Project from one (1) professional provider (or providers of extraordinary unspecifiable services); and

WHEREAS, the response received for the Project has been evaluated by PVWC based on criteria as set forth in the request for responses for the Project; and

WHEREAS, based on the said evaluation of the response received, the firm of Gibbons, P.C. of Newark, New Jersey (the "Awardee") was determined to be professionally qualified and capable of performing the required services with respect to the Project and the response received May 15, 2025 (hereinafter the "Responses"), with reimbursement to be on a Take-and-Pay, Time-and-Materials basis, not

to exceed \$90,000.00 for the Awardee for services related to the Project, as stipulated by the Commission in the Form of Agreement for Professional Services (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities to engage, or continue to engage, the services of the Awardee at this time; and

WHEREAS, the services to be rendered pursuant hereto constitute professional services (or extraordinary unspecifiable services) within the meaning and intent of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, the Responses and solicitations are on file in the office of the Administrative Secretary and available for inspection; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and said certificate is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

- That PVWC hereby awards the Contract to the Awardee in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7, and in accordance with said Responses, as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That an appropriate official of PVWC, on behalf of PVWC, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Contract hereby awarded to the Awardee and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to the Contract and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution, and
- 3. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be placed on file and made

available for inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
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Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GERALD FRIEND Vice President

RUBY N. COTTON Secretary

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Project No. 25-PA-09

"Professional Legal Services for

Government Relations and Public Affairs"

Gibbons, P.C.

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$90,000 - Project No. 25-PA-09

- Acct: # 001-0201-412-3015
 Professional Services Legal/ Regulatory & Admin Law
- 2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: Budget 2025-2026

Other comments: One Year Commencing in May 2025

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025 Amount Certified: \$90,000.00

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION NO. 25-093

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROCUREMENT OF OFFICE FURNITURE FOR THE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT LOCATED IN TOTOWA, NJ UNDER THE NEW JERSEY STATE CONTRACT #25-COMG-94171

DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 21, 2025

Introduced by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

WHEREAS, the Commission needs to procure office furniture for the Engineering staff located in Totowa, New Jersey as the number of employees in the Engineering Department was increased to manage several large projects that are necessary to operations at the Little Falls Water Treatment Plant; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey State Contract #25-COMG-94171, (the "Cooperative") shall be used for the procurement of said office furniture; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12, PVWC may purchase goods or services under contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, PVWC has elected to procure the above-referenced furniture from Maco Office Interiors of Union City, New Jersey (the "Awardee") under the Cooperative, with the cost of the furniture being \$16,903.88; a copy of the quotation number 3029 is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 of the Local Public Contracts Law provides for the awarding of said contract to the Awardee; and

WHEREAS, PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose and a copy of the said certification is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **Exhibit B**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey;

- That the Cooperative Pricing Agreement for procurement of the abovereferenced office furniture is hereby awarded to the Awardee as set forth hereinabove; and
- 2. That the appropriate officers and employees of PVWC are hereby authorized and directed to perform such acts and execute such documents as are consistent herewith, with respect to the Cooperative Pricing Agreement as set forth hereinabove.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
COTTON, R.	_X			
DEPADUA, C.				X
FRIEND, G.	X			
LEVINE, J.	X			
RIZZI, D.	X			
VAN RENSALIER, R.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

GERALD FRIEND
Vice President

RUBY N. COTTON

Secretary

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

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EXHIBIT A

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as a result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

Description of Project or Contract:

Furniture Purchased Through the

New Jersey State Contract # 25-COMG-94171

Maco Office Interiors

Amount of Project or Contract:

\$16,903.88

1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-01 Capital/Furniture and Fixtures

2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged: Capital

Other comments: One Time Purchase

Date of Certification: May 21, 2025

Amount Certified: \$16,903.88

Yitzchak Weiss
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

YW:lb

RESOLUTION: 25-94

RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE EXTENSION OF THE **MATURITY** DATE **OF** AN **OUTSTANDING** CONSTRUCTION LOAN FROM THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK RELATING TO COMMISSION'S LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, EVIDENCED BY **COMMISSION'S** THE \$37,605,981 NOTE DATED JUNE 7, 2022

Approved as to form and legality by Bond Counsel on the basis of facts set forth by Executive Director, Purchasing, Engineering and Finance Departments.

Introduced by Commissioner: **GERALD FRIEND**

Seconded by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

ADOPTED: May 21, 2025

WHEREAS, on May 11, 2022, the Passaic Valley Water Commission (the "Commission") adopted a resolution entitled "RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$40,000,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT NOTES RELATING TO THE WATER **PROGRAM** THE BANK CONSTRUCTION FINANCING OF **NEW** INFRASTRUCTURE BANK AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO" (the "2022 Project Note Resolution"), authorizing the issuance of Commission project notes to temporarily finance a capital project consisting of the replacement of lead services from the water main up to the customer's meter following test pitting operations, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. 1605002-002, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "2022 Additional Project"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 2022 Project Note Resolution, the Commission thereafter issued its \$37,605,981 Note Relating to the Water Bank Construction Financing Program of the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank dated June 27, 2022 (the "2022 Project Note"), evidencing a construction loan from the I-Bank to the Authority to finance costs of the 2022 Additional Project; and

WHEREAS, the stated maturity date of the 2022 Project Note is June 30, 2025, or such other date to which the repayment of such Note shall be extended by the I-Bank in its sole discretion; and

WHEREAS, upon completion of the 2022 Additional Project, the Commission intends to issue its permanent bonds to the I-Bank and the State of New Jersey to refinance the 2022 Project Note and thereby permanently finance the 2022 Additional Project; and

WHEREAS, as of the date hereof, the 2022 Additional Project has not been completed; and

WHEREAS, the I-Bank has agreed to extend the maturity date of the 2022 Project Note from June 30, 2025 to June 30, 2026, or such other date to which repayment of such Note shall be extended by the I-Bank in its sole discretion; and

WHEREAS, the Commission now wishes to approve the extension of the maturity date of the 2022 Project Note as aforesaid and to authorize the execution and delivery of such documents as may be necessary or desirable in connection therewith;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION (at least five (5) Commissioners voting in the affirmative, with each of the three (3) Owner Cities represented among the Commissioners voting in the affirmative), as follows:

SECTION 1. The Commission hereby determines to extend the maturity date of the 2022 Project Note from June 30, 2025, or such other date to which the repayment of such Note shall be extended by the I-Bank in its sole discretion, to June 30, 2026, or such other date to which the repayment of such Note shall be extended by the I-Bank in its sole discretion.

SECTION 2. The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to execute a certificate evidencing such maturity date extension, in substantially the form attached hereto, together with any additional documents, instruments or closing certificates as may be deemed necessary, desirable or convenient by the Executive Director, in his sole discretion, after consultation with counsel and any advisors to the Commission and after further consultation with the I-Bank and its representatives, agents, counsel and advisors.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_X_			
COTTON, R.	X_			
LEVINE, J.	_X_	3		
RIZZI, D.	_X			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>_X</u>
FRIEND, G.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	X_			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President GERALD FRIEND

RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its meeting of May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

RESOLUTION: 25-95

RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION DECLARING ITS OFFICIAL INTENT TO REIMBURSE EXPENDITURES FOR PROJECT COSTS FROM THE PROCEEDS OF DEBT OBLIGATIONS OF THE COMMISSION, INCLUDING IN CONNECTION WITH ITS PARTICIPATION IN THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK'S WATER BANK FINANCING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Passaic Valley Water Commission (the "Commission") intends to acquire, construct, renovate and/or install the environmental infrastructure project(s) more fully described in Exhibit A attached hereto (collectively, the "Projects"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission intends to finance the Projects with debt obligations of the Commission (the "Project Debt Obligations") but may pay for certain costs of the Projects (the "Projects Costs") prior to the issuance of the Project Debt Obligations with funds of the Commission that are not borrowed funds; and

WHEREAS, the Commission reasonably anticipates that obligations, the interest on which is excluded from gross income under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), will be issued by (i) the Commission on a short-term and/or long-term basis, and/or (ii) the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "Conduit Issuer") to finance the Projects on a long-term basis by making one or more loans to the Commission with the proceeds of the Conduit Issuer's obligations; and

WHEREAS, the Commission desires to preserve its right to treat an allocation of proceeds of the Project Debt Obligations to the reimbursement of Project Costs paid prior to the issuance of the Project Debt Obligations as an expenditure for such Project Costs to be reimbursed for purposes of Sections 103 and 141 through 150, inclusive, of the Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION, as follows:

- **Section 1.** The Commission reasonably expects to reimburse its expenditure of Project Costs paid prior to the issuance of the Project Debt Obligations with proceeds of the Project Debt Obligations.
- Section 2. This resolution is intended to be and hereby is a declaration of the Commission's official intent to reimburse the expenditure of Project Costs paid prior to the issuance of the Project Debt Obligations with the proceeds of a borrowing to be incurred by the Commission, in accordance with Treasury Regulations §1.150-2.
- **Section 3.** The maximum principal amount of the Project Debt Obligations expected to be issued to finance the Project is \$8,800,000, including an allowance for issuance expenses, capitalized interest (if any) and funding of reserves.
- **Section 4.** The Project Costs to be reimbursed with the proceeds of the Project Debt Obligations will be "capital expenditures" in accordance with the meaning of Section 150 of the Code.
- Section 5. No reimbursement allocation will employ an "abusive arbitrage device" under Treasury Regulations §1.148-10 to avoid the arbitrage restrictions or to avoid the restrictions under Sections 142 through 147, inclusive, of the Code. The proceeds of the Project Bonds, if any, used to reimburse the Commission for Project Costs, or funds corresponding to such amounts, will not be used in a manner that results in the creation of "replacement proceeds", including "sinking funds", "pledged funds" or funds subject to a "negative pledge" (as such terms are defined in Treasury Regulations §1.148-1), of the Project Debt Obligations or another issue of debt obligations of the Authority, other than amounts deposited into a "bona fide debt service fund" (as defined in Treasury Regulations §1.148-1).
- Section 6. All reimbursement allocations will occur not later than eighteen (18) months after the later of (i) the date the expenditure from a source other than the Project Debt

Obligations is paid, or (ii) the date the Projects are each "placed in service" (within the meaning of Treasury Regulations §1.150-2) or abandoned, but in no event more than three (3) years after the expenditure is paid.

Section 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
VAN RENSALIER, R.	<u>X</u>			
COTTON, R.	_X_			
LEVINE, J.	_X_			
RIZZI, D.	X_			
DEPADUA, C.				<u>_X</u>
FRIEND, G.	X			
SANCHEZ, R.	<u>X</u>			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

VICE President

GERALD FRIEND

Secretary

RUBY N. COTTON

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CERTIFICATION

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LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

Exhibit A

(i) the purchase and installation of approximately 4,980 water meters to replace meters that are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. S340322-03, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "CW Project"); and (ii) the purchase and installation of approximately 6,640 water meters to replace maters are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. 1605002-033, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "DW Project", together with the CW Project, the "Projects").

RESOLUTION: 25-96

RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT NOTES RELATING TO THE WATER BANK CONSTRUCTION FINANCING PROGRAM OF THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO

Approved as to form and legality by Bond Counsel on the basis of facts set forth by Executive Director, Purchasing, Engineering and Finance Departments.

Introduced by Commissioner: **GERALD FRIEND**

Seconded by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

ADOPTED: May 21, 2025

WHEREAS, the Passaic Valley Water Commission (the "Commission") was created and operates pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 195 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-108 et seq.), as supplemented by Chapter 162 of the Laws of 1991 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.1 et seq. (collectively, the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, on May 27, 1992, the Commission adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of Water Supply System Revenue Bonds of The Passaic Valley Water Commission," as amended and supplemented (the "General Bond Resolution"), providing for, among other things, the acquisition, construction or improvement of the Commission's water system and the issuance of the Commission's bonds to finance all or a portion of the cost thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has determined to undertake the capital projects constituting an "Additional Projects" (as such term is defined in the General Bond Resolution) consisting of: (i) the purchase and installation of approximately 4,980 water meters to replace meters that are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. S340322-03, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "CW Project"); and (ii) the purchase and installation of approximately 6,640 water meters to replace maters are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. 1605002-033, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "DW Project", together with the CW Project, the "2025 Additional Projects"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has heretofore applied to the I-Bank for one or more loans to finance the aforesaid improvements; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the applicable procedures of the I-Bank, the Commission has determined to temporarily finance the costs of the 2025 Additional Projects through the issuance of one or more series of project notes of the Commission (the "Notes") and the sale thereof to the I-Bank, which issuance and sale shall be authorized by this resolution (the "Note Resolution"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has determined to authorize, under a separate bond resolution of the Commission, the issuance of one or more Series of its Bonds, constituting "Additional Bonds" within the meaning of Section 317(1)(a) of the General Bond Resolution, in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$8,800,000 (the "Series 2025 Bonds") and the sale thereof to the I-Bank, in order to provide for, among other things, (1) the permanent financing of the costs of the 2025 Additional Projects, including through the refinancing of the Notes upon completion of the 2025 Additional Projects (or such earlier or later time as determined by the I-Bank), (2) deposits into the various funds and accounts held under the General Bond Resolution and (3) the payment of the costs associated with the issuance of such Bonds (together, the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Commission to authorize, execute, attest and deliver the Notes to the I-Bank, pursuant to the terms of the Act and (to the extent applicable) the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law" (codified at N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-1 et seq., as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented) (the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law"); and

WHEREAS, the Act and N.J.S.A. 58:11B-9 each allow for the sale of the Notes to the I-Bank, without any public offering, all pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-9, the Notes will have been approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, and accordingly the issuance of findings by the Local Finance Board is not required

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION (at least five (5) Commissioners voting in the affirmative, with each of the three (3) Owner Cities represented among the Commissioners voting in the affirmative), as follows:

Section 1. The Commission hereby determines to undertake the construction of the 2025 Additional Projects, which has an estimated total cost of \$8,800,000. In accordance with the Act and N.J.S.A. 58:11B-9, in order to provide funds with which to provide for the temporary financing of the costs of 2025 Additional Projects and in anticipation of the application of the proceeds of the issuance and sale of Series 2025 Bonds of the Commission to be issued for such purpose, the Commission hereby determines to borrow a sum not to exceed Eight Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$8,800,000) and to issue its negotiable Notes, in one or more series, in the aggregate principal amount not exceeding said sum. The obligation represented by the Notes is authorized by this Note Resolution, the Act and other applicable law. This Note Resolution constitutes a "bond resolution" adopted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.2.

Section 2. Each such Note shall be designated "Note Relating to the Water Bank Construction Financing Program of the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank," and shall contain such other or additional designation as may be determined by the Executive Director of the Commission (the "Executive Director"). Said Notes may be sold at one time or in blocks from time to time as may be determined by the Executive Director. The Executive Director is hereby authorized to determine pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Note Resolution (i) the final principal amount of the Notes (subject to the maximum limitation set forth in Section 3(a) hereof) and (ii) the dated date of the Notes. Any determination made by the Executive Director pursuant to the terms hereof shall be conclusively evidenced by the execution and attestation of the Notes by the parties authorized pursuant to Section 4 hereof.

Section 3. The Commission hereby determines that certain terms of the Notes shall be as follows:

- (a) The principal amount of the Notes to be issued shall be an amount up to \$8,800,000;
- (b) The maturity date of the Notes shall be as determined by the I-Bank;
- (c) The interest rate of the Notes shall be as determined by the I-Bank;
- (d) The purchase price for the Notes shall be par;
- (e) The Notes shall be subject to prepayment prior to their stated maturity in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Notes;
- (f) The Notes shall be issued in a single denomination and shall be numbered "NJWB-CFP-25-2" and ""NJWB-CFP-25-3"; and
- (g) The Notes shall be issued in fully registered form and shall be payable to the registered owner thereof as to both principal and interest in lawful money of the United States of America.

Section 4. The Notes shall be signed in the name of the Commission by the manual or facsimile signature of the President or Vice President of the Commission and shall have the seal of the Commission (or a facsimile thereof) impressed, imprinted or otherwise reproduced thereon and attested by the manual signature of the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of the Commission.

Section 5. The Notes shall be issued in substantially the form of the Note attached hereto as Exhibit A with such changes therein or variations thereof as the President, Vice President or Executive Director (each, an "Authorized Officer"), in consultation with bond counsel to the Commission ("Bond Counsel"), may deem necessary and advisable. The law firm of Dilworth Paxson LLP is hereby authorized to arrange for the printing of the Notes, which law firm may authorize McCarter & English, LLP, bond counsel to the I-Bank for the Construction Financing Program, to arrange for same.

The Notes shall constitute "Subordinated Bonds" within the meaning of the Section 6. General Bond Resolution, and as such are subordinated to all "Bonds" now or hereafter outstanding under the General Bond Resolution and, together with any other "Subordinated Bonds" of the Commission, shall be secured by a pledge of Revenues and funds under the General Bond Resolution subordinate to the pledge in favor of said Bonds, and shall be payable solely from such amounts in the Subordinated Indebtedness Fund created under the General Bond Resolution as may from time to time be available for the purpose of payment thereof, in accordance with Sections 504(1) and 615 of the General Bond Resolution. In addition, without limiting the foregoing obligation, for the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Notes, the Commission hereby expressly and irrevocably promises to pay such sums received from the sale of the Series 2025 Bonds, or any other long-term bonds or other obligations to be issued by the Commission to permanently finance the 2025 Additional Projects, as shall be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Notes. The foregoing pledge of Revenues and funds under the General Bond Resolution is and shall be in all respects subordinate and junior to the pledge and lien created by the General Bond Resolution as security for the "Bonds" issued and to be issued thereunder. Pursuant to Sections 504(1) and 615 of the General Bond Resolution, the Commission hereby directs Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company, in its capacity as Trustee under the General Bond Resolution, to (i) periodically transfer from the Revenue Fund into the Subordinated Indebtedness Fund such amounts as shall be required to timely pay the principal (subject to the proviso in the immediately following sentence) of and interest on the Notes (if any) as and when due and (ii) to pay such amounts out of the Subordinated Indebtedness Fund to the Trustee hereunder at such times and in such amounts as may be necessary to enable the Trustee to timely pay the principal (subject to the proviso in the immediately following sentence) of and interest on the Notes to the holders thereof as and when due. For so long as the Commission expects in good faith to issue and sell the Series 2025 Bonds to the I-Bank upon completion of the 2025 Additional Projects (or such earlier or later time as determined by the I-Bank) as contemplated in the recitals of this Note Resolution, the Commission shall not be required to make deposits into, nor payments out from, the Subordinated Indebtedness Fund in respect of said maturing principal of the Notes, nor shall the Commission be required to take into account said maturing principal when establishing its rates and charges pursuant to Section 611 of the General Bond Resolution.

Section 7. The Commission hereby appoints Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company, Iselin, New Jersey, as the trustee, paying agent and registrar for the Notes (the "Paying Agent"). The proceeds derived from the sale of the Notes (if any) shall be deposited with and held by the Paying Agent in an account or subaccount herein created and established with the Paying Agent (the "Project Note Account"). Monies so deposited in said Project Note Account shall be used and applied solely for the purpose of (i) paying the costs of the Project and (ii) paying the costs of issuance of the Notes. Monies shall be withdrawn from the Project Note Account from time to time for any of such purposes upon checks, drafts or orders for payments therefrom, signed by an Authorized Officer.

Pending the application of the monies deposited in the Project Note Account to fund the Project, to the extent any funds are advanced prior to payment, such monies shall be invested and reinvested by the Paying Agent on behalf of the Commission in direct obligations of the United States of America or the State of New Jersey, or obligations the principal of and interest on which are guaranteed by the United States of America or agencies of the United States of America. The monies in the Project Note Account to be so invested, and the maturity date or dates, or date or dates of redemption at the option of the holders of such obligations, shall be such as an Authorized Officer shall direct the Paying Agent in writing.

Resolution against any member, officer or employee of the Commission or any person executing said Notes.

The Authorized Officers of the Commission are hereby further authorized to (i) execute and deliver, and the Secretary is hereby further authorized to attest to such execution and to affix the corporate seal of the Commission to, any document, instrument or closing certificate deemed necessary, desirable or convenient by the Executive Director or the Secretary, as applicable, in their respective sole discretion, after consultation with counsel and any advisors to the Commission and after further consultation with the I-Bank and its representatives, agents, counsel and advisors, to be executed in connection the issuance and sale of the Notes and the participation of the Commission in the Construction Financing Program, which determination shall be conclusively evidenced by the execution of each such certificate or other document by the party authorized hereunder to execute such certificate or other document, (ii) file a certified copy of this Note Resolution with the Municipal Clerks of the Owner Cities (as defined in the General Bond Resolution) in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.5, (iii) publish notice of the adoption of this Note Resolution in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.5 substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, and (iv) perform such other actions as the Executive Director and the Secretary deem necessary, desirable or convenient in relation to the execution and delivery of the Notes and the participation of the Commission in the Construction Financing Program. Costs of issuance of the Notes are hereby authorized to be paid in such amounts and to the persons or firms listed on a certificate executed by an Authorized Officer and delivered in connection with the issuance of any Notes.

Section 13. Upon the adoption hereof, the Secretary shall forward certified copies of this Note Resolution to Dilworth Paxson LLP, bond counsel to the Commission, and to Richard T. Nolan, Esq., McCarter & English, LLP, bond counsel to the I-Bank.

<u>Section 14</u>. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the General Bond Resolution.

Section 15. This Note Resolution shall take effect immediately.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_X			
COTTON, R.	X_			
LEVINE, J.	_X_			
RIZZI, D.	<u>X</u>			
DEPADUA, C.				_X_
FRIEND, G.	_X_			
SANCHEZ, R.	X_			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

VICE**President** GERALD FRIEND

RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

In lieu of the investment of such monies in obligations of the State of New Jersey or the United States of America or agencies thereof, as aforesaid, the Paying Agent shall, upon direction of the Commission in writing, signed by an Authorized Officer, deposit monies from the Project Note Account in interest-bearing time deposits, provided further that each such interest-bearing time deposit or other similar banking arrangement shall permit the monies so placed to be available for use at the times provided with respect to the investment or reinvestment of such monies; and provided further that all monies in each such interest-bearing time deposit or other similar banking arrangement shall be, except to the extent of federal deposit insurance, continuously and fully secured by direct obligations of the United States of America, the State of New Jersey or the Commission, of a market value equal at all times to the amount of the deposit or of the other similar banking arrangement.

Section 8. With respect to the Notes, the Commission covenants and agrees as follows:

- (1) It shall neither take any action nor fail to take any action which, if either taken or not taken, would adversely affect the exclusion of the interest on the Notes from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), or any permanent bonds, as if issued on a tax-exempt basis. To the extent permitted by law, however, nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from issuing bonds, the interest on which is not excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, provided that such issuance will not adversely affect such exclusion of interest on any Note issued hereunder (as if issued on a tax-exempt basis).
- (2) The Commission shall not use or permit the use of any proceeds of the Notes or any other funds of the Commission, directly or indirectly, to acquire securities or obligations, and shall not use or permit the use of any amounts received by the Commission in any manner, and shall not permit to be taken any other action or actions, which would cause any Note to be an "arbitrage bond" within the meaning of Section 148 of the Code if the Notes are issued with the expectation that interest will be excludable from gross income. In order to assure compliance with the rebate requirements of Section 148 of the Code, the Commission further covenants that it will establish such accounting procedures as are necessary to adequately determine, account for and pay over any amount or amounts required to be paid to the Treasury Department of the United States in a manner consistent with the requirements of Section 148 of the Code.
- (3) The Commission shall not be required to comply with any provision in this Section 8 in the event the Commission receives an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel (a "Bond Counsel's Opinion") that compliance therewith is not required to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Notes, or in the event the Commission receives a Bond Counsel's Opinion that compliance with some other requirement in lieu of a requirement specified herein will be sufficient to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Notes, in which case compliance with such other requirement specified in the Bond Counsel's Opinion shall constitute compliance with the requirement specified in this Section.
- Section 9. If the Commission shall pay, or shall deposit in escrow with a bank or trust company, monies or investments in direct obligations of the United States of America, or obligations the principal of and interest on which are guaranteed by the United States of America, the principal of and interest on which when due will provide monies which together with the monies, if any, on deposit in escrow at the same time, shall be sufficient to pay, when due, the principal and interest due and to become due on the Notes on the maturity date thereof, then and in that event, the covenants, agreements and other obligations of the Commission to the holders of the Notes shall be discharged, defeased and satisfied.
- Section 10. Nothing contained in the foregoing provisions of this Note Resolution is intended to limit, nor shall be construed as limiting, in any way, the authorization, issuance or securing of any additional notes, bonds or other obligations of the Commission.
- Section 11. All covenants, stipulations, promises, agreements and obligations of the Commission contained in this Note Resolution shall be deemed to be the covenants, stipulations, promises, agreements and obligations of the Commission and not of any member, officer or employee of the Commission in his individual capacity, and no recourse shall be had for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Notes or for any claim based thereon or on this Note

Resolution against any member, officer or employee of the Commission or any person executing said Notes.

The Authorized Officers of the Commission are hereby further authorized to (i) execute and deliver, and the Secretary is hereby further authorized to attest to such execution and to affix the corporate seal of the Commission to, any document, instrument or closing certificate deemed necessary, desirable or convenient by the Executive Director or the Secretary, as applicable, in their respective sole discretion, after consultation with counsel and any advisors to the Commission and after further consultation with the I-Bank and its representatives, agents, counsel and advisors, to be executed in connection the issuance and sale of the Notes and the participation of the Commission in the Construction Financing Program, which determination shall be conclusively evidenced by the execution of each such certificate or other document by the party authorized hereunder to execute such certificate or other document, (ii) file a certified copy of this Note Resolution with the Municipal Clerks of the Owner Cities (as defined in the General Bond Resolution) in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.5, (iii) publish notice of the adoption of this Note Resolution in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.5 substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, and (iv) perform such other actions as the Executive Director and the Secretary deem necessary, desirable or convenient in relation to the execution and delivery of the Notes and the participation of the Commission in the Construction Financing Program. Costs of issuance of the Notes are hereby authorized to be paid in such amounts and to the persons or firms listed on a certificate executed by an Authorized Officer and delivered in connection with the issuance of any Notes.

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<u>Section 14</u>. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the General Bond Resolution.

NAY ABSTAIN ABSENT

Section 15. This Note Resolution shall take effect immediately.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

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VAN RENSALIER, R.	X		
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FRIEND, G.	<u>x</u>		
SANCHEZ, R.	_X_		
Adopted at a meeting of	of Passaic Valley	Water Com	mission.
President		Secreta	-
RIGO SANCHEZ		RUBY COT	TON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its meeting of May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO
Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

FORM OF NOTE

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION

NOTE RELATING TO THE WATER BANK CONSTRUCTION FINANCING PROGRAM OF THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK

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FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION, a water commission, acting as a public body corporate and politic with corporate succession duly created and validly existing pursuant to the laws of the State (as hereinafter defined), including, without limitation, the Borrower Enabling Act (as hereinafter defined), and its successors and assigns (the "Borrower"), hereby promises to pay to the order of the NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK, a public body corporate and politic with corporate succession, duly created and validly existing under and by virtue of the Act (as hereinafter defined) (the "I-Bank"), the Principal (as hereinafter defined), together with all unpaid accrued Interest (as hereinafter defined), fees, late charges and other sums due hereunder, if any, in lawful money of the United States of America, on the Maturity Date (as hereinafter defined) or the date of any optional prepayment or acceleration in accordance with the provisions of this note (this "Note"); provided, however, that portions of the Interest may be due and payable earlier, at the time(s) and in the amount(s), as and to the extent provided in accordance with Section 4 hereof. This Note constitutes a "Subordinated Bond" within the meaning of the General Bond Resolution (as hereinafter defined).

SECTION 1. Definitions. As used in this Note, unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Act" means the "New Jersey Infrastructure Trust Act", constituting Chapter 334 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1985 of the State (codified at N.J.S.A. 58:11B-1 et seq.), as the same has been, and in the future may from time to time be amended and supplemented.

"Administrative Fee" means the "NJDEP Fee" as defined and calculated in Exhibit B hereto, which is an administrative fee that is payable by the Borrower to the NJDEP (at the time and in the amount as is established by the provisions of Section 4(b) hereof) as a portion of the Cost of the Project that has been incurred by the Borrower for engineering and environmental services provided to the Borrower by the NJDEP.

"Anticipated Financing Program" means the New Jersey Water Bank financing program of the I-Bank, pursuant to which the I-Bank will issue its I-Bank Bonds for the purpose of financing, on a long-term basis, the Project as well as other projects of certain qualifying borrowers.

"Anticipated Long-Term Loan" means the long-term loan made by the I-Bank to the Borrower from the proceeds of its I-Bank Bonds, as part of the Anticipated Financing Program.

"Authorized Officer" means any person authorized by the Borrower or the I-Bank, as the case may be, to perform any act or execute any document relating to the Loan or this Note.

"Borrower Bond Resolution" means, collectively, the General Bond Resolution and the Resolution of the Borrower entitled "SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3 SUPPLEMENTING THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION'S GENERAL BOND RESOLUTION DULY ADOPTED MAY 27, 1992, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025 IN ONE OR MORE SERIES OF THE COMMISSION AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO", adopted on May 21, 2025, as amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Borrower Enabling Act" means Chapter 195 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-108 et seq.), as supplemented by Chapter 162 of the Laws of 1991 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.1 et seq., as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented.

"Borrower Note Resolution" means the resolution of the Borrower entitled "RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT NOTES RELATING TO THE WATER BANK CONSTRUCTION FINANCING PROGRAM OF THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO", adopted on May 21, 2025, as amended and supplemented from time to time, pursuant to which the Note has been issued.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented, including any regulations promulgated thereunder, any successor code thereto and any administrative or judicial interpretations thereof.

"Cost" or "Costs" means those costs that are allocable to the Project, as shall be determined on a project-specific basis in accordance with the Regulations, as further set forth in Exhibit B hereto, (i) as such Exhibit B shall be supplemented by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank by means of either a substitute Exhibit B or an additional Exhibit B, such supplement to be implemented concurrently with the supplement to Exhibit A-1 hereto (as provided in the definition of "Project" as set forth herein), and (ii) as the then-current Exhibit B may be amended by subsequent changes to eligible costs as evidenced by a certificate of an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank.

"Credit Policy" means the "New Jersey Infrastructure Bank Credit Policy," as adopted by the Board of Directors of the I-Bank and as further amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Environmental Infrastructure Facilities" means Wastewater Treatment Facilities, Stormwater Management Facilities or Water Supply Facilities (as such terms are defined in the Regulations).

"Environmental Infrastructure System" means the Environmental Infrastructure Facilities of the Borrower, including the Project, for which the Borrower is receiving the Loan.

"Event of Default" means any occurrence or event specified in Section 6 hereof.

"Financial Plan" means the then-applicable Financial Plan, as prepared for the thencurrent State Fiscal Year and as submitted to the State Legislature by the I-Bank and the NJDEP, and as the same may be amended or supplemented from time to time during such State Fiscal Year, all pursuant to, and in satisfaction of the requirements of, sections 21, 21.1, 22 and 22.1 of the Act.

"General Bond Resolution" means the resolution of the Borrower entitled "RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION", adopted on May 27, 1992, as amended and supplemented from time to time.

"I-Bank Bonds" means the revenue bonds of the I-Bank to be issued pursuant to, and as part of, the Anticipated Financing Program.

"Interest" means the interest that shall accrue on a daily basis with respect to Principal to be calculated each day by applying the Interest Rate established for a State Fiscal Year divided by 360 to the Principal amount on that day.

"Interest Rate" means the rate of interest as shall be established by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank in a manner consistent with the terms and provisions of the Financial Plan for such State Fiscal Year.

"Issue Date" means the date of issuance of this Note.

"Loan" means the loan of the Principal, made by the I-Bank to the Borrower to finance or refinance a portion of the Cost of the Project, as evidenced and secured by this Note.

"Loan Disbursement Requisition" means the requisition (in a form to be determined by the I-Bank and the NJDEP) that shall relate exclusively to the Project (as defined in this Section 1, hereof), and the Costs that are allocable to the Project, which form of requisition shall be executed by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower and shall be submitted, reviewed and approved as provided by the provisions of Section 4 hereof.

"Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law" means the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law", constituting Chapter 313 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1983 of the State (codified at N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-1 et seq.), as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented.

"Maturity Date" means June 30th of the fifth (5th) State Fiscal Year following the State Fiscal Year during which the Issue Date occurs, which date is June 30, 2030, subject to being redetermined pursuant to clause (i), or (ii) of this definition, but subject, in all events, to the rights and remedies of the I-Bank pursuant to the provisions of Section 6 hereof and the provisions of Section 7 hereof in furtherance of the enforcement by the I-Bank of all covenants and obligations of the Borrower hereunder, including, without limitation and in particular, the covenants and obligations of the Borrower set forth in Section 3 hereof.

- (i) Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Maturity Date shall be <u>such earlier date</u> as shall be determined by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank in his or her sole discretion, which date shall be determined by such Authorized Officer of the I-Bank to be the date of the closing for the Anticipated Financing Program.
- (ii) Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Maturity Date shall be <u>such later date</u> (subject to the then-applicable limits of the Act) to be determined by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank in his or her sole discretion, pursuant to a written certification thereof, as acknowledged and agreed to by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower.

"New Jersey Water Bank" means the joint initiative of the I-Bank and the NJDEP to provide low-cost financing to qualified applicants with respect to water quality projects that are identified in the Act.

"NJDEP" means the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.

"Payment Date" means, as applicable: (i) the Maturity Date or (ii) with respect to any optional prepayment or acceleration of the Loan pursuant to the terms of this Note, the date of such optional prepayment or acceleration; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that in all cases, a portion of the Interest shall be payable by the Borrower to the I-Bank prior to the Maturity Date as provided in Section 4 hereof.

"Project" means the Environmental Infrastructure Facilities of the Borrower which constitute a project for which the I-Bank is making the Loan to the Borrower, as further described in Exhibit A-1 hereto; provided, however, that the description of the Project, as set forth in Exhibit A-1 attached hereto, may be supplemented by means of either (i) the substitution of a revised and updated Exhibit A-1 for the current Exhibit A-1 or (ii) the inclusion of an additional Exhibit A-1, in either case, promptly following the certification for funding by the NJDEP of the remaining components of the Project, as applicable, such supplement to be undertaken by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank.

"Regulations" means the rules and regulations, as applicable, now or hereafter promulgated pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:22-3 et seq., 7:22-4 et seq., 7:22-5 et seq., 7:22-6 et seq., 7:22-7 et seq., 7:22-8 et seq., 7:22-9 et seq. and 7:22-10 et seq., as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented.

"Revenues" means the "Revenues" as defined in the General Bond Resolution.

"State" means the State of New Jersey.

"Subordinated Indebtedness Fund" means the fund defined and referred to as the "Subordinated Indebtedness Fund" in the General Bond Resolution.

SECTION 2. Representations of the Borrower. The Borrower hereby represents and warrants to the I-Bank, as follows:

- (a) Organization. The Borrower: (i) is a water commission, acting as a public body corporate and politic with corporate succession, duly created and validly existing under and pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State, including, without limitation, the Borrower Enabling Act, and is subject to the Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law; (ii) has full legal right and authority to execute, attest, issue and deliver this Note, to authorize the authentication of this Note, to sell this Note to the I-Bank, and to perform its obligations hereunder, and (iii) has duly authorized, approved and consented to all necessary action to be taken by the Borrower for: (A) the issuance of this Note, the authentication of this Note, the sale thereof to the I-Bank and the due performance of its obligations hereunder and (B) the execution, delivery and due performance of all certificates and other instruments that may be required to be executed, delivered and performed by the Borrower in order to carry out and give effect to this Note.
- (b) <u>Authority</u>. This Note has been duly authorized by the Borrower, duly executed, attested and delivered to the I-Bank by Authorized Officers of the Borrower, and duly authenticated by the trustee or the paying agent pursuant to the Bond Resolution. This Note has been duly issued by the Borrower and duly sold by the Borrower to the I-Bank and constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Borrower, enforceable against the Borrower in accordance with its terms, except as the enforcement thereof may be affected by bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar laws or the application by a court of legal or equitable principles affecting creditors' rights.
- (c) <u>Pending Litigation</u>. There are no proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of the Borrower, threatened against or affecting the Borrower that, if adversely determined, would adversely affect (i) the condition (financial or otherwise) of the Borrower, (ii) the adoption of the Borrower Bond Resolution or the Borrower Note Resolution, (iii) the ability of the Borrower to satisfy all of its Loan repayment obligations hereunder, (iv) the authorization, execution, attestation, authentication or delivery of this Note, (v) the issuance of this Note and the sale thereof to the I-Bank, and (vi) the Borrower's ability otherwise to observe and perform its duties, covenants, obligations and agreements under this Note, including, without limitation, the undertaking and completion of the Project.
- Compliance with Existing Laws and Agreements; Governmental Consent. (i) The authorization, execution, attestation and delivery of this Note by the Borrower, (ii) the authentication of this Note by the trustee or paying agent pursuant to the Borrower Note Resolution, (iii) the adoption of the Borrower Bond Resolution and the Borrower Note Resolution, (iv) the sale of this Note to the I-Bank, (v) the observation and performance by the Borrower of its duties, covenants, obligations and agreements hereunder, including, without limitation, the repayment of the Loan and all other amounts due hereunder, and (vi) the undertaking and completion of the Project, will not (A) other than the lien, charge or encumbrance created by this Note and by any other outstanding debt obligations of the Borrower that are at parity with this Note as to lien on, and source and security for payment thereon from, the Revenues of the Borrower's Environmental Infrastructure System, result in the creation or imposition of any lien, charge or encumbrance upon any properties or assets of the Borrower pursuant to, (B) result in any breach of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of, or (C) constitute a default under, any existing ordinance or resolution, outstanding debt or lease obligation, trust agreement, indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, loan agreement or other instrument to which the Borrower is a party or by which the Borrower, its Environmental

Infrastructure System or any of its properties or assets may be bound, nor will such action result in any violation of the provisions of the charter, applicable law or other document pursuant to which the Borrower was established or any laws, ordinances, injunctions, judgments, decrees, rules, regulations or existing orders of any court or governmental or administrative agency, authority or person to which the Borrower, its Environmental Infrastructure System or its properties or operations are subject. The Borrower has obtained all permits and approvals required to date by any governmental body or officer for the authorization, execution, attestation, authentication and delivery of this Note, for the issuance and sale of this Note to the I-Bank, for the making, observance and performance by the Borrower of its duties, covenants, obligations and agreements under this Note, including, without limitation, the undertaking and completion of the Project (provided, that, with respect to the undertaking and completion of the Project, such permits and approvals are obtainable by the Borrower as of the date hereof).

- (e) <u>I-Bank Credit Policy</u>. The Borrower is in full compliance with the applicable requirements of the Credit Policy as in effect on the date hereof.
- (f) <u>Reliance</u>. The Borrower hereby acknowledges that the I-Bank is making the Loan to the Borrower pursuant to the terms hereof in reliance upon each of the representations of the Borrower set forth in this Section 2.

SECTION 3. Covenants of the Borrower.

- Participation in the Anticipated Financing Program. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall undertake and complete in a timely manner all conditions precedent identified by the I-Bank relating to (i) the participation by the Borrower in the Anticipated Financing Program (ii) the qualification by the Borrower for receipt of the Anticipated Long-Term Loan, including such conditions precedent as the I-Bank may identify upon its determination, at any time following the date hereof, of a Finding of Unacceptable Credit Risk (as defined in the Credit Policy), including, without limitation, (A) additional security for the Anticipated Long-Term Loan through mechanisms as shall be identified by the I-Bank, (B) after providing the applicable Nationally Recognized Rating Agency(s) (as defined in the Credit Policy) a copy of the written notice of a Finding of Unacceptable Credit Risk from the I-Bank, a rating reaffirmation, since the last review by such Nationally Recognized Rating Agency(s), and/or (C) participation in a Financial Due Diligence Meeting (as defined in the Credit Policy)[;][, and (iii) the qualification by the Borrower for receipt of the Anticipated Long-Term Loan, including, without limitation, (A) the issuance by the Borrower of a bond to the I-Bank and a bond to the NJDEP in order to evidence and secure the repayment obligation of the Borrower with respect to the Anticipated Long-Term Loan, which bonds in each case will be qualified pursuant to, and entitled to the benefits of the provisions of, the Municipal Qualified Bond Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:3-1 et seq. and (B) in connection with the issuance of such bonds, compliance by the Borrower with the Qualified Bond Debt Service Coverage Ratio, as defined in and pursuant to the provisions of the Credit Policy;] and the failure of the Borrower to undertake and complete such conditions precedent shall render it ineligible to participate in the Anticipated Financing Program.
- Revenue Pledge. The Borrower irrevocably pledges the Revenues and funds under the General Bond Resolution in accordance with the terms of, and to the extent provided in, the Borrower Note Resolution, for the punctual payment of any and all obligations and amounts due under this Note (including, without limitation, the payment of the Administrative Fee in the amount and at the time as required by the provisions of Section 4(b) hereof). Such pledge is, however, in all respects subordinate and junior to the pledge and lien created by the General Bond Resolution in favor of all "Bonds" now or hereafter issued and outstanding under the General Bond Resolution. Together with any other "Subordinated Bonds" of the Borrower, this Note shall be payable solely from such amounts in the Subordinated Indebtedness Fund as may from time to time be available for the purpose of payment thereof, in accordance with Sections 504(1) and 615 of the General Bond Resolution. The Borrower acknowledges that, to assure the continued operation and solvency of the I-Bank, the I-Bank may, pursuant to and in accordance with Section 12a of the Act, require that if the Borrower fails or is unable to pay promptly to the I-Bank in full any Loan repayments, any Interest or any other amounts due pursuant to this Note, an amount sufficient to satisfy such deficiency shall be paid by the State Treasurer to the I-Bank from State-aid otherwise payable to any municipality or county to which the Borrower provides services pursuant to a contractual arrangement.

- (c) <u>Disposition of Environmental Infrastructure System</u>. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall not sell, lease, abandon or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its Environmental Infrastructure System without the express written consent of the I-Bank, which consent may or may not be granted by the I-Bank in its sole discretion.
- Financing With Tax-Exempt Bonds. The Borrower acknowledges, covenants and agrees that it is the intention of the Borrower to finance the Project, in whole or in part, on a long-term basis with proceeds of I-Bank Bonds now or hereinafter issued, the interest on which is excluded from gross income for purposes of federal income taxation pursuant to Section 103(a) of the Code ("tax-exempt bonds"). In furtherance of such long term financing with tax-exempt bonds, the Borrower covenants that, except to the extent expressly permitted in writing by the I-Bank, in its sole discretion, the Borrower will not take any action or permit any action to be taken which would result in any of the proceeds of the Loan being used (directly or indirectly) (i) in any "private business use" within the meaning of Section 141(b)(6) of the Code, (ii) to make or finance loans to persons other than the Borrower, or (iii) to acquire any "nongovernmental output property" within the meaning of Section 141(d)(2) of the Code. In addition, the Borrower covenants and agrees that no portion of the Project will be investment property, within the meaning of Section 148(b) of the Code. The Borrower covenants and agrees that any Costs of the Borrower's Project to be paid or reimbursed with proceeds of the Loan will result in the expenditure of proceeds under Treasury Regulations §1.148-6(d) and Treasury Regulations §1.150-2.
- (e) Operation and Maintenance of Environmental Infrastructure System. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall, in accordance with (i) prudent environmental infrastructure utility practice, (ii) all applicable statutory and regulatory requirements now or hereafter enacted, and (iii) prudent planning:
 - (A) at all times, operate the properties of its Environmental Infrastructure System and any business in connection therewith in an efficient manner;
 - (B) maintain its Environmental Infrastructure System in good repair, working order and operating condition; and
 - (C) timely make all necessary and proper repairs, renewals, replacements, additions, adaptations, betterments, and improvements with respect to its Environmental Infrastructure System, including, without limitation, those that are necessary or appropriate to ensure the resiliency of its Environmental Infrastructure System (including, without limitation, those necessary or appropriate to ensure unimpeded physical access to, or operation of, the sites and infrastructure of its Environmental Infrastructure System) in order to address anticipated climate impacts as set forth in the NJDEP's "Building Resilience Water Infrastructure Climate Change Resilience Guidance," dated April 2023, as amended, supplemented or updated, and which is incorporated herein by reference, and/or actual impacts from flooding, sea level rise, hurricanes, extreme rainfall, and storm surge, so that at all times the business carried on in connection therewith and the provision of essential services thereby shall be efficiently and properly conducted.

The NJDEP, in its sole discretion, may expressly authorize, in writing, a waiver of any or all of the requirements of this provision based upon its determination that long term operability of the Environmental Infrastructure System is no longer viable. Any such waiver, however, does not relieve Borrower of the obligation to provide the essential services though an alternative approach.

(f) Records and Accounts; Inspections. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall keep accurate records and accounts for its Environmental Infrastructure System, separate and distinct from its other records and accounts, which shall be audited annually by an independent registered municipal accountant and shall be made available for inspection by the I-Bank upon prior written notice. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall permit the I-Bank (and any party designated thereby to act on its behalf or to assist it, including, without limitation, its professional advisors), at any and all reasonable times during construction of the Project and, thereafter, upon prior written notice, (i) to visit, inspect and examine the property

constituting the Project and the site on which the Project is located, and (ii) to inspect (and make and retain copies of) any Borrower accounts, books, records, correspondence and files, including, without limitation, Borrower records regarding contracts, receipts, disbursements, investments and the overall financial standing of the Borrower, and any other matters related to the Borrower, the Project and the foregoing list of deliverables. In furtherance of the intent of this subsection, the Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall promptly prepare and provide such written reports and informational summaries as the I-Bank may reasonably require.

- (g) <u>Insurance</u>. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall maintain insurance policies providing against risk of direct physical loss, damage or destruction of its Environmental Infrastructure System, in an amount that will satisfy all applicable regulatory requirements. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall include, or cause to be included, the I-Bank as an additional "named insured" on any certificate of liability insurance procured by the Borrower and by any contractor or subcontractor for the Project.
- (h) <u>Exhibits</u>. The Borrower covenants and agrees that it shall comply with the terms, procedures and requirements set forth in each of the Exhibits attached hereto, which are made a part hereof.
- (i) <u>Reliance</u>. The Borrower hereby acknowledges that the I-Bank is making the Loan to the Borrower pursuant to the terms hereof in reliance upon each of the covenants of the Borrower set forth in this Section 3.

SECTION 4. Disbursement of the Loan Proceeds; Amounts Payable; Prepayment; and Late Fee.

- The I-Bank shall effectuate the Loan to the Borrower by making one or more disbursements to the Borrower promptly after receipt by the I-Bank of a Loan Disbursement Requisition and the approval of such Loan Disbursement Requisition by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank, or a designee thereof, each such disbursement and the date thereof to be recorded and maintained by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank, or a designee thereof, in the records of the I-Bank with respect to the Loan; provided, however, that the approval by the I-Bank of any Loan Disbursement Requisition for disbursement pursuant to the terms hereof shall be subject to the terms, conditions and limitations as set forth in Section 4(d) of this Note. It is expected that the proceeds of the Loan will be disbursed to the Borrower in accordance with the schedule set forth in Exhibit C hereto, as Exhibit C shall be supplemented by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank by means of either a substitute Exhibit C or an additional Exhibit C, such supplement to be implemented concurrently with the supplement to Exhibit A-1 hereto (as provided in the definition of "Project" as set forth herein). The latest date upon which the Borrower may submit to the I-Bank a Loan Disbursement Requisition is the business day immediately preceding the date fixed by the I-Bank for the sale of its I-Bank Bonds in connection with the Anticipated Financing Program, or such alternative date as shall be identified by the I-Bank for the Borrower in writing.
- Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 4(a) to the contrary, the Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees, as follows: (i) to the extent that all or a portion of the Interest is funded by the Loan (as provided pursuant to Exhibit B hereto, as Exhibit B may hereafter be amended or supplemented as provided by the provisions hereof), payment of such Interest shall be made to the I-Bank via one or more disbursements by the I-Bank hereunder, at the times and in the amounts, as and to the extent provided in one or more written notices provided to the Borrower pursuant to the terms hereof by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank, or a designee thereof, and each such disbursement shall be recorded by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank, or a designee thereof, and maintained in the records of the I-Bank with respect to the Loan; and (ii) on the date of issuance of this Note, a disbursement shall be made and shall be recorded and maintained by an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank, or a designee thereof, in the records of the I-Bank with respect to the Loan for purposes of funding fifty percent (50%) of the Administrative Fee identified in Exhibit B hereto, with such disbursement (and any subsequent and supplemental disbursements made pursuant to Exhibit B hereto, as Exhibit B may hereafter be amended or supplemented as provided by the provisions hereof) being made by the I-Bank on behalf of the Borrower directly to the NJDEP. The Borrower further acknowledges and agrees that the remaining unpaid balance of the Administrative Fee shall be due and payable on the

Maturity Date or as otherwise established by the I-Bank pursuant to the terms of the Anticipated Financing Program.

- On the Maturity Date or, with respect to the payment of all or a portion of the Interest, on the applicable Payment Date(s) as and to the extent provided herein, the Borrower shall repay the Loan to the I-Bank in an amount equal to: (i) the Principal; (ii) the Interest then due and owing pursuant to the provisions of this Note; and (iii) any other amounts then due and owing pursuant to the provisions of this Note. The Borrower may prepay the Loan obligations hereunder, in whole or in part, upon receipt of the prior written consent of an Authorized Officer of the I-Bank. Each payment made to the I-Bank shall be applied to the payment of, first, the Interest then due and payable, second, the Principal, third, any late charges, and, finally, any other amount then due and payable pursuant to the provisions of this Note. In the event that the repayment obligation set forth in this Note is received by the I-Bank later than the Maturity Date or the Payment Date, as the case may be, a late fee shall be payable to the I-Bank in an amount equal to the greater of twelve percent (12%) per annum or the prime rate as published in the Wall Street Journal on the Maturity Date or the Payment Date, as the case may be, plus one half of one percent per annum on such late payment from the Maturity Date or the Payment Date, as the case may be, to the date it is actually paid; provided, however, that any late payment charges incurred hereunder shall not exceed the maximum interest rate permitted by law.
- (d) Notwithstanding the provisions of this Note to the contrary with respect to the funding, pursuant to Section 4(a) hereof, of any Loan Disbursement Requisition relating to all or any portion of the Project, the Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees, as follows: (i) the I-Bank shall not, and shall not be required to, commit funds, pursuant to the Water Bank Construction Financing Program of the I-Bank, to any portion of the Project until such time as the particular portion of the Project in question has been certified for funding by the NJDEP; (ii) no Loan Disbursement Requisition shall be approved by the I-Bank for disbursement pursuant to Section 4(a) hereof unless and until the portion of the Project to which such Loan Disbursement Requisition relates has been certified for funding by the NJDEP; and (iii) the I-Bank has no obligation pursuant to this Note to make all or any portion of any Loan Disbursement Requisition disbursement pursuant to the provisions of Section 4(a) hereof if the Borrower lacks the authority to pay interest on this Note in an amount equal to the Interest Rate.

SECTION 5. Unconditional Obligations. The obligation of the Borrower to make the Loan repayments and all other payments required hereunder and the obligation to perform and observe the other duties, covenants, obligations and agreements on its part contained herein shall be absolute and unconditional, and shall not be abated, rebated, set-off, reduced, abrogated, terminated, waived, diminished, postponed or otherwise modified in any manner whatsoever while any Loan repayments, or any other payments due hereunder, remain unpaid, regardless of any contingency, act of God, event or cause whatsoever, including (without limitation) any acts or circumstances that may constitute failure of consideration, eviction or constructive eviction, the taking by eminent domain or destruction of or damage to the Project or Environmental Infrastructure System, commercial frustration of the purpose, any change in the laws of the United States of America or of the State or any political subdivision of either or in the rules or regulations of any governmental authority, any failure of the I-Bank to perform and observe any agreement or any duty, liability or obligation arising out of this Note, or any rights of set-off, recoupment, abatement or counterclaim that the Borrower might have against the I-Bank or any other party; provided, however, that payments hereunder shall not constitute a waiver of any such rights.

SECTION 6. Events of Default. The occurrence of any of the following events shall constitute an "Event of Default" hereunder: (i) failure by the Borrower to pay, when due, any and all of its Loan repayment obligations hereunder, and any other payment obligations due hereunder; (ii) failure by the Borrower to observe and perform any duty, covenant, obligation or agreement on its part to be observed or performed pursuant to the terms of this Note; (iii) any representation made by the Borrower contained in this Note or in any instrument furnished in compliance with or with reference to this Note is false or misleading in any material respect; (iv) the occurrence of an "Event of Default" pursuant to, and as defined in, (1) a loan agreement pursuant to which a long-term loan (that remains outstanding) has been made to the Borrower by either the I-Bank or the NJDEP, or (2) a note obligation (other than this Note) pursuant to which a short-term loan (that remains outstanding) has been made to the Borrower by the I-Bank; and (v) a petition is filed by or against the Borrower under any federal or state bankruptcy or

insolvency law or other similar law in effect on the date of this Note or thereafter enacted, unless in the case of any such petition filed against the Borrower such petition shall be dismissed within thirty (30) days after such filing and such dismissal shall be final and not subject to appeal, or the Borrower shall become insolvent or bankrupt or shall make an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, or a custodian of the Borrower or any of its property shall be appointed by court order or take possession of the Borrower or its property or assets if such order remains in effect or such possession continues for more than thirty (30) days, or the Borrower shall generally fail to pay its debts as such debts become due.

SECTION 7. Remedies upon Event of Default. Whenever an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing pursuant to the terms hereof, the Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees to the rights of the I-Bank to take any action permitted or required at law or in equity to collect the amounts then due and thereafter to become due hereunder or to enforce the observance and performance of any duty, covenant, obligation or agreement of the If an Event of Default shall have occurred, the Borrower hereby Borrower hereunder. acknowledges and agrees that the I-Bank shall have the right to (i) immediately cease disbursements of the proceeds of the Loan, and/or (ii) declare all Loan repayments and all other amounts due hereunder to be due and payable immediately without further notice or demand. The Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees that no remedy herein is intended to be exclusive, and every remedy shall be cumulative and in addition to every other remedy given under this Note or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity. The Borrower hereby further acknowledges and agrees that no delay or omission by the I-Bank to exercise any remedy or right accruing upon any Event of Default shall impair any such remedy or right or shall be construed to be a waiver thereof, but any such remedy or right may be exercised as often as may be deemed expedient. The Borrower hereby further acknowledges and agrees that, pursuant to the I-Bank's Credit Policy, during such time as an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing hereunder, the Borrower shall be ineligible for additional financial assistance from the I-Bank (including, without limitation, long-term financing through the Anticipated Financing Program), in addition to certain other consequences set forth in the Credit Policy. The Borrower hereby agrees that upon demand it shall pay to the I-Bank the reasonable fees and expenses of attorneys and other reasonable expenses (including, without limitation, the reasonably allocated costs of in-house counsel and legal staff) incurred in the collection of Loan repayments or any sum due hereunder or in the enforcement of the observation or performance of any obligations or agreements of the Borrower upon an Event of Default. Any moneys collected by the I-Bank pursuant to this Section 7 shall be applied first to pay any attorneys' fees or other fees and expenses owed by the Borrower.

SECTION 8. Certain Miscellaneous Provisions. The Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees as follows: (a) all notices hereunder shall be deemed given when hand delivered or when mailed by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, to the Borrower at the following address: Passaic Valley Water Commission, 1525 Main Avenue, Clifton, New Jersey 07011, Attention: Executive Director; and to the I-Bank at the following address: New Jersey Infrastructure Bank, 3131 Princeton Pike, Building 4, Suite 216, Lawrenceville, New Jersey 08648-2201, Attention: Executive Director; (b) this Note shall be binding upon the Borrower and its successors and assigns; (c) in the event any provision of this Note is held illegal, invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate, render unenforceable or otherwise affect any other provision hereof; (d) the obligations of the Borrower pursuant to the terms of this Note may not be assigned by the Borrower for any reason, unless the I-Bank shall have approved said assignment in writing; (e) this Note may not be amended, supplemented or modified without the prior written consent of the I-Bank; (f) this Note shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State; (g) the Borrower shall, at the request of the I-Bank, execute and deliver such further instruments as may be necessary or desirable for better assuring, conveying, granting, assigning and confirming the rights, security interests and agreements granted or intended to be granted by this Note; (h) whenever the Borrower is required to obtain the determination, approval or consent of the I-Bank pursuant to the terms hereof, such determination, approval or consent may be either granted or withheld by the I-Bank in its sole and absolute discretion; and (i) consistent with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 58:11B-13, neither the directors of the I-Bank nor any officers of the I-Bank taking any action with respect to this Loan shall be liable personally with respect to the Loan or any matters or transactions related thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Borrower has caused this Note to be duly executed, sealed and delivered on the date first above written.

	PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION
[SEAL]	By:
ATTEST:	Rigo Sanchez, President
Ruby Cotton, Secretary	

TRUSTEE'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This Note is delivered pursuant to the within-mentioned Bond Resolution.

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EXHIBIT B

FORM OF PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Passaic Valley Water Commission, that resolution No. 25-__ entitled "RESOLUTION OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT NOTES RELATING TO THE WATER CONSTRUCTION FINANCING **PROGRAM** OF THE **NEW** INFRASTRUCTURE BANK AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO" was adopted on May 21, 2025, and that a copy of such resolution is available for public inspection in the offices of the Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission, 1525 Main Ave., Clifton, NJ 07015, and in the offices of the City Clerks of the Cities of Paterson, Passaic and Clifton; and that any action or proceeding of any kind or nature and any court questioning the validity or proper authorization of the obligations authorized by the Supplemental Resolution, or the validity of any covenants, agreements or contracts provided by the Supplemental Resolution, must be commenced within twenty (20) days after the first publication of this notice. This notice is published pursuant to N.J.S.A 40:62-133.5.

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION By Louis Amodio, Administrative Secretary

Dated: May 21, 2025

RESOLUTION: 25-97

SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3 SUPPLEMENTING THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION'S GENERAL BOND RESOLUTION DULY ADOPTED MAY 27, 1992, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025 IN ONE OR MORE SERIES OF THE COMMISSION AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO

Approved as to form and legality by Bond Counsel on the basis of facts set forth by Executive Director, Purchasing, Engineering and Finance Departments.

Introduced by Commissioner: **GERALD FRIEND**

Seconded by Commissioner: RUBY N. COTTON

ADOPTED: May 21, 2025

WHEREAS, the Passaic Valley Water Commission (the "Commission") was created and operates pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 195 of the Laws of 1923 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-108 et seq.), as supplemented by Chapter 162 of the Laws of 1991 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented (codified at N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.1 et seq. (collectively, the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, on May 27, 1992, the Commission adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of Water Supply System Revenue Bonds of The Passaic Valley Water Commission," as amended and supplemented (the "General Bond Resolution"), providing for, among other things, the acquisition, construction or improvement of the Commission's water system and the issuance of the Commission's bonds to finance all or a portion of the cost thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has determined to undertake the capital projects constituting the "Additional Projects" (as such term is defined in the General Bond Resolution) consisting of: (i) the purchase and installation of approximately 4,980 water meters to replace meters that are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. S340322-03, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "CW Project"); and (ii) the purchase and installation of approximately 6,640 water meters to replace maters are old and outdated, pursuant to an application filed with the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") for Project No. 1605002-033, and all work and materials necessary or desirable in connection therewith (the "DW Project", together with the CW Project, the "2025 Additional Projects"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has heretofore applied to the I-Bank for one or more loans to finance the aforesaid improvements; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the applicable procedures of the I-Bank, the Commission has determined to temporarily finance the costs of the 2025 Additional Projects through the issuance of one or more series of project notes of the Commission (the "2025 Project Notes") and the sale thereof to the I-Bank, which issuance and sale shall be authorized under a separate bond resolution of the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has determined to authorize the issuance of one or more Series of its Bonds, constituting "Additional Bonds" within the meaning of Section 317(1)(a) of the General Bond Resolution, in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$8,800,000 (the "Series 2025 Bonds") and the sale thereof to the I-Bank, in order to provide for, among other things, (1) the permanent financing of the costs of the 2025 Additional Projects, including through the refinancing of the 2025 Project Notes upon completion of the 2025 Additional Projects (or such earlier or later time as determined by the I-Bank), (2) deposits into the various funds and accounts held under the General Bond Resolution and (3) the payment of the costs associated with the issuance of such Bonds (together, the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of the General Bond Resolution, the Commission desires to authorize the issuance and delivery of such Series 2025 Bonds and to provide certain terms and conditions with respect to such Series 2025 Bonds, in addition to those which have been previously established by the General Bond Resolution; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Commission to authorize, execute, attest and deliver the Series 2025 Bonds to the I-Bank and/or the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (the "State"), pursuant to the terms of the Act and (to the extent applicable) the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law" (codified at N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-1 et seq., as the same may from time to time be amended and supplemented) (the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law"); and

WHEREAS, the Act and N.J.S.A. 58:11B-9 each allow for the sale of the Series 2025 Bonds to the I-Bank and/or the State, without any public offering, all pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-9, the Series 2025 Bonds will have been approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, and accordingly the issuance of findings by the Local Finance Board is not required

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION (at least five (5) Commissioners voting in the affirmative, with each of the three (3) Owner Cities represented among the Commissioners voting in the affirmative), as follows:

ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATIONS

SECTION 101. SHORT TITLE.

This resolution may hereinafter be cited by the Commission and is hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3."

SECTION 102. <u>AUTHORIZATION FOR SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3.</u>

This Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3 is authorized by and adopted pursuant to the provisions of Sections 317, 802(6) and 802(7) of the General Bond Resolution.

SECTION 103. CERTAIN DEFINITIONS.

Terms that are used as defined terms herein shall, unless specifically defined herein or unless the context clearly requires otherwise, have the meanings assigned to such terms in the General Bond Resolution.

ARTICLE II AUTHORIZATION AND ISSUANCE OF SERIES 2025 BONDS

SECTION 201. AMOUNT AND TITLE OF SERIES 2025 BONDS.

An aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$8,800,000 of Series 2025 Bonds are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the terms of the General Bond Resolution by the Commission in accordance with the provisions of the General Bond Resolution and this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3. The Series 2025 Bonds shall be designated "Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2025A" (the "Series 2025A Bonds"), or any subseries thereof, and, if applicable, "Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2025B" (the "Series 2025B Bonds"), or any subseries thereof. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Series 2025 Bonds (or any series thereof) are not issued during 2025, then the year of issuance shall be substituted for "2025" wherever applicable.

SECTION 202. DESCRIPTION OF SERIES 2025 BONDS.

- (1) <u>Term</u>. The Series 2025 Bonds shall be dated and shall bear interest from their dated date and shall mature at the respective principal amounts, subject to prior redemption, at such rates, on such dates and in such amounts, and at such Redemption Price(s), if applicable, as may be provided by one or more resolutions of the Commission or certificate of the President, Vice President or Executive Director of the Commission in furtherance of this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3 (any such resolution(s) and/or certificate(s) are hereinafter referred to as the "Details Resolution"); provided that if determined by certificate, the final maturity of the Series 2025 Bonds shall not be later than thirty-one (31) years after the date of issuance thereof and the interest rate shall not exceed seven percent (7%) per annum. Principal of the Series 2025 Bonds shall mature on August 1 or such other date as may be determined by the Details Resolution.
- (2) Interest Rates Per Annum and Interest Payment Dates. The Series 2025 Bonds shall bear interest at the interest rate per annum as shall be set forth in the Details Resolution. Unless otherwise provided in the Details Resolution, interest on the Series 2025 Bonds shall be payable on each February 1 and August 1, and shall commence on such dates as are determined by the Details Resolution, until the Commission's obligation with respect to the Series 2025 Bonds shall be discharged.
- Openomination and Place of Payment. The Series 2025A Bonds may be issued in a subseries thereof, and shall be issued in a single denomination equal to the aggregate principal amount thereof, payable to the I-Bank or registered assigns, unless otherwise provided in the Details Resolution. The Series 2025B Bonds, if applicable, may be issued in a subseries thereof, and shall be issued in a single denomination equal to the aggregate principal amount thereof, payable to the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, or registered assigns, unless otherwise provided in the Details Resolution. The principal of and interest on the Series 2025 Bonds shall be payable to the Registered Owner thereof, or registered assigns, on the maturity date(s) of the Series 2025 Bonds or on the applicable date fixed for redemption, upon presentation and surrender of the Series 2025 Bonds at the principal corporate trust office of the Paying Agent. All other terms and conditions with respect to the payment of the principal and interest on the Series 2025 Bonds shall be as provided in the General Bond Resolution or in the Details Resolution.
- (4) Form of the Series 2025 Bonds. The Series 2025A Bonds, and any subseries thereof, and Series 2025B Bonds, and any subseries thereof, shall be in substantially the forms set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto, with such omissions, insertions and variations as are properly required and which are not contrary to any of the provisions of the Resolution or this Certificate.

SECTION 203. REDEMPTION OF SERIES 2025 BONDS.

The Series 2025 Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity in accordance with the terms of the General Bond Resolution and the forms of the Series 2025 Bonds set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto, and as may be set forth in the Details Resolution.

SECTION 204. APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE, ESCROW AGENT, PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR.

Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company is hereby appointed Trustee, Escrow Agent, Bond Registrar and Paying Agent for the Series 2025 Bonds. The Trustee, Bond Registrar and Paying Agent shall signify its acceptance of the trusts and duties hereunder and under the General Bond Resolution by its execution of a certificate accepting same, and the Escrow Agent shall signify its acceptance of the trusts and duties under the Escrow Agreement by its execution thereof.

SECTION 205. SYSTEM RESERVE AND OPERATING FUND RESERVE ACCOUNT REQUIREMENTS.

As determined by the Chief Financial Officer of the Commission, the System Reserve Requirement (aka the Renewal and Replacement Reserve) is \$4,0000,000 and the Operating Fund Reserve Account Requirement is \$13,815,000, or such amount as may be determined from time to time by the Chief Financial Officer of the Commission.

SECTION 206. BOND RESERVE REQUIREMENT.

The Bond Reserve Requirement shall be determined in accordance with the requirements of the General Bond Resolution at the time of issuance of the Series 2025 Bonds, based on a certificate of the Chief Financial Officer of the Commission. Such requirement may be satisfied with funds and investments of the Commission or a surety bond or bonds, or by a combination thereof.

ARTICLE III EXECUTION AND SALE OF SERIES 2025 BONDS

SECTION 301. EXECUTION OF THE SERIES 2025 BONDS.

The President, Vice President or Executive Director of the Commission are hereby authorized to execute the Series 2025 Bonds in the name and on behalf of the Commission, and the Secretary shall cause the corporate seal of the Commission to be affixed thereto or reproduced thereon, and the Secretary is hereby authorized to attest to said corporate seal.

SECTION 302. SALE OF SERIES 2025 BONDS.

The Commission has determined that the Series 2025A Bonds, and any subseries thereof, shall be sold by private sale to the I-Bank, and that the Series 2025B Bonds, if applicable, and any subseries thereof, shall be sold by private sale to the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection. Unless otherwise provided in the Details Resolution, the Series 2025 Bonds shall be sold at par; provided, that proceeds applied or to be applied by the I-Bank to the refunding of the 2025 Project Notes or to the payment of expenses of the Project (including fees payable by the Commission) shall be deemed to constitute proceeds received by the Commission.

SECTION 303. AUTHENTICATION AND DELIVERY OF THE SERIES 2025 BONDS.

The President, Vice President or Executive Director of the Commission is hereby authorized, after the execution of the Series 2025 Bonds, to cause the same to be issued and delivered in accordance with the terms of the General Bond Resolution and this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3.

SECTION 304. PRIOR ACTION.

All action which has been taken prior to the date hereof by the officers, employees, and agents of the Commission with respect to the sale of the Series 2025 Bonds is hereby approved and ratified.

SECTION 305. PAYMENT OF COSTS OF ISSUANCE.

The President, Vice President or Executive Director of the Commission is authorized and directed to pay or cause to be paid all of the approved costs associated with the sale and issuance of the Series 2025 Bonds.

SECTION 306. APPROVAL OF AGREEMENTS.

The terms of the loan from the I-Bank to the Commission, as evidenced by the Series 2025A Bonds, shall be set forth in a loan agreement to be entered into between the I-Bank and the Commission (the "I-Bank Loan Agreement"). The terms of the loan, if any, from the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (in this capacity, the "State"), as evidenced by the Series 2025B Bonds, shall be set forth in a loan agreement to be entered into between the State and the Commission (the "Fund Loan Agreement"). In connection with the issuance of the Series 2025 Bonds, the I-Bank is expected to require that the Commission and the Trustee enter into an escrow agreement with the I-Bank, the State and the I-Bank's bond trustee (the "Escrow Agreement"), by which executed copies of the Series 2025 Bonds, the I-Bank Loan Agreement, the Fund Loan Agreement and various other opinions and closing certificates will be placed in escrow in advance of the actual closing.

The I-Bank Loan Agreement, the Fund Loan Agreement and the Escrow Agreement (collectively, the "Financing Documents") are hereby authorized to be executed and delivered on behalf of the Commission by either the President, the Vice President or the Executive Director of the Commission (each an "Authorized Officer"), in such forms as shall be provided by the I-Bank and its bond counsel and reviewed by the Commission's Bond Counsel and Municipal Advisor (the "Commission Consultants"), with such changes as the Authorized Officer executing same, in their respective sole discretion, after consultation with the Commission Consultants and after further consultation with the I-Bank, the State and their representatives, agents, counsel and advisors (collectively, the "Program Consultants", and together with the Commission Consultants, the "Consultants"), shall determine, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution of such Financing Documents by an Authorized Officer as determined hereunder. The Secretary of the Commission is hereby authorized to attest to the execution of the Financing Documents by an Authorized Officer of the Commission as determined hereunder and to affix the corporate seal of the Commission to such Financing Documents.

The Commission hereby authorizes the preparation and distribution of financial statements and demographic and other information concerning the Commission and any related government entity, if applicable, contained in a "Preliminary Official Statement" and final "Official Statement" to be issued in connection with the marketing of the I-Bank's bonds that will finance the loan represented by the I-Bank Bonds. In furtherance of such authorization, the Commission hereby severally directs the Authorized Officers to take such action as the particular Authorized Officer, after consultation with the Consultants, deems necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with the preparation and distribution of such information for inclusion in the Preliminary Official Statement and the final Official Statement.

The Authorized Officers of the Commission are hereby further severally authorized to (i) execute and deliver, and the Secretary of the Commission is hereby further authorized to attest to such execution and to affix the corporate seal of the Commission to, any document, instrument or closing certificate deemed necessary, desirable or convenient by the Authorized Officers or the Secretary of the Commission, as applicable, in their respective sole discretion, after consultation with the Consultants, to be executed in connection with the execution and delivery of the Financing Documents and the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereby, which determination shall be conclusively evidenced by the execution of each such certificate or other document by the party authorized hereunder to execute such certificate or other document, and (ii) perform such other actions as the Authorized Officers deem necessary, desirable or convenient in relation to the execution and delivery thereof. Such closing certificates shall include, without limitation, (a) a determination that any information provided by the Commission in connection with the preparation and distribution of the (i) Preliminary Official Statement is "deemed final" for the purposes and within the meaning of Rule 15c2-12 and (ii) Official Statement constitutes a final Official Statement for the purposes and within the meaning of Rule 15c2-12, and (b) a determination that any information provided by or on behalf of the Commission or relating to the Commission, the Financing Documents or the transactions

contemplated thereby in connection with the preparation and distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement complies with Section 10 and Rule 10b-5 of the Securities Exchange Act.

SECTION 307. ADDITIONAL ACTS REGARDING SERIES 2025 BONDS.

The President, Vice President and Executive Director, together with all other Commission Officers and the staff and consultants of the Commission, are hereby authorized and directed to take all actions which are necessary or which are convenient to effectuate the terms of the General Bond Resolution in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of the Series 2025 Bonds. The Commission is also authorized to enter into any additional agreements and/or investments necessary in order to provide for the issuance of the Series 2025 Bonds. The President, Vice President and Executive Director of the Commission are hereby severally authorized and directed to pay or cause to be paid all of the approved costs associated with the sale and issuance of the Series 2025 Bonds.

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SECTION 401. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Pursuant to and in accordance with Section 806 of the General Bond Resolution, this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 1 shall be fully effective in accordance with its terms upon the filing with the Trustee of a copy of this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3, certified by the Secretary of the Commission or a person designated to serve in that capacity by the Commission together with the opinion of Bond Counsel required by Section 806 of the General Bond Resolution, and if applicable, the consent of any Bond Insurer or provider of any Credit Facility.

SECTION 402. <u>INCORPORATION OF REMAINDER OF RESOLUTON BY REFERENCE.</u>

All provisions of the General Bond Resolution, as amended, other than those amended by the provisions of this resolution, are incorporated herein by reference as if set forth at length herein. Such provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 403. COVENANT AS TO COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL TAX MATTERS.

The Commission hereby covenants that it will take all actions within its control that are necessary to assure that interest on the Series 2025 Bonds is excludable from gross income under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"). The Commission will refrain from taking any action that would adversely affect the exclusion of interest on such Series 2025 Bonds from gross income under the provisions of the Code. To assist the Commission in complying with this covenant, the Commission may periodically request that its Bond Counsel and/or Municipal Advisor from time to time provide instructions to the Executive Director and Chief Financial Officer of the Commission concerning the application of the proceeds and investment income, if any, from such Series 2025 Bonds and the manner in which the record of expenditures and investments may be maintained.

SECTION 404. PUBLICATION AND FILING.

The Secretary is hereby directed to publish the Notice of Adoption of this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit C, in the official newspaper(s) of the Commission and to file a certified copy of this Series 2025 Supplemental Resolution No. 3 with the Trustee, the Director of the Department of Local Government Services and with the Offices of the Clerks of the Owner Cities as prescribed by N.J.S.A. 40:62-133.5.

RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE

	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
VAN RENSALIER, R.	_X			
COTTON, R.	X			
LEVINE, J.	<u> </u>			
RIZZI, D.	_X			
DEPADUA, C.				_X_
FRIEND, G.	_X_			
SANCHEZ, R.	_X			

Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Vice President
GERALD FRIEND

Secretary
RUBY N. COTTON

This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.

CERTIFICATION

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its meeting of May 21, 2025.

LOUIS AMODIO

Administrative Secretary

EXHIBIT A

FORM OF SERIES 2025A BOND

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2025A

INTEREST RATE PER ANNUM	DATED DATE		MATURITY DATE	DATE OF AUTHENTICATION	
See below		_, 202_	August 1, 20	, 202_	
REGISTERED OWN	NER: N	IEW JERSE	Y INFRASTRUCTUR	RE BANK	
PRINCIPAL SUM:				DOLLARS (\$	

The PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION (hereinafter called the "Commission"), a public body corporate and politic organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges itself indebted and for value received hereby promises to pay to the Registered Owner specified above, or registered assigns, (i) the Principal Sum shown above or such lesser amount as shall be determined in accordance with Section 3.01 of the Loan Agreement (as hereinafter defined), at the times and in the amounts determined as provided in the Loan Agreement, together with (ii) Interest on the Loan constituting the Interest Portion, the Administrative Fee, the DEP Fee and any late charges incurred under the Loan Agreement (as such terms are defined in the Loan Agreement) in the amount calculated as provided in the Loan Agreement, which principal amount and Interest Portion of the Interest on the Loan shall, unless otherwise provided in the Loan Agreement, be payable on the days and in the amounts as also set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto under the column headings Principal" and "Interest", plus (iii) any other amounts due and owing under the Loan Agreement at the times and in the amounts as provided therein.

This Bond, as to principal or redemption price when due, will be payable at the principal corporate trust office of the Paying Agent upon surrender. Principal on this Bond will be payable by check and will be mailed to the registered owner hereof who shall appear on the registration books of the Commission which shall appear on the registration books of the Commission which shall be kept and maintained by the Registrar hereinafter mentioned, as determined on the 15th day of January and July (each a "Record Date") or, in the case of any proposed redemption of the Bond, next preceding the date of the first publication of notice of such redemption. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if this Bond is held by the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank"), all of the foregoing payments shall be made as provided in the Loan Agreement. Payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on this Bond shall be made 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.

This Bond is one of the duly authorized issue of revenue bonds, each designated as "Water Supply System Revenue Bond, Series 2025A" (the "Bond" or "Bonds") of the Commission, limited to the aggregate principal amount set forth above, and authorized and issued under and pursuant to Section B, Article 8, Chapter 62 of Title 40 of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated (N.J.S.A. 40:62-108 et seq.) (the "Act"), and under and in accordance with a resolution of the Commission duly adopted on May 27, 1992, and entitled "RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION" as amended and supplemented, and specifically by a resolution duly adopted on May 21, 2025, and entitled "SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3 SUPPLEMENTING THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION'S GENERAL BOND RESOLUTION DULY ADOPTED MAY 27, 1992, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025 IN ONE OR MORE SERIES OF THE COMMISSION AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO", as supplemented by an Award Certificate dated ______, 202_ (collectively, the "Resolution").

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Copies of the Resolution are on file in the office of the Commission in Clifton, New Jersey and at the principal corporate trust office of Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company (the "Trustee"), as trustee under the Resolution.

This Bond is issued in consideration of the loan (the "Loan") made by the I-Bank to the Commission pursuant to the Loan Agreement dated as of ______, 202_ by and between the I-Bank and the Commission (the "Loan Agreement") to evidence and secure the payment obligations of the Commission set forth in the Loan Agreement. This Bond has been assigned to _, as trustee (the "I-Bank's Trustee"), under the Indenture of Trust, dated as of _____, 202_, by and between the I-Bank and the I-Bank's Trustee, with respect to the I-Bank's Environmental Infrastructure Bonds, Series 202 __- (Green Bonds), as the same may be amended and supplemented in accordance with the terms thereof (the "Bond Indenture"), and payments hereunder shall, except as otherwise provided in the Loan Agreement, be made directly to the I-Bank's Trustee for the account of the I-Bank pursuant to such assignment. Such assignment has been made as security for the payment of the I-Bank Bonds (as defined in the Loan Agreement) issued to finance or refinance the Loan and as otherwise described in the Loan Agreement. This Bond is subject to further assignment or endorsement in accordance with the terms of the Loan Agreement. All of the terms, conditions and provisions of the Loan Agreement are, by this reference thereto, incorporated herein as part of this Bond.

This Bond is a special obligation of the Commission and is payable from the Revenues of the Commission, as such term is defined in the Resolution; <u>provided however</u>, that the power and obligation of the Commission to cause application of such Revenues or other funds to the payment of the principal or redemption price of the Bond is subject to the right of the Commission to pay Operating Expenses and to pay rebate to the United States government.

Pursuant to the terms of the Resolution, the Commission may hereafter issue additional bonds (hereinafter called "Additional Bonds") for the purposes, in the amounts and on the conditions set forth in the Resolution. All bonds issued and to be issued under the terms of the Resolution, including all Additional Bonds, are and will be equally secured by the pledge of the funds and revenues provided in the Resolution except as otherwise expressly provided in or pursuant to the terms of the Resolution.

Reference to the Resolution and any and all resolutions supplemental thereto and any modifications and amendments thereof and to the Act is made for a description of the nature and extent of the security for the Bond, the funds or revenues pledged for the payment thereof, the nature, manner and extent of the enforcement of such pledge, the rights and remedies of the holders of the Bond with respect thereto, the terms and conditions upon which the Bond is issued and upon which they may be issued thereunder, and a statement of the rights, duties, immunities and obligations of the Commission and of the Trustee.

The provisions of the Resolution or any resolution amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto may be modified or amended by action taken on behalf of the Commission in the manner and subject to the conditions and exceptions set forth in the Resolution. The pledge of the revenues and other obligations of the Commission under the terms of the Resolution may be discharged at or prior to the maturity or redemption of the Bond upon making of provision for the payment thereof on the terms and conditions set forth in the Resolution.

This Bond is transferable, as provided in the Resolution, only upon the registration books of the Commission kept and maintained for that purpose at the principal corporate trust office of Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company (the "Registrar") by the registered owner hereof in person or by this attorney duly authorized in writing, upon surrender hereof together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar and duly executed by the registered owner or by such duly authorized attorney, together with the required signature guarantee, and thereupon the Commission shall issue in the name of the transferee a new registered Bond or Bond, or the same aggregate principal amount and series, designation, maturity and interest rate as the surrendered Bond as provided in the Resolution, upon payment of the charges therein prescribed. The Commission, the Trustee, the Registrar and any Paying Agent of the Commission may treat and consider the person in whose name this Bond is registered as the holder and absolute owner of this Bond for the purpose of receiving payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest due thereon and for all other purposes.

Pursuant to the Loan Agreement, disbursements shall be made by the I-Bank's Trustee to the Commission, in accordance with written instructions of the I-Bank, upon receipt by the I-Bank and the I-Bank's Trustee of requisitions from the Commission executed and delivered in accordance with the requirements set forth in Section 3.02 of the Loan Agreement.

This Bond is entitled to the benefits and is subject to the conditions of the Loan Agreement. The obligations of the Commission to make the payments required hereunder shall be absolute and unconditional, without any defense or right of set-off, counterclaim or recoupment by reason of any default by the I-Bank under the Loan Agreement or under any other agreement between the Commission and the I-Bank or out of any indebtedness or liability at any time owing to the Commission by the I-Bank or for any other reason.

This Bond is subject to optional prepayment under the terms and conditions, and in the amounts, provided in Section 3.07 of the Loan Agreement. To the extent allowed by applicable law, this Bond may be subject to acceleration under the terms and conditions, and in the amounts, provided in Section 5.03 of the Loan Agreement.

The Act provides that neither the members of the Commission nor any person executing the Bond shall be liable personally on the Bond by reason of the issuance thereof.

The Bond is not and shall not be in any way a debt or liability of the State of New Jersey or of any county or any municipality, and do not and shall not create or constitute any indebtedness, liability or obligation of said State, or of any county or any municipality, either legal, moral or otherwise.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things which are required by the Constitution or by the statutes of the State of New Jersey or by the Resolution to exist, to have happened or to have been performed precedent to or in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed and that the Bond, together with all other indebtedness of the Commission, are within every debt and other limit prescribed by said Constitution or statues.

This Bond shall not be entitled to any security or benefit under the terms of the Resolution or be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless the certificate of authentication has been duly executed by the Trustee upon original issuance and thereafter by the Registrar.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION has caused this Bond to be signed in its name and on its behalf by the manual or facsimile signature of its President or Vice President, and its corporate seal to be affixed, impressed or reproduced hereon, and this Bond and such seal to be attested by the manual or facsimile signature of its Secretary or Assistant Secretary, all as of the DATED DATE set forth above.

ATTEST:	PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISION			
	By:			
(Assistant) Secretary	(Vice) President			
507.17.7				
[SEAL]				

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This bond is one of the Bonds described in the within-mentioned Resolution and is one of the "Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2025A" of the Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Manufacturers as Trustee	and	Traders	Trust	Company
By:				
	Auth	norized S	Signatu	ire

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF SERIES 2025B BOND

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2025B

INTEREST RATE PER ANNUM	DATE! DATE	O	MATURITY DATE	DATE OF AUTHENTICATION	
0%	<u>-</u>	, 202_	August 1, 20	, 202_	
REGISTERED OW	NER:	STATE OF	NEW JERSEY		
PRINCIPAL SUM:				DOLLARS (\$	

The PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION (hereinafter called the "Commission"), a public body corporate and politic organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges itself indebted and for value received hereby promises to pay to the Registered Owner specified above, or registered assigns, the Principal Sum shown above or such lesser amount as shall be determined in accordance with Section 3.01 of the Loan Agreement (as hereinafter defined), at the times and in the amounts determined as provided in the Loan Agreement, plus any other amounts due and owing under the Loan Agreement at the times and in the amounts as provided therein.

This Bond, as to principal or redemption price when due, will be payable at the principal corporate trust office of the Paying Agent upon surrender. Principal on this Bond will be payable by check and will be mailed to the registered owner hereof who shall appear on the registration books of the Commission which shall appear on the registration books of the Commission which shall be kept and maintained by the Registrar hereinafter mentioned, as determined on the 15th day of January and July (each a "Record Date") or, in the case of any proposed redemption of the Bond, next preceding the date of the first publication of notice of such redemption. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if this Bond is held by the State of New Jersey (the "State"), all of the foregoing payments shall be made as provided in the Loan Agreement. Payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest on this Bond shall be made 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.

This Bond is one of the duly authorized issue of revenue bonds, each designated as "Water Supply System Revenue Bond, Series 2025B" (the "Bond" or "Bonds") of the Commission, limited to the aggregate principal amount set forth above, and authorized and issued under and pursuant to Section B, Article 8, Chapter 62 of Title 40 of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated (N.J.S.A. 40:62-108 et seq.) (the "Act"), and under and in accordance with a resolution of the Commission duly adopted on May 27, 1992, and entitled "RESOLUTION" AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS OF THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION" as amended and supplemented, and specifically by a resolution duly adopted on May 21, 2025, and entitled "SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3 SUPPLEMENTING THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION'S GENERAL BOND RESOLUTION DULY ADOPTED MAY 27, 1992, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025 IN ONE OR MORE SERIES OF THE COMMISSION AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO", as supplemented by an Award Certificate dated ______, 202_ (collectively, the "Resolution"). Copies of the Resolution are on file in the office of the Commission in Clifton, New Jersey and at the principal corporate trust office of Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company (the "Trustee"), as trustee under the Resolution.

This Bond is issued in consideration of the loan (the "Loan") made by the State, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, to the Commission

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pursuant to the Loan Agreement dated as of _______, 202_ by and between the State and the Commission (the "Loan Agreement") to evidence and secure the payment obligations of the Commission set forth in the Loan Agreement. Payments under this Bond shall, except as otherwise provided in the Loan Agreement, be made directly to the Trustee (as defined in the Loan Agreement) for the account of the State. This Bond is subject to assignment or endorsement in accordance with the terms of the Loan Agreement. All of the terms, conditions and provisions of the Loan Agreement are, by this reference thereto, incorporated herein as part of this Bond.

This Bond is a special obligation of the Commission and is payable from the Revenues of the Commission, as such term is defined in the Resolution; <u>provided however</u>, that the power and obligation of the Commission to cause application of such Revenues or other funds to the payment of the principal or redemption price of the Bond is subject to the right of the Commission to pay Operating Expenses and to pay rebate to the United States government.

Pursuant to the terms of the Resolution, the Commission may hereafter issue additional bonds (hereinafter called "Additional Bonds") for the purposes, in the amounts and on the conditions set forth in the Resolution. All bonds issued and to be issued under the terms of the Resolution, including all Additional Bonds, are and will be equally secured by the pledge of the funds and revenues provided in the Resolution except as otherwise expressly provided in or pursuant to the terms of the Resolution.

Reference to the Resolution and any and all resolutions supplemental thereto and any modifications and amendments thereof and to the Act is made for a description of the nature and extent of the security for the Bond, the funds or revenues pledged for the payment thereof, the nature, manner and extent of the enforcement of such pledge, the rights and remedies of the holders of the Bond with respect thereto, the terms and conditions upon which the Bond is issued and upon which they may be issued thereunder, and a statement of the rights, duties, immunities and obligations of the Commission and of the Trustee.

The provisions of the Resolution or any resolution amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto may be modified or amended by action taken on behalf of the Commission in the manner and subject to the conditions and exceptions set forth in the Resolution. The pledge of the revenues and other obligations of the Commission under the terms of the Resolution may be discharged at or prior to the maturity or redemption of the Bond upon making of provision for the payment thereof on the terms and conditions set forth in the Resolution.

This Bond is transferable, as provided in the Resolution, only upon the registration books of the Commission kept and maintained for that purpose at the principal corporate trust office of Manufacturers and Traders Trust Company (the "Registrar") by the registered owner hereof in person or by this attorney duly authorized in writing, upon surrender hereof together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar and duly executed by the registered owner or by such duly authorized attorney, together with the required signature guarantee, and thereupon the Commission shall issue in the name of the transferee a new registered Bond or Bond, or the same aggregate principal amount and series, designation, maturity and interest rate as the surrendered Bond as provided in the Resolution, upon payment of the charges therein prescribed. The Commission, the Trustee, the Registrar and any Paying Agent of the Commission may treat and consider the person in whose name this Bond is registered as the holder and absolute owner of this Bond for the purpose of receiving payment of the principal or Redemption Price of and interest due thereon and for all other purposes.

Pursuant to the Loan Agreement, disbursements shall be made by the State to the Commission upon receipt by the State of requisitions from the Commission executed and delivered in accordance with the requirements set forth in Section 3.02 of the Loan Agreement.

This Bond is entitled to the benefits and is subject to the conditions of the Loan Agreement. The obligations of the Commission to make the payments required hereunder shall be absolute and unconditional, without any defense or right of set-off, counterclaim or recoupment by reason of any default by the State under the Loan Agreement or under any other agreement between the Commission and the State or out of any indebtedness or liability at any time owing to the Commission by the State or for any other reason.

This Bond is subject to optional prepayment under the terms and conditions, and in the amounts, provided in Section 3.07 of the Loan Agreement. To the extent allowed by applicable law, this Bond may be subject to acceleration under the terms and conditions, and in the amounts, provided in Section 5.03 of the Loan Agreement.

To the extent provided by law, this Bond is junior and subordinate in all respects to any bonds of the Commission issued on even date herewith to the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank as to lien on, and source and security for payment from, the Revenues of the Commission.

The Act provides that neither the members of the Commission nor any person executing the Bond shall be liable personally on the Bond by reason of the issuance thereof.

The Bond is not and shall not be in any way a debt or liability of the State of New Jersey or of any county or any municipality, and do not and shall not create or constitute any indebtedness, liability or obligation of said State, or of any county or any municipality, either legal, moral or otherwise.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things which are required by the Constitution or by the statutes of the State of New Jersey or by the Resolution to exist, to have happened or to have been performed precedent to or in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed and that the Bond, together with all other indebtedness of the Commission, are within every debt and other limit prescribed by said Constitution or statues.

This Bond shall not be entitled to any security or benefit under the terms of the Resolution or be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless the certificate of authentication has been duly executed by the Trustee upon original issuance and thereafter by the Registrar.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION has caused this Bond to be signed in its name and on its behalf by the manual or facsimile signature of its President or Vice President, and its corporate seal to be affixed, impressed or reproduced hereon, and this Bond and such seal to be attested by the manual or facsimile signature of its Secretary or Assistant Secretary, all as of the DATED DATE set forth above.

ATTEST:	PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISIC			
	By:			
(Assistant) Secretary	(Vice) President			
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CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This bond is one of the Bonds described in the within-mentioned Resolution and is one of the "Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 2025B" of the Passaic Valley Water Commission.

Manufacturers as Trustee	and	Traders	Trust	Company	γ,
By:					
Authorized Signature					

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Passaic Valley Water Commission, that resolution No. 25- entitled "SERIES 2025 SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION NO. 3 SUPPLEMENTING THE PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION'S GENERAL BOND RESOLUTION DULY ADOPTED MAY 27, 1992, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$8,800,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025 IN ONE OR MORE SERIES OF THE COMMISSION AND DETERMINING VARIOUS MATTERS PERTAINING THERETO" was adopted on May 21, 2025, and that a copy of such resolution is available for public inspection in the offices of the Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission, 1525 Main Ave., Clifton, NJ 07015, and in the offices of the City Clerks of the Cities of Paterson, Passaic and Clifton; and that any action or proceeding of any kind or nature and any court questioning the validity or proper authorization of the obligations authorized by the Supplemental Resolution, or the validity of any covenants, agreements or contracts provided by the Supplemental Resolution, must be commenced within twenty (20) days after the first publication of this notice. This notice is published pursuant to N.J.S.A 40:62-133.5.

PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION By Louis Amodio, Administrative Secretary

Dated: May 21, 2025