2 **ORDINANCE** AUTHORIZING AN INTEREST RATE AN MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT AND LIQUIDITY AGREEMENT 3 4 RELATED TO CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS WATER AND 5 WASTEWATER SYSTEM VARIABLE RATE REVENUE 6 BONDS. **SERIES** 2008; PROVIDING REFUNDING FOR 7 PAYMENTS THEREUNDER BY A LIEN ON AND PLEDGE OF 8 THE THE NET REVENUES OF CITY'S WATER AND 9 WASTEWATER SYSTEM: ESTABLISHING FUNDS AND 10 TO THE PAYMENT ACCOUNTS RELATED OF SUCH 11 INTEREST RATE MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT AND 12 LIQUIDITY AGREEMENT; AND DELEGATING MATTERS RELATING TO THE AUTHORIZATION OF SUCH INTEREST 13 14 MANAGEMENT AND RATE AGREEMENT LIOUIDITY 15 AGREEMENT TO AN AUTHORIZED CITY OFFICER OR 16 EMPLOYEE; ENACTING OTHER PROVISIONS INCIDENT 17 THERETO; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

18 WHEREAS, the City of Austin, Texas (the "City" or "Issuer") has 19 heretofore authorized, issued and sold the obligations described in Exhibit A, 20 which are being paid in whole or in part from the revenues of the City's 21 Water/Wastewater System and which are hereinafter referred to collectively as the 22 "Refunded Obligations;" and

23 WHEREAS, the City intends to issue its variable interest rate revenue bonds to be designated the City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System 24 Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2008, in one or more series (the 25 26 "Bonds") under and pursuant to authority conferred by the laws of the State of Texas, including Chapters 1207, 1371, and 1502, Texas Government Code, as 27 amended, in an aggregate principal amount to be sufficient to refinance all or a 28 29 portion of the Refunded Obligations that the City determines to refund in accordance with its policies, applicable law and Ordinance No. 20080306-30 31 (the "Fifteenth Supplement"); and

WHEREAS, in order to provide liquidity and/or credit enhancement for the Bonds, the City has determined that it will need to enter into a Liquidity Agreement (as defined herein); and

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WHEREAS, between the date hereof and the date the City is able to issuethe Bonds, interest rates may rise; and

WHEREAS, to hedge against possible increases in the rate of interest to be borne by the Bonds before and after the Bonds are issued, the City Council of the City has determined to enter into an Interest Rate Management Agreement (as defined herein) pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended; and

42 WHEREAS, the City Council finds and determines the regularly scheduled payments owed by the City (each, a "Scheduled Hedge Payment") under the 43 Interest Rate Management Agreement and payments owed by the City under the 44 Liquidity Agreement (each a "Liquidity Payment,") herein authorized can and shall 45 be payable and secured on a parity, equally and ratably, with the outstanding 46 "Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations" issued in accordance with and under the 47 terms and provisions of Ordinance No. 000608-56A (the "Master Ordinance") and 48 Ordinance Nos. 000608-56B, 010419-77, 011129-65, 020718-15, 030206-35, 49 040617-45, 040812-43, 040930-83, 050519-37, 051020-051, 20051117-060, 50 20061108-051 and 20071108-080 (the "Prior Supplements"), which authorize the 51 issuance of the Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations (which 52 Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations consist of the outstanding 53 54 (1) "City of Austin, Texas, Water And Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2000" (2) "City of Austin, Texas, Water And Wastewater System 55 Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001A", (3) "City of Austin, Texas, Water And 56 Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001B", (4) "City of 57 58 Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 59 2001C", (5) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and 60 61 Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2003", (7) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, 62 Series 2004", together with certain regularly scheduled payments under the Interest 63 Rate Swap Agreement, the Liquidity Agreement and the Insurance Obligation (as 64 such terms are defined in Ordinance No. 040812-43), (8) "City of Austin, Texas, 65 Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2004A", (9) 66 "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, 67 Series 2005", (10) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue 68 Refunding Bonds, Series 2005A", (11) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and 69 Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2006", (12) "City of Austin, 70 Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2006A" 71 72 and (13) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue

Refunding Bonds, Series 2007," each of which were authorized for issuance by the
Master Ordinance and the Prior Supplements); and

WHEREAS, the City Council further finds and determines certain other contingent payments by the City related to termination of the Interest Rate Management Agreement herein authorized can and shall be secured by lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System on a basis subordinate to other obligations payable from such Net Revenues all as specified herein;

81 WHEREAS, the City shall by this Ordinance, in accordance with the 82 provisions of Section 1371.056, Texas Government Code, as amended, delegate to 83 a Pricing Officer (hereinafter designated) the authority to make the determination 84 of terms and information set forth herein in a pricing certificate (the "Pricing 85 Certificate") to be executed by the Pricing Officer (hereinafter designated), now 86 therefore:

## 87 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF 88 AUSTIN, TEXAS:

89 SECTION 1: **DEFINITIONS.** In addition to the definitions set forth 90 in the preamble of this Ordinance or otherwise contained in this Ordinance 91 (hereinafter referred to as this "Fourteenth Supplement"), or otherwise contained 92 herein, the terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings 93 given in the Master Ordinance and Prior Supplements.

94 **SECTION 2: AUTHORIZATION OF CREDIT AGREEMENTS; DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO PRICING OFFICER.** 95 The City Council hereby approves and authorizes the City to enter into (i) a Interest Rate 96 97 Management Agreement, with a swap counterparty initially rated by either Moody's Investor Services, Inc. ("Moody's"), Standard & Poor's Rating Services, 98 99 a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. ("S&P") or Fitch Ratings, Inc. ("Fitch"), in one of the \_\_\_\_ highest rating categories for a long-term debt rating 100 (the "Hedge Counterparty," together with any successor thereto as counterparty 101 under such Interest Rate Management Agreement), as a Parity Water/Wastewater 102 Obligation, as defined in the Master Ordinance, and (ii) a Liquidity Agreement to 103 104 provide for liquidity and/or credit enhancement, as applicable, with a bank (the 105 "Liquidity Provider," together with any successor thereto as Liquidity Provider 106 under a Liquidity Agreement) that is initially rated by Moody's, S&P or Fitch in 107 one of the three highest rating categories for a short term debt instrument, and if credit enhancement is provided, one of the four highest rating categories for a 108

109 long-term debt instrument. In accordance with the provisions of Section 1371.056, 110 Texas Government Code, as amended, the City Manager or the Chief Financial 111 Officer of the City (either, the "Pricing Officer") is hereby authorized act on behalf 112 of the City to determine whether and when, and with respect to what notional 113 amounts and principal amounts, as applicable, and on what terms (subject to the 114 parameters provided below) to cause the City to enter into the Credit Agreements 115 (hereinafter defined).

The Pricing Officer is hereby authorized to execute and deliver, and the City 116 117 Clerk may attest to, for and on behalf of and in the name of the City, and as the act and deed of the City Council of the City, prior to, at, or after the delivery of the 118 Bonds, but in no case later than September 6, 2008, (i) an ISDA Master 119 Agreement, a Schedule to the Master Agreement, Credit Support Annex, and one 120 or more Confirmations (collectively referred to herein as the "Interest Rate 121 Management Agreement"), with the Hedge Counterparty, and including such 122 amendments to such Interest Rate Management Agreement after the execution and 123 124 delivery thereof that are required in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, as may be approved by the Pricing Officer, as evidenced by their execution thereof; 125 unless otherwise provided by ordinance of the City Council, and (ii) a 126 reimbursement agreement and letter of credit or standby bond purchase agreement, 127 and any Alternate Liquidity Facility (as defined in the Fifteenth Supplement 128 heretofore authorized) and any Credit Agreement related thereto (each a "Liquidity 129 Agreement," and together with the Interest Rate Management Agreement, each a 130 131 "Credit Agreement" as defined in the Master Ordinance, and collectively, the 132 "Credit Agreements") with a Liquidity Provider; the Pricing Officer shall further determine, which shall be determined in the Pricing Certificate; the term of such 133 Credit Agreements; the notional amount of the Interest Rate Management 134 Agreement; the principal amount of the Credit Agreement; the fixed rates of 135 interest at which the obligations of the City under the Interest Rate Management 136 Agreement shall be calculated; the rate of interest calculated under the Liquidity 137 Agreement; provided that: 138

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(1) the term of the Credit Agreements shall not extendbeyond the stated maturity of the Bonds;

141 (2) the notional amount of the Interest Rate Management 142 Agreement shall not exceed \$175,000,000;

143 (3) the principal amount of the Liquidity Agreement shall
144 not exceed \$175,000,000;

145(4) the fixed rate of interest paid by the City under the146Interest Rate Management Agreement shall not exceed \_\_\_%;

147 (5) the rate of interest under the Liquidity Agreement shall
148 under no calculations exceed the maximum lawful rate in the State of
149 Texas;

150 such Interest Rate Management Agreement shall provide (6)for the reduction in notional amount equivalent to the reduction in 151 outstanding principal amount of the Bonds after the same have been 152 issued and once the outstanding principal amount of the Bonds has 153 been reduced to an amount, equal to or lesser than the original 154 notional amount and in all events in accordance with the amortization 155 schedule to be approved by the Pricing Officer and set forth as an 156 157 attachment to the Interest Rate Management Agreement;

158 (7) such Interest Rate Management Agreement permits the 159 City to terminate the same or reduce the notional amount thereof at 160 any time, which right may be made conditional upon the payment by 161 the City of the amount due in respect of such partial or complete 162 termination;

163 (8) such Credit Agreements being entered into in connection
164 with the issuance of the Bonds shall result in present value debt
165 service savings of at least 5.25%, net of any contribution by the City;

166 (9) such Credit Agreements and the proceedings of the City
167 Council of the City authorizing the same shall be approved by the
168 Attorney General of Texas and such proceedings shall be registered
169 by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas prior to
170 delivering such Credit Agreements; and

(10) the cost of credit enhancement obtained in relation to the
Interest Rate Management Agreement, if any, shall result in present
value debt service savings of at least 5.25%, net of any contribution
by the City.

175 The obligations of the Hedge Counterparty to the City are hereby pledged as 176 additional security for the obligations of the City that are secured by the Net 177 Revenues, and the payments from the Hedge Counterparty to the City are hereby 178 declared to constitute Gross Revenues. 179 **ISSUANCE OF CREDIT AGREEMENTS**. The City SECTION 3: has provided certain criteria and established certain covenants and agreements in 180 relation to the issuance of Credit Agreements payable from Net Revenues of the 181 Water/Wastewater System pursuant to the Master Ordinance and Prior 182 This Fourteenth Supplement provides for the authorization, 183 Supplements. issuance, sale, delivery, form, characteristics, provisions of payment, and security 184 of the Credit Agreements, which Credit Agreements constitute "Credit 185 Agreements" in accordance with the Master Ordinance and Prior Supplements. 186

187 The Scheduled Hedge Payments and Liquidity Payments shall constitute Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations in accordance with the Master Ordinance, 188 Prior Supplements, and this Fourteenth Supplement. The Scheduled Hedge 189 Payments and any other payment owed by the City under the Interest Rate 190 Management Agreement including, but not limited to, payments owed as a result 191 of its termination (herein referred to as a "Termination Payment") and Liquidity 192 Payments shall be payable from and secured by the Net Revenues; provided, 193 however, that the Termination Payments are subordinated as provided in Section 5 194 of this Fourteenth Supplement. The Master Ordinance is incorporated herein by 195 reference and made a part hereof for all purposes, except to the extent modified 196 and supplemented by the Prior Supplements and this Fourteenth Supplement. The 197 City Council hereby finds and determines that it will have sufficient Gross 198 Revenues to meet the obligations of the Water/Wastewater System, including 199 sufficient Net Revenues to satisfy the Annual Debt Service Requirements of the 200 Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations and to meet all financial 201 obligations (i.e., the "Scheduled Hedge Payments," "Liquidity Payments" and 202 "Termination Payments") of the City under the Credit Agreements relating to the 203 Water/Wastewater System. 204

205 **SECTION 4**: **TERMINATION** OF INTEREST RATE **MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT**. The City currently intends to issue the Bonds 206 in a variable rate interest mode and to maintain in effect the Interest Rate 207 Management Agreement. If, however the City does not, prior to, on, or within 120 208 days after the effective date of the Interest Rate Management Agreement, issue the 209 Bonds in one or more series in an aggregate original principal amount equal to or 210 greater than the notional amount of the Interest Rate Management Agreement and 211 212 rated as required to be an "obligation" as defined in Texas Government Code, 1371.001(5), as amended, then the City shall promptly exercise its option reserved 213 in the Interest Rate Management Agreement to terminate or reduce the resulting 214 notional amount of the Interest Rate Management Agreement to achieve the result 215 216 that the notional amount, if any, of the Interest Rate Management Agreement does 217 not exceed the original principal amount of the Bonds that are issued. In addition to such required full or partial termination of the Credit Agreement, to the extent 218 the Chief Financial Officer may deem advisable he or she may, and the City 219 Council hereby delegates to such person the authority to, at any time terminate in 220 221 whole or in part the Interest Rate Management Agreement as permitted thereby; provided appropriate documentation is furnished the City Manager and City 222 223 Attorney evidencing the amount or payment owed by the City, if any, as a result of 224 such termination and that such amount can be paid from available funds of the City (including, without limitation, proceeds of bonds issued for such purpose) without 225 a budget amendment, or should such termination payment require City Council 226 action by a budget amendment or otherwise, obtaining City Council approval prior 227 228 to its termination.

229 SECTION 5:

## PLEDGE.

230 Scheduled Hedge Payments. Subject to the prior claims and liens on (a) the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System to the payment and security of 231 the Prior First Lien Obligations currently Outstanding, including the funding and 232 233 maintenance of the special funds established and maintained for the payment and security of such Prior First Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the 234 Water/Wastewater System are hereby pledged to the payment of the Scheduled 235 The Scheduled Hedge Payments, together with the Prior 236 Hedge Payments. 237 Subordinate Lien Obligations and the Previously Issued Separate Lien Obligations currently outstanding and the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations, shall be 238 equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of 239 240 the Water/Wastewater System in accordance with the terms of the Master 241 Ordinance, the Prior Supplements, and this Fourteenth Supplement. Additionally, the Scheduled Hedge Payments and payments due for the payment of the Parity 242 243 Water/Wastewater Obligations shall be equally and ratably secured by a lien on the funds, if any, deposited to the credit of the Debt Service Fund in accordance with 244 the terms of the Master Ordinance, the Prior Supplements and this Fourteenth 245 246 Supplement.

247 (b) Liquidity Payments. Subject to the prior claims and liens on the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System to the payment and security of the 248 249 Prior First Lien Obligations currently Outstanding, including the funding and maintenance of the special funds established and maintained for the payment and 250 security of such Prior First Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the 251 Water/Wastewater System are hereby pledged to the payment of the Liquidity 252 The Liquidity Payments, together with the Prior Subordinate Lien 253 Payments. Obligations and the Previously Issued Separate Lien Obligations currently 254

255 outstanding and the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations, shall be equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the 256 Water/Wastewater System in accordance with the terms of the Master Ordinance, 257 the Prior Supplements, and this Fourteenth Supplement. 258 Additionally, the 259 Liquidity Payments and payments due for the payment of the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations shall be equally and ratably secured by a lien on the 260 funds, if any, deposited to the credit of the Debt Service Fund in accordance with 261 262 the terms of the Master Ordinance, the Prior Supplements and this Fourteenth 263 Supplement.

264 (c) Termination Payment. Subject to the prior claims and liens on the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System to the payment and security of (i) the 265 Prior First Lien Obligations, Prior Subordinate Lien Obligations and Previously 266 Issued Separate Lien Obligations currently Outstanding, including the funding and 267 maintenance of the special funds established and maintained for the payment and 268 security of such obligations, and (ii) the "Commercial Paper Obligations" (as 269 defined and identified in the Master Ordinance), the Net Revenues of the 270 Water/Wastewater System are hereby pledged to the payment of the Termination 271 Payment, if any, owed by the City pursuant to the Credit Agreement. Subject to 272 the prior claims and liens on the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System 273 securing the payment of the Prior First Lien Obligations and Commercial Paper 274 Obligations, the Termination Payment, if any, owed by the City under the Credit 275 Agreement shall be secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the 276 Water/Wastewater System in accordance with the terms of this Fourteenth 277 278 Supplement.

279 The Scheduled Hedge Payments, the (d) Security for Payments. Liquidity Payments and the Termination Payment are and will be secured by and 280 281 payable only from the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System as herein provided, and are not secured by or payable from a mortgage or deed of trust on 282 any properties, whether real, personal, or mixed, of the Water/Wastewater System 283 or by a lien on or security interest in funds or obligations held by the Reserve Fund 284 maintained for other Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations. 285 The Hedge Counterparty or Liquidity Provider shall never have the right to demand payment 286 from funds raised or to be raised by taxation, or from any source other than 287 288 specified in this Fourteenth Supplement.

(e) <u>Perfection of Security Interest</u>. It is hereby ordained that the Credit
Agreements, and the Scheduled Hedge Payments due thereon, the Liquidity
Payments due thereon and the Termination Payment, if due, shall constitute a lien
on the Net Revenues of the City's Water/Wastewater System in accordance with

293 the terms of this Fourteenth Supplement and be valid and binding and fully perfected from and after the later of the date of adoption of this Fourteenth 294 Supplement or the date the proceedings relating to approval, execution and 295 delivery of the Credit Agreements are registered by the Comptroller of Public 296 297 Accounts of the State of Texas, without physical delivery or transfer or transfer of control of the Net Revenues, the filing of this Fourteenth Supplement or any other 298 299 act; all as provided in Section 1371.105 of the Texas Government Code. Section 300 1371.105, Texas Government Code, applies to the issuance of the Credit Agreements and the pledge of the Net Revenues of the City's Water/Wastewater 301 System granted by the City under this Section 5, and such pledge is therefore valid, 302 effective and perfected at the time specified herein. If Texas law is amended at any 303 time while the Credit Agreements are Outstanding such that the pledge of the Net 304 Revenues of the City's Water/Wastewater System granted by the City under this 305 Section 5 is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Business & 306 307 Commerce Code, then in order to preserve to the Hedge Counterparty the perfection of the security interests in said pledge, the City agrees to take such 308 measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under Texas law to comply 309 with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, Business & Commerce Code and 310 enable a filing to perfect the security interests in said pledge to occur. 311

**DEBT SERVICE FUND**. By reason of the issuance of 312 **SECTION 6**: 313 the Credit Agreements, the City need not establish any special accounts within the Debt Service Fund and following the delivery of such Credit Agreements, the City 314 315 hereby agrees and covenants to cause to be deposited to the credit of the Debt 316 Service Fund an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount 317 required to fully pay the Scheduled Hedge Payments or Liquidity Payments owed under the Credit Agreements, falling due on or before each payment date, and such 318 deposits shall be made on such payment dates in amounts needed (or reasonably 319 expected to be needed) to pay the City's Scheduled Hedge Payments or Liquidity 320 Payments due under the Credit Agreements. 321

If on any date a Scheduled Hedge Payment or Liquidity Payment is due there is insufficient money in the Debt Service Fund to make such payment, the City shall deposit to the Debt Service Fund and thereafter transfer to the applicable payee or paying agent, but solely from and to the extent of available Net Revenues, sufficient money to make or complete such payment.

The required deposits to the Debt Service Fund for the payment of Scheduled Hedge Payments and Liquidity Payments, as applicable, shall continue to be made in the manner provided herein until such time as (i) the total amount on deposit in the Debt Service Fund is equal to the amount required to fully pay and discharge all Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations then Outstanding or (ii) the
Credit Agreements have been retired or terminated in accordance with its terms
without further obligation on the part of the City.

The City shall deposit to the Debt Service Fund all money received from the Hedge Counterparty, except for payments received upon any Termination of the Interest Rate Management Agreement.

The City may establish and utilize such accounts within the Debt ServiceFund as it may, from time to time, deem appropriate.

339 SECTION 7: **RESERVE FUND**. The provisions of Section 8 of the 340 Master Ordinance relating to the Reserve Fund are hereby incorporated by 341 reference and made a part hereof as if the same were restated in full in this Section.

In accordance with paragraph (f) of Section 8 of the Master Ordinance, neither the Scheduled Hedge Payments nor the Termination Payments shall be secured by or entitled to payment from the Reserve Fund.

345 **SECTION 8: PAYMENT OF CREDIT AGREEMENTS**. The City shall cause to be paid (i) the Scheduled Hedge Payments when due from the Debt 346 Service Fund to the Hedge Counterparty when and as the same shall become due 347 and payable, (ii) the Liquidity Payments when due from the Debt Service Fund to 348 the Liquidity Provider when and as the same shall become due and payable, and 349 350 (iii) the Termination Payment, if any, owed by the City from available pledged Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System, or from other available sources, in a 351 timely manner when and if the same should become due and payable in accordance 352 with provisions of the Credit Agreements. 353

354 SECTION 9: AMENDMENT. This Fourteenth Supplement shall constitute a contract with the Hedge Counterparty and Liquidity Provider to the 355 Credit Agreements from and after execution and delivery of the Credit 356 357 Agreements. The City shall not amend, repeal, or otherwise modify any provision 358 of this Fourteenth Supplement or the Fifteenth Supplement, the Master Ordinance or the Prior Supplements in a manner that adversely affects the interests of the 359 Hedge Counterparty or Liquidity Provider without the consent of such person. 360

361 SECTION 10: **REMEDY IN EVENT OF DEFAULT.** In addition to 362 all rights and remedies provided by the laws of the State of Texas, the City 363 covenants and agrees particularly that in the event the City (a) defaults in payments 364 to be made to the Debt Service Fund as required by this Fourteenth Supplement or 365 the Master Ordinance or to be made pursuant to the Credit Agreements, (b) 366 defaults in the observance or performance of any other of the covenants, conditions or obligations set forth in this Fourteenth Supplement or the Master Ordinance or 367 under the terms of the Credit Agreements or (c) the City declares bankruptcy, the 368 Hedge Counterparty and the Liquidity Provider shall be entitled to a writ of 369 370 mandamus issued by a court of proper jurisdiction, compelling and requiring the City and its officers to observe and perform any covenant, condition or obligation 371 prescribed in this Fourteenth Supplement or the Master Ordinance or under the 372 373 terms of the Credit Agreements. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default shall impair any such right or power, or shall be 374 construed to be a waiver of any such default or acquiescence therein, and every 375 such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be 376 377 deemed expedient.

The specific remedy herein provided shall be cumulative of all other existing remedies and the specification of such remedy shall not be deemed to be exclusive.

**PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS** 380 SECTION 11: DAYS. Whenever under the terms of this Fourteenth Supplement or the Bonds, 381 the performance date of any provision hereof or thereof, including the payment of 382 a Scheduled Hedge Payment, Liquidity Payment or Termination Payment, shall 383 occur on a day other than a Business Day then the performance thereof, including 384 the payment of a Scheduled Hedge Payment, Liquidity Payment or Termination 385 Payment, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case 386 may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if 387 made on the date of performance or payment. For purposes of this Fourteenth 388 389 Supplement, the term "Business Day" shall have the meaning provided therefor in 390 the applicable Credit Agreement.

391 SECTION 12: **LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO** 392 THIS FOURTEENTH SUPPLEMENT. With the exception of the rights or 393 benefits herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or contained herein or implied from the provisions of this Fourteenth Supplement or the Credit 394 Agreements is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any 395 person other than the City, the Hedge Counterparty and the Liquidity Provider, any 396 legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to this 397 Fourteenth Supplement or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, 398 agreement, or provision herein contained. This Fourteenth Supplement and all of 399 the covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions 400 401 hereof are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive 402 benefit of the City, the Hedge Counterparty and the Liquidity Provider as herein 403 and therein provided, as applicable.

404 SECTION 13: NOTICES TO HEDGE COUNTERPARTY AND
405 LIQUIDITY PROVIDER - WAIVER. Wherever this Fourteenth Supplement
406 provides for notice to the Hedge Counterparty or Liquidity Provider of any event,
407 such notice shall be sufficiently given (unless otherwise herein expressly provided)
408 if given pursuant to the notice provisions of the applicable Credit Agreement.

Where this Fourteenth Supplement provides for notice in any manner, such notice may be waived in writing by the Hedge Counterparty and Liquidity Provider entitled to receive such notice, either before or after the event with respect to which such notice is given, and such waiver shall be the equivalent of such notice.

413 SECTION 14: GOVERNING LAW. This Fourteenth Supplement
414 shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas
415 and the United States of America.

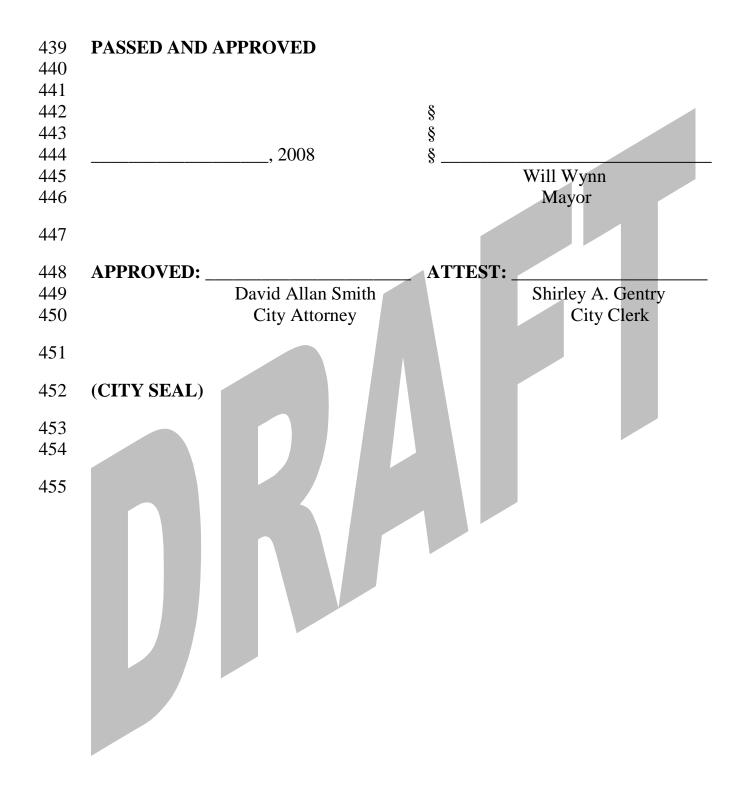
416 SECTION 15: EFFECT OF HEADINGS. The Section headings 417 herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

418 SECTION 16: **CONSTRUCTION OF TERMS**. If appropriate in the 419 context of this Fourteenth Supplement, words of the singular number shall be 420 considered to include the plural, words of the plural number shall be considered to 421 include the singular, and words of the masculine, feminine or neuter gender shall 422 be considered to include the other genders.

423 SECTION 17: SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Fourteenth 424 Supplement or the application thereof to any circumstance shall be held to be 425 invalid, the remainder of this Fourteenth Supplement and the application thereof to 426 other circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City Council hereby 427 declares that this Fourteenth Supplement would have been enacted without such 428 invalid provision.

429 SECTION 18: **PUBLIC MEETING**. It is officially found, determined, 430 and declared that the meeting at which this Fourteenth Supplement is adopted was 431 open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the 432 public business to be considered at such meeting, including this Fourteenth 433 Supplement, was given; all as required by V.T.C.A., Government Code, Chapter 434 551, as amended.

435 SECTION 19: EFFECTIVE DATE. This Fourteenth Supplement is 436 hereby passed on one reading as authorized by Texas Government Code, Section 437 1201.028, as amended, and shall be effective immediately upon its passage and 438 adoption.



456	EXHIBIT A
457	Refunded Obligations