ORDINANCE NO. 20091217-004

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF "CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2010" AND RELATED DOCUMENTS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

SECTION 1: **DEFINITIONS AND FINDINGS**. The following terms shall have the meanings set forth below, unless the text specifically indicates otherwise:

"Bonds" means the "CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2010" authorized for issuance by the Eighteenth Supplement.

"Business Day" means a day other than a Sunday, Saturday, a legal holiday, or a day on which banking institutions in the city where the principal corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close.

"Closing Agent" means Regions Bank, Houston, Texas.

"Holders" means the registered owners or holders of the Bonds.

"Master Ordinance" means Ordinance No. 000608-56A passed by the city council on June 8, 2000.

"Eighteenth Supplement" means Ordinance No. 20091217-004 authorizing the issuance of the Bonds.

"Paying Agent/Registrar" means the financial institution specified in Section 4 of the Eighteenth Supplement.

"Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations" mean the outstanding (1) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2000" (2) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001A", (3) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001B", (4) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001C", (5) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2001C", (5) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Series 2002A", (6) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and 2002A"

Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2003", (7) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2004", together with certain regularly scheduled payments under the Interest Rate Swap Agreement, the Liquidity Agreement and the Insurance Obligation (as such terms are defined in Ordinance No. 040812-43), (8) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2004A", (9) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005", (10) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2005A", (11) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2006", (12) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2006A", (13) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2007", (14) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Variable Rate Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2008", together with certain regularly scheduled payments under the Series 2008 Interest Rate Management Agreement and the Series 2008 Liquidity Agreement (as such terms are defined in Ordinance No. 20080306-053), (15) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2008A", and (16) "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2009A".

"Prior Supplements" mean Ordinances Nos. 000608-56B, 010419-77, 011129-65, 020718-15, 030206-35, 040617-45, 040812-43, 040930-83, 050519-37, 051020-051, 20051117-060, 20061116-051, 20071108-081, 20080306-052, 20080306-053, 20081211-77 and 20091105-051 authorizing the issuance of the Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations.

"Security Register" shall have the meaning given in Section 4 of the Eighteenth Supplement.

The terms used in the Eighteenth Supplement and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given in the Master Ordinance or the Prior Supplements.

The City has received a loan commitment from the Texas Water Development Board (Board) for financial assistance in the amount of \$31,815,000 to finance the costs of improvements and extensions to the City's Wastewater System, and this financial assistance is to be evidenced by the Board's purchase of parity revenue bonds payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues (as defined in this Ordinance) of the City's Water and Wastewater System. The best interest of the City is served by authorizing the Bonds in the amount of \$31,815,000 for such purposes.

The Bonds can and shall be on a parity with the outstanding "Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations" issued in accordance with and under the terms and provisions of the Master Ordinance and the Prior Supplements.

SECTION 2: AUTHORIZATION – DESIGNATION – PRINCIPAL AMOUNT - PURPOSE. Revenue bonds of the City are authorized to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of THIRTY-ONE MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$31,815,000) to be designated and bear the title "CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2010", for the purpose of making improvements and extensions to the City's Wastewater System, funding a reserve fund and paying costs of issuance, in conformity with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including V.T.C.A., Government Code, Chapter 1502.

SECTION 3: FULLY REGISTERED OBLIGATIONS - AUTHORIZED DENOMINATIONS – STATED MATURITIES - DATE. The Bonds shall be issued as fully registered obligations, without coupons, shall be dated January 1, 2010 (Bond Date) and, other than the single fully registered Initial Bond referenced in Section 9 of this Ordinance, shall be in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof (within a Stated Maturity), shall be numbered consecutively from One (1) upward, shall bear no interest and shall become due and payable on November 15 and in principal amounts (the "Stated Maturities") in accordance with the following schedule:

Stated Maturity	Principal Amount (\$)	Stated Maturity	Principal Amount (\$)	
2012	1,065,000	2027	1,060,000	
2013	1,065,000	2028	1,060,000	
2014	1,060,000	2029	1,060,000	
2015	1,060,000	2030	1,060,000	
2016	1,060,000	2031	1,060,000	
2017	1,060,000	2032	1,060,000	
2018	1,060,000	2033	1,060,000	
2019	1,060,000	2034	1,060,000	
2020	1,060,000	2035	1,060,000	
2021	1,060,000	2036	1,060,000	
2022	1,060,000	2037	1,060,000	

2023	1,060,000	2038	1,060,000
2024	1,060,000	2039	1,060,000
2025	1,060,000	2040	1,060,000
2026	1,060,000	2041	1,065,000

SECTION 4: TERMS OF PAYMENT - PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR. The principal of and premium on the Bonds, due and payable by reason of maturity, redemption or otherwise, shall be payable only to the Holders appearing on the registration and transfer books maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar and such payment shall be in any coin or currency of the United States of America, which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, and shall be without exchange or collection charges to the Holders.

The selection and appointment of Regions Bank, Houston, Texas, to serve as Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds is approved and confirmed. Books and records relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Bonds (Security Register) shall at all times be kept and maintained on behalf of the City by the Paying Agent/Registrar as provided in the Eighteenth Supplement and in accordance with the terms and provisions of a "Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement", substantially in the form attached to this Ordinance as Exhibit A, and such reasonable rules and regulations as the Paying Agent/Registrar and the City may prescribe. The Mayor and City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk are authorized to execute and deliver the Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement. The City covenants to maintain and provide a Paying Agent/Registrar at all times until the Bonds are paid and discharged, and any successor Paying Agent/Registrar shall be a bank, trust company, financial institution or other entity qualified and authorized to serve in such capacity and perform the duties and services of Paying Agent/Registrar. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds, the City agrees to promptly cause a written notice to be sent to each Holder by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, which notice shall also give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar.

Principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds shall be payable at the Stated Maturities or upon redemption, only upon presentation and surrender of the Bonds to the Paying Agent/Registrar at its designated offices in Homewood, Alabama (Designated Payment/Transfer Office). Provided, however, while the Board is the registered owner of the Bonds, payments on the Bonds shall be made by wire transfer without expense to the Holder. If the date for the payment of the principal of the Bonds shall be a Saturday, Sunday, a legal holiday, or a day when banking institutions in the city where the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/ Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day which is not such a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day when banking institutions are authorized to close; and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the original date payment was due.

SECTION 5: **REDEMPTION**. (a) <u>Optional Redemption</u>. The Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the City, in whole or in part (in inverse order of Stated Maturities, if less than all) in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof (and if within a Stated Maturity by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar), on November 15, 2012 or on any date thereafter at the redemption price of par only upon the written approval of the Executive Administrator of the Board.

(b) <u>Exercise of Redemption Option</u>. At least forty-five days prior to a redemption date for the Bonds (unless a shorter notification period shall be satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar), the City shall notify the Paying Agent/Registrar of the decision to redeem Bonds, the principal amount of each Stated Maturity to be redeemed, and the date of redemption. The decision of the City to exercise the right to redeem Bonds shall be entered in the minutes of the governing body of the City.

(c) <u>Selection of Bonds for Redemption</u>. If less than all Outstanding Bonds of the same Stated Maturity are to be redeemed on a redemption date, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall treat such Bonds as representing the number of Bonds Outstanding which is obtained by dividing the principal amount of such Bonds by \$5,000 and shall select the Bonds to be redeemed within such Stated Maturity by lot.

(d) <u>Notice of Redemption</u>. Not less than thirty (30) days prior to a redemption date for the Bonds, a notice of redemption shall be sent by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, in the name of the City and at the City's expense, to each Holder of a Bond to be redeemed in whole or in part at the address of the Holder appearing on the Security Register at the close of business on the business day next preceding the date of mailing such notice, and any notice of redemption so mailed shall be conclusively presumed to have been given irrespective of whether received by the Holder.

All notices of redemption shall (i) specify the date of redemption for the Bonds, (ii) identify the Bonds to be redeemed and, in the case of a portion of the principal amount to be redeemed, the principal amount to be redeemed, (iii) state

the redemption price, (iv) state that the Bonds, or the portion of the principal amount to be redeemed, shall become due and payable on the redemption date specified, and (v) specify that payment of the redemption price for the Bonds, or the principal amount to be redeemed, shall be made at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar only upon presentation and surrender by the Holder. If a Bond is subject by its terms to prior redemption and has been called for redemption and notice of redemption has been given or waived as provided in this Section, such Bond (or the principal amount to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, provided moneys sufficient for the payment of such Bonds (or of the principal amount to be redeemed) at the then applicable redemption price are held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar.

(e) <u>Conditional Notice of Redemption</u>. With respect to any optional redemption of the Bonds, unless moneys sufficient to pay the principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds to be redeemed shall have been received by the Paying Agent/Registrar prior to the giving of a notice of redemption, the notice may state that the redemption may, at the option of the City, be conditional upon the receipt of such moneys by the Paying Agent/Registrar on or prior to the date fixed for the redemption, or upon the satisfaction of any prerequisites set forth in the notice of redemption; and, if sufficient moneys are not received, such notice shall be of no force and effect, the City shall not redeem such Bonds and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall give notice, in the manner in which the notice of redemption was given, to the effect that the Bonds have not been redeemed.

SECTION 6: **REGISTRATION-TRANSFER-EXCHANGE OF BONDS-PREDECESSOR BONDS**. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall obtain, record, and maintain in the Security Register the name and address of each registered owner of the Bonds issued under the provisions of the Eighteenth Supplement. Any Bond may, in accordance with its terms and the terms of this Ordinance, be transferred or exchanged for Bonds of other authorized denominations upon the Security Register by the Holder, in person or by his authorized agent, upon surrender of such Bond to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation, accompanied by a written instrument of transfer or request for exchange executed by the Holder or by his authorized agent, in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/ Registrar.

Upon surrender for transfer of any Bond (other than the Initial Bond(s) authorized in Section 9 of the Eighteenth Supplement) at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall register and deliver, in the name of the designated transferee or transferees, one or more new Bonds executed on behalf of, and furnished by, the

City of authorized denominations and having the same Stated Maturity and of a like aggregate principal amount as the Bond or Bonds surrendered for transfer.

At the option of the Holder, Bonds (other than the Initial Bond(s) authorized in Section 9 of the Eighteenth Supplement) may be exchanged for other Bonds of authorized denominations and having the same Stated Maturity, and of like aggregate principal amount as the Bonds surrendered for exchange, upon surrender of the Bonds to be exchanged at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/ Registrar. Whenever any Bonds are surrendered for exchange, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall register and deliver new Bonds, executed on behalf of, and furnished by, the City, to the Holder requesting the exchange.

All Bonds issued upon any transfer or exchange of Bonds shall be delivered at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, or sent by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, to the Holder and, upon the delivery of such Bonds, the same shall be valid obligations of the City, evidencing the same obligation to pay, and entitled to the same benefits under the Eighteenth Supplement, as the Bonds surrendered in such transfer or exchange.

All transfers or exchanges of Bonds under this Section shall be made without expense or service charge to the Holder, except as otherwise provided in the Eighteenth Supplement, and except that the Paying Agent/Registrar shall require payment by the Holder requesting such transfer or exchange of any tax or other governmental charges required to be paid with respect to such transfer or exchange.

Bonds canceled by reason of an exchange or transfer under the provisions of this Ordinance are defined to be "Predecessor Bonds," evidencing all, or a portion, of the same obligation to pay evidenced by the Bond or Bonds registered and delivered in the exchange or transfer. Additionally, the term "Predecessor Bonds" shall include any mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Bond for which a replacement Bond has been issued, registered and delivered under Section 19 of the Eighteenth Supplement and such new replacement Bond shall be deemed to evidence the same obligation as the mutilated, lost, destroyed, or stolen Bond.

Neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar shall be required to transfer or exchange any Bond called for redemption, in whole or in part, within 45 days of the date fixed for redemption of such Bond; provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the Holder of the unredeemed balance of a Bond called for redemption in part. SECTION 7: BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY TRANSFERS AND TRANS-ACTIONS. Notwithstanding the provisions contained in Sections 4, 5 and 6 of the Eighteenth Supplement relating to the payment, and transfer/exchange of the Bonds, the City approves and authorizes the use of the "Book-Entry-Only" securities clearance, settlement and transfer system provided by The Depository Trust Company (DTC), a limited purpose trust company organized under the laws of the State of New York, in accordance with the operational arrangements referenced in the Blanket Issuer Letter of Representation, by and between the City and DTC (Depository Agreement).

Pursuant to the Depository Agreement and the rules of DTC, the Bonds shall be deposited with DTC, who shall hold the Bonds for its participants (DTC Participants). While the Bonds are held by DTC under the Depository Agreement, the Holder of the Bonds on the Security Register for all purposes, including payment and notices, shall be Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, notwithstanding the ownership of each actual purchaser or owner of each Bond (Beneficial Owners) being recorded in the records of DTC and DTC Participants.

In the event DTC discontinues serving as securities depository for the Bonds, or otherwise ceases to provide book-entry clearance and settlement of securities transactions in general, or the City determines that DTC is incapable of properly discharging its duties as securities depository for the Bonds, the City covenants and agrees with the Holders of the Bonds to cause Bonds to be printed in definitive form and provide for the Bond certificates to be issued and delivered to DTC Participants and Beneficial Owners, as the case may be. Thereafter, the Bonds in definitive form shall be assigned, transferred and exchanged on the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent/Registrar and payment of such Bonds shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Sections 4, 5 and 6 the Eighteenth Supplement.

SECTION 8: **EXECUTION - REGISTRATION**. The Bonds shall be executed on behalf of the City by the Mayor under its seal reproduced or impressed thereon and countersigned by the City Clerk or Deputy City Clerk. The signature of these officers on the Bonds may be manual or facsimile. Bonds bearing the manual or facsimile signatures of individuals who are or were the proper officers of the City on the Bond Date shall be deemed to be executed on behalf of the City, notwithstanding that any of the individuals shall cease to hold office at the time of delivery of the Bonds to the initial purchaser(s) and with respect to Bonds delivered in subsequent exchanges and transfers, all as authorized and provided in V.T.C.A., Government Code, Chapter 1201.

No Bond shall be entitled to any right or benefit under the Eighteenth Supplement, or be valid or obligatory for any purpose, unless there appears on such Bond either a certificate of registration substantially in the form provided in Section 10(c), manually executed by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas or his or her authorized agent, or a certificate of registration substantially in the form provided in Section 10(d), manually executed by an authorized officer, employee or representative of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and either such certificate upon any Bond signed shall be conclusive evidence, and the only evidence, that such Bond has been certified, registered and delivered.

SECTION 9: INITIAL BONDS. The Bonds shall be initially issued as thirty (30) fully registered Bonds with one initial bond for each year of maturity in the applicable principal amount and denomination and to be numbered consecutively from T-1 and upward (Initial Bonds) and the Initial Bonds shall be registered in the name of the initial purchaser or the initial purchaser's designee. The Initial Bonds shall be the Bonds submitted to the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Texas for approval, certified and registered by the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas and delivered to the Closing Agent. As installment deliveries of the Bonds are made to the initial purchaser, the Paying Agent/Registrar, as Closing Agent, pursuant to written instructions from the City, or the City's designee, and in accordance with Article Six of the Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement shall cancel the Initial Bonds and deliver in exchange therefor definitive Bonds of like principal amount and maturity date, in authorized denominations and bearing no interest for transfer and delivery to DTC for the account of the initial purchaser; all pursuant to and in accordance with said Article Six of the Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement, written instructions from the initial purchaser, or the initial purchaser's designee, and such other information and documentation as the Paying Agent/Registrar may reasonably require.

SECTION 10: FORMS. (a) Forms Generally. The Bonds, the Registration Certificate of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, the Certificate of Registration, and the form of Assignment to be printed on each of the Bonds, shall be substantially in the forms set forth in this Section with such appropriate insertions, omissions, substitutions, and other variations as are permitted or required by the Eighteenth Supplement and may have such letters, numbers, or other marks of identification (including identifying numbers and letters of the Committee on Uniform Securities Identification Procedures of the American Bankers Association) and such legends and endorsements (including insurance legends in the event any of the Bonds are purchased with insurance and any reproduction of an opinion of counsel) as may, consistent with this Ordinance, be established by the City or determined by the officers executing such Bonds as evidenced by their execution. Any portion of the text of any Bonds may be set forth on the reverse of such Bonds, with an appropriate reference on the Bond.

The definitive Bonds and the Initial Bond(s) shall be printed, lithographed, or engraved, typewritten, photocopied or otherwise reproduced in any other similar manner, all as determined by the officers executing such Bonds as evidenced by their execution.

(b) Form of Bond.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2010

Bond Date: January 1, 2010 Stated Maturity: November 15, 20____ CUSIP NO:

Registered Owner:

Principal Amount:

DOLLARS

The City of Austin (the "City"), a body corporate and municipal corporation in the Counties of Travis and Williamson, State of Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the registered owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof (the "Registered Owner"), solely from the revenues identified in this Bond, on the Stated Maturity date specified above the Principal Amount stated above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption. Principal of this Bond is payable at its Stated Maturity or redemption to the registered owner hereof, upon presentation and surrender, at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar executing the registration certificate appearing hereon, or its successor; provided, however, while this Bond is registered to Cede & Co., the payment of principal upon a partial redemption of the principal amount of this Bond may be accomplished without presentation and surrender of this Bond. If the date for the payment of the principal of the Bonds shall be a Saturday, Sunday, a legal holiday, or a day when banking institutions in the city where the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/ Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day which is not such a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day when banking institutions are authorized to close; and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the original date payment was due. All payments of principal of and premium, if any, on this Bond shall be without exchange or collection charges to the owner hereof and 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 series specified in its title issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$31,815,000 (the "Bonds") for the purpose of making improvements and extensions to the City's Wastewater System, funding a reserve fund and paying costs of issuance, in conformity with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including V.T.C.A., Government Code, Chapter 1502, and pursuant to a Master Ordinance and Eighteenth Supplement adopted by the City Council of the City (collectively referred to as the "Ordinances").

The Bonds may be redeemed prior to their Stated Maturities, at the option of the City, in whole or in part (in inverse order of Stated Maturities, if less than all) in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof (and if within a Stated Maturity by lot by the Paying Agent/Registrar), on November 15, 2012 or on any date thereafter at the redemption price of par to the redemption date only upon written approval of the Executive Administrator of the Board.

Not less than thirty days prior to a redemption date, the City shall cause a written notice of such redemption to be sent by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, to the registered owners of each Bond to be redeemed at the address shown on the Security Register and subject to the terms and provisions relating thereto contained in the Ordinances. If a Bond (or any portion of its principal sum) shall have been called for redemption and notice of such redemption given, then upon such redemption date such Bond (or the portion of its principal sum to be redeemed) shall become due and payable, provided moneys for the payment of the redemption price are held for the purpose of such payment by the Paying Agent/Registrar.

In the event a portion of the principal amount of a Bond is to be redeemed and the registered owner is someone other than Cede & Co., payment of the redemption price of such principal amount shall be made to the registered owner only upon presentation and surrender of such Bond to the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, and a new Bond or Bonds of like maturity and in any authorized denominations provided by the Ordinances for the then unredeemed balance of the principal sum thereof will be issued to the registered owner, without charge. If a Bond is selected for redemption, in whole or in part, the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to transfer such Bond to an assignee of the registered owner within forty-five days of the redemption date therefor; provided, however, such limitation on transferability shall not be applicable to an exchange by the registered owner of the unredeemed balance of a Bond redeemed in part.

With respect to any optional redemption of the Bonds, unless moneys sufficient to pay the principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds to be redeemed shall have been received by the Paying Agent/Registrar prior to the giving of such notice of redemption, such notice may state that said redemption may, at the option of the City, be conditional upon the receipt of such moneys by the Paying Agent/Registrar on or prior to the date fixed for such redemption, or upon the satisfaction of any prerequisites set forth in such notice of redemption; and, if sufficient moneys are not received, such notice shall be of no force and effect, the City shall not redeem such Bonds and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall give notice, in the manner in which the notice of redemption was given, to the effect that the Bonds have not been redeemed.

The Bonds are special obligations of the City payable solely from and, together with the Prior Subordinate Lien Obligations, the Previously Issued Separate Lien Obligations, and Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations currently Outstanding, equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of, the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System in the manner provided in the Ordinances. Additionally, the Bonds and Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations referenced above shall be equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on the funds, if any, deposited to the credit of the Debt Service Fund and the Reserve Fund in accordance with the terms of the Ordinances. The Bonds do not constitute a legal or equitable pledge, charge, lien or encumbrance upon any property of the City or the Water/Wastewater System, except with respect to the Net Revenues. The Holder of this Bond shall never have the right to demand payment of this obligation out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Subject to satisfying the terms and conditions prescribed therefor, the City has reserved the right to issue additional revenue obligations payable from and equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System, in the same manner and to the same extent as the Bonds.

Reference is hereby made to the Ordinances, copies of which are on file with the Paying Agent/Registrar, and to all of the provisions of which the Holder by the acceptance hereof hereby assents, for definitions of terms; the description of and the nature and extent of the security for the Bonds; the properties constituting the Water/Wastewater System; the Net Revenues pledged to the payment of the principal of the Bonds; the nature and extent and manner of enforcement of the lien and pledge securing the payment of the Bonds; the terms and conditions for the issuance of additional revenue obligations; the terms and conditions relating to the transfer or exchange of this Bond; the conditions upon which the Ordinances may be amended or supplemented with or without the consent of the Holders; the rights, duties, and obligations of the City and the Paying Agent/Registrar; the terms and provisions upon which the liens, pledges, charges and covenants made therein may be discharged at or prior to the maturity of this Bond, and this Bond deemed to be no longer Outstanding thereunder; and for the other terms and provisions contained therein. Capitalized terms used in this Bond have the same meanings assigned in the Ordinances.

This Bond, subject to certain limitations contained in the Ordinances, may be transferred on the Security Register only upon its presentation and surrender at the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/Registrar, with the Assignment hereon endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar executed by, the Registered Owner, or the authorized agent of the Registered Owner. When a transfer on the Security Register occurs, one or more new fully registered Bonds of the same Stated Maturity, of authorized denominations, and of the same aggregate principal amount will be issued by the Paying Agent/Registrar to the designated transferee or transferees.

The City and the Paying Agent/Registrar, and any agent of either, may treat the Registered Owner of this Bond whose name appears on the Security Register (i) on the date of surrender of this Bond as the owner entitled to payment of principal of this Bond at its Stated Maturity, or its redemption, in whole or in part, and (ii) on any other date as the owner for all other purposes, and neither the City nor the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any agent of either, shall be affected by notice to the contrary.

It is hereby certified, recited, represented and covenanted that the City is a organized and legally existing municipal corporation under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas; that the issuance of the Bonds is authorized by law; that all acts, conditions and things required to exist and be done precedent to and in the issuance of the Bonds to render the same lawful and valid obligations of the City have been properly done, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and the Ordinances; that the Bonds do not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation; and that due provision has been made for the payment of the principal of the Bonds by a pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System as aforestated. In case any provision in this Bond or any application thereof shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions and applications shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby. The terms and provisions of this Bond and the Ordinances shall be construed in accordance with and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council of the City has caused this Bond to be executed under the official seal of the City as of the Bond Date.

CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS

Mayor

COUNTERSIGNED:

City Clerk

(SEAL)

(c) Form of Registration Certificate of Comptroller of Public Accounts to Appear on Initial Bond(s) only.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE OF COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER)	
OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS))	REGISTER NO
THE STATE OF TEXAS)	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Bond has been examined, certified as to validity and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas.

WITNESS my signature and seal of office this ______.

Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas

(SEAL)

(d) Form of Certificate of Paying Agent/Registrar to Appear on Definitive Bonds only.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE OF PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR

This Bond has been issued and registered in the name of the Registered Owner shown above under the provisions of the within-mentioned Ordinances; the bond or bonds of the above entitled and designated series originally delivered having been approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, as shown by the records of the Paying Agent/Registrar.

The designated office of the Paying Agent/Registrar in Homewood, Alabama is the Designated Payment/Transfer Office for this Bond.

> **REGIONS BANK**, Houston, Texas, as Paying Agent/Registrar

Registration date:

By ______Authorized Signature

(e) Form of Assignment.

ASSIGNMENT

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

identifying (Social Security other number or) the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and irrevocably constitutes and appoints hereby attorney to transfer the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

DATED:

Signature guaranteed:

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

(f) The Initial Bond(s) shall be in the form set forth in paragraph (b) of this Section, except the Initial Bonds shall be modified as follows:

REGISTERED NO. T-1

REGISTERED \$

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 2010

Bond Date: January 1, 2010

Stated Maturity: November 15, 20____ CUSIP NO:

Registered Owner: Texas Water Development Board

Principal Amount:

DOLLARS

The City of Austin (the "City"), a body corporate and municipal corporation in the Counties of Travis and Williamson, State of Texas, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the registered owner named above, or the registered assigns thereof (the "Registered Owner"), solely from the revenues identified in this Bond, the Principal Amount stated above on Stated Maturity date shown above (or so much thereof as shall not have been paid upon prior redemption). Principal installments of this Bond are payable to the Registered Owner by Regions Bank, Houston, Texas (the "Paying Agent/Registrar"), upon presentation and surrender, at its designated offices in Homewood, Alabama (the "Designated Payment/Transfer Office"). If the date for the payment of the principal of the Bonds shall be a Saturday, Sunday, a legal holiday, or a day when banking institutions in the city where the Designated Payment/Transfer Office of the Paying Agent/ Registrar is located are authorized by law or executive order to close, then the date for such payment shall be the next succeeding day which is not such a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or day when banking institutions are authorized to close; and payment on such date shall have the same force and effect as if made on the original date payment was due. All payments of principal of and premium, if any, on this Bond shall be without exchange or collection charges to the Registered Owner and 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.

(g) Form of Principal Advancement Ledger to appear on Initial Bonds.

Date of Advancement of	Amount of Funds	Principal Amount remaining for	Signature
Funds	Advanced	Advancements	(Bank Officer)
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PRINCIPAL ADVANCEMENT LEDGER

SECTION 11: CRITERIA FOR ISSUANCE OF PARITY WATER/WASTEWATER OBLIGATIONS. The City has provided certain criteria and established certain covenants and agreements in relation to the issuance of Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations of the Water/Wastewater System pursuant to the Master Ordinance and Prior Supplements. The Eighteenth Supplement provides for the authorization, issuance, sale, delivery, form, characteristics, provisions of payment, and security of the Bonds which are Parity The Master Ordinance is incorporated by Water/Wastewater Obligations. reference and made a part of the Eighteenth Supplement for all purposes, except to the extent modified and supplemented by the Prior Supplements and the Eighteenth Supplement, and the Bonds are declared to be Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations under the Master Ordinance and Prior Supplements. The City determines that it will have sufficient funds to meet the financial obligations of the Water/Wastewater System, including sufficient Net Revenues to pay the Annual

Debt Service Requirements of the Bonds and the Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations and to meet all financial obligations of the City relating to the Water/Wastewater System.

SECTION 12: PLEDGE. Subject to the prior claim and lien on the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System to the payment and security of the Prior First Lien Obligations currently Outstanding, including the funding and maintenance of the special funds established and maintained for the payment and security of such Prior First Lien Obligations, the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System are hereby pledged to the payment of the Bonds, and the Bonds, together with the Prior Subordinate Lien Obligations, the Previously Issued Separate Lien Obligations and the Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations currently Outstanding, shall be equally and ratably secured by a parity lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System in accordance with the terms of the Master Ordinance and the Eighteenth Supplement. Additionally, the Bonds and the Previously Issued Parity 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 and Reserve Fund in accordance with the terms of the Master Ordinance, the Prior Supplements and the Eighteenth Supplement. It is ordained that the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations, and the interest on the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations, shall constitute a lien on the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System and be valid and binding and fully perfected from and after the date of adoption of the Eighteenth Supplement without physical delivery or transfer or transfer of control of the Net Revenues, the filing of the Eighteenth Supplement or any other act, all as provided in Chapter 1208 of the Texas Government Code. The owners of the Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations shall never have the right to demand payment out of funds raised or to be raised by taxation, or from any source other than specified in the Master Ordinance, the Prior Supplements and the Eighteenth Supplement.

Section 1208 of the Texas Government Code applies to the issuance of the Bonds and the pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System granted by the City under this Section 12, and such pledge is valid, effective and perfected. If Texas law is amended at any time while the Bonds are Outstanding such that the pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System granted by the City under this Section 12 is to be subject to the filing requirements of Chapter 9, Business & Commerce Code, then to preserve to the registered owners of the Bonds the perfection of the security interest in said pledge, the City agrees to take such measures as it determines are reasonable and necessary under Texas law to comply with the applicable provisions of Chapter 9, Business & Commerce Code, and enable a filing to perfect the security interest in said pledge to occur.

SECTION 13: **DEBT SERVICE FUND**. By reason of the issuance of the Bonds, the City need not establish any special accounts within the Debt Service Fund and following the delivery of the Bonds, the City agrees and covenants that in addition to the deposits for the payment of the Previously Issued Parity Water/Wastewater Obligations there shall be deposited to the credit of the Debt Service Fund an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount required to fully pay the principal of the Bonds falling due on or before each maturity date, and such deposits shall be made in substantially equal monthly amounts on or before the 14th day of each month beginning on or before the 14th day of the month next following the month the Bonds are delivered to the initial purchaser(s).

The required monthly deposits to the Debt Service Fund for the payment of principal of the Bonds shall continue to be made in the manner provided in this Section 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 Bonds are no longer outstanding, *i.e.*, fully paid as to principal or all the Bonds have been refunded.

SECTION 14: **RESERVE FUND**. In accordance with the provisions of the Supplements authorizing the issuance of the Previously Issued Prior Water/Wastewater Obligations, the Required Reserve Amount is funded with cash, investments and surety bonds issued by MBIA Insurance Corporation, Financial Security Assurance Inc., Ambac Assurance Corporation and XL Capital Assurance Inc.. By reason of the issuance of the Bonds, the Required Reserve Amount shall be and is recalculated and determined to be \$40,693,111.02. Upon the issuance of the Bonds, the Required Reserve Amount allocable to the Bonds (\$499,668.44) will be funded by making monthly deposits to the Reserve Fund from Net Revenues of the System equal to not less than 1/12th of Required Reserve Amount allocable to the Bonds. Any draws on the surety bonds or other credit agreements funding the Required Reserve Amount on which there is available coverage shall be made on a pro rata basis (calculated by reference to coverage then available under each such surety bond or credit agreement) after applying available cash and investments in the Reserve Fund.

The provisions of Section 8 of the Master Ordinance relating to the Reserve Fund, particularly paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) of Section 8, are incorporated by reference and made a part of this Ordinance as if the same were restated in full in this Section, and to the extent of any conflict between the provisions of said Section 8 and the provisions of this Ordinance with respect to draws on any Credit Agreement and the reinstatement of the full amount afforded by Credit Agreement, the provisions of the Prior Supplements with respect to such Credit Agreement and such Credit Agreement shall govern. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 10(d) of the Master Ordinance, the City Council finds that the Gross Revenues will be sufficient to meet the obligations of the Water/Wastewater System, including sufficient Net Revenues to satisfy the Annual Debt Service Requirements of Parity Water Wastewater Obligations currently Outstanding and the financial obligations of the City under any Credit Agreement entered into with the above-named surety bond providers.

SECTION 15: **PAYMENT OF BONDS**. On or before each principal payment date while any of the Bonds are Outstanding, the City shall cause an amount to be transferred to the Paying Agent/Registrar in immediately available funds from the Debt Service Fund and Reserve Fund, if necessary, sufficient to pay such principal amount of the Bonds, as shall become due on such dates, respectively, at maturity or by redemption prior to maturity. The Paying Agent/Registrar shall destroy all paid Bonds and furnish the City with an appropriate certificate of cancellation or destruction.

SECTION 16: COVENANTS TO MAINTAIN TAX-EXEMPT STATUS.

(a) <u>Definitions</u>. When used in this Section 16, the following terms have the following meanings:

"*Closing Date*" means the date on which the Bonds are first authenticated and delivered to the Underwriters against payment therefor.

"*Code*" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended by all legislation, if any, effective on or before the Closing Date.

"Computation Date" has the meaning set forth in Section 1.148-1(b) of the Regulations.

"Gross Proceeds" means any proceeds as defined in Section 1.148-1(b) of the Regulations, and any replacement proceeds as defined in Section 1.148-1(c) of the Regulations, of the Bonds.

"Investment" has the meaning set forth in Section 1.148-1(b) of the Regulations.

"Nonpurpose Investment" means any investment property, as defined in section 148(b) of the Code, in which Gross Proceeds of the Bonds are invested and which is not acquired to carry out the governmental purposes of the Bonds.

"Rebate Amount" has the meaning set forth in Section 1.148-1(b) of the Regulations.

"Regulations" means any proposed, temporary, or final Income Tax Regulations issued pursuant to Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code, and 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, which are applicable to the Bonds. Any reference to any specific Regulation shall also mean, as appropriate, any proposed, temporary or final Income Tax Regulation designed to supplement, amend or replace the specific Regulation referenced.

"Yield" of (1) any Investment has the meaning set forth in Section 1.148-5 of the Regulations and (2) the Bonds has the meaning set forth in Section 1.148-4 of the Regulations.

(b) Not to Cause Interest to Become Taxable. The City shall not use, permit the use of, or omit to use Gross Proceeds or any other amounts (or any property the acquisition, construction or improvement of which is to be financed directly or indirectly with Gross Proceeds) in a manner which if made or omitted, respectively, would cause interest on (1) any Bond issued hereunder or (2) any series of bonds or obligations issued or incurred by the Texas Water Development Board or the Texas Water Resources Finance Authority to become includable in the gross income, as defined in section 61 of the Code, of the owner thereof for federal income tax purposes. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, unless and until the City receives a written opinion of counsel nationally recognized in the field of municipal bond law to the effect that failure to comply with such covenant will not adversely affect the exemption from federal income tax of the interest on any Bond, the City shall comply with each of the specific covenants in this Section.

(c) <u>No Private Use or Private Payments</u>. Except as permitted by section 141 of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, the City shall at all times prior to the last Stated Maturity of Bonds:

(i) exclusively own, operate and possess all property the acquisition, construction or improvement of which is to be financed or

refinanced directly or indirectly with Gross Proceeds of the Bonds, and not use or permit the use of such Gross Proceeds (including all contractual arrangements with terms different than those applicable to the general public) or any property acquired, constructed or improved with such Gross Proceeds in any activity carried on by any person or entity (including the United States or any agency, department and instrumentality thereof) other than a state or local government, <u>unless</u> such use is solely as a member of the general public; and

(ii) not directly or indirectly impose or accept any charge or other payment by any person or entity who is treated as using Gross Proceeds of the Bonds or any property the acquisition, construction or improvement of which is to be financed or refinanced directly or indirectly with such Gross Proceeds, other than taxes of general application within the City or interest earned on investments acquired with such Gross Proceeds pending application for their intended purposes.

(d) <u>No Private Loan</u>. Except to the extent permitted by section 141 of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, the City shall not use Gross Proceeds of the Bonds to make or finance loans to any person or entity other than a state or local government. For purposes of the foregoing covenant, such Gross Proceeds are considered to be "loaned" to a person or entity if: (1) property acquired, constructed or improved with such Gross Proceeds is sold or leased to such person or entity in a transaction which creates a debt for federal income tax purposes; (2) capacity in or service from such property is committed to such person or entity under a take-or-pay, output or similar contract or arrangement; or (3) indirect benefits, or burdens and benefits of ownership, of such Gross Proceeds are otherwise transferred in a transaction which is the economic equivalent of a loan.

(e) Not to Invest at Higher Yield. Except to the extent permitted by section 148 of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, the City shall not at any time prior to the final Stated Maturity of the Bonds directly or indirectly invest Gross Proceeds in any Investment (or use Gross Proceeds to replace money so invested), if as a result of such investment the Yield from the Closing Date of all Investments acquired with Gross Proceeds (or with money replaced thereby), whether then held or previously disposed of, exceeds the Yield of the Bonds.

(f) <u>Not Federally Guaranteed</u>. Except to the extent permitted by section 149(b) of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, the City shall not

take or omit to take any action which would cause the Bonds to be federally guaranteed within the meaning of section 149(b) of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder.

(g) <u>Information Report</u>. The City shall timely file the information required by section 149(e) of the Code with the Secretary of the Treasury on Form 8038-G or such other form and in such place as the Secretary may prescribe.

(h) <u>Rebate of Arbitrage Profits</u>. Except to the extent otherwise provided in section 148(f) of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder:

(i) The City shall account for all Gross Proceeds (including all receipts, expenditures and investments thereof) on its books of account separately and apart from all other funds (and receipts, expenditures and investments thereof) and shall retain all records of accounting for at least six years after the day on which the last outstanding Bond is discharged. However, to the extent permitted by law, the City may commingle Gross Proceeds of the Bonds with other money of the City, provided that the City separately accounts for each receipt and expenditure of Gross Proceeds and the obligations acquired therewith.

(ii) Not less frequently than each Computation Date, the City shall calculate the Rebate Amount in accordance with rules set forth in section 148(f) of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder. The City shall maintain such calculations with its official transcript of proceedings relating to the issuance of the Bonds until six years after the final Computation Date.

(iii) As additional consideration for the purchase of the Bonds by the Underwriters and the loan of the money represented thereby and in order to induce such purchase by measures designed to insure the excludability of the interest thereon from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes, the City shall pay to the United States out of the Debt Service Fund or its general fund, as permitted by applicable Texas statute, regulation or opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Texas, the amount that when added to the future value of previous rebate payments made for the Bonds equals (i) in the case of a Final Computation Date as defined in Section 1.148-3(e)(2) of the Regulations, one hundred percent (100%) of the Rebate Amount on such date; and (ii) in the case of any other Computation Date, ninety percent (90%) of the Rebate Amount on such date. In all cases, the rebate payments shall be made at the times, in the installments, to the place and in the manner as is or may be required by section 148(f) of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, and shall be accompanied by Form 8038-T or such other forms and information as is or may be required by Section 148(f) of the Code and rulings thereunder.

(iv) The City shall exercise reasonable diligence to assure that no errors are made in the calculations and payments required by paragraphs (2) and (3), and if an error is made, to discover and promptly correct such error within a reasonable amount of time thereafter (and in all events within one hundred eighty (180) days after discovery of the error), including payment to the United States of any additional Rebate Amount owed to it, interest thereon, and any penalty imposed under Section 1.148-3(h) of the Regulations.

(i) <u>Not to Divert Arbitrage Profits</u>. Except to the extent permitted by section 148 of the Code and the Regulations and rulings thereunder, the City shall not, at any time prior to the earlier of the Stated Maturity or final payment of the Bonds, enter into any transaction that reduces the amount required to be paid to the United States pursuant to Subsection (h) of this Section because such transaction results in a smaller profit or a larger loss than would have resulted if the transaction had been at arm's length and had the Yield of the Bonds not been relevant to either party.

(j) <u>Elections</u>. The City hereby directs and authorizes the Mayor, City Manager, Chief Financial Officer, Deputy Chief Financial Officer or City Treasurer, individually or jointly, to make elections permitted or required pursuant to the provisions of the Code or the Regulations, as they deem necessary or appropriate in connection with the Bonds, in the Certificate as to Tax Exemption or similar or other appropriate certificate, form or document.

SECTION 17: AMENDMENT OF EIGHTEENTH SUPPLEMENT.

(a) <u>Required Owner Consent for Amendments</u>. The owners of a majority in Outstanding Principal Amount of the Bonds shall have the right from time to time to approve any amendment to the Eighteenth Supplement which may be deemed necessary or desirable by the City; provided, however, nothing contained in the Eighteenth Supplement shall permit or be construed to permit the amendment of the terms and conditions in the Eighteenth Supplement so as to: (1) Make any change in the maturity of any of the Outstanding Bonds;

(2) Reduce the rate of interest borne by any of the Outstanding Bonds;

(3) Reduce the amount of the principal payable on the Bonds;

(4) Modify the terms of payment of principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Outstanding Bonds or impose any conditions with respect to such payment;

(5) Affect the rights of the owners of less than all of the Bonds then Outstanding;

(6) Amend this subsection (a) of this Section; or

(7) Change the minimum percentage of the principal amount of Bonds necessary for consent to any amendment;

unless such amendment or amendments be approved by the owners of all of the Bonds affected by the change or amendment then Outstanding.

(b) Notice of Amendment Requiring Consent. If at any time the City shall desire to amend the Eighteenth Supplement under this Section, the City shall cause notice of the proposed amendment to be published in a financial newspaper or journal published in The City of New York, New York, and a newspaper of general circulation in the City, once during each calendar week for at least two successive calendar weeks. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that a copy thereof is on file with the Paying Agent for the Bonds. Such publication is not required, however, if notice in writing is given by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, to each owner of the Bonds.

(c) <u>Time Period for Obtaining Consent</u>. If within one year from (i) the date of the first publication of said notice or (ii) the date of the mailing by the Paying Agent of written notice to the owners of the Bonds, whichever date first occurs if both methods of giving notice are used, the City shall receive an instrument or instruments executed by the owners of at least a majority in Outstanding Principal Amount of the Bonds consenting to and approving such amendment in substantially the form of the copy on file with each Paying Agent, the governing body of the City may pass the amendatory ordinance in substantially the same form.

(d) <u>Revocation of Consent</u>. Any consent given by the owner of a Bond pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be irrevocable for a period of six months from the date for measuring the one year period to obtain consents noted in paragraph (c) above, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bonds during such period. At any time after six months from the date for measuring the one year period to obtain consents noted in paragraph (c) above, such consent may be revoked by the owner who gave such consent, or by a successor in title, by filing written notice with the Paying Agent for such Bonds and the City, but such revocation shall not be effective if the owners of at least a majority in Outstanding Principal Amount of the then Outstanding Bonds as determined in accordance with this Section have, prior to the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendment.

(e) <u>Implementation of Amendment</u>. Upon the passage of any amendatory ordinance pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the Eighteenth Supplement shall be deemed to be amended, and the respective rights, duties and obligations of the City under the Sixteenth Supplement and all the owners of then Outstanding Bonds shall thereafter be determined, exercised and enforced hereunder, subject in all respects to such amendment.

(f) <u>Amendment without Consent</u>. The preceding provisions of this Section notwithstanding, the City by action of its governing body may amend the Eighteenth Supplement for any one or more of the following purposes:

(1) To add to the covenants and agreements of the City contained in the Eighteenth Supplement, other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed, grant additional rights or remedies to the owners of the Bonds or to surrender, restrict or limit any right or power reserved in the Eighteenth Supplement to or conferred upon the City;

(2) To make such provisions for the purpose of curing any ambiguity, or curing, correcting or supplementing any defective provision contained in the Eighteenth Supplement, or in regard to clarifying matters or questions arising under the Eighteenth Supplement, as are necessary or desirable and not contrary to or inconsistent with the Eighteenth Supplement and which shall not adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Bonds then Outstanding;

(3) To modify any of the provisions of the Eighteenth Supplement in any other respect whatever, provided that such modification shall be, and be expressed to be, effective only after all the Bonds outstanding at the date of the adoption of such modification shall cease to be outstanding; (4) To make such amendments to the Eighteenth Supplement as may be required, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, to ensure compliance with sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder and applicable thereto;

(5) To make such changes, modifications or amendments as may be necessary or desirable to allow the owners of the Bonds to thereafter avail themselves of a book-entry system for payments, transfers and other matters relating to the Bonds, which changes, modifications or amendments are not contrary to or inconsistent with other provisions of the Eighteenth Supplement and which shall not adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Bonds;

(6) To make such changes, modifications or amendments as may be necessary or desirable to obtain or maintain the granting of a rating on the Bonds by a Rating Agency or to obtain or maintain a Credit Agreement or a Credit Facility; and

(7) To make such changes, modifications or amendments as may be necessary or desirable, which shall not adversely affect the interests of the owners of the Bonds, in order, to the extent permitted by law, to facilitate the economic and practical utilization of interest rate swap agreements, foreign currency exchange agreements, or similar types of agreements with respect to the Bonds. Notice of any such amendment may be published by the City in the manner described in clause (b) of this Section; provided, however, that the publication of such notice shall not constitute a condition precedent to the adoption of such amendatory ordinance and the failure to publish such notice shall not adversely affect the implementation of such amendment as adopted pursuant to such amendatory ordinance.

(g) <u>Ownership</u>. For the purpose of this Section, the ownership and other matters relating to all Bonds shall be established by the Security Register maintained by the Paying Agent. Furthermore, the owner of any Bonds insured as to the payment of principal shall be deemed to be the insurance company providing the insurance coverage on such Bonds; provided such amendment to the Eighteenth Supplement is an amendment that can be made with the consent of a majority in Outstanding Principal Amount of the Bonds and such insurance company is not in default with respect to its obligations under its insurance policy.

SECTION 18: FINAL **DEPOSITS:** GOVERNMENTAL **OBLI**-GATIONS. All or any of the Bonds shall be deemed to be paid, retired and no longer outstanding within the meaning of the Eighteenth Supplement when payment of the principal of, and redemption premium, if any, on such Bonds (whether such due date be by reason of maturity or otherwise) either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms of such Bonds, or (ii) shall have been provided by irrevocably depositing with, or making available to, the Paving Agent/Registrar, in trust and irrevocably set aside exclusively for such payment, (1) money sufficient to make such payment or (2) Government Obligations, certified by an independent public accounting firm of national reputation, to mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times as will insure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to make such payment, and all necessary and proper fees, compensation and expenses of the Paying Agent/Registrar with respect to which such deposit is made shall have been paid or the payment provided for the satisfaction of the Paying Agent/Registrar. At the time a Bond shall be deemed to be paid as stated in this Section 18, it shall no longer be secured by or entitled to the benefit of the Eighteenth Supplement, the Master Ordinance or a lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the Water/Wastewater System, and shall be entitled to payment solely from such money or Government Obligations.

Any moneys so deposited with the Paying Agent/Registrar, or an authorized escrow agent, may at the direction of the City also be invested in Government Obligations, maturing in the amounts and at the times as set forth in this Section, and all income from all Government Obligations not required for the payment of the Bonds and the redemption premium, if any, with respect to which such money has been so deposited, shall be turned over to the City or deposited as directed by the City. The City covenants that no deposit will be made or accepted under clause (ii) of this Section and no use made of any such deposit which would cause the Bonds to be treated as arbitrage bonds within the meaning of Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Eighteenth Supplement, all money or Government Obligations set aside and held in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of the Bonds and the redemption premium, if any, shall be applied to and used for the payment of such Bonds, the redemption premium, if any, and the income on such money or Government Obligations shall not be considered to be "Gross Revenues" under the Eighteenth Supplement.

SECTION 19: DAMAGED, MUTILATED, LOST, STOLEN, OR DESTROYED BONDS. In the event any Outstanding Bond is damaged, mutilated, lost, stolen, or destroyed, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall cause to be printed, executed, and delivered, a new bond of the same principal amount, maturity and bearing no interest, as the damaged, mutilated, lost, stolen, or destroyed Bond, in replacement for such Bond in the manner provided in this Section. An application for the replacement of damaged, mutilated, lost, stolen, or destroyed Bonds shall be made to the Paying Agent/Registrar. In every case of loss, theft, or destruction of a Bond, the applicant for a replacement bond shall furnish to the City and to the Paying Agent/Registrar such security or indemnity as may be required by them to save each of them harmless from any loss or damage with respect to the replacement of the bond. Also, in every case of loss, theft, or destruction of a Bond, the applicant shall furnish to the City and to the Paying Agent/Registrar evidence to their satisfaction of the loss, theft, or destruction of such Bond, as the case may be. In every case of damage or mutilation of a Bond, the applicant shall surrender to the Paying Agent/Registrar for cancellation the Bond so damaged or mutilated. Prior to the issuance of any replacement bond, the Paying Agent/Registrar shall charge the owner of such Bond with all legal, printing, and other expenses in connection with the replacement of the bond. Every replacement bond issued pursuant to the provisions of this Section, if that Bond is lost, stolen, or destroyed, shall constitute a contractual obligation of the City whether or not the lost, stolen, or destroyed Bond shall be found at any time, or be enforceable by anyone, and shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Eighteenth Supplement equally and proportionately with any and all other Bonds issued under the Eighteenth Supplement.

Notwithstanding the preceding provisions of this Section, in the event any such Bond shall have matured, and no default has occurred which is then continuing in the payment of the principal of or redemption premium, if any, on the Bond, the City may authorize the payment of the same (without surrender of the Bond except in the case of a damaged or mutilated Bond) instead of issuing a replacement Bond, provided security or indemnity is furnished as above provided in this Section. Furthermore, in accordance with V.T.C.A., Government Code, Section 1206.022, this Section shall constitute authority for the issuance of any such replacement bond without necessity of further action by the governing body of the City or any other body or person, and the duty of the replacement of such bonds is authorized and imposed upon the Paying Agent/Registrar, and the Paying Agent/Registrar shall authenticate and deliver such bonds in the form and manner and with the effect, as provided in Section 6 of the Eighteenth Supplement for Bonds issued in exchange for other Bonds.

SECTION 20: EIGHTEENTH SUPPLEMENT TO CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT; EQUAL SECURITY. In consideration of the acceptance of the Bonds by the Holders from time to time, the Eighteenth Supplement shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the City and the Holders from time to time of the Bonds and the pledge made in the Eighteenth Supplement by the City and the covenants and agreements set forth in the Eighteenth Supplement to be performed by the City shall be for the equal and proportionate benefit, security, and protection of all Holders, without preference, priority, or distinction as to security or otherwise of any of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance over any of the others by reason of time of issuance, sale, or maturity or otherwise for any cause whatsoever, except as expressly provided in or permitted by the Eighteenth Supplement.

SECTION 21: CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING.

(a) <u>Definitions</u>. As used in this Section, the following terms have the meanings ascribed to such terms below:

"MSRB" means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

"*Rule*" means SEC Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time.

"SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

The City shall cause the Board to provide (b) Annual Reports. (a) annually to the MSRB (1) within six months after the end of each fiscal year ending in or after 2010, financial information and operating data with respect to the System of the general type included in the Application, being the information described in Exhibit B hereto. Any financial statements so to be provided shall be (i) prepared in accordance with the accounting principles described in Exhibit B hereto, and (ii) audited, if the Board commissions an audit of such statements and the audit is completed within the period during which they must be provided. If the audit of such financial statements is not complete within such period, then the City shall cause the Board to provide notice that audited financial statements are not available and shall provide unaudited financial statements for the applicable fiscal year to the MSRB. Thereafter, when and if audited financial statements become available, the City will cause the Board to provide such audited financial statements as required the MSRB.

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

The financial information and operating data to be provided pursuant to this Section may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document (including an official statement or other offering document, if it is available from the MSRB) that was provided to the MSRB or filed with the SEC.

(c) <u>Material Event Notices</u>. The City shall notify the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws:

(1) Principal and interest payment delinquencies;

(2) Non-payment related defaults;

(3) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;

(4) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;

(5) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;

(6) Adverse tax opinions or events affecting the tax-exempt status of the Bonds;

(7) Modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds;

(8) Bond calls;

(9) Defeasances;

(10) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds; and

(11) Rating changes.

The City shall notify the MSRB, in a timely manner, of any failure by the City to provide financial information or operating data in accordance with subsection (b) of this Section by the time required by such Section.

(d) <u>Filings with the MSRB</u>. All financial information, operating data, financial statements, notices, and other documents provided to the MSRB in accordance with this Section shall be provided in an electronic format prescribed by the MSRB and shall be accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

(e) <u>Limitations</u>, <u>Disclaimers</u>, and <u>Amendments</u>. The City shall be obligated to observe and perform the covenants specified in this Section while, but only while, the City remains an "obligated person" with respect to the Bonds within the meaning of the Rule, except that the City in any event will give the notice required by subsection (c) of any Bond calls and defeasance that cause the City to be no longer such an "obligated person."

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

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

No default by the City in observing or performing its obligations under this Section shall constitute a breach of or default under the Eighteenth Supplement for purposes of any other provision of the Eighteenth Supplement.

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

The provisions of this Section may be amended by the City from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances resulting from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the City or the Water/Wastewater System, but only if (1) the provisions of this Section, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule to the date of such amendment, as well as such changed circumstances, and (2) either (a) the Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount (or any greater amount required by any other provision of the Eighteenth Supplement that authorizes such an amendment) of the Outstanding Bonds consent to such amendment or (b) a Person that is unaffiliated with the City (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interests of the Holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The provisions of this Section may also be amended from time to time or repealed by the City if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provisions of the Rule or a court of final jurisdiction determines that such provisions are invalid, but only if and to the extent that reservation of the City's right to do so would not prevent underwriters of the initial public offering of the Bonds from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in such offering. If the City so amends the provisions of this Section, it shall include with any amended financial information or operating data filed with the MSRB pursuant to subsection (b) of this Section 21 an explanation, in narrative form, of the reasons for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information or operating data so provided.

SECTION 22: **REMEDY IN EVENT OF DEFAULT**. In addition to all rights and remedies provided by the laws of the State of Texas, the City covenants and agrees particularly that in the event the City (a) defaults in payments to be made to the Debt Service Fund or Reserve Fund as required by the Eighteenth Supplement or the Master Ordinance, (b) defaults in the observance or performance of any other of the covenants, conditions or obligations set forth in the Eighteenth Supplement or the Master Ordinance or (c) the City declares bankruptcy, the Holders of any of the Bonds shall be entitled to a writ of 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 prescribed in the Eighteenth Supplement or the Master Ordinance. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default shall impair any such right or power, or shall be construed to be a waiver of any such default or acquiescence therein, and every such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient.

The specific remedy provided in this Section shall be cumulative of all other existing remedies and the specification of such remedy shall not be deemed to be exclusive. SECTION 23: SALE OF BONDS. The sale of the Bonds to the Board (Purchaser) at the price of par pursuant to a loan commitment received from the Purchaser is confirmed. In conformity with Resolution No. 09-____ of the Purchaser (Board Resolution), the loan commitment is being funded from the "Clean Water State Revolving Fund", and in granting the loan commitment, the Board retained the option to pay for the Bonds in separate lots and/or on an installment basis, with payment of the purchase price for each installment to be against delivery of the relevant installment of Bonds as approved by the Executive Administrator of the Board and in accordance with Section 26 of the Eighteenth Supplement.

SECTION 24: **CONTROL AND CUSTODY OF BONDS**. The City Manager of the City shall be and is hereby authorized to take and have charge of all necessary orders and records pending the sale of the Bonds, and shall take and have charge and control of the Initial Bond(s) pending the approval by the Attorney General, the registration of the Initial Bond(s) by the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the delivery to the Purchaser.

Furthermore, the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem, City Manager, Chief Financial Officer, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City Clerk, Deputy City Clerk, City Treasurer and City Attorney, any one or more of said officials, are hereby authorized and directed to furnish and execute such documents relating to the City and its financial affairs as may be necessary for the sale of the Bonds, the approval of the Attorney General and registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts and, together with the City's financial advisor, bond counsel and the Paying Agent/Registrar, make the necessary arrangements for their delivery to the Purchaser following such sale.

SECTION 25: **PROCEEDS OF SALE**. Immediately following the delivery of the Bonds, the proceeds of sale of the Bonds (less amounts deposited to the Reserve Fund and amounts to pay costs of issuance) shall be deposited in the "Construction Fund" as provided in Section 26 of this Ordinance.

SECTION 26:COMPLIANCE WITH STATE REVOLVING LOAN FUND RULES.

(a) In compliance with the Rules of the Board, the City agrees and covenants:

(i) to keep and maintain full and complete records and accounts pertaining to the construction of the project financed with the proceeds of sale of the Bonds (Project), including the construction fund account created below, in accordance with the standards set forth by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board;

(ii) to create and establish at an official depository of the City a "Special 2010 City of Austin Loan Construction Fund" (Construction Fund) for the receipt and disbursement of all proceeds from the sale of the Bonds and all other funds acquired by the City in connection with the planning and construction of the Project and all funds deposited to the credit of the Construction Fund shall be disbursed only for the payment of costs and expenses incurred in connection with the planning and building of the Project as approved by the Board and as otherwise allowed by the rules;

upon completion of the construction of the Project, to (iii) provide (i) to the Executive Administrator of the Board a complete set of as-built drawings and (ii) to the Board a final accounting of the total costs of the Project. If the Project as finally completed were built at a total cost less than the amount of available funds for building the Project, or if the Executive Administrator of the Board disapproves construction of any portion of the Project as not being in accordance with the plans and specifications, the City agrees to immediately, with filing of the final accounting, return to the Board the amount of any such excess and/or the cost determined by the Executive Administrator of the Board relating to the parts of the Project not built in accordance with the plans and specifications, to the nearest multiple of the authorized denominations for the Bonds, upon the surrender and cancellation of a like amount of such Bonds held by the Board in inverse order of their Stated Maturities. In determining the amount of available funds for building the Project, the City agrees to account for all amounts deposited to the credit of the Construction Fund, including all loan funds extended by the Board, all other funds available from the Project as described in the project engineer's or fiscal representative's sufficiency of funds statement and all interest earned by the City on money in the Construction Fund:

(iv) to maintain adequate insurance coverage customarily maintained by municipal corporations on the Project in amounts adequate to protect the Board's interest; (v) maintain current, accurate and complete records and accounts necessary to demonstrate compliance with financial assistance related legal and contractual provisions;

(vi) to implement any water conservation program required by the Board until all financial obligations to the State have been discharged;

(vii) to comply with any special conditions specified by the Board's environmental determination until all financial obligations to the State have been discharged;

(viii) to abide by the Board's rules and relevant state statutes, including the Texas Water Code, Chapters 15, 16 and 17; and

(ix) to furnish to the Board, Attention: Executive Administrator, Clean Water State Revolving Fund a copy of each annual audit within 120 days of the close of each Fiscal Year

(x) To the extent permitted by law, the City agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and protect the Board from any and all claims, causes of action or damages to the person or property of third parties arising from the sampling, analysis, transport and/or removal and disposition of any contaminated sewage sludge, contaminated sediments and/or contaminated media that may be generated by the City, its contractors, consultants, agents, officials and employees as a result of activities relating to the Project.

(b) <u>American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Requirements</u>. The City agrees and covenants as follows:

(i) It will seek written approval from the Executive Administrator prior to making any changes to plans, specifications, objectives, or project scope, including any changes to any Green (as defined in the Board Resolution) portion of the Project;

(ii) All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors for a project that is funded in whole or in part with American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) funds shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on projects of a similar character in the locality in accordance with §1606 of the ARRA, the Davis-Bacon Act and the United States Department of Labor's implementing regulations;

(iii) None of the proceeds of the Bonds shall be used for the Project unless all of the iron, steel, and manufactured goods used in the Project are produced in the United States in accordance with §1605 of the ARRA, subject to certain limited exceptions established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA);

(iv) It will comply with all federal and state reporting requirements applicable to the receipt and disbursement of ARRA funds, as detailed in a separate Reporting Agreement to be executed by and between the City and the Executive Administrator. No funds shall be released to reimburse expenses or for any other purpose unless the City has complied with all of the ARRA reporting requirements. Compliance with reporting requirements means that the City has submitted accurate, timely reports as required by EPA, the Office of Management and Budget, (OMB), and other applicable federal and state entities;

(v) The proceeds of sale of the Bonds will be kept separate and distinct from other sources of funding from the date of receipt through costing and final disbursement;

(vi) It will require all contractors and subcontractors on the Project to comply with ARRA requirements for the entire Project, whether the Project is funded in whole or in part under ARRA, including but not limited to the "Buy American" requirements set forth in §1605, the reporting requirements set forth in §1512, and the prevailing wage rate requirements set forth in §1606 of the ARRA;

(vii) It will comply with all federal Disadvantaged Business Enterprise and other procurement and contracting requirements established by the ARRA and adopted by the EPA and will provide documentation of such compliance in the form and manner approved by the Board's Executive Administrator;

(viii) It will comply, and will ensure that all of its contractors and subcontractors comply, with §1553 of the ARRA prohibiting the discharge of, demotion of or discrimination against any person disclosing information in accordance with §1553(a) of the ARRA; (ix) It will require all of its contractors and subcontractors to include in the Project's bid solicitations and project contracts a requirement that they shall promptly refer to an appropriate inspector general any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, contractor, subcontractor, or other person has submitted a false claim under the False Claims Act or has committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct involving ARRA funds. Both contractors and subcontractors shall be required to forward to the EPA Office of Inspector General any information, records or other documentation requested by that office within a reasonable time of receiving such request;

(x) It will ensure and its contractors and subcontractors shall ensure that the construction sites display the ARRA logo in a manner that informs the public that the Project is being funded under the ARRA. The ARRA logo may be obtained from:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Grant Programs Section, 6MD-CG 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas 75202-2722

(xi) It accepts the authority of the Texas State Auditor's Office to conduct audits and investigations in connection with all state funds received pursuant to this Ordinance. The City shall comply with directives from the Texas State Auditor and shall cooperate in any such investigation or audit. The City agrees to provide the Texas State Auditor with access to any information the Texas State Auditor considers relevant to the investigation or audit. The City will require the contractor and subcontractor to submit to audits and investigation by the State Auditor's Office in connection with the Project; and

(xii) The City agrees that the Board, the EPA, and the Comptroller General of the United States shall have full access to any books, documents, papers, and records which are related to the funds expended under this Ordinance and that further these federal entities may make audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions of any such books, documents, papers, and records pursuant to §1514 and §1515 of the ARRA.

SECTION 27: LEGAL OPINION. The obligation of the Underwriters to accept delivery of the Bonds is subject to being furnished a final opinion of Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P., Attorneys, Dallas, Texas, approving such Bonds as to their validity, said opinion to be dated and delivered as of the date of delivery and payment for such Bonds. A true and correct reproduction of said opinion is authorized to be printed on the definitive Bonds or an executed counterpart of such opinion shall accompany the global Bonds deposited with The Depository Trust Company.

SECTION 28: CUSIP NUMBERS. CUSIP numbers may be printed or typed on the definitive Bonds. It is expressly provided, however, that the presence or absence of CUSIP numbers on the definitive Bonds shall be of no significance or effect as regards the legality of the Bonds and neither the City nor attorneys approving said Bonds as to legality are to be held responsible for CUSIP numbers incorrectly printed or typed on the definitive Bonds.

SECTION 29: **PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE ON BUSINESS DAYS.** Whenever under the terms of the Eighteenth Supplement or the Bonds, the performance date of any provision of the Eighteenth Supplement or the Bonds, including the payment of principal of the Bonds, shall occur on a day other than a Business Day, then such performance, including the payment of principal of the Bonds, need not be made on such day but may be performed or paid, as the case may be, on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of performance or payment.

SECTION 30: LIMITATION OF BENEFITS WITH RESPECT TO THE EIGHTEENTH SUPPLEMENT. With the exception of the rights or benefits expressly conferred in the Eighteenth Supplement, nothing expressed or contained in the Eighteenth Supplement or implied from the provisions of the Eighteenth Supplement or the Bonds is intended or should be construed to confer upon or give to any person other than the City, the Holders, and the Paying Agent/Registrar, any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim under or by reason of or in respect to the Eighteenth Supplement or any covenant, condition, stipulation, promise, agreement, or provision contained in the Eighteenth Supplement. The Eighteenth Supplement and all of its covenants, conditions, stipulations, promises, agreements, and provisions of are intended to be and shall be for and inure to the sole and exclusive benefit of the City, the Holders, and the Paying Agent/Registrar as provided in the Eighteenth Supplement and in the Bonds. SECTION 31: NOTICES TO HOLDERS-WAIVER. Wherever the Eighteenth Supplement provides for notice to Holders of any event, such notice shall be sufficiently given (unless otherwise expressly provided in the Eighteenth Supplement) if in writing and sent by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, to the address of each Holder appearing in the Security Register at the close of business on the business day next preceding the mailing of such notice.

In any case where notice to Holders is given by mail, neither the failure to mail such notice to any particular Holders, nor any defect in any notice so mailed, shall affect the sufficiency of such notice with respect to all other Bonds. Where the Eighteenth Supplement provides for notice in any manner, such notice may be waived in writing by the Holder 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. Waivers of notice by Holders shall be filed with the Paying Agent/Registrar, but such filing shall not be a condition precedent to the validity of any action taken in reliance upon such waiver.

SECTION 32: **GOVERNING LAW**. The Eighteenth Supplement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.

SECTION 33: EFFECT OF HEADINGS. The Section headings in the Eighteenth Supplement are for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the construction of the Eighteenth Supplement.

SECTION 34: CONSTRUCTION OF TERMS. If appropriate in the context of the Eighteenth Supplement, words of the singular number shall be considered to include the plural, words of the plural number shall be considered to include the singular, and words of the masculine, feminine or neuter gender shall be considered to include the other genders.

SECTION 35: SEVERABILITY. If any provision or the application of any provision of the Eighteenth Supplement to any circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of the Eighteenth Supplement and the application of the Eighteenth Supplement to other circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City Council hereby declares that the Eighteenth Supplement would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

SECTION 36: **PUBLIC MEETING**. It is officially found, determined, and declared that the meeting at which the Eighteenth Supplement is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public

business to be considered at such meeting, including the Eighteenth Supplement, was given; all as required by V.T.C.A., Government Code, Chapter 551.

SECTION 37: EFFECTIVE DATE. This Eighteenth Supplement is passed on one reading as authorized by V.T.C.A., Government Code, Section 1201.028, and shall be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

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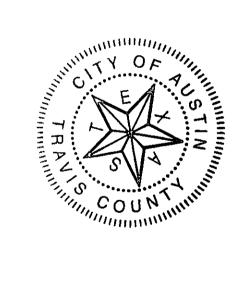
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EXHIBIT A

Paying Agent Registrar Agreement

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PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into as of December 17, 2009 (this "Agreement"), by and between the City of Austin, Texas (the "Issuer"), and Regions Bank, Houston, Texas, a banking corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Alabama and authorized to do business in the State of Texas, or its successors (the "Bank"),

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Issuer has duly authorized and provided for the execution and delivery of its "City of Austin, Texas, Water and Wastewater System Revenue Bonds, Series 2010" (the "Securities" or "Bonds"), dated January 1, 2010, and such Securities are to be delivered in installments to the Texas Water Development Board when and as funds are advanced to the Issuer pursuant to a Clean Water Loan commitment; and

WHEREAS, the Issuer has selected the Bank to serve as paying agent, registrar and transfer agent with respect to such Securities; and

WHEREAS, the Bank has agreed to serve in such capacities for and on behalf of the Issuer and is duly qualified and otherwise capable of performing the duties and responsibilities contemplated by this Agreement with respect to the Securities;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

ARTICLE ONE APPOINTMENT OF BANK AS PAYING AGENT AND REGISTRAR

Section 1.01 <u>Appointment</u>. The Issuer hereby appoints the Bank to serve as Paying Agent with respect to the Securities, and, as Paying Agent for the Securities, the Bank shall be responsible for paying on behalf of the Issuer the principal, premium (if any), and interest on the Securities as the same become due and payable to the registered owners thereof; all in accordance with this Agreement and the "Authorizing Document" (hereinafter defined). The Issuer hereby appoints the Bank as Registrar with respect to the Securities and, as Registrar for the Securities, the Bank shall keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Issuer books and records as to the ownership of said Securities and with respect to the transfer and exchange thereof as provided herein and in the "Authorizing Document".

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

Section 1.02 <u>Compensation</u>. As compensation for the Bank's services as Paying Agent/Registrar, the Issuer hereby agrees to pay the Bank the fees and amounts set forth in Annex A attached hereto.

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

ARTICLE TWO DEFINITIONS

Section 2.01 <u>Definitions</u>. For all purposes of this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires:

"Acceleration Date" on any Security means the date on and after which the principal or any or all installments of interest, or both, are due and payable on any Security which has become accelerated pursuant to the terms of the Security.

"Authorizing Document" means the resolution, order, or ordinance of the governing body of the Issuer pursuant to which the Securities are issued, certified by the Secretary or any other officer of the Issuer and delivered to the Bank.

"Bank Office" means the designated office of the Bank as indicated in Section 3.01 hereof. The Bank will notify the Issuer in writing of any change in location of the Bank Office.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 2.02 <u>Other Definitions</u>. The terms "Bank," "Issuer," and "Securities (Security)" have the meanings assigned to them in the recital paragraphs of this Agreement.

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

ARTICLE THREE PAYING AGENT

Section 3.01 <u>Duties of Paying Agent</u>. As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Issuer, pay on behalf of the Issuer the principal of each Security at its Stated Maturity, Redemption Date, or Acceleration Date, to the Holder upon surrender of the Security to the Bank at the following address:

Regions Bank 298 West Valley Avenue, 2nd Floor Homewood, Alabama 35209 Attention: Operations

As Paying Agent, the Bank shall, provided adequate collected funds have been provided to it for such purpose by or on behalf of the Issuer, pay on behalf of the Issuer the interest on each Security when due, by computing the amount of interest to be paid each Holder and making payment thereof to the Holders of the Securities (or their Predecessor Securities) on the Record Date (as defined in the Authorizing Document). All payments of principal and/or interest on the Securities to the registered owners shall be accomplished (1) by the issuance of checks, payable to the registered owners, drawn on the fiduciary account provided in Section 5.05 hereof, sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the address appearing on the Security Register or (2) by such other method, acceptable to the Bank, requested in writing by the Holder at the Holder's risk and expense.

Section 3.02 <u>Payment Dates</u>. The Issuer hereby instructs the Bank to pay the principal of and interest on the Securities at the dates specified in the Authorizing Document.

ARTICLE FOUR REGISTRAR

Section 4.01 <u>Security Register - Transfers and Exchanges</u>. The Bank agrees to keep and maintain for and on behalf of the Issuer at the Bank Office books and records (herein sometimes referred to as the "Security Register") for recording the names and addresses of the Holders of the Securities, the transfer, exchange and replacement of the Securities and the payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders and containing such other information as may be reasonably required by the Issuer and subject to such reasonable regulations as the Issuer and the Bank may prescribe. All transfers, exchanges and replacement of Securities shall be noted in the Security Register.

Every Security surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, the signature on which has been guaranteed by an officer of a federal or state bank or a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers, in form satisfactory to the Bank, and duly executed by the Holder thereof or his agent duly authorized in writing. The Bank may request any supporting documentation it feels necessary to effect a re-registration, transfer or exchange of the Securities.

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

Section 4.02 <u>Certificates</u>. The Issuer shall provide additional Securities when needed to facilitate transfers or exchanges thereof. The Bank covenants that such additional Securities, if and when provided, will be kept in safekeeping pending their use and reasonable care will be exercised by the Bank in maintaining such Securities in safekeeping, which shall be not less than the care maintained by the Bank for debt securities of other governments or corporations for which it serves as registrar, or that is maintained for its own securities.

Section 4.03 <u>Form of Security Register</u>. The Bank, as Registrar, will maintain the Security Register relating to the registration, payment, transfer and exchange of the Securities in accordance with the Bank's general practices and procedures in effect from time to time. The Bank shall not be obligated to maintain such Security Register in any form other than those which the Bank has currently available and currently utilizes at the time.

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

Section 4.04 <u>List of Security Holders</u>. The Bank will provide the Issuer at any time requested by the Issuer, upon payment of the required fee, a copy of the information contained in the Security Register. The Issuer may also inspect the information contained in the Security Register at any time the Bank is customarily open for business, provided that reasonable time is allowed the Bank to provide an up-to-date listing or to convert the information into written form.

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

Section 4.05 <u>Return of Cancelled Securities</u>. The Bank will, at such reasonable intervals as it determines, surrender to the Issuer, all Securities in lieu of which or in exchange for which other Securities have been issued, or which have been paid.

Section 4.06 <u>Mutilated</u>, <u>Destroyed</u>, <u>Lost or Stolen Securities</u>. The Issuer hereby instructs the Bank, subject to the provisions of the Authorizing Document, to deliver and issue Securities in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities as long as the same does not result in an overissuance.

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

Section 4.07 <u>Transaction Information to Issuer</u>. The Bank will, within a reasonable time after receipt of written request from the Issuer, furnish the Issuer information as to the Securities it has paid pursuant to Section 3.01, Securities it has delivered upon the transfer or exchange of any Securities pursuant to Section 4.01, and Securities it has delivered in exchange for or in lieu of mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen Securities pursuant to Section 4.06.

ARTICLE FIVE THE BANK

Section 5.01 <u>Duties of Bank</u>. The Bank undertakes to perform the duties set forth herein and agrees to use reasonable care in the performance thereof.

Section 5.02 <u>Reliance on Documents, Etc.</u>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 5.03 <u>Recitals of Issuer</u>. The recitals contained herein with respect to the Issuer and in the Securities shall be taken as the statements of the Issuer, and the Bank assumes no responsibility for their correctness.

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

Section 5.04 <u>May Hold Securities</u>. The Bank, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities and may otherwise deal with the Issuer with the same rights it would have if it were not the Paying Agent/Registrar, or any other agent.

Section 5.05 <u>Moneys Held by Bank - Paying Agent Account</u>. A paying agent account shall at all times be kept and maintained by the Bank for the receipt, safekeeping, and disbursement of moneys received from the Issuer under this Agreement for the payment of the Securities, and money deposited to the credit of such account until paid to the Holders of the Securities shall be continuously collateralized by securities or obligations which qualify and are eligible under both the laws of the State of Texas and the laws of the United States of America to secure and be pledged as collateral for paying agent accounts to the extent such money is not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Payments made from such paying agent account shall be made by check drawn on such account unless the owner of the Securities shall, at its own expense and risk, request an alternative method of payment.

Subject to the applicable unclaimed property laws of the State of Texas, any money deposited with the Bank for the payment of the principal of, premium (if any), or interest on any Security and remaining unclaimed for three years after final maturity of the Security has become due and payable will be held by the Bank and disposed of only in accordance with Title 6 of the Texas Property Code, as amended. The Bank shall have no liability by virtue of actions taken in compliance with this provision.

The Bank is not obligated to pay interest on any money received by it under this Agreement.

This Agreement relates solely to money deposited for the purposes described herein, and the parties agree that the Bank may serve as depository for other funds of the Issuer, act as trustee under indentures authorizing other bond transactions of the Issuer, or act in any other capacity not in conflict with its duties hereunder.

Section 5.06 <u>Indemnification</u>. To the extent permitted by law, the Issuer agrees to indemnify the Bank for, and hold it harmless against, any loss, liability, or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on its part, arising out of or in connection with its acceptance or administration of its duties hereunder, including the cost and expense against any claim or liability in connection with the exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties under this Agreement.

Section 5.07 <u>Interpleader</u>. The Issuer and the Bank agree that the Bank may seek adjudication of any adverse claim, demand, or controversy over its person as well as funds on deposit, in either a Federal or State District Court located in the State and County where the administrative offices of the Issuer are located, and agree that service of process by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the address referred to in Section 6.03 of this Agreement shall constitute adequate service. The Issuer and the Bank further agree that the Bank has the right to file a Bill of Interpleader in any court of competent jurisdiction in the State of Texas to determine the rights of any Person claiming any interest herein.

Section 5.08 <u>DT Services.</u> It is hereby represented and warranted that, in the event the Securities are otherwise qualified and accepted for "Depository Trust Company" services or equivalent depository trust services by other organizations, the Bank has the capability and, to the extent within its control, will comply with the "Operational Arrangements", which establishes requirements for securities to be eligible for such type depository trust services, including, but not limited to, requirements for the timeliness of payments and funds availability, transfer turnaround time, and notification of redemptions and calls.

ARTICLE SIX CLOSING AGENT

Section 6.01 <u>Closing Agent</u>. As the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Securities, the Bank also agrees to serve as the Closing Agent for the delivery of the Securities to the initial purchaser, i.e., the Texas Water Development Board ("TWDB"), and in connection therewith, the Bank understands the Securities are to be delivered in installments to the initial purchaser using the book-entry-only system provided by the Depository Trust Company ("DTC").

Section 6.02 Installment Deliveries.

(a) The Issuer agrees to cause to be delivered to the Bank thirty (30) Initial Bonds (one Initial Bond for each year of maturity in the applicable principal amount and denomination and to be numbered consecutively from T-1 and upward and registered to the TWDB) following their approval by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and their registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts. Additionally, the Issuer shall cause to be deposited with the Bank a sufficient inventory of definitive Bonds to be completed and delivered by the Bank to DTC in exchange for the Initial Bonds when and as payment for the Bonds occurs by the initial purchaser.

(b) The Bonds shall be delivered, in whole or in part, in numerical order, beginning with Bond No. R-1, upon payment by the TWDB of the principal amount of the Bonds to be delivered (less any administrative fee of the TWDB), as specified by the TWDB. Such initial installment delivery of the Bonds shall be accomplished by the delivery to DTC, for the account of the TWDB, of a definitive Bond or Bonds in the appropriate principal amount or amounts, registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC. With each installment delivery, the Bank shall complete the "Registration Certificate of the Paying Agent/Registrar" on each definitive Bond delivered to DTC by noting thereon the date of its registration and delivery and having an authorized officer execute such Bond on behalf of the Bank. Simultaneously with the issuance of definitive Bonds to the DTC, the Bank shall cancel Initial Bonds of like maturities and principal amounts.

To the extent there is an installment delivery of Bonds representing a (c) partial amount of the principal amount due and payable on the Bonds in a year, the Bank shall cause a definitive Bond to be issued and delivered to DTC in the amount advanced and shall indicate on the Principal Advancement Ledger on the Initial Bond the partial amount advance for such maturity, the date of advancement and the principal amount remaining to be advanced. The date of advance shall be indicated on the definitive Bond as its Registration Date. The Initial Bond, to be held in escrow by the Paying Agent, shall represent the portion of the undelivered principal amount yet to be advanced. Upon each additional advancement of funds, the Paying Agent shall note on the Principal Advancement Ledger of the Initial Bond the additional amount advanced, the date of the additional advancement, and the remaining undelivered principal amount. Simultaneously, the Paying Agent shall issue and deliver to DTC a definitive Bond for the additional amount advanced. Once the entire principal amount for a particular maturity has been advanced through the issuance of multiple definitive Bonds, the Paying Agent shall cancel the Initial Bond for such maturity.

(d) With each installment delivery of Bonds to the DTC for the account of the TWDB, the Bank as Closing Agent shall complete (i) a Receipt for such delivery, duly executed and dated, identifying the amount paid and the principal amount of definitive Bonds delivered to DTC, and (ii) a No Litigation Certificate, in substantially the forms attached hereto as Exhibits A and B, and forward one copy of such Receipt and one copy of such No Litigation Certificate to the TWDB, and, if applicable, to the insurance company providing insurance on the Bonds and three copies of each document to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P., Attorneys at Law, 2200 Ross Avenue, Suite 2800, Dallas, Texas 75201, Attention: Diane Callahan.

(e) The Issuer agrees to notify the Bank and the TWDB of any litigation pending or threatened restraining or enjoining the issuance and delivery of the Bonds or in any manner questioning the proceedings or authority for the issuance of the Bonds. Upon such notice, the Bank will cease to deliver any Bonds unless advised by both the Issuer and the TWDB that deliveries of the Bonds may be reinstated.

(f) The Bank shall cause the proceeds of sale received from each installment delivery of the Bonds to be immediately transmitted to the Issuer for deposit to the credit of the Issuer's Construction Fund, established in the Authorizing Document authorizing the issuance of the Bonds in accordance with instructions received by the Issuer.

(g) The Bank shall not be liable for any act done or step taken or omitted by it or any mistake of fact or law, except for its negligence or default or failure in the performance of any obligation imposed upon it hereunder as Closing Agent. The Bank shall not be responsible in any manner for any proceedings in connection with the Bonds or recitals contained therein.

ARTICLE SEVEN MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 7.01 <u>Amendment</u>. This Agreement may be amended only by an agreement in writing signed by both of the parties hereto.

Section 7.02 <u>Assignment</u>. This Agreement may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other.

Section 7.03 <u>Notices</u>. Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver, or other document provided or permitted hereby to be

given or furnished to the Issuer or the Bank shall be mailed or delivered to the Issuer or the Bank, respectively, at the addresses shown on the signature page hereof.

Section 7.04 <u>Effect of Headings</u>. The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

Section 7.05 <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. All covenants and agreements herein by the Issuer shall bind its successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 7.06 <u>Severability</u>. In case any provision herein shall be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality, and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 7.07 <u>Merger, Conversion, Consolidation or Succession.</u> Any corporation or association into which the Bank may be merged or converted or with which it may be consolidated, or any corporation or association resulting from any merger, conversion, or consolidation to which the Bank shall be a party, or any corporation or association succeeding to all or substantially all of the corporate trust business of the Bank shall be the successor of the Bank as Paying Agent under this Agreement without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of either parties hereto.

Section 7.08 <u>Benefits of Agreement</u>. Nothing herein, express or implied, shall give to any Person, other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder.

Section 7.09 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement and the Authorizing Document constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto relative to the Bank acting as Paying Agent/Registrar and if any conflict exists between this Agreement and the Authorizing Document, the Authorizing Document shall govern.

Section 7.10 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

Section 7.11 <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement will terminate (i) on the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the Securities to the Holders thereof or (ii) may be earlier terminated by either party upon sixty (60) days written notice; provided, however, an early termination of this Agreement by

either party shall not be effective until (a) a successor Paying Agent/Registrar has been appointed by the Issuer and such appointment accepted and (b) notice has been given to the Holders of the Securities of the appointment of a successor Paying Agent/Registrar. However, if the Issuer fails to appoint a successor Paying Agent/Registrar within a reasonable time, the Bank may petition a court of competent jurisdiction within the State of Texas to appoint a successor. Furthermore, the Bank and Issuer mutually agree that the effective date of an early termination of this Agreement shall not occur at any time which would disrupt, delay or otherwise adversely affect the payment of the Securities.

Upon an early termination of this Agreement, the Bank agrees to promptly transfer and deliver the Security Register (or a copy thereof), together with other pertinent books and records relating to the Securities, to the successor Paying Agent/Registrar designated and appointed by the Issuer.

The provisions of Section 1.02 and of Article Five shall survive and remain in full force and effect following the termination of this Agreement.

Section 7.12 <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

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

REGIONS BANK, Houston, Texas

BY Title:

Address: 1717 St. James Place Suite 500 Houston, Texas 77056

Title:

Attest:

CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS

Attest:

BY _____ Lee Leffingwell, Mayor

Address: P. O. Box 1088 Austin, Texas 78767

Shirley A. Gentry, City Clerk

ANNEX A

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Paying Agent, Registrar Services for

City of Austin W/WW Utility System \$31,815,000 ARRA Installment Loan

Schedule of Fees

Acceptance Fee:	Waived	
Paying Agent/ Registrar:	.\$175	Annually in Advance
Installment Fee:	.\$100	Charged Per Installment

The Acceptance Fee and the initial Paying Agent and Registrar Administration Fee are payable at the closing of this transaction. Thereafter, the Administration Fee and any expenses will be billed on the anniversary date of the closing.

The above-mentioned Fees are basic charges and do not include out-of-pocket expenses, which will be billed in addition to the regular charges as required. Out-of-pocket expenses shall include, but are not limited to: telephone tolls, stationery, travel and postage expenses.

Charges for performing extraordinary or other services not contemplated at the time of the execution of the transaction or not specifically covered elsewhere in this schedule will be determined by appraisal in amounts commensurate with the service to be provided. Counsel fees, if ever retained as a result of default or other extraordinary occurrence on behalf of the bondholders or Regions will be billed at cost. Quote does not include legal fees for trustee counsel opinions.

Services not included in this Fee Schedule, but deemed necessary or desirable by you, may be subject to additional charges based on a mutually agreed upon fee schedule.

Our proposal is subject in all aspects to Region's review and acceptance of the final financing documents, which set forth our duties and responsibilities.

By: <u>/s/ Mark Dault</u> Mark Dault Vice President

Date: December 9, 2009

EXHIBIT A FORM OF RECEIPT FOR INSTALLMENT DELIVERIES

RECEIPT FOR PAYMENT

On the date hereof the following described Bonds: "CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2010", dated January 1, 2010, in the aggregate principal amount of \$______, being bonds numbered ______ through ______, scheduled to mature on November 15 in the year(s) ______ (the "Bonds") were delivered to the purchaser(s) thereof, namely:

TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD

following the receipt of immediately available funds from the purchaser(s) in settlement of the agreed purchase price for the Bonds as follows:

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT		
TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED ON DELIVERY OF THE BONDS	\$	

Furthermore, the undersigned has on the date of this receipt transmitted the above amount of funds to the _______ (the depository bank of the issuer) for deposit to the credit of the issuer's account in accordance with the instructions received.

DELIVERED, this _____.

REGIONS BANK, Houston, Texas

By:				
Title:			 	

EXHIBIT B FORM OF NO-LITIGATION CERTIFICATE

NO-LITIGATION CERTIFICATE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TRAVIS

WE, the undersigned, officials of the City of Austin, Texas (the "Issuer"), do hereby certify with respect to the "CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS, WATER AND WASTEWATER SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2010", dated January 1, 2010, in the aggregate principal amount of \$_____ and being bonds numbered _____ through _____ maturing November 15 in the year(s) _____ (the "Bonds") that:

1. No litigation of any nature is now pending before any federal or state court, or administrative body, or to our knowledge threatened, seeking to restrain or enjoin the issuance, sale or delivery of the Bonds or the authority or actions of the governing body of the Issuer authorizing the issuance or sale of the Bonds, or relating to the sale of the Bonds, questioning or affecting the operations of the Issuer's Water/Wastewater System (the "System"), the revenues derived from the operations and ownership of the System or the rates and charges for products and services provided thereby, or that would otherwise adversely affect in a material manner the financial condition of the Issuer, or the System, to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds; and that neither the corporate existence or boundaries of the Issuer nor the right to hold office of any member of the governing body of the Issuer or any other elected or appointed official of the Issuer is being contested or otherwise questioned.

2. No authority or proceeding for the issuance, sale or delivery of the Bonds, passed and adopted by the governing body of the Issuer, has been amended, repealed, revoked, rescinded or otherwise modified since the date of passage thereof, and all such proceedings and authority relating to the issuance and sale of the Bonds remain in full force and effect as of the date of this certificate.

DELIVERED, this ______.

CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS

LEE LEFFINGWELL, Mayor

SHIRLEY A. GENTRY, City Clerk

Exhibit B

Continuing Disclosure Requirements Under the Rule

DESCRIPTION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following information is referred to in Section 21 of the Eighteenth Supplement.

Annual Financial Statements and Operating Data

The financial information and operating data with respect to the City to be provided annually in accordance with such Section are as specified (and included in the Appendix or under the headings of the Official Statement referred to) below:

Financial information and operating data customarily prepared by the City and publicly available include (i) financial statements of the City for the most recently concluded fiscal year, (iii) current monthly drainage rates, (iii) municipal drainage utility system revenue debt service requirements, (v) condensed statement of operations for the System, (vi) a list of current investments and (vii) customer count for the System.

Accounting Principles

The accounting principles referred to in such Section are the generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units as prescribed by The Governmental Accounting Standards Board.