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CITY OF CLARKSBURG

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DESIGN AND OTHER PRE-CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE ADDITIONS, BETTERMENTS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG AS WELL AS COSTS TO BE PAID TO THE US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS IN REGARD THERETO AND THE FINANCING OF THE COST THEREOF, NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED, THROUGH THE ISSUANCE BY THE CITY OF NOT MORE THAN $1,500,000 IN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF SEWER DESIGN REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2023 A; PROVIDING FOR THE RIGHTS AND REMEDIES OF AND SECURITY FOR THE REGISTERED OWNERS OF SUCH BONDS; AUTHORIZING EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF ALL DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS; AND AUTHORIZING THE SALE AND PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND PROVISIONS OF SUCH BONDS AND ADOPTING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING THERETO.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG:

ARTICLE I

STATUTORY AUTHORITY, FINDINGS AND DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01. Authority for this Ordinance. This Ordinance (together with any ordinance, order or resolution supplemental hereto or amendatory hereof, the "Bond Legislation") is enacted pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended (collectively, the "Act"), and other applicable provisions of law.

Section 1.02. Findings. It is hereby found, determined and declared that:

A. The City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer") is a municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia in Harrison County of said State.

B. The Issuer presently owns and operates a public sewer system. It is deemed necessary and desirable for the health and welfare of the inhabitants of the Issuer that there be acquired and constructed certain additions, betterments and improvements to existing public sewer system of the Issuer including improvements to be undertaken for the Issuer by the US Army Corps of Engineers, consisting of extension of sewer service to Arlington, West Virginia, located in Harrison County, and the addition of a tie-in point for future projects, together with all appurtenant facilities (collectively, the

"Project") (the existing public sewer system of the Issuer, the Project and any further additions, betterments and improvements thereto are herein called the "System"), in accordance with the plans and specifications to be prepared by the Consulting Engineers. The design and other preconstruction services for the Project including those to be undertaken by the US Army Corps of Engineers and deposits to be made to the US Army Corps of Engineers in connection with Project construction to be undertaken by it are collectively referred to as the "Design Project".

C. It is deemed necessary for the Issuer to issue its Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A, in the total aggregate principal amount of not more than $1,500,000 (the "Series 2023 A Bonds"), in one or more series, to finance the costs of the Design Project. Said costs shall be deemed to include the cost of all property rights, easements and franchises deemed necessary or convenient therefor; interest upon the Series 2023 A Bonds for a period not exceeding 6 months after completion of the Design Project; amounts which may be deposited in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Accounts (as hereinafter defined); engineering and legal expenses; expenses for estimates of costs and revenues; expenses for plans, specifications and surveys; other expenses necessary or incident to determining the feasibility or practicability of the enterprise; administrative expense; commitment fees; discount; initial fees for the services of registrars, paying agents, depositories or trustees or other costs in connection with the sale of the Series 2023 A Bonds and such other expenses as may be necessary or incidental to the financing herein authorized; and the performance of the things herein required or permitted, in connection with any thereof, provided, that reimbursement to the Issuer for any amounts expended by it for allowable costs prior to the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds or the repayment of indebtedness incurred by the Issuer for such purposes shall be deemed Costs of the Project, as hereinafter defined.

D. The period of usefulness of the System after completion of the Design Project is not less than 20 years.

E. It is in the best interests of the Issuer that its Series 2023 A Bonds be sold to the Purchaser (as hereinafter defined) pursuant to this Bond Legislation.

F. There are outstanding obligations of the Issuer which will rank on a parity with the Series 2023 A Bonds as to liens, pledge, source of and security for payment, being the Issuer's:

(i) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2009 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 8, 2009, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $1,000,000;

(ii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated January 9, 2014, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $12,000,000;

(iii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 30, 2020, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $7,500,000; and

(iv) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2022 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated April 27, 2022, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $725,000 (collectively, the "Prior Bonds").

The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be issued on a parity with the Prior Bonds with respect to liens, pledge and source of and security for payment and in all other respects. Prior to the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, the Issuer will obtain (i) a certificate of an Independent Certified Public Accountant stating that the coverage and parity tests of the Prior Bonds are met; (ii) the written consent of the Holders of the Prior Bonds to the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds on a parity with the Prior Bonds. Other than the Prior Bonds, there are no outstanding bonds or obligations of the Issuer which are secured by

revenues or assets of the System. The Issuer is in compliance with all covenants of the Prior Bonds and Prior Ordinances.

G. The estimated revenues to be derived in each year after completion of the Project from the operation of the System will be sufficient to pay all costs of operation and maintenance of the System, the principal of and interest on the Bonds (as hereinafter defined) and to make all payments into all funds, accounts and other payments provided for herein.

H. The Issuer has complied with all requirements of West Virginia law relating to authorization of the Design Project and the operation of the System and issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, or will have so complied prior to issuance of any thereof.

Section 1.03. Bond Legislation Constitutes Contract. In consideration of the acceptance of the Series 2023 A Bonds by those who shall be the Registered Owners of the same from time to time, this Bond Legislation shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract between the Issuer and such Bondholders, and the covenants and agreements herein set forth to be performed by the Issuer shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Registered Owners of any and all of such Series 2023 A Bonds, all which shall be of equal rank and without preference, priority or distinction between any one Bond of a series and any other Bonds of the same series, and by reason of priority of issuance or otherwise, except as expressly provided therein and herein.

Section 1.04. Definitions. The following terms shall have the following meanings herein unless the context expressly requires otherwise:

"Act" means Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended and in effect on the date of enactment hereof.

"Authorized Officer" means the Mayor and City Manager of the Issuer, or any other officer of the Issuer specifically designated by resolution of the Governing Body.

"Board" means the Clarksburg Sanitary Board existing under Section 23 of the charter of the City of Clarksburg and having powers and duties as set forth in such charter.

"Bondholder," "Holder of the Bonds," "Holder," "Registered Owner" or any similar term whenever used herein with respect to an outstanding Bond or Bonds, means the person in whose name such Bond is registered.

"Bond Legislation," "Ordinance," "Bond Ordinance" or "Local Act" means this Bond Ordinance and all ordinances, orders and resolutions supplemental hereto or amendatory hereof.

"Bond Registrar" means the bank or other entity to be designated as such in the Supplemental Resolution and its successors and assigns.

"Bonds" means, collectively, the Series 2023 A Bonds, the Prior Bonds and, where appropriate, any bonds on a parity therewith subsequently authorized to be issued hereunder or by another ordinance of the Issuer.

"Bond Year" means the 12-month period beginning on the anniversary of the Closing Date in each year and ending on the day prior to the anniversary date of the Closing Date in the following year, except that the first Bond Year shall begin on the Closing Date.

"Cash Working Capital Reserve" means the Cash Working Capital Reserve account established with the Depository Bank pursuant to Section 5.01 hereof.

"City Clerk" means the City Clerk of the Issuer.

"City Manager" means the City Manager of the Issuer.

"Closing Date" means the date upon which there is an exchange of the Series 2023 A Bonds for all or a portion of the proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Regulations.

"Commission" means the West Virginia Municipal Bond Commission or any other agency of the State of West Virginia that succeeds to the functions of the Commission.

"Consulting Engineers" means The Thrasher Group, Inc., Clarksburg, West Virginia, or any qualified engineer or firm of engineers, licensed by the State, that shall at any time hereafter be procured by the Issuer as Consulting Engineers for the System, or portion thereof, in accordance with Chapter 5G, Article 1 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended; provided however, that the Consulting Engineers shall not be a regular, full-time employee of the State or any of its agencies, commissions, or political subdivisions and provided that the US Army Corps of Engineers may undertake design activities with respect to the Project.

"Costs" or "Costs of the Design Project" means those costs described in Section 1.02C hereof to be a part of the cost of the Design Project.

"Depository Bank" means the bank designated as such in the Supplemental Resolution, and its successors and assigns, which shall be a member of FDIC.

"Design Project" means the Design Project as described in Section 1.02 B hereof.

"FDIC" means the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and any successor to the functions of the FDIC.

"Fiscal Year" means each 12-month period beginning on July 1 and ending on the succeeding June 30.

"Governing Body" means the Council of the Issuer, as it may now or hereafter be constituted.

"Government Obligations" means direct obligations of, or obligations the timely payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by, the United States of America.

"Gross Revenues" means the aggregate gross operating and non-operating revenues of the System, as hereinafter defined, determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, after deduction of prompt payment discounts, if any, and reasonable provision for uncollectible accounts; provided that, "Gross Revenues" does not include any gains from the sale or other disposition of, or from any increase in the value of, capital assets (including Qualified Investments, as hereinafter defined, purchased pursuant to Article 8.01 hereof) or any Tap Fees, as hereinafter defined.

"Herein," "hereto" and similar words shall refer to this entire Bond Legislation.

"Independent Certified Public Accountants" means any certified public accountant or firm of certified public accountants that shall at any time hereafter be retained by the Issuer or the Board to prepare an independent annual or special audit of the accounts of the System or for any other purpose except keeping the accounts of the System in the normal operation of its business and affairs.

"Investment Property" means (1) any security (within the meaning of Section 165(g)(2)(A) or (B) of the Code), (2) any obligation, (3) any annuity contract, (4) any investment-type property, or (5) in the case of a bond other than a private activity bond, any residential rental property for family units which is not located within the jurisdiction of the Issuer and which is not acquired to implement a court ordered or approved housing desegregation plan. Except as provided in the following sentence, the term "Investment Property" does not include any tax-exempt bond. With respect to an issue other than an issue a part of which is a specified private activity bond (as defined in section 57(a)(5)(C) of the Code), the term "Investment Property" includes a specified private activity bond (as so defined).

"Issuer" or "City" means the City of Clarksburg, a municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia, in Harrison County, West Virginia, and, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, includes the Governing Body of the Issuer and includes the Board.

"Mayor" means the Mayor of the Issuer.

"Net Proceeds" means the face amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds, plus accrued interest and premium, if any, less original issue discount, if any, and less proceeds, if any, deposited in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account. For purposes of the Private Business Use limitations set forth herein, the term Net Proceeds shall include any amounts resulting from the investment of proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds, without regard to whether or not such investment is made in tax-exempt obligations.

"Net Revenues" means the balance of the Gross Revenues, remaining after deduction of Operating Expenses, as hereinafter defined.

"Nonpurpose Investment" means any Investment Property as defined in Section 148(b) of the Code, that is not a purpose investment.

"Operating Expenses" means the reasonable, proper and necessary costs of repair, maintenance and operation of the System and includes, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, administrative, engineering, legal, auditing and insurance expenses, other than those capitalized as part of the costs, fees and expenses of the Depository Bank, the Registrar and the Paying Agent (all as herein defined), other than those capitalized as part of the costs, payments to pension or retirement funds, taxes and such other reasonable operating costs and expenses as should normally and regularly be included under generally accepted accounting principles; provided, that "Operating Expenses" does not include payments on account of the principal of or redemption premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds, charges for depreciation, losses from the sale or other disposition of, or from any decrease in the value of, capital assets, amortization of debt discount or such miscellaneous deductions as are applicable to prior accounting periods.

"Outstanding," when used with reference to Bonds and as of any particular date, describes all Bonds theretofore and thereupon being authenticated and delivered, except (i) any Bond cancelled by the Bond Registrar or the registrar for Prior Bonds at or prior to said date; (ii) any Bond for the payment of which monies, equal to its principal amount and redemption premium, if applicable, with interest to the date of maturity or redemption shall be in trust hereunder and set aside for such payment (whether upon or prior to maturity); (iii) any Bond deemed to have been paid as provided in Article X hereof; (iv) any Prior Bond deemed to have been paid in accordance with the resolution authorizing the issuance thereof;

and (v) for purposes of consents or other action by a specified percentage of Bondholders, any Bonds registered to the Issuer.

"Parity Bonds" means additional Bonds issued under the provisions and within the limitations prescribed by Section 7.07 hereof.

"Paying Agent" means the Commission or other entity or authority designated as such for the Series 2023 A Bonds in the Supplemental Resolution.

"Prior Bonds" means the Series 2009 A Bonds, the Series 2014 A Bonds, the Series 2020 A Bonds, and the Series 2022 A Bonds.

"Prior Ordinances" means, collectively, the ordinances of the Issuer, including all amendments and supplements thereto, authorizing the issuance of the Prior Bonds.

"Private Business Use" means use directly or indirectly in a trade or business carried on by a natural person, including all persons "related" to such person within the meaning of Section 144(a)(3) of the Code, or in any activity carried on by a person other than a natural person, including all persons "related" to such person within the meaning of Section 144(a)(3) of the Code, excluding, however, use by a state or local governmental unit and use as a member of the general public. All of the foregoing shall be determined in accordance with the Code, including, without limitation, giving due regard to "incidental use," if any, of the proceeds of the issue and/or proceeds used for "qualified improvements," if any.

"Project" means the Project as described in Section 1.02B hereof.

"Purchaser" means the purchaser or purchasers of the Series 2023 A Bonds directly from the Issuer, designated as such in the Supplemental Resolution and its successors and assigns.

"Qualified Investments" means and includes any investment permitted to be made by a municipality, public service district or public corporation of the State pursuant to State Law, specifically including but not limited to Chapter 8, Article 13, Section 22 of the Code of West Virginia and the West Virginia "consolidated fund" managed by the West Virginia Board of Treasury Investments pursuant to Chapter 12, Article 6C of the Code of West Virginia.

"Registered Owner," "Bondholder," "Holder" or any similar term means whenever used herein with respect to an outstanding Bond or Bonds, the person in whose name such Bond is registered.

"Registrar" means the Bond Registrar.

"Regulations" means temporary and permanent regulations promulgated under the Code, or any predecessor thereto.

"Reserve Accounts" means, collectively, the respective reserve accounts established for the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Prior Bonds.

"Reserve Requirement" means, collectively, the respective amount required to be on deposit in any Reserve Account for the Prior Bonds and the Series 2023 A Bonds.

"Revenue Fund" means the Revenue Fund created by the Prior Ordinances and continued hereby.

"Series 2009 A Bonds" means the Issuer's Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2009 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 8, 2009, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $1,000,000.

"Series 2014 A Bonds" means the Issuer's Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated January 9, 2014, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $12,000,000.

"Series 2020 A Bonds" means the Issuer's Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 30, 2020, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $7,500,000.

"Series 2022 A Bonds" means the Issuer's Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2022 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated April 27, 2022, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $725,000.

"Series 2023 A Bonds" means Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A of the Issuer, authorized by this Bond Legislation.

"Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund" means the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund established by Section 5.01 hereof.

"Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account" means the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account established by Section 5.02 hereof.

"Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Requirement" means, as of any date of calculation, the maximum amount of principal and interest which will become due on the Series 2023 A Bonds in the then current or any succeeding year.

"Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund" means the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund established by Section 5.02 hereof.

"Sinking Funds" means, collectively, the respective sinking funds established for the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Prior Bonds.

"State" means the State of West Virginia.

"Supplemental Resolution" means any resolution, ordinance or order of the Issuer supplementing or amending this Ordinance and, when preceded by the article "the," refers specifically to the supplemental resolution authorizing the sale of the Series 2023 A Bonds; provided, that any matter intended by this Ordinance to be included in the Supplemental Resolution with respect to the Series 2023 A Bonds, and not so included may be included in another Supplemental Resolution.

"Surplus Revenues" means the Net Revenues not required by the Bond Legislation or the Prior Ordinances to be set aside and held for the payment of or security for the Bonds or any other obligation of the Issuer, including, without limitation, the Sinking Funds and the Reserve Accounts.

"System" means, collectively, the complete existing sewer system of the Issuer, as presently existing in its entirety or any integral part thereof, and shall include the Project and any and all additions,

betterments and improvements thereto hereafter acquired or constructed for the System from any sources whatsoever, both within and without the Issuer.

"Tap Fees" means the fees, if any, paid by prospective customers of the System in order to connect thereto.

Additional terms and phrases are defined in this Ordinance as they are used. Words importing singular number shall include the plural number in each case and vice versa; words importing persons shall include firms and corporations; and words importing the masculine, feminine or neutral gender shall include any other gender.

ARTICLE II

AUTHORIZATION OF THE DESIGN PROJECT

Section 2.01. Authorization of the Design Project. There is hereby authorized and ordered the Design Project, at an estimated cost of $1,250,000. The proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds hereby authorized shall be applied as provided in Article VI hereof.

The cost of the Design Project is estimated not to exceed $1,500,000, which will be obtained from proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds with the remainder to be paid from grant funding or other funds to be provided to the Issuer either pursuant to an equity contribution by the Board, an additional borrowing of the Issuer, debt forgiveness loans undertaken by the Issuer, grants provided to the Issuer or a combination thereof.

ARTICLE III

AUTHORIZATION, TERMS, EXECUTION, REGISTRATION AND SALE OF BONDS

Section 3.01. Authorization of Bonds. For the purposes of capitalizing interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds, funding a reserve account for the Series 2023 A Bonds, paying costs of the Design Project not otherwise provided for and paying certain costs of issuance and related costs, or any or all of such purposes, as determined by the Supplemental Resolution, there shall be and hereby are authorized to be issued the negotiable Series 2023 A Bonds of the Issuer. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be issued in one or more series, designated "Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A", in the aggregate principal amount of not more than $1,500,000, and shall have such terms as set forth hereinafter and in the Supplemental Resolution. The proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds remaining after funding of the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account (if funded from Bond proceeds) and capitalizing interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds, if any, shall be deposited in or credited to the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund established by Section 5.01 hereof and applied as set forth in Article VI hereof.

Section 3.02. Terms of Bonds. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be issued in such principal amounts; shall bear interest at such rate or rates, not exceeding the then legal maximum, payable on such dates; shall mature on such dates and in such amounts; and shall be redeemable, in whole or in part, all as the Issuer shall prescribe in a Supplemental Resolution. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be payable as to principal at the office of the Paying Agent, in any coin or currency which, on the dates of payment of principal is legal tender for the payment of public or private debts under the laws of the United States of America. Interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be paid by check or draft of the Paying Agent or its agent, mailed to the Registered Owner thereof at the address as it appears on the books of the Bond Registrar, or by such other method as shall be mutually agreeable so long as the Purchaser is the Registered Owner thereof.

Unless otherwise provided by the Supplemental Resolution, the Series 2023 A Bonds shall initially be issued in the form of a single bond, fully registered to the Purchaser, with a record of advances and a debt service schedule attached, representing the aggregate principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds, and shall mature in principal installments, all as provided in the Supplemental Resolution. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be exchangeable at the option and expense of the Registered Owner for another fully registered Bond or Bonds of the same series in aggregate principal amount equal to the amount of said Bonds then Outstanding and being exchanged, with principal installments or maturities, as applicable, corresponding to the dates of payment of principal installments of said Bonds; provided, that the Purchaser shall not be obligated to pay any expenses of such exchange.

Subsequent series of Bonds, if any, shall be issued in fully registered form and in denominations as determined by a Supplemental Resolution. Such Bonds shall be dated and shall bear interest, if any, as of the date specified in a Supplemental Resolution.

Section 3.03. Execution of Bonds. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be executed in the name of the Issuer by the Mayor and City Manager, and the seal of the Issuer shall be affixed thereto or imprinted thereon and attested by the City Clerk. In case any one or more of the officers who shall have signed or sealed the Series 2023 A Bonds shall cease to be such officer of the Issuer before the Series 2023 A Bonds so signed and sealed have been actually sold and delivered, such Bonds may nevertheless be sold and delivered as herein provided and may be issued as if the person who signed or sealed such Bonds had not ceased to hold such office. Any Series 2023 A Bonds may be signed and sealed on behalf of the Issuer by such person as at the actual time of the execution of such Bonds shall hold the proper office in

the Issuer, although at the date of the authorization of such Bonds such person may not have held such office or may not have been so authorized.

Section 3.04. Authentication and Registration. No Series 2023 A Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or entitled to any security or benefit under this Bond Legislation unless and until the Certificate of Authentication and Registration on such Bond, substantially in the form set forth in Section 3.10 hereof shall have been manually executed by the Bond Registrar. Any such executed Certificate of Authentication and Registration upon any such Bond shall be conclusive evidence that such Bond has been authenticated, registered and delivered under this Bond Legislation. The Certificate of Authentication and Registration on any Series 2023 A Bond shall be deemed to have been executed by the Bond Registrar if manually signed by an authorized officer of the Bond Registrar, but it shall not be necessary that the same officer sign the Certificate of Authentication and Registration on all of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 3.05. Negotiability, Transfer and Registration. Subject to the provisions for transfer of registration set forth below, the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be and have all of the qualities and incidents of negotiable instruments under the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of West Virginia, and each successive Holder, in accepting the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be conclusively deemed to have agreed that such Bonds shall be and have all of the qualities and incidents of negotiable instruments under the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of West Virginia, and each successive Holder shall further be conclusively deemed to have agreed that said Bonds shall be incontestable in the hands of a bona fide holder for value.

So long as the Series 2023 A Bonds remain outstanding, the Issuer, through the Bond Registrar as its agent, shall keep and maintain books for the registration and transfer of the Series 2023 A Bonds.

The registered Series 2023 A Bonds shall be transferable only upon the books of the Bond Registrar, by the registered owner thereof in person or by his attorney duly authorized in writing, upon surrender thereto together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Bond Registrar duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney.

In all cases in which the privilege of exchanging Series 2023 A Bonds or transferring the registered Series 2023 A Bonds are exercised, all Series 2023 A Bonds shall be delivered in accordance with the provisions of this Bond Legislation. All Series 2023 A Bonds surrendered in any such exchanges or transfers shall forthwith be cancelled by the Bond Registrar. For every such exchange or transfer of Series 2023 A Bonds, the Bond Registrar may make a charge sufficient to reimburse it for any tax, fee or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such exchange or transfer and the cost of preparing each new Bond upon each exchange or transfer, and any other expenses of the Bond Registrar incurred in connection therewith, which sum or sums shall be paid by the Issuer. The Bond Registrar shall not be obliged to make any such exchange or transfer of Series 2023 A Bonds during the period commencing on the 15th day of the month next preceding an interest payment date on the Series 2023 A Bonds or, in the case of any proposed redemption of Series 2023 A Bonds, next preceding the date of the selection of Bonds to be redeemed, and ending on such interest payment date or redemption date.

Section 3.06. Series 2023 A Bonds Mutilated, Destroyed, Stolen or Lost. In case any Series 2023 A Bond shall become mutilated or be destroyed, stolen or lost, the Issuer may, in its discretion, issue, and the Bond Registrar shall, if so advised by the Issuer, authenticate and deliver, a new Series 2023 A Bond of the same series and of like tenor as the Series 2023 A Bonds so mutilated, destroyed, stolen or lost, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Series 2023 A Bonds, upon surrender and cancellation of such mutilated Series 2023 A Bonds, or in lieu of and substitution for the Series 2023 A

Bonds destroyed, stolen or lost, and upon the Holder's furnishing satisfactory indemnity and complying with such other reasonable regulations and conditions as the Issuer may prescribe and paying such expenses as the Issuer and the Bond Registrar may incur. All Series 2023 A Bonds so surrendered shall be cancelled by the Bond Registrar and held for the account of the Issuer. If any such Series 2023 A Bonds shall have matured or be about to mature, instead of issuing substitute Series 2023 A Bonds, the Issuer may pay the same, upon being indemnified as aforesaid, and if such Series 2023 A Bonds are lost, stolen or destroyed, without surrender thereof.

Section 3.07. Bonds not to be Indebtedness of the Issuer. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall not, in any event, be or constitute a corporate indebtedness of the Issuer or the Board within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision or limitation, but shall be payable solely from the Net Revenues derived from the operation of the System as herein provided. No Holder or Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall ever have the right to compel the exercise of the taxing power of the Issuer to pay the Series 2023 A Bonds or the interest, if any, thereon.

Section 3.08. Bonds Secured by Pledge of Net Revenues; Lien Positions with respect to Prior Bonds. The payment of the debt service of all Series 2023 A Bonds shall be secured forthwith equally and ratably by a first lien on the Net Revenues derived from the operation of the System, on a parity with the lien on the Net Revenues in favor of the Holders of the Prior Bonds. Such Net Revenues in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on and other payments for the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Prior Bonds and to make the payments into all funds and accounts and all other payments provided for in the Bond Legislation, are hereby irrevocably pledged to such payments as the same become due.

Section 3.09. Delivery of Bonds. The Issuer shall execute and deliver the Series 2023 A Bonds to the Bond Registrar, and the Bond Registrar shall authenticate, register and deliver the Series 2023 A Bonds to the original purchasers upon receipt of the documents set forth below:

A. If other than the Purchaser, a list of the names in which the Series 2023 A Bonds are to be registered upon original issuance, together with such taxpayer identification and other information as the Bond Registrar may reasonably require;

B. A request and authorization to the Bond Registrar on behalf of the Issuer, signed by an Authorized Officer, to authenticate and deliver the Series 2023 A Bonds to the Purchaser;

C. An executed and certified copy of the Bond Legislation; and

D. The unqualified approving opinion of bond counsel on the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 3.10. Sale of Bonds. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be sold to the Purchaser, pursuant to this Bond Legislation.

Section 3.11. Form of Bonds. The text of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be in substantially the following form, with such omissions, insertions and variations as may be necessary and desirable and authorized or permitted hereby, or by any Supplemental Resolution adopted prior to the issuance thereof:

[*Form of Specimen Bond to Follow*]

(FORM OF SERIES 2023 A BOND)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
CITY OF CLARKSBURG
SEWER DESIGN REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2023 A

No. AR-1 $_____

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: This ____ day of _____, 2023, that the City of Clarksburg, a municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia in Harrison County of said State (the "Issuer"), for value received, hereby promises to pay, solely from the sources and in the manner hereinafter set forth, to the order of:

_____(Purchaser)_____

or registered assigns (the "Registered Owner"), the principal sum of_____($_____) or such lesser amount as shall have been advanced to the Issuer hereunder and not previously repaid, as set forth in the "Record of Advances" attached as EXHIBIT A hereto and incorporated herein by reference which shall be updated by the Registered Owner as advances are made, together with interest only payable monthly on the outstanding principal amounts beginning _____, 2023 to and including _____, 20___ (such period of time herein referred to as the "Draw Period"), with substantially equal amortizing installment payments consisting of both principal and accrued interest thereafter being due and payable, based upon the principal amount of this Bond advanced as of conclusion of the Draw Period, payable monthly beginning _____, 20__ to and including _____, 20___, which shall be the maturity date of this Bond (the "Maturity Date") at which time all principal and accrued interest not previously repaid shall thereupon become due and payable. The Registered Owner shall prepare an amortization schedule for this Bond at the conclusion of the Draw Period and provide same to Issuer which shall thereupon establish the repayment schedule for the Bonds. This Bond shall accrue interest at the rates per annum set forth as follows:

A. Beginning _____, 2023 to and including _____, 20___ interest on this Bond shall be payable at the fixed rate of _____% per annum (hereinafter sometimes called the "Tax-Exempt Rate"). Interest shall be computed on the basis of a year of 360 days and 30 days in a month.

B. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, in the event the interest on this Bond is declared to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes by the Internal Revenue Service ("Determination of Taxability"), interest on this Bond shall be payable at the rate of ____% per annum (hereinafter sometimes called the "Taxable Rate"). Interest at the Taxable Rate shall commence to accrue on the date of Determination of Taxability and such interest rate shall be charged retroactively and prospectively for all periods in which interest paid on this Bond is asserted, declared or determined to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, and shall continue until the entire principal of and interest on this Bond are paid, notwithstanding that the entire principal amount of this Bond may have been paid in full prior to the Determination of

Taxability. Any interest being past due on this Bond by reason of such increase shall become immediately due and payable.

The principal of and interest on this Bond are payable in any coin or currency which on the date of payment thereof is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts under the laws of the United States of America, at the office of the West Virginia Municipal Bond Commission, Charleston, West Virginia as Paying Agent.

This Bond shall be subject to redemption in whole or in part at any time at the price of par plus accrued interest to the redemption date with no premium or prepayment penalty due thereon. Prepayments of principal in part shall be applied in inverse order of maturity. The Registrar shall provide at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of redemption to the Registered Owner.

This Bond is issued (i) to pay the costs of design and other pre-construction activities for certain additions, betterments and improvements to the existing sewerage system of the Issuer and to pay costs of design and construction of same to be undertaken by the US Army Corp of Engineers (the "Design Project"); (ii) to fund the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account; and (iii) to pay certain costs of issuance of the Bonds of this Series (the "Bonds") and related costs. The existing public sewerage system of the Issuer, the Project, and any further additions, betterments or improvements thereto are herein called the "System." This Bond is issued under the authority of and in full compliance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of West Virginia, including particularly Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended (the "Act"), a Bond Ordinance duly enacted by the Issuer on _____, 2023 , and a Supplemental Resolution duly adopted by the Issuer on _____, 2023 (collectively, the "Bond Legislation"), and is subject to all the terms and conditions thereof. The Bond Legislation provides for the issuance of additional bonds under certain conditions, and such bonds would be entitled to be paid and secured equally and ratably from and by the funds and revenues and other security provided for the Bonds under the Bond Legislation.

THIS BOND IS ISSUED ON A PARITY, WITH RESPECT TO LIENS, PLEDGE AND SOURCE OF AND SECURITY FOR PAYMENT, AND IN ALL RESPECTS, TO THE ISSUER'S:

(I) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2009 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JULY 8, 2009, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $1,000,000 (THE "SERIES 2009 A BONDS");

(II) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2014 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JANUARY 9, 2014, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $12,000,000 (THE "SERIES 2014 A BONDS");

(III) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2020 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JULY 30, 2020, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $7,500,000 (THE "SERIES 2020 A BONDS"); AND

(IV) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2022 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED APRIL 27, 2022, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $725,000

(THE "SERIES 2022 A BONDS"); (COLLECTIVELY, THE "PRIOR BONDS").

This Bond is payable only from and secured by a pledge of the Net Revenues (as defined in the Bond Legislation) to be derived from the operation of the System, on a parity with the pledge of Net Revenues in favor of the Holders of the Prior Bonds, and from monies in the Reserve Account created under the Bond Legislation for the Bonds (the "Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account"), and unexpended proceeds of the Bonds. Such Net Revenues shall be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on all bonds which may be issued pursuant to the Act and which shall be set aside as a special fund hereby pledged for such purpose. This Bond does not constitute a corporate indebtedness of the Issuer within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provisions or limitations, nor shall the Issuer be obligated to pay the same or the interest, if any, hereon, except from said special fund provided from the Net Revenues, the monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account and unexpended proceeds of the Bonds. Pursuant to the Bond Legislation, the Issuer has covenanted and agreed to establish and maintain just and equitable rates and charges for the use of the System and the services rendered thereby, which shall be sufficient, together with other revenues of the System, to provide for the reasonable expenses of operation, repair and maintenance of the System, and to leave a balance each year equal to at least 115% of the maximum amount payable in any year for principal of and interest, if any, on the Bonds and all other obligations secured by a lien on or payable from such revenues prior to or on a parity with the Bonds, including the Prior Bonds; provided however, that so long as there exists in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account an amount at least equal to the maximum amount of principal and interest, if any, which will become due on the Bonds in the then current or any succeeding year, and in the respective reserve accounts established for any other obligations outstanding on a parity with or junior to the Bonds, including the Prior Bonds, an amount at least equal to the requirement therefor, such percentage may be reduced to 110%. The Issuer has entered into certain further covenants with the registered owners of the Bonds for the terms of which reference is made to the Bond Legislation. Remedies provided the registered owners of the Bonds are exclusively as provided in the Bond Legislation, to which reference is here made for a detailed description thereof.

Subject to the registration requirements set forth herein, this Bond is transferable, as provided in the Bond Legislation, only upon the books of _____, (the "Registrar") (as defined in the Bond Legislation), by the registered owner, or by its attorney duly authorized in writing, upon the surrender of this Bond, together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar, duly executed by the registered owner or its attorney duly authorized in writing.

Subject to the registration requirements set forth herein, this Bond, under the provision of the Act is, and has all the qualities and incidents of, a negotiable instrument under the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of West Virginia.

All money received from the sale of this Bond, after reimbursement and repayment of all amounts advanced for preliminary expenses as provided by law and the Bond Legislation, shall be applied solely to payment of the costs of the Project and costs of issuance hereof described in the Bond Legislation, and there shall be and hereby is created and granted a lien upon such monies, until so applied, in favor of the registered owner of this Bond.

This Bond is hereby designated a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

This Bond is, under the Act, exempt from all taxation by the State of West Virginia (the "State"), or any county or municipality of the State.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND DECLARED that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and at the issuance of this Bond do exist, have happened, and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this Bond, together with all other obligations of the Issuer, does not exceed any limit prescribed by the Constitution or statutes of the State of West Virginia and that a sufficient amount of the Net Revenues of the System has been pledged to and will be set aside into said special fund by the Issuer for the prompt payment of the principal and interest on this Bond.

All provisions of the Bond Legislation, resolutions and statutes under which this Bond is issued shall be deemed to be a part of the contract evidenced by this Bond to the same extent as if written fully herein.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the CITY OF CLARKSBURG has caused this Bond to be signed by its Mayor and City Manager, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its City Clerk, and has caused this Bond to be dated the day and year first written above.

[SEAL]

_____
Mayor

_____
City Manager

ATTEST:

_____
City Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION AND REGISTRATION

This Bond is one of the Series 2023 A Bonds described in the within-mentioned Bond Legislation and has been duly registered in the name of the registered owner set forth above, as of the date set forth below.

Date: _____, 2023.

_____
as Registrar

_____
Authorized Officer

EXHIBIT A

RECORD OF ADVANCES

AMOUNT	DATE	AMOUNT	DATE
(1) $		(19)	
(2)		(20)	
(3)		(21)	
(4)		(22)	
(5)		(23)	
(6)		(24)	
(7)		(25)	
(8)		(26)	
(9)		(27)	
(10)		(28)	
(11)		(29)	
(12)		(30)	
(13)		(31)	
(14)		(32)	
(15)		(33)	
(16)		(34)	
(17)		(35)	
(18)		(36)	

TOTAL $_____

(Form of)

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned sells, assigns, and transfers unto _____ the within Bond and does hereby irrevocably constitute and appoint _____, Attorney to transfer the said Bond on the books kept for registration of the within Bond of the said Issuer with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: _____, 20___.

_____

In the presence of:

_____

ARTICLE IV

[RESERVED]

ARTICLE V

FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS; SYSTEM REVENUES AND APPLICATION THEREOF

Section 5.01. Establishment of Funds and Accounts with Depository Bank. The following special funds or accounts are hereby created with (or continued if previously established by the Prior Ordinances) and shall be held by the Depository Bank, separate and apart from all other funds or accounts of the Depository Bank, the Issuer and the Board and from each other:

(1) Revenue Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(2) Renewal and Replacement Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(3) Cash Working Capital Reserve; and

(3) Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund.

Section 5.02. Establishment of Funds and Accounts with Commission. The following special funds or accounts are hereby created with (or continued if previously established by the Prior Ordinances) and shall be held by the Commission, separate and apart from all other funds or accounts of the Commission and the Issuer and from each other:

(1) Series 2009 A Bonds Sinking Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(2) Series 2009 A Bonds Reserve Account (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(3) Series 2014 A Bonds Sinking Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(4) Series 2014 A Bonds Reserve Account (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(5) Series 2020 A Bonds Sinking Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(6) Series 2020 A Bonds Reserve Account (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(7) Series 2022 A Bonds Sinking Fund (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(8) Series 2022 A Bonds Reserve Account (established by the Prior Ordinances);

(9) Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund; and

(10) Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account.

Section 5.03. System Revenues; Flow of Funds. A. The entire Gross Revenues derived from the operation of the System shall be deposited upon receipt in the Revenue Fund. The Revenue Fund shall constitute a trust fund for the purposes provided in the Prior Ordinances and this Bond Legislation and shall be kept separate and distinct from all other funds of the Board, the Issuer and the Depository Bank and used only for the purposes and in the manner provided in this Bond Legislation and in the Prior Ordinances. All revenues at any time on deposit in the Revenue Fund shall be disposed of only in the following manner and order of priority:

(1) The Issuer, through the Board, shall first, each month, from the Revenue Fund pay current Operating Expenses of the System.

(2) The Issuer, through the Board, shall next, each month, transfer from the Revenue Fund and simultaneously remit to (i) the Commission the amount required by Prior Ordinances to pay interest on the Series 2014 A Bonds, the Series 2020 A Bonds, and the Series 2022 A Bonds; and (ii) to the Commission, commencing 1 month prior to the first date of payment of interest of the Series 2023 A Bonds, for deposit in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund, the amount of interest which will become due on the Series 2023 A Bonds on the next ensuing monthly interest payment date.

(3) The Issuer, through the Board, shall next, each month, transfer from the Revenue Fund and simultaneously remit to (i) the Commission the amount required by Prior Ordinances to pay principal on the Prior Bonds; and (ii) the Commission, commencing 1 month prior to the first date of payment of principal of the Series 2023 A Bonds, for deposit in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund, the amount of principal which will become due on the Series 2023 A Bonds on the next ensuing monthly principal payment date.

(4) The Issuer, through the Board, shall next, each month, transfer from the Revenue Fund and simultaneously remit to the Commission (i) amounts required by Prior Ordinances to fund the Prior Bonds Reserve Accounts; and (ii) commencing 1 month prior to the first date of payment of principal of the Series 2023 A Bonds, if not fully funded upon issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, for deposit in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account, an amount equal to 1/120th of the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Requirement; provided that, no further payments shall be made into the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account when there shall have been deposited therein, and as long as there shall remain on deposit therein, an amount equal to the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Requirement.

(5) The Issuer, through the Board, shall next, each month, transfer from the Revenue Fund and remit to the Depository Bank for deposit in the Renewal and Replacement Fund, an amount equal to 2.5% of the Gross Revenues each month (as previously set forth in the Prior Ordinances and not in addition thereto), exclusive of any payments for account of any Reserve Account. All funds in the Renewal and Replacement Fund shall be kept apart from all other funds of the Issuer or of the Depository Bank and shall be invested and reinvested in accordance with Article VIII hereof. Withdrawals and disbursements may be made from the Renewal and Replacement Fund for replacements, repairs, improvements or extensions to the System; provided, that any deficiencies in any Reserve Account (except to the extent such deficiency exists because the required payments into such accounts have not, as of the date of determination of a deficiency, funded such accounts to the maximum extent required hereof) shall be promptly eliminated with monies from the Renewal and Replacement Fund.

(6) The Issuer, through the Board, shall next, each month, transfer from the Revenue Fund the amount required to fund the Cash Working Capital Reserve. All funds in the Cash Working Capital Reserve shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds of the Issuer or of the Depository Bank and shall be invested and reinvested in accordance with Article VIII hereof. Withdrawals and disbursements may be made from the Cash Working Capital Reserve for such purposes as permitted by the laws and regulations of the State in effect at such time.

Monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund shall be used only for the purposes of paying principal of and interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds as the same shall become due. Monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account shall be used only for the purposes of paying principal of and interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds, as the same shall come due, when other monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund are insufficient therefor, and for no other purpose.

All investment earnings on monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund and the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account shall be returned, not less than once each year, by the Commission to the Issuer, and such amounts shall, during the Design Project, be deposited in the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund, and following completion of the Design Project, shall be deposited in the Revenue Fund and applied in full, first to the next ensuing interest payment, if any, due on the Series 2023 A Bonds and then to the next ensuing principal payment due thereon.

Any withdrawals from the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account which result in a reduction in the balance of the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account to below the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Requirement shall be subsequently restored from the first Net Revenues available after all required payments have been made in full in the priority as set forth above.

As and when additional Bonds ranking on a parity with the Series 2023 A Bonds are issued, provision shall be made for additional payments into the respective sinking fund sufficient to pay the interest on such additional parity Bonds and accomplish retirement thereof at maturity and to accumulate a balance in the respective reserve account in an amount equal to the requirement therefor.

The Issuer shall not be required to make any further payments into the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account therein when the aggregate amount of funds therein are at least equal to the aggregate principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds issued pursuant to this Bond Legislation then Outstanding and all interest to accrue until the maturity thereof.

Principal, interest or reserve payments, whether for a deficiency or otherwise, shall be made on a parity and pro rata, with respect to the Prior Bonds and the Series 2023 A Bonds, in accordance with the respective principal amounts then Outstanding.

The Commission is hereby designated as the fiscal agent for the administration of the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund and the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account, created hereunder, and all required amounts for said accounts shall be remitted to the Commission from the Revenue Fund by the Issuer at the times provided herein. All remittances made by the Issuer to the Commission shall clearly identify the fund or account into which each amount is to be deposited. The Issuer shall make the necessary arrangements whereby required payments into said accounts shall be automatically debited from the Revenue Fund and electronically transferred to the Commission on the dates required hereunder.

Monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund and the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account shall be invested and reinvested by the Commission in accordance with Section 8.01 hereof.

The Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund and the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account therein, shall be used solely and only for, and are hereby pledged for, the purpose of servicing the Series 2023 A Bonds under the conditions and restrictions set forth herein.

B. The Issuer shall, on the first day of each month (if the first day is not a business day, then the first business day of each month), deposit with the Commission the required reserve account payments with respect to the Series 2023 A Bonds and all such payments shall be remitted to the Commission with appropriate instructions as to the custody, use and application thereof consistent with the provisions of this Bond Legislation.

C. Whenever all of the required and provided transfers and payments from the Revenue Fund into the several special funds, as hereinbefore provided, are current and there remains in the Revenue Fund a balance in excess of the estimated amounts required to be so transferred and paid into such funds during the following month or such other period as required by law, such excess shall be considered Surplus Revenues. Surplus Revenues may be used for any lawful purpose of the System.

D. The Issuer shall remit from the Revenue Fund to the Commission, the Registrar, the Paying Agent or the Depository Bank, on such dates as the Commission, the Registrar, the Paying Agent or the Depository Bank, as the case may be, shall require, such additional sums as shall be necessary to pay their respective charges and fees then due. The Issuer may make the necessary arrangements whereby such required payments can be automatically debited from the Revenue Fund and electronically transferred to the Commission on the dates required.

E. The monies in excess of the sum insured by the maximum amounts insured by FDIC in all funds and accounts shall at all times be secured, to the full extent thereof in excess of such insured sum, by Qualified Investments as shall be eligible as security for deposits of state and municipal funds under the laws of the State.

F. If on any monthly payment date the revenues are insufficient to place the required amount in any of the funds and accounts as hereinabove provided, the deficiency shall be made up in the subsequent payments in addition to the payments which would otherwise be required to be made into the funds and accounts on the subsequent payment dates; provided, however, that the priority of curing deficiencies in the funds and accounts herein shall be in the same order as payments are to be made pursuant to this Section 5.03 and the relevant provisions of the Prior Ordinances, and the Net Revenues shall be applied to such deficiencies before being applied to any other payments hereunder.

G. All remittances made by the Issuer to the Commission and the Depository Bank shall clearly identify the fund or account into which each amount is to be deposited.

H. The Gross Revenues of the System shall only be used for purposes of the System.

I. All Tap Fees shall be deposited in the Revenue Fund and may be used for any lawful purpose of the System.

ARTICLE VI

BOND PROCEEDS; DISBURSEMENTS

Section 6.01. Application of Bond Proceeds; Pledge of Unexpended Bond Proceeds. From the monies received from the sale of the Series 2023 A Bonds, the following amounts shall be first deducted and deposited in the order set forth below:

A. From the proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds, there shall be deposited with the Commission in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund, the amount, if any, set forth in the Supplemental Resolution for capitalizing interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds.

B. From the proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds, there shall be deposited with the Commission in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account, the amount, if any, set forth in the Supplemental Resolution for funding of the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account.

C. As the Issuer receives advances from the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund such monies shall be applied solely to payment of Costs of the Project, and until expended, are hereby pledged as additional security for the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 6.02. Disbursements From the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund. Payments for Costs of the Project shall be made monthly.

Pending such application, monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund shall be invested and reinvested in Qualified Investments at the written direction of the Issuer.

ARTICLE VII

ADDITIONAL COVENANTS OF THE ISSUER

Section 7.01. General Covenants of the Issuer. All the covenants, agreements and provisions of this Bond Legislation shall be and constitute valid and legally binding covenants of the Issuer and shall be enforceable in any court of competent jurisdiction by any Holder or Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds. In addition to the other covenants, agreements and provisions of this Bond Legislation, the Issuer hereby covenants and agrees with the Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds as hereinafter provided in this Article VII. All such covenants, agreements and provisions shall be irrevocable, except as provided herein, as long as any of the Series 2023 A Bonds or the interest, if any, thereon is Outstanding and unpaid.

Section 7.02. Bonds not to be Indebtedness of the Issuer. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall not be nor constitute a corporate indebtedness of the Issuer within the meaning of any constitutional, statutory or charter limitation of indebtedness, but shall be payable solely from the funds pledged for such payment by this Bond Legislation. No Holder or Holders of any Series 2023 A Bonds shall ever have the right to compel the exercise of the taxing power of the Issuer to pay the Series 2023 A Bonds or the interest, if any, thereon.

Section 7.03. Bonds Secured by Pledge of Net Revenues; Lien Positions with Respect to Prior Bonds. The payment of the debt service of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be secured forthwith equally and ratably by a first lien on the Net Revenues derived from the System, on a parity with the lien on the Net Revenues in favor of the Holders of the Prior Bonds. The Net Revenues in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest, if any, on the Prior Bonds and the Series 2023 A Bonds and to make the payments into all funds and accounts and all other payments provided for in the Bond Legislation are hereby irrevocably pledged, in the manner provided herein, to such payments as they become due, and for the other purposes provided in the Bond Legislation.

Section 7.04. Rates and Charges. So long as the Series 2023 A Bonds are outstanding, the Issuer covenants and agrees to fix and collect rates, fees and other charges for the use of the System and to take all such actions necessary to provide funds sufficient to produce the required sums set forth in the Bond Legislation and in compliance with the Bond Legislation. In the event the schedule of rates and charges initially established for the System in connection with the Series 2023 A Bonds shall prove to be insufficient to produce the required sums set forth in this Bond Legislation, the Issuer hereby covenants and agrees that it will, to the extent or in the manner authorized by law, immediately adjust and increase such schedule of rates and charges and take all such actions necessary to provide funds sufficient to produce the required sums set forth in this Bond Legislation.

Prior to the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, rates or charges for the use of the services and facilities of the System will be fixed and established, all in the manner and form required by law, and a copy of such rates and charges so fixed and established shall at all times be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk of the Issuer and at the offices of the Board, which copy will be open to inspection by all interested parties. The schedule or schedules of rates and charges shall at all times be adequate to produce Gross Revenues from the System sufficient to pay Operating Expenses and to make the prescribed payments into the funds and accounts created hereunder. In compliance with applicable law, such schedule or schedules of rates and charges shall be changed and readjusted, whenever necessary, so that the aggregate of the rates and charges will be sufficient for such purposes. In order to assure full and continuous performance of this covenant with a margin for contingencies and temporary unanticipated reduction in income and revenues, the Issuer and the Board hereby covenant and agree that so long as the Prior Bonds are outstanding, the schedule or schedules of rates and charges from time to time in effect

shall be sufficient, together with other revenues of the System, to provide a rate coverage equal to the highest rate coverage required by either (a) the Prior Ordinances or (b) this Ordinance, as herein set forth, and thereafter such rates shall be sufficient, together with other revenues of the System, (i) to provide for all Operating Expenses of the System and (ii) to leave a balance each year equal to at least 115% of the maximum amount required in any year for payment of principal of and interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds, and all obligations issued on a parity with the Series 2023 A Bonds, including the Prior Bonds; provided however, that so long as there exists in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account an amount at least equal to the maximum amount of principal and interest, if any, which will become due on the Bonds in the then current or any succeeding year, and in the respective reserve accounts established for any other obligations outstanding, including the Prior Bonds, an amount at least equal to the requirement therefor, such percentage may be reduced to 110%. All such rates and charges, if not paid when due, shall constitute a lien upon the premises served by the System.

In the computation provided in the above paragraph, "revenues of the System" shall include increased Net Revenues estimated to be derived from any improvements under construction, and any change in rates enacted by the Board, the time for appeal of which shall have expired (without successful appeal) or such rates have been approved by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia (if required by applicable law) with all requisite appeal periods having expired (without successful appeal), whether or not such approved rates are being charged and collected by the Board.

The Board covenants to commence enactment of such ordinance or ordinances as shall be required to increase the rates and charges for the services and facilities of the System within ninety (90) days following a determination of the Independent Accountant that less than the above required coverage exists or in the event that the annual audit report shows less than the above required coverage, such increase to provide rates and charges sufficient to produce such required coverage. The City covenants to take all actions which may be required, necessary or helpful on its part to facilitate the actions of the Board as provided in this paragraph.

Section 7.05. Sale of the System. So long as the Prior Bonds are outstanding, the Issuer shall not sell, lease, mortgage or in any manner dispose of or encumber the System, or any part thereof, except as provided in the Prior Ordinances.

So long as the Series 2023 A Bonds are outstanding and except as otherwise required by law or with the written consent of the Authority, the System may not be sold, mortgaged, leased or otherwise disposed of, except as a whole, or substantially as a whole, and only if the net proceeds to be realized shall be sufficient to fully pay all the Bonds Outstanding, in accordance with Article X hereof. The proceeds from any such sale, mortgage, lease or other disposition of the System shall immediately be remitted to the Commission for deposit in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund, pro rata with respect to the principal amount of each of the Bonds then Outstanding, and, with the written permission of the Authority, or in the event the Authority is no longer a Bondholder, the Issuer shall direct the Commission to apply such proceeds to the payment of principal of and interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds in accordance with Article X hereof. Any balance remaining after the payment of the Bonds and interest thereon shall be remitted to the Issuer by the Commission unless necessary for the payment of other obligations of the Issuer payable out of the revenues of the System.

The foregoing provision notwithstanding, the Issuer shall have and hereby reserves the right to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of any of the property comprising a part of the System hereinafter determined in the manner provided herein to be no longer necessary, useful or profitable in the operation thereof. Prior to any such sale, lease or other disposition of such property, if the amount to be received therefor, together with all other amounts received during the same Fiscal Year for such sales, leases or other dispositions of such properties, is not in excess of $10,000, the Issuer shall, by resolution, determine

that such property comprising a part of the System is no longer necessary, useful or profitable in the operation thereof and may then provide for the sale of such property. The proceeds of any such sale shall be deposited in the Renewal and Replacement Fund. If the amount to be received from such sale, lease or other disposition of said property, together with all other amounts received during the same Fiscal Year for such sales, leases or other dispositions of such properties, shall be in excess of $10,000 but not in excess of $50,000, the Issuer shall first, determine, upon consultation with a professional engineer, that such property comprising a part of the System is no longer necessary, useful or profitable in the operation thereof and may then, if it be so advised, by resolution duly adopted, authorize such sale, lease or other disposition of such property in accordance with the laws of the State. The proceeds of any such sale shall be deposited in the Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund for repayment of the Bonds. The payment of such proceeds into the Renewal and Replacement Fund and Series 2023 A Bonds Sinking Fund shall not reduce the amounts required to be paid into such account by other provisions of this Bond Legislation.

No sale, lease or other disposition of the properties of the System shall be made by the Issuer if the proceeds to be derived therefrom, together with all other amounts received during the same Fiscal Year for such sales, leases or other dispositions of such properties, shall be in excess of $50,000 and insufficient to pay all Bonds then Outstanding, without the prior approval and consent in writing of the Holders, or their duly authorized representatives, of the Series 2023 A Bonds then Outstanding. The Issuer shall prepare the form of such approval and consent for execution by the then Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds for the disposition of the proceeds of the sale, lease or other disposition of such properties of the System.

Section 7.06. Issuance of Other Obligations Payable Out of Revenues and General Covenant Against Encumbrances. Except as provided for in Section 7.06 and Section 7.07 hereof, the Issuer and the Board shall not issue any obligations whatsoever payable from the revenues of the System which rank prior to, or equally, as to lien on and source of and security for payment from such revenues with the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Prior Bonds. All obligations issued by the Issuer after the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds and payable from the revenues of the System, except such additional parity Bonds, shall contain an express statement that such obligations are junior and subordinate, as to lien on and source of and security for payment from such revenues and in all other respects, to the Series 2023 A Bonds; provided, that no such subordinate obligations shall be issued unless all payments required to be made into all funds and accounts established by this Bond Legislation have been made and are current at the time of the issuance of such subordinate obligations.

Except as provided above, the Issuer shall not create, or cause or permit to be created, any debt, lien, pledge, assignment, encumbrance or any other charge having priority over or being on a parity with the lien of the Series 2023 A Bonds, and the interest thereon, upon any of the income and revenues of the System pledged for payment of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the interest, if any, thereon in this Bond Legislation, or upon the System or any part thereof.

Section 7.07. Parity Bonds. So long as the Prior Bonds are outstanding, the limitations on the issuance of parity obligations set forth in the Prior Ordinances shall be applicable.

All Parity Bonds issued hereunder shall be on a parity in all respects with the Series 2023 A Bonds.

No such Parity Bonds shall be issued except for the purpose of financing the costs of design, acquisition or construction of additions, extensions, betterments or improvements to the System, refunding any or all outstanding Bonds, to pay claims which may exist against the revenues or facilities of the System, or all such purposes.

So long as the Prior Bonds or Series 2023 A Bonds are Outstanding, no Parity Bonds shall be issued at any time, however, unless and until there has been procured and filed with the City Clerk a written statement by the Independent Certified Public Accountants reciting the conclusion that the Net Revenues actually derived, subject to the adjustments hereinafter provided for, from the System during any 12 consecutive months, within the 18 months immediately preceding the date of the actual issuance of such Parity Bonds, plus the estimated average increased annual Net Revenues expected to be received in each of the 3 succeeding years after the completion of the improvements to be financed by such Parity Bonds, if any, shall not be less than 115% of the largest aggregate amount that will mature and become due in any succeeding Fiscal Year for principal of and interest, if any, on the following:

(1) The Bonds then Outstanding;

(2) Any Parity Bonds theretofore issued pursuant to the provisions contained in this Bond Legislation then Outstanding; and

(3) The Parity Bonds then proposed to be issued.

The "estimated average increased annual Net Revenues to be received in each of the 3 succeeding years," as that term is used in the computation provided in the above paragraph, shall refer only to the increased Net Revenues estimated to be derived from the additional customers to be connected to the System as a result of additions, extensions and improvements thereto, or from any increase in rates enacted by the Issuer, the time for appeal of which shall have expired (without successful appeal) or such rates have been approved by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia (if required by applicable law) with the time for all available appeals having expired (without successful appeal) prior to the date of issuance of such Parity Bonds, whether or not such approved rates are being charged and collected by the Board.

The Net Revenues actually derived from the System during the 12-consecutive-month period hereinabove referred to may be adjusted by adding to such Net Revenues such additional Net Revenues which would have been received, in the opinion of the Independent Certified Public Accountants, as stated in a certificate, on account of increased rates, rentals, fees and charges for the System enacted by the Issuer, the time for appeal of which has expired (without successful appeal) prior to the issuance of such Parity Bonds. For purposes of this test, the terms "Gross Revenues" and "Net Revenues" shall not include proceeds from the sale of capital assets.

All covenants and other provisions of this Bond Legislation (except as to details of such Parity Bonds inconsistent herewith) shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Holders of the Bonds and the Holders of any Parity Bonds subsequently issued from time to time within the limitations of and in compliance with this section. Bonds issued on a parity, regardless of the time or times of their issuance, shall rank equally with respect to their lien on the Net Revenues of the System and their source of and security for payment from said Net Revenues, without preference of any Bond of one series over any other Bond of the same series. The Issuer shall comply fully with all the increased payments into the various funds and accounts created in this Bond Legislation required for and on account of such Parity Bonds, in addition to the payments required for Bonds theretofore issued pursuant to this Bond Legislation.

Parity Bonds shall not be deemed to include bonds, notes, certificates or other obligations subsequently issued, the lien of which on the revenues of the System is subject to the prior and superior lien of the Series 2023 A Bonds on such revenues. The Issuer shall not issue any obligations whatsoever payable from the revenues of the System, or any part thereof, which rank prior to or, except in the manner

and under the conditions provided in this section, equally, as to lien on and source of and security for payment from such revenues, with the Series 2023 A Bonds.

No Parity Bonds shall be issued at any time, however, unless all of the payments into the respective funds and accounts provided for in this Bond Legislation with respect to the Bonds then Outstanding, and any other payments provided for in this Bond Legislation, shall have been made in full as required to the date of issuance of such Parity Bonds, and the Issuer then be in full compliance with all the covenants, agreements and terms of this Bond Legislation.

Provided, however, that when the Prior Bonds are no longer outstanding or in the event that the registered owners of the Prior Bonds waive the applicability of certain covenants contained in the Prior Ordinances, if the most recent audit by an independent certified public accountant for the Issuer or the Board for the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the proposed issuance of Additional Parity Bonds states that the Issuer or the Board was not in compliance with the rate covenant in Section 7.04 of this Ordinance for the year being audited and the Board has, as required by Section 7.04, enacted a rate ordinance for which all applicable appeal periods shall have expired (without successful appeal) implementing a rate increase sufficient to comply with Section 7.04, such statement in the most recent audit shall not be considered a violation of the covenants, agreements and terms of this Ordinance, so as to prevent the Issuer from issuing Additional Parity Bonds under this Section 7.07.

Section 7.08. Books; Records and Audit. The Issuer shall keep complete and accurate records of the cost of the Design Project and the costs of preconstruction activities associated with the acquisition, installation, and construction of the Design Project.

The Issuer will keep books and records of the System, which shall be separate and apart from all other books, records and accounts of the Issuer and the Board, in which complete and correct entries shall be made of all transactions relating to the System, and any Holder of a Bond or Bonds issued pursuant to this Bond Legislation shall have the right at all reasonable times to inspect the System and all parts thereof and all records, accounts and data of the Issuer relating thereto.

The accounting system for the System shall follow current generally accepted accounting principles and safeguards to the extent allowed and as prescribed by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia and the Act. Separate control accounting records shall be maintained by the Issuer. Subsidiary records as may be required shall be kept in the manner and on the forms, books and other bookkeeping records as prescribed by the Issuer. The Governing Body shall prescribe and institute the manner by which subsidiary records of the accounting system which may be installed remote from the direct supervision of the Issuer shall be reported to such agent of the Issuer as the Issuer shall direct.

The Issuer shall also, at least once a year, cause the books, records and accounts of the System to be audited by Independent Certified Public Accountants (and to the extent legally required, in compliance with the applicable OMB Circular, or any successor thereto, and the Single Audit Act, or any successor thereto), and shall mail and make available generally, the report of said Independent Certified Public Accountants, to any Holder or Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 7.09. Rates. Prior to the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, equitable rates or charges for the use of and service rendered by the System have been established all in the manner and form required by law, and copies of such rates and charges so established will be continuously on file with the City Clerk, which copies will be open to inspection by all interested parties. The schedule or schedules of rates and charges shall at all times be adequate to produce Gross Revenues from the System sufficient to pay Operating Expenses and to make the prescribed payments into the funds created hereunder. Such schedule or schedules of rates and charges shall be changed and readjusted whenever

necessary so that the aggregate of the rates and charges will be sufficient for such purposes. In order to assure full and continuous performance of this covenant, with a margin for contingencies and temporary unanticipated reduction in income and revenues, the Issuer hereby covenants and agrees that the schedule or schedules of rates or charges from time to time in effect shall be sufficient, together with other revenues of the System (i) to provide for all Operating Expenses of the System and (ii) to leave a balance each year equal to at least 115% of the maximum amount required in any year for payment of principal of and interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds and all other obligations secured by a lien on or payable from such revenues on a parity with or junior to the Series 2023 A Bonds, including the Prior Bonds; provided that, in the event that, amounts equal to or in excess of the Reserve Requirements are on deposit respectively in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account and any Reserve Accounts for obligations on a parity with or junior to the Series 2023 A Bonds, including the Prior Bonds, are funded at least at the requirement therefor, such balance each year need only equal at least 110% of the maximum amount required in any year for payment of principal of and interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds and all other obligations secured by a lien on or payable from such revenues on a parity with or junior to the Series 2023 A Bonds.

All such rates and charges, if not paid when due, shall constitute a lien upon the premises served by the System. For purposes of this test, the terms "Gross Revenues" and "Net Revenues" shall not include proceeds from the sale of capital assets. In any event, the Issuer shall not reduce the rates or charges for services set forth in the rate ordinance described in Section 7.04 hereof.

The Issuer hereby covenants to commence enactment of such ordinance or ordinances as shall be required to increase the rates and charges for the services and facilities of the System within 30 days following a determination of the Issuer that less than the above-required coverage exists, such increase to provide rates and charges sufficient to produce such required coverage.

Section 7.10. Operating Budget and Monthly Financial Report. The Issuer shall annually, at least 45 days preceding the beginning of each Fiscal Year, prepare and adopt by resolution a detailed, balanced budget of the estimated revenues and expenditures for operation and maintenance of the System during the succeeding Fiscal Year.

Section 7.11. Engineering Services and Operating Personnel. The Issuer shall provide and maintain competent and adequate engineering services covering the supervision and inspection of the development of the Project.

Section 7.12. No Competing Franchise. To the extent legally allowable, the Issuer will not grant or cause, consent to or allow the granting of, any franchise or permit to any person, firm, corporation, body, agency or instrumentality whatsoever for the providing of any services which would compete with services provided by the System.

Section 7.13. Enforcement of Collections. The Issuer will diligently enforce and collect all fees, rentals or other charges for the services and facilities of the System, and take all steps, actions and proceedings for the enforcement and collection of such fees, rentals or other charges which shall become delinquent to the full extent permitted or authorized by the Act, the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia and other laws of the State of West Virginia.

Whenever any fees, rates, rentals or other charges for the services and facilities of the System shall remain unpaid for a period of 30 days after the same shall become due and payable, the property and the owner thereof, as well as the user of the services and facilities, shall be delinquent until such time as all such rates and charges are fully paid. To the extent authorized by the laws of the State and the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, rates, rentals and other charges, if not

paid when due, shall become a lien on the premises served by the System. The Issuer further covenants and agrees that, it will, to the full extent permitted by law and the rules and regulations promulgated by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, discontinue and shut off the services of the System to all users of the services of the System delinquent in payment of charges for the services of the System and will not restore such services of the system until all delinquent charges for the services of the System, plus reasonable interest and penalty charges for the restoration of service, have been fully paid and shall take all further actions to enforce collections to the maximum extent permitted by law.

Section 7.14. No Free Services. The Issuer will not render or cause to be rendered any free services of any nature by the System, nor will any preferential rates be established for users of the same class; and in the event the Issuer, or any department, agency, instrumentality, officer or employee of the Issuer shall avail itself or themselves of the facilities or services provided by the System, or any part thereof, the same rates, fees or charges applicable to other customers receiving like services under similar circumstances shall be charged the Issuer and any such department, agency, instrumentality, officer or employee. The revenues so received shall be deemed to be revenues derived from the operation of the System, and shall be deposited and accounted for in the same manner as other revenues derived from such operation of the System.

Section 7.15. Insurance and Construction Bonds. A. The Issuer hereby covenants and agrees that so long as the Series 2023 A Bonds remain Outstanding, the Issuer will, as an Operating Expense, procure, carry and maintain insurance with a reputable insurance carrier or carriers as is customarily covered with respect to works and properties similar to the System. Such insurance shall initially cover the following risks and be in the following amounts:

(1) FIRE, LIGHTNING, VANDALISM, MALICIOUS MISCHIEF AND EXTENDED COVERAGE INSURANCE, on all above-ground insurable portions of the System in an amount equal to the actual cost thereof. In time of war the Issuer will also carry and maintain insurance to the extent available against the risks and hazards of war. The proceeds of all such insurance policies shall be placed in the Renewal and Replacement Fund and used only for the repairs and restoration of the damaged or destroyed properties or for the other purposes provided herein for the Renewal and Replacement Fund. The Issuer will itself, or will require each contractor and subcontractor to, obtain and maintain builder's risk insurance (fire and extended coverage) to protect the interests of the Issuer, the prime contractor and all subcontractors as their respective interests may appear, during construction, if any, of the Project on a 100% basis (completed value form) on the insurable portion of the Project, such insurance to be made payable to the order of the Issuer, the contractors and subcontractors, as their interests may appear.

(2) PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE, with limits of not less than $1,000,000 per occurrence to protect the Issuer from claims for bodily injury and/or death and not less than $500,000 per occurrence from claims for damage to property of others which may arise from the operation of the System, and insurance with the same limits to protect the Issuer from claims arising out of operation or ownership of motor vehicles of or for the System.

(3) WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE FOR ALL EMPLOYEES OF OR FOR THE SYSTEM ELIGIBLE THEREFOR;

AND PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS, such bonds to be in the amounts of 100% of any construction contract, if any, and to be required of each contractor contracting directly with the Issuer, and such payment bonds will be filed with the Clerk of The County Commission of the County in which such work is to be performed prior to commencement of construction of the Project in compliance with West Virginia Code, Chapter 38, Article 2, Section 39.

(4) FLOOD INSURANCE, if the facilities of the System are or will be located in designated special flood or mudslide-prone areas and to the extent available at reasonable cost to the Issuer.

(5) BUSINESS INTERRUPTION INSURANCE, to the extent available at reasonable cost to the Issuer.

(6) FIDELITY BONDS will be provided as to every officer, member and employee of the Issuer or the Governing Body having custody of the revenues or of any other funds of the System, in an amount at least equal to the total funds in the custody of any such person at any one time.

B. The Issuer shall require all contractors, if any, engaged in the construction of the Project to furnish a performance bond and a payment bond, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price of the portion of the Project covered by the particular contract as security for the faithful performance of such contract. The Issuer shall verify such bonds prior to commencement of construction.

The Issuer shall also require all contractors, if any, engaged in the construction of the Project to carry such workers' compensation coverage for all employees working on the Project and public liability insurance, vehicular liability insurance and property damage insurance in amounts adequate for such purposes and as is customarily carried with respect to works and properties similar to the Project. The Issuer shall verify such insurance prior to commencement of construction. Such insurance shall be made payable to the order of the Issuer, the prime contractor and all subcontractors, as their interests may appear.

Section 7.16. The mandatory use of the System is essential and necessary for the protection and preservation of the public health, comfort, safety, convenience and welfare of the inhabitants and residents of, and the economy of, the Issuer and in order to assure the rendering harmless of sewage and water-borne waste matter produced or arising within the territory served by the System. Accordingly, every owner, tenant or occupant of any house, dwelling or building located near the System, where sewage will flow by gravity or be transported by such other methods approved by the State Department of Health from such house, dwelling or building into the System, to the extent permitted by the laws of the State and the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, shall connect with and use the System and shall cease the use of all other means for the collection, treatment and disposal of sewage and waste matters from such house, dwelling or building where there is such gravity flow or transportation by such other method approved by the State Department of Health and such house, dwelling or building can be adequately served by the System, and every such owner, tenant or occupant shall, after a 30-day notice of the availability of the System, pay the rates and charges established therefor.

Any such house, dwelling or building from which emanates sewage or water-borne waste matter and which is not so connected with the System is hereby declared and found to be a hazard to the

health, safety, comfort and welfare of the inhabitants of the Issuer and a public nuisance which shall be abated to the extent permitted by law and as promptly as possible by proceedings in a court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 7.17. Completion and Operation of Project; Permits and Orders. The Issuer shall complete the Design Project as promptly as possible and operate and maintain the System as a revenue-producing utility in good condition and in compliance with all federal and state requirements and standards.

Section 7.18. Compliance with Law. The Issuer shall perform, satisfy and comply with all the terms and conditions of the Act.

The Issuer shall also comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations issued by the State, federal or local bodies in regard to the Design Project and the operation, maintenance and use of the System. The Issuer will provide the Purchaser, in a timely manner, with any and all information that may be requested of it (including its annual audit report, financial statements, related information and notices of changes in usage and customer base).

Section 7.19. Tax Covenants. The Issuer hereby further covenants and agrees as follows:

A. PRIVATE BUSINESS USE LIMITATION. The Issuer shall assure that (i) not in excess of 10% of the Net Proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds are used for Private Business Use if, in addition, the payment of more than 10% of the principal or 10% of the interest due on the Series 2023 A Bonds during the term thereof is, under the terms of the Series 2023 A Bonds or any underlying arrangement, directly or indirectly, secured by any interest in property used or to be used for a Private Business Use or in payments in respect of property used or to be used for a Private Business Use or is to be derived from payments, whether or not to the Issuer, in respect of property or borrowed money used or to be used for a Private Business Use; and (ii) and that, in the event that both (A) in excess of 5% of the Net Proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds are used for a Private Business Use, and (B) an amount in excess of 5% of the principal or 5% of the interest due on the Series 2023 A Bonds during the term thereof is, under the terms of the Series 2023 A Bonds or any underlying arrangement, directly or indirectly, secured by any interest in property used or to be used for said Private Business Use or in payments in respect of property used or to be used for said Private Business Use or is to be derived from payments, whether or not to the Issuer, in respect of property or borrowed money used or to be used for said Private Business Use, then said excess over said 5% of Net Proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds used for a Private Business Use shall be used for a Private Business Use related to the governmental use of the Project, or if the Series 2023 A Bonds are for the purpose of financing more than one project, a portion of the Project, and shall not exceed the proceeds used for the governmental use of that portion of the Project to which such Private Business Use is related, all of the foregoing to be determined in accordance with the Code.

B. PRIVATE LOAN LIMITATION. The Issuer shall assure that not in excess of the lesser of 5% or $5,000,000 of the Net Proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds are used, directly or indirectly, to make or finance a loan (other than loans constituting Nonpurpose Investments) to persons other than state or local government units.

C. FEDERAL GUARANTEE PROHIBITION. The Issuer shall not take any action or permit or suffer any action to be taken if the result of the same would be to cause the Series 2023 A Bonds to be "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of Section 149(b) of the Code.

D. INFORMATION RETURN. The Issuer will file all statements, instruments and returns necessary to assure the tax-exempt status of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the interest thereon, including, without limitation, the information return required under Section 149(e) of the Code.

E. FURTHER ACTIONS. The Issuer will take any and all actions that may be required of it so that the interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds will be and remain excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes, and will not take any actions, or fail to take any actions the result of which would adversely affect such exclusion.

Section 7.20 Reserved.

Section 7.21. Contracts. The Issuer shall, simultaneously with the delivery of the Series 2023 A Bonds or immediately thereafter, enter into written contracts for the Design Project.

Section 7.22. Statutory Mortgage Lien. For the further protection of the Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds, a statutory mortgage lien upon the System is granted and created by the Act, which statutory mortgage lien is hereby recognized and declared to be valid and binding, shall take effect immediately upon delivery of the Series 2023 A Bonds, and shall be on a parity with the statutory mortgage lien in favor of the Holders of the Prior Bonds.

ARTICLE VIII

INVESTMENT OF FUNDS; NON ARBITRAGE

Section 8.01. Investments. Any monies held as a part of the funds and accounts created by this Bond Legislation other than the Revenue Fund, shall be invested and reinvested by the Commission, the Depository Bank, or such other bank or national banking association holding such fund or account, as the case may be, at the written direction of the Issuer in any Qualified Investments to the fullest extent possible under applicable laws, this Bond Legislation, the need for such monies for the purposes set forth herein and the specific restrictions and provisions set forth in this Section 8.01.

Any investment shall be held in and at all times deemed a part of the fund or account in which such monies were originally held, and the interest accruing thereon and any profit or loss realized from such investment shall be credited or charged to the appropriate fund or account. The investments held for any fund or account shall be valued at the lower of cost or then current market value, or at the redemption price thereof if then redeemable at the option of the holder, including the value of accrued interest and giving effect to the amortization of discount, or at par if such investment is held in the "Consolidated Fund." The Commission shall sell and reduce to cash a sufficient amount of such investments whenever the cash balance in any fund or account is insufficient to make the payments required from such fund or account, regardless of the loss on such liquidation. The Depository Bank may make any and all investments permitted by this section through its own investment or trust department and shall not be responsible for any losses from such investments, other than for its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The Depository Bank shall keep complete and accurate records of all funds, accounts and investments, and shall distribute to the Issuer, at least once each year (or more often if reasonably requested by the Issuer), a summary of such funds, accounts and investment earnings. The Issuer shall retain all such records and any additional records with respect to such funds, accounts and investment earnings so long as any of the Series 2023 A Bonds are Outstanding and as long thereafter as necessary to comply with the Code and assure the exclusion of interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

Section 8.02. Arbitrage and Tax Exemption. The Issuer covenants that (i) it shall not take, or permit or suffer to be taken, any action with respect to the gross or other proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds which would cause the Series 2023 A Bonds to be "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of Section 148 of the Code, and (ii) it will take all actions that may be required of it (including, without implied limitation, the timely filing of a federal information return with respect to the Series 2023 A Bonds) so that the interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds will be and remain excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes, and will not take any actions which would adversely affect such exclusion.

Section 8.03. Designation of Series 2023 A Bonds as "Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations." The Issuer hereby designates the Series 2023 A Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" for purposes of Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Code and covenants that the Series 2023 A Bonds do not constitute private activity bonds as defined in Section 141 of the Code, and that not more than $10,000,000 aggregate principal amount of obligations the interest on which is excludable (under Section 103(a) of the Code) from gross income for federal income tax purposes (excluding, however, obligations issued to currently refund any obligation of the Issuer to the extent the amount of the refunding obligation does not exceed the amount of the refunded obligation and private activity bonds, as defined in Section 141 of the Code, other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds as defined in Section 145 of the Code), including the Series 2023 A Bonds, have been or shall be issued by the Issuer, including all subordinate entities of the Issuer, during the calendar year 2023, all as determined in accordance with the Code.

If the Issuer is subject to the rebate requirements of Section 148(f) of the Code, and not exempted from such requirements, the Issuer covenants to calculate, annually, the rebatable arbitrage, determined in accordance with Section 148(f) of the Code. Upon completion of each such annual calculation, unless otherwise agreed by the Purchaser, the Issuer shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in the Rebate Fund such sums as are necessary to cause the aggregate amount on deposit in the Rebate Fund to equal the sum determined to be subject to rebate to the United States, which, notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, shall be paid from investment earnings on the underlying fund or account established hereunder and on which such rebatable arbitrage was earned or from other lawfully available sources. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Rebate Fund shall be held free and clear of any lien or pledge hereunder and shall be used only for payment of rebatable arbitrage to the United States. The Issuer shall pay, or cause to be paid, to the United States, from the Rebate Fund, the rebatable arbitrage in accordance with Section 148(f) of the Code and such Regulations. In the event that there are any amounts remaining in the Rebate Fund following all such payments required by the preceding sentence, the Depository Bank shall pay said amounts to the Issuer to be used for any lawful purpose of the System. The Issuer shall remit payments to the United States in the time and at the address prescribed by the Regulations as the same may be from time to time in effect with such reports and statements as may be prescribed by such Regulations. In the event that, for any reason, amounts in the Rebate Fund are insufficient to make the payments to the United States which are required, the Issuer shall assure that such payments are made by the Issuer to the United States, on a timely basis, from any funds lawfully available therefor. In addition, the Issuer shall cooperate with the Purchaser in preparing rebate calculations and in all other respects in connection with rebates and hereby consents to the performance of all matters in connection with such rebates by the Purchaser at the expense of the Issuer. The Issuer may provide for the employment of independent attorneys, accountants or consultants compensated on such reasonable basis as the Issuer may deem appropriate in order to assure compliance with this Section 8.03. The Issuer shall keep and retain, or cause to be kept and retained, records of the determinations made pursuant to this Section 8.03 in accordance with the requirements of Section 148(f) of the Code and such Regulations. In the event the Issuer fails to make such rebates as required, the Issuer shall pay the required rebate amount, any and all penalties and other amounts, from lawfully available sources, and obtain a waiver from the Internal Revenue Service, if necessary, and take any other actions necessary, in order to maintain the exclusion of interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

ARTICLE IX

DEFAULT AND REMEDIES

Section 9.01. Events of Default. Each of the following events shall constitute an "Event of Default" with respect to the Series 2023 A Bonds:

(1) If default occurs in the due and punctual payment of the principal of or interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds; or

(2) If default occurs in the Issuer's observance of any of the covenants, agreements or conditions on its part relating to the Series 2023 A Bonds set forth in this Bond Legislation, any supplemental resolution or in the Series 2023 A Bonds, and such default shall have continued for a period of 30 days after the Issuer shall have been given written notice of such default by the Depository Bank, the Registrar, the Paying Agent or any other Paying Agent or a Holder of a Bond; or

(3) If the Issuer files a petition seeking reorganization or arrangement under the federal bankruptcy laws or any other applicable law of the United States of America; or

(4) If default occurs with respect to the Prior Bonds or the Prior Ordinances.

Section 9.02. Remedies. Upon the happening and continuance of any Event of Default, any Registered Owner of a Bond may exercise any available remedy and bring any appropriate action, suit or proceeding to enforce his or her rights and, in particular, (i) bring suit for any unpaid principal or interest then due; (ii) by mandamus or other appropriate proceeding enforce all rights of such Registered Owners including the right to require the Issuer to perform its duties under the Act and the Bond Legislation relating thereto, including but not limited to the making and collection of sufficient rates or charges for services rendered by the System; (iii) bring suit upon the Bonds; (iv) by action at law or bill in equity require the Issuer to account as if it were the trustee of an express trust for the Registered Owners of the Bonds; and (v) by action or bill in equity enjoin any acts in violation of the Bond Legislation with respect to the Bonds, or the rights of such Registered Owners; provided that, all rights and remedies of the Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be on a parity with the Prior Bonds.

Section 9.03. Appointment of Receiver. Any Registered Owner of a Bond may, by proper legal action, compel the performance of the duties of the Issuer under the Bond Legislation and the Act, including, the completion of the Project and after commencement of operation of the System, the making and collection of sufficient rates and charges for services rendered by the System and segregation of the revenues therefrom and the application thereof. If there be any Event of Default with respect to such Bonds, any Registered Owner of a Bond shall, in addition to all other remedies or rights, have the right by appropriate legal proceedings to obtain the appointment of a receiver to administer the System or to complete the Design Project on behalf of the Issuer, with power to charge rates, rentals, fees and other charges sufficient to provide for the payment of Operating Expenses of the System, the payment of the Bonds and interest and the deposits into the funds and accounts hereby established, and to apply such rates, rentals, fees, charges or other revenues in conformity with the provisions of this Bond Legislation and the Act.

The receiver so appointed shall forthwith, directly or by his or her or its agents and attorneys, enter into and upon and take possession of all facilities of said System and shall hold, operate and maintain, manage and control such facilities, and each and every part thereof, and in the name of the Issuer exercise all the rights and powers of the Issuer with respect to said facilities as the Issuer itself might exercise.

Whenever all that is due upon the Bonds and interest thereon and under any covenants of this Bond Legislation for reserve, sinking or other funds and upon any other obligations and interest thereon having a charge, lien or encumbrance upon the revenues of the System shall have been paid and made good, and all defaults under the provisions of this Bond Legislation shall have been cured and made good, possession of the System shall be surrendered to the Issuer upon the entry of an order of the court to that effect. Upon any subsequent default, any Registered Owner of any Bonds shall have the same right to secure the further appointment of a receiver upon any such subsequent default.

Such receiver, in the performance of the powers hereinabove conferred upon him or her or it, shall be under the direction and supervision of the court making such appointment, shall at all times be subject to the orders and decrees of such court and may be removed thereby, and a successor receiver may be appointed in the discretion of such court. Nothing herein contained shall limit or restrict the jurisdiction of such court to enter such other and further orders and decrees as such court may deem necessary or appropriate for the exercise by the receiver of any function not specifically set forth herein.

Any receiver appointed as provided herein shall hold and operate the System in the name of the Issuer and for the joint protection and benefit of the Issuer and Registered Owners of the Bonds. Such receiver shall have no power to sell, assign, mortgage or otherwise dispose of any assets of any kind or character belonging or pertaining to the System, but the authority of such receiver shall be limited to the completion of the Project and the possession, operation and maintenance of the System for the sole purpose of the protection of both the Issuer and Registered Owners of such Bonds and the curing and making good of any Event of Default with respect thereto under the provisions of this Bond Legislation, and the title to and ownership of said System shall remain in the Issuer, and no court shall have any jurisdiction to enter any order or decree permitting or requiring such receiver to sell, assign, mortgage or otherwise dispose of any assets of the System.

ARTICLE X

PAYMENT OF BONDS

Section 10.01. Payment of Bonds. If the Issuer shall pay or there shall otherwise be paid to the Holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds, the principal of and interest due or to become due thereon, if any, at the times and in the manner stipulated therein and in this Bond Legislation, then the pledge of Net Revenues and other monies and securities pledged under this Bond Legislation and all covenants, agreements and other obligations of the Issuer to the Registered Owners of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall thereupon cease, terminate and become void and be discharged and satisfied, except as may otherwise be necessary to assure the exclusion of interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

ARTICLE XI

MISCELLANEOUS

Section 11.01. Amendment or Modification of Bond Legislation. Prior to issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, this Ordinance may be amended or supplemented in any way by the Supplemental Resolution. Following issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, no material modification or amendment of this Ordinance, or of any ordinance, resolution or order amendatory or supplemental hereto, that would materially and adversely affect the rights of Registered Owners of the Series 2023 A Bonds, shall be made without the consent in writing of the Registered Owners of the Series 2023 A Bonds so affected and then Outstanding; provided, that no change shall be made in the maturity of any Bond or Bonds or the rate of interest, if any, thereon, or in the principal amount thereof, or affecting the unconditional promise of the Issuer to pay such principal and interest out of the funds herein pledged therefor without the consent of the respective Registered Owner thereof. No amendment or modification shall be made that would reduce the percentage of the principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds required for consent to the above-permitted amendments or modifications. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Bond Legislation may be amended without the consent of any Bondholder as may be necessary to assure compliance with Section 148(f) of the Code relating to rebate requirements or otherwise as may be necessary to assure the exclusion of interest, if any, on the Series 2023 A Bonds from gross income of the holders thereof.

Section 11.02. Bond Legislation Constitutes Contract. The provisions of the Bond Legislation shall constitute a contract between the Issuer and the Registered Owners of the Series 2023 A Bonds, and no change, variation or alteration of any kind of the provisions of the Bond Legislation shall be made in any manner, except as in this Bond Legislation provided.

Section 11.03. Severability of Invalid Provisions. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance should be held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance, the Supplemental Resolution or the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 11.04. Headings, Etc. The headings and catchlines of the articles, sections and subsections hereof are for convenience of reference only, and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation of any provision hereof.

Section 11.05. Conflicting Provisions Repealed. Except for the Prior Ordinances, all ordinances, orders or resolutions and or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed; provided that, in the event of any conflict between this Ordinance and the Prior Ordinances, the Prior Ordinances shall control (unless less restrictive), so long as the Prior Bonds are Outstanding.

Section 11.06. Covenant of Due Procedure, Etc. The Issuer covenants that all acts, conditions, things and procedures required to exist, to happen, to be performed or to be taken precedent to and in the adoption of this Ordinance do exist, have happened, have been performed and have been taken in regular and due time, form and manner as required by and in full compliance with the laws and Constitution of the State of West Virginia applicable thereto; and that the Mayor, the City Manager, the City Clerk and members of the Governing Body were at all times when any actions in connection with this Ordinance occurred and are duly in office and duly qualified for such office.

Section 11.07. Appointment. The Issuer does hereby appoint, designate and approve the hiring of Steptoe & Johnson PLLC, Bridgeport, West Virginia, as bond counsel to the Issuer in connection with the issuance by the Issuer of the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 11.08. Statutory Notice and Public Hearing. Upon adoption hereof, an abstract of this Ordinance determined by the Governing Body to contain sufficient information as to give notice of the contents hereof shall be published once a week for 2 successive weeks within a period of fourteen consecutive days, with at least 6 full days intervening between each publication, in the *Exponent Telegram* a qualified newspaper of general circulation in the City of Clarksburg, together with a notice stating that this Ordinance has been adopted and that the Issuer contemplates the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, and that any person interested may appear before the Governing Body upon a date certain, not less than ten days subsequent to the date of the first publication of such abstract of this Ordinance and notice, and present protests, and that a certified copy of this Ordinance is on file with the Governing Body for review by interested persons during office hours of the Governing Body. At such hearing, all objections and suggestions shall be heard and the Governing Body shall take such action as it shall deem proper in the premises.

[*Signature Pages to Follow*]

Section 11.09. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately following the public hearing and final reading hereof.

Passed on First Reading:	-	August 3, 2023
Passed on Second Reading:	-	August 17, 2023
Passed on Final Reading Following Public Hearing:	-	September 7, 2023

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

James L. MacGregor
Mayor

City Manager

CERTIFICATION

Certified a true copy of an Ordinance duly enacted by the Council of the City of Clarksburg on the 15 day of September, 2023 and supplemented by Supplemental Resolution adopted September 7, 2023 which Bond Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the laws of the State of West Virginia and the Rules of Procedure of the City and which has not been amended in any respect and remains in full force and effect as of the date hereof.

Dated: September 15, 2023.

[SEAL]

Annette Wright
City Clerk

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTION PROVIDING THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT, DATE, MATURITY DATE, INTEREST RATE, INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL PAYMENT DATES AND OTHER TERMS OF THE SEWER DESIGN REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2023 A OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG; AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE SALE AND DELIVERY OF SUCH SERIES 2023 A BONDS; APPROVING AND MAKING OTHER PROVISIONS AS TO THE SERIES 2023 A BONDS.

WHEREAS, the City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer") in the County of Harrison, State of West Virginia, is a municipality and political subdivision of said State, the governing body of which is its Council (the "Governing Body");

WHEREAS, the Governing Body has duly and officially enacted on September 7, 2023, an Ordinance (the "Ordinance") entitled:

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DESIGN AND OTHER PRE-CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE ADDITIONS, BETTERMENTS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG AS WELL AS COSTS TO BE PAID TO THE US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS IN REGARD THERETO AND THE FINANCING OF THE COST THEREOF, NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED, THROUGH THE ISSUANCE BY THE CITY OF NOT MORE THAN $1,500,000 IN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF SEWER DESIGN REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2023 A; PROVIDING FOR THE RIGHTS AND REMEDIES OF AND SECURITY FOR THE REGISTERED OWNERS OF SUCH BONDS; AUTHORIZING EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF ALL DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS; AND AUTHORIZING THE SALE AND PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND PROVISIONS OF SUCH BONDS AND ADOPTING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING THERETO.

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary for the Issuer to issue its Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A (the "Series 2023 A Bonds") in an aggregate principal amount of not more than $1,500,000, all in accordance with Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended (the "Act") to finance certain additions, betterments and improvements to the existing public sewer system of the Issuer including improvements to be undertaken for the Issuer by the US Army Corps of Engineers, consisting of extension of sewer service to Arlington, West Virginia, located in Harrison County, and the addition of a tie-in point for future projects, together with all appurtenant facilities (collectively, the "Project") (the existing public sewer system of the Issuer, the Project and any further additions, betterments and improvements thereto are herein called the "System"), in accordance with the plans and specifications to be prepared by the Consulting Engineers. The design and other preconstruction services for the Project including those to be undertaken by the US Army Corps of Engineers and deposits to be made to the US Army Corps of Engineers in connection with Project construction to be undertaken by it are collectively referred to as the "Design Project";

WHEREAS, in the Ordinance, it is provided that the exact principal amount, date, maturity date, interest rate, interest and principal payment dates and other terms of the Series 2023 A Bonds should be established by a supplemental resolution and that other matters relating to the Series 2023 A Bonds be provided for therein;

WHEREAS, capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the same meaning set forth in Ordinance when used herein;

WHEREAS, the Governing Body deems it essential and desirable that this supplemental resolution (the "Supplemental Resolution") be adopted, that the principal amount, date, maturity date, interest rate, interest and principal payment dates and other terms of the Series 2023 A Bonds be fixed hereby in the manner stated herein, and that other matters relating to the Series 2023 A Bonds be herein provided for.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG:

Section 1. For the purposes of (i) paying costs of the Design Project and (ii) paying certain costs of issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds and related costs, the Governing Body of the Issuer hereby authorizes the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed $1,500,000.

Section 2. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be sold to MVB Bank, Inc. Morgantown, West Virginia, and shall be registered in the name of such bank pursuant to the terms of the Commitment Letter dated August 14, 2023. The price of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be 100% of par value, there being no interest accrued thereon.

Section 3. Pursuant to the Ordinance and the Act, this Supplemental Resolution is adopted and there are hereby authorized and ordered to be issued the Series 2023 A Bonds of the Issuer, originally represented by a single bond, numbered AR-1, in the principal amount of $1,500,000 which shall be available on a draw down basis with the amount of the principal repayment obligation being as indicated in the record of advances attached to the Series 2023 A Bond with interest accruing only on the principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds outstanding from time to time and not theretofore repaid. The

Series 2023 A Bonds shall be dated September 15, 2023, shall mature on October 1, 2038, and shall bear interest as follows:

A. Interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be payable at a rate per annum equivalent to the US Treasury Par Rate at the time of closing plus 3.34%, that shall not be less than 7.5% and shall not exceed 7.80% per annum (final rate to be set forth in the Series 2023 A Bond) (hereinafter sometimes called the "Tax-Exempt Rate"). Interest shall be calculated on a 365/360-day year.

B. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, in the event the interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds is declared to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes by the Internal Revenue Service ("Determination of Taxability"), interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be payable at the Tax-Exempt Rate plus the spread between tax-exempt rates and taxable rates at the time the Tax-Exempt Rate is established (final rate to be set forth in the Series 2023 A Bond) (hereinafter sometimes called the "Taxable Rate"). Interest at the Taxable Rate shall commence to accrue on the date of Determination of Taxability and such interest rate shall be charged retroactively and prospectively for all periods in which interest paid on the Series 2023 A Bonds is asserted, declared or determined to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, and shall continue until the entire principal of and interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds are paid, notwithstanding that the entire principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds may have been paid in full prior to the Determination of Taxability. Any interest being past due on the Series 2023 A Bonds by reason of such increase shall become immediately due and payable.

C. The Series 2023 A Bond shall be payable in 180 monthly installments of principal and interest commencing on November 1, 2023, and continuing on the 1st day of each month thereafter to an including October 1, 2038. The monthly installments shall be listed on the debt service schedule attached to the Series 2023 A Bond as Exhibit A.

D. All payments received by the Paying Agent on account of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be applied first to payment of interest accrued on the Series 2023 A Bonds and next to payment of principal of the Series 2023 A Bonds. If not sooner paid, the entire principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds unpaid on October 1, 2038, together with all accrued interest and any other sums due and owing upon the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be due and payable on such date.

Section 4. The Issuer hereby appoints and designates MVB Bank, Inc., Morgantown, West Virginia, as the Depository Bank.

Section 5. The Issuer hereby appoints and designates MVB Bank, Inc., Morgantown, West Virginia, as the Purchaser and Registrar.

Section 6. Series 2023 A Bonds proceeds in the amount of $-0- shall be deposited in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account.

Section 7. The Issuer hereby appoints West Virginia Municipal Bond Commission, Charleston, as the Paying Agent.

Section 8. All other provisions of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the text of the Series 2023 A Bonds shall be in substantially the form provided in the Ordinance.

Section 9. The Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Series 2023 A Bonds and such other documents and certificates required or desirable in connection with the Series 2023 A Bonds hereby and by the Ordinance approved and provided for.

Section 10. The Issuer hereby designates the Series 2023 A Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and covenants that the Series 2023 A Bonds do not constitute private activity bonds as defined in Section 141 of the Code, and that not more than $10,000,000 aggregate principal amount of obligations the interest on which is excludable (under Section 103(a) of the Code) from gross income for federal income tax purposes (excluding, however, private activity bonds, as defined in Section 141 of the Code, other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds as defined in Section 145 of the Code), including the Series 2023 A Bonds, have been or are reasonably anticipated to be issued by the Issuer, including all subordinate entities of the Issuer, during the calendar year 2023.

Section 11. The issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the undertaking of the Design Project with proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds is in the public interest, serves a public purpose of the Issuer and will promote the health, welfare and safety of the residents of the Issuer.

Section 12. The firm of Steptoe & Johnson PLLC, Bridgeport, West Virginia, is hereby appointed bond counsel to the Issuer in connection with the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds.

Section 13. The Tax Compliance Policy attached hereto as Exhibit A is hereby approved.

Section 14. The Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk, and all other appropriate officers and employees of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to do any and all things proper and necessary to cause the Series 2023 A Bonds to be duly and properly issued by the Issuer and delivered to the Original Purchaser as herein authorized and to otherwise facilitate the transaction contemplated by this Supplemental Resolution, and no further authority shall be necessary to authorize any such officers or employees to give such further assurance and do such further acts as may be legally required.

Section 15. The Clarksburg Sanitary Board is authorized to review and approve invoices to be paid from the proceeds of the Series 2023 A Bonds and held in the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund. The City Manager, City Clerk, and/or the Director of Finance of the Issuer, by

combination of any two signatures, shall be authorized to execute and deliver requisitions and pay invoices from funds on deposit in the Series 2023 A Bonds Trust Fund.

Section 16. This Supplemental Resolution shall be effective immediately following adoption hereof.

Adopted this 7th day of September, 2023.

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

James L. Malfregeat
Mayor

City Manager

CERTIFICATION

Certified a true copy of a Supplemental Resolution duly adopted by the Council of the City of Clarksburg on September 7, 2023.

Dated: September 7, 2023.

[SEAL]

Nicole Wright

City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

TAX COMPLIANCE POLICIES

City of Clarksburg

Dated: September 15, 2023

Purpose

Issuers of tax-exempt bonds must comply with federal tax rules pertaining to expenditure of proceeds for qualified costs, rate of expenditure, use of bond financed property, investment of proceeds in compliance with arbitrage rules, and retention of records. The following policies are intended to establish compliance by the City of Clarksburg (the *"Issuer"*) with these rules in connection with the issuance of the Issuer's Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A (the "*Tax-Exempt Bonds*").

Tax Requirements Associated with Sale and Issuance of Bonds

Review and retention of tax documents related to the sale and issuance of Bonds will be supervised by the City Manager of the Issuer or his/her designee (the "*Oversight Officer*").

- Form 8038-G (tax exempt bonds) will be reviewed and filed not later than the 15th day of the 2nd calendar month following the quarter in which the bonds were issued. Filing of appropriate version or versions of Form 8038-G will be confirmed with bond counsel.

Expenditure of Proceeds for Qualified Costs

Expenditure of bond proceeds will be reviewed by the Oversight Officer.

- Bond proceeds will be disbursed pursuant to an approved form of requisition stating the date, amount and purpose of the disbursement.

- Requisitions must identify the financed property and certify as to the character of the bond-financed property.

- Requisitions for costs that were paid prior to the issuance of the bonds are, in general, limited to costs paid subsequent to, or not more than 60 days prior to, the date a "declaration of intent" to reimburse the costs was adopted by the Issuer. If proceeds are used for reimbursement, a copy of the declaration will be obtained and

included in the records for the Tax-Exempt Bonds, if not already part of the bond transcript.

- Requisitions will be summarized in a "final allocation" of proceeds to uses not later than 18 months after the in-service date of the financed property (and in any event not later than 5 years and 60 days after the issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bonds).

- Expenditure of proceeds will be monitored against the expectations to spend or commit 5% of net sale proceeds within 6 months, to spend 85% of net sale proceeds within 3 years, and to proceed with due diligence to complete the project and fully spend the net sale proceeds. Expected expenditure schedules, project timelines, and plans and specifications will be maintained to support expectations. Reasons for failure to meet the expected schedule will be documented and retained in the records for the Tax-Exempt Bonds.

- If the 18-month spending exception to rebate applies, expenditure of gross proceeds will be monitored against the following schedule for the arbitrage rebate exception for the issue, if applicable:

  15% within 6 months
  60% within 12 months
  100% within 18 months

- If the 2-year spending exception to rebate applies, expenditure of "available proceeds" will be monitored against the following schedule for the arbitrage rebate exception for construction issues if applicable:

  10% within 6 months
  45% within 12 months
  75% within 18 months
  100% within 24 months

Expenditure of Proceeds

In addition to the general review of expenditures described above, expenditure of proceeds of the Tax-Exempt Bonds will be reviewed by the Oversight Officer.

- Only a small portion (5%) of the proceeds of Tax-Exempt Bonds can be used for operating expenses or other "working capital" costs. Requisitions for costs of the project will accordingly be monitored to confirm that they are for capital costs of the project.

- Investment earnings on sale proceeds of the Tax-Exempt Bonds will be tracked and will be requisitioned only for appropriate expenditures.

Use of Bond-Financed Property

Use of bond-financed property when completed and placed in service will be reviewed by the Oversight Officer.

- Average nonexempt use of bond-financed property over the life of the issue cannot exceed 10% of the proceeds.

- Agreements with business users or non-profit organizations for lease or management or services contracts, sponsored research, naming rights or any other potential nonexempt use of bond-financed property will be reviewed prior to execution of any contract to determine if property is bond-financed.

- Agreements with business users or other non-profit organizations for lease or management or services contracts or other private business use involving bond-financed property will be tracked and aggregated with other private business uses for compliance with the 10% limit.

- No item of bond-financed property will be sold or transferred to a nonexempt party without advance arrangement of a "remedial action" under the applicable Income Tax Regulations.

Investments and IRS Filings

Investment of bond proceeds in compliance with the arbitrage bond rules and rebate of arbitrage will be supervised by the Oversight Officer.

- Guaranteed investment contracts ("*GIC*") will be purchased only using the three-bid "safe harbor" of applicable Income Tax Regulations, in compliance with fee limitations on GIC brokers in the Income Tax Regulations.

- Other investments will be purchased only in market transactions.

- Calculations of rebate liability will be performed annually by outside consultants.

- Rebate payments will be made with Form 8038-T no later than 60 days after (a) each fifth anniversary of the date of issuance and (b) the

final retirement of the issue. Compliance with rebate requirements will be reported to the bond trustee and the issuer.

- Identify date for first rebate payment at time of issuance. Enter in records for the issue.

Records

Management and retention of records related to tax-exempt bond issues will be supervised by the Oversight Officer.

- Records will be retained for the life of the bonds plus any refunding bonds plus three years. Records may be in the form of documents or electronic copies of documents, appropriately indexed to specific bond issues and compliance functions.

- Retainable records pertaining to the Tax-Exempt Bonds include transcript of documents executed in connection with the issuance of the bonds (including authorizing resolutions, and Form 8038-G) and any amendments, and copies of rebate calculations and records of payments, including Forms 8038-T.

- Retainable records pertaining to expenditures of bond proceeds include requisitions, trustee statements and final allocation of proceeds.

- Retainable records pertaining to use of property include all agreements reviewed for nonexempt use.

- Retainable records pertaining to investments include GIC documents under the Income Tax Regulations, records of purchase and sale of other investments, and records of investment activity sufficient to permit calculation of arbitrage rebate or demonstration that no rebate is due.

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Overall Responsibility

Overall administration and coordination of this policy is the responsibility of the Oversight Officer.

Dated as of the date first written hereof.

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

_____
Title: Mayor

_____
Title: City Manager

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

CROSS-RECEIPT FOR BOND AND BOND PROCEEDS

The undersigned authorized representative of MVB Bank, Inc., Morgantown, West Virginia (the "Purchaser"), and the undersigned Mayor and City Manager of the City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer"), hereby certify this 15th day of September, 2023, as follows:

1. On September 15, 2023, at Clarksburg, West Virginia, the Purchaser received the City of Clarksburg Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A, No. AR-1, issued as a single bond in the principal amount of $1,500,000, dated September 15, 2023 (the "Series 2023 A Bonds"). The Series 2023 A Bonds represent the entire above-captioned bond issue.

2. At the time of such receipt, the Series 2023 A Bonds have been executed and sealed by the designated officials of the Issuer.

3. The Issuer has received and hereby acknowledges receipt from the Purchaser of the sum of $249,761.39, being the initial advance of the principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds. The remaining par amount of the Bonds is available on a draw down basis.

4. This document may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same document.

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WITNESS our respective signatures dated the day and year first written above.

MVB BANK, INC.

By: _____
Its: Authorized Officer

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

By: James L. Malfregeat
Its: Mayor

By: _____
Its: City Manager

WITNESS our respective signatures dated the day and year first written above.

MVB BANK, INC.

By: _____
Its: Authorized Officer

CITY OF CLARKSBURG

By: _____
Its: Mayor

By: _____
Its: City Manager

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
CITY OF CLARKSBURG
SEWER DESIGN REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2023 A

No. AR-1 $1,500,000

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: This 15th day of September, 2023, that the City of Clarksburg, a municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia in Harrison County of said State (the "Issuer"), for value received, hereby promises to pay, solely from the sources and in the manner hereinafter set forth, to the order of:

-MVB Bank, Inc.-

or registered assigns (the "Registered Owner"), the principal sum of One Million Five Hundred Thousand and 00/100 Dollars ($1,500,000) or such lesser amount as shall have been advanced to the Issuer hereunder and not previously repaid, as set forth in the "Record of Advances" attached as EXHIBIT A hereto and incorporated herein by reference which shall be updated by the Registered Owner as advances are made, together with interest only payable monthly on the outstanding principal amounts beginning November 1, 2023, to and including December 1, 2024 (such period of time herein referred to as the "Draw Period"), with substantially equal amortizing installment payments consisting of both principal and accrued interest thereafter being due and payable, based upon the principal amount of this Bond advanced as of conclusion of the Draw Period, payable monthly beginning January 1, 2025, to and including October 1, 2038, which shall be the maturity date of this Bond (the "Maturity Date") at which time all principal and accrued interest not previously repaid shall thereupon become due and payable. The Registered Owner shall prepare an amortization schedule for this Bond at the conclusion of the Draw Period and provide same to Issuer which shall thereupon establish the repayment schedule for the Bonds. This Bond shall accrue interest at the rates per annum set forth as follows:

A. Beginning September 15, 2023, to and including the Maturity Date, interest on this Bond shall be payable at the fixed rate of 7.61% per annum (hereinafter sometimes called the "Tax-Exempt Rate"). Interest shall be computed on the basis of a 365/360 year.

B. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, in the event the interest on this Bond is declared to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes by the Internal Revenue Service ("Determination of Taxability"), interest on this Bond shall be payable at the rate of 10.28% per annum (hereinafter sometimes called the "Taxable Rate"). Interest at the Taxable Rate shall commence to accrue on the date of Determination of Taxability and such interest rate shall be charged retroactively and prospectively for all periods in which interest paid on this Bond is asserted, declared or determined to be includible in gross income for federal income tax purposes, and shall continue until the entire principal of and interest on this Bond are paid, notwithstanding that the entire principal amount of this Bond may have been paid in full prior to the Determination of Taxability. Any interest being past due on this Bond by reason of such increase shall become immediately due and payable.

The principal of and interest on this Bond are payable in any coin or currency which on the date of payment thereof is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts under the laws of the

United States of America, at the office of the West Virginia Municipal Bond Commission, Charleston, West Virginia as Paying Agent.

This Bond shall be subject to redemption in whole or in part at any time at the price of par plus accrued interest to the redemption date with no premium or prepayment penalty due thereon. Prepayments of principal in part shall be applied in inverse order of maturity. The Registrar shall provide at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of redemption to the Registered Owner.

This Bond is issued (i) to pay the costs of design and other pre-construction activities for certain additions, betterments and improvements to the existing sewerage system of the Issuer, including improvements to be undertaken for the Issuer by the US Army Corps of Engineers, consisting of extension of sewer service to Arlington, West Virginia, located in Harrison County, and the addition of a tie-in point for future projects, together with all appurtenant facilities, and to pay costs of design and construction of same to be undertaken by the US Army Corp of Engineers (the "Design Project"); and (ii) to pay certain costs of issuance of the Bonds of this Series (the "Bonds") and related costs. The existing public sewerage system of the Issuer, the Design Project, and any further additions, betterments or improvements thereto are herein called the "System." This Bond is issued under the authority of and in full compliance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of West Virginia, including particularly Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended (the "Act"), a Bond Ordinance duly enacted by the Issuer on September 7, 2023, and a Supplemental Resolution duly adopted by the Issuer on September 7, 2023 (collectively, the "Bond Legislation"), and is subject to all the terms and conditions thereof. The Bond Legislation provides for the issuance of additional bonds under certain conditions, and such bonds would be entitled to be paid and secured equally and ratably from and by the funds and revenues and other security provided for the Bonds under the Bond Legislation.

THIS BOND IS ISSUED ON A PARITY, WITH RESPECT TO LIENS, PLEDGE AND SOURCE OF AND SECURITY FOR PAYMENT, AND IN ALL RESPECTS, TO THE ISSUER'S:

(I) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2009 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JULY 8, 2009, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $1,000,000 (THE "SERIES 2009 A BONDS");

(II) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2014 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JANUARY 9, 2014, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $12,000,000 (THE "SERIES 2014 A BONDS");

(III) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2020 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED JULY 30, 2020, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $7,500,000 (THE "SERIES 2020 A BONDS"); AND

(IV) SEWER REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2022 A (WEST VIRGINIA SRF PROGRAM), DATED APRIL 27, 2022, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF $725,000 (THE "SERIES 2022 A BONDS" AND COLLECTIVELY, WITH THE SERIES 2009 A BONDS, THE SERIES 2014 A BONDS AND THE SERIES 2020 A BONDS, THE "PRIOR BONDS").

This Bond is payable only from and secured by a pledge of the Net Revenues (as defined in the Bond Legislation) to be derived from the operation of the System, on a parity with the pledge of Net Revenues in favor of the Holders of the Prior Bonds, and from monies in the Reserve Account created under the Bond Legislation for the Bonds (the "Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account"), and unexpended proceeds of the Bonds. Such Net Revenues shall be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on all bonds which may be issued pursuant to the Act and which shall be set aside as a special fund hereby pledged for such purpose. This Bond does not constitute an indebtedness of the Issuer within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provisions or limitations, nor shall the Issuer be obligated to pay the same or the interest, if any, hereon, except from said special fund provided from the Net Revenues, the monies in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account and unexpended proceeds of the Bonds. Pursuant to the Bond Legislation, the Issuer has covenanted and agreed to establish and maintain just and equitable rates and charges for the use of the System and the services rendered thereby, which shall be sufficient, together with other revenues of the System, to provide for the reasonable expenses of operation, repair and maintenance of the System, and to leave a balance each year equal to at least 115% of the maximum amount payable in any year for principal of and interest, if any, on the Bonds and all other obligations secured by a lien on or payable from such revenues prior to or on a parity with the Bonds, including the Prior Bonds; provided however, that so long as there exists in the Series 2023 A Bonds Reserve Account an amount at least equal to the maximum amount of principal and interest, if any, which will become due on the Bonds in the then current or any succeeding year, and in the respective reserve accounts established for any other obligations outstanding on a parity with or junior to the Bonds, including the Prior Bonds, an amount at least equal to the requirement therefor, such percentage may be reduced to 110%. The Issuer has entered into certain further covenants with the registered owners of the Bonds for the terms of which reference is made to the Bond Legislation. Remedies provided the registered owners of the Bonds are exclusively as provided in the Bond Legislation, to which reference is here made for a detailed description thereof.

Subject to the registration requirements set forth herein, this Bond is transferable, as provided in the Bond Legislation, only upon the books of MVB Bank, Inc. (the "Registrar") (as defined in the Bond Legislation), by the registered owner, or by its attorney duly authorized in writing, upon the surrender of this Bond, together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar, duly executed by the registered owner or its attorney duly authorized in writing.

Subject to the registration requirements set forth herein, this Bond, under the provision of the Act is, and has all the qualities and incidents of, a negotiable instrument under the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of West Virginia.

All money received from the sale of this Bond, after reimbursement and repayment of all amounts advanced for preliminary expenses as provided by law and the Bond Legislation, shall be applied solely to payment of the costs of the Design Project and costs of issuance hereof described in the Bond Legislation, and there shall be and hereby is created and granted a lien upon such monies, until so applied, in favor of the registered owner of this Bond.

This Bond is hereby designated a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

This Bond is, under the Act, exempt from all taxation by the State of West Virginia (the "State"), or any county or municipality of the State.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND DECLARED that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and at the issuance of this Bond do exist, have happened, and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this Bond, together with all other obligations of the Issuer, does not exceed any limit prescribed

by the Constitution or statutes of the State of West Virginia and that a sufficient amount of the Net Revenues of the System has been pledged to and will be set aside into said special fund by the Issuer for the prompt payment of the principal and interest on this Bond.

All provisions of the Bond Legislation, resolutions and statutes under which this Bond is issued shall be deemed to be a part of the contract evidenced by this Bond to the same extent as if written fully herein.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the CITY OF CLARKSBURG has caused this Bond to be signed by its Mayor and City Manager, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its City Clerk, and has caused this Bond to be dated the day and year first written above.

[SEAL]

James F. MacGregor
Mayor

Thomas Hall
City Manager

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ATTEST:

Annette Wright
City Clerk

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CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION AND REGISTRATION

This Bond is one of the Series 2023 A Bonds described in the within-mentioned Bond Legislation and has been duly registered in the name of the registered owner set forth above, as of the date set forth below.

Date: September 15, 2023.

MVB BANK, INC.
as Registrar

Authorized Officer

SPECIMEN

EXHIBIT A

RECORD OF ADVANCES

	AMOUNT	DATE		AMOUNT	DATE
(1)	$249,761.39	09/15/2023	(19)		
(2)			(20)		
(3)			(21)		
(4)			(22)		
(5)			(23)		
(6)			(24)		
(7)			(25)		
(8)			(26)		
(9)			(27)		
(10)			(28)		
(11)			(29)		
(12)			(30)		
(13)			(31)		
(14)			(32)		
(15)			(33)		
(16)			(34)		
(17)			(35)		
(18)			(36)		

TOTAL $_____

(Form of)

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED the undersigned sells, assigns, and transfers unto _____ the within Bond and does hereby irrevocably constitute and appoint _____, Attorney to transfer the said Bond on the books kept for registration of the within Bond of the said Issuer with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: _____, 20___.

_____

In the presence of:

_____

STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

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September 15, 2023

City of Clarksburg
Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

City of Clarksburg
Clarksburg, West Virginia

MVB Bank, Inc.
Morgantown, West Virginia

West Virginia Water Development Authority
Charleston, West Virginia

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have served as bond counsel in connection with the issuance by the City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer"), a municipal corporation and political subdivision organized and existing under the laws of the State of West Virginia, of its $1,500,000 Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A, dated the date hereof (the "Series 2023 A Bonds").

We have examined the law and certified copies of proceedings and other papers relating to the authorization of the Series 2023 A Bonds, which are to be purchased by MVB Bank, Inc. (the "Purchaser"). The Series 2023 A Bonds are originally issued in the form of one bond, registered as to interest and principal to the Purchaser. The Series 2023 A Bonds shall be dated September 15, 2023, and shall finally mature October 1, 2038 (the "Maturity Date"), and shall bear interest at the fixed rate of 7.61% per annum. The Series 2023 A Bonds are being issued as draw down obligations with the principal repayment obligation being equal to the principal amount of the Bonds requisitioned from time to time by the Issuer and funded by the Purchaser and not theretofore repaid. Interest shall accrue only on the principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds advanced by the Purchaser from time to time and not theretofore repaid. Interest only shall be payable on the first day of each month commencing November 1, 2023, to and including December 1, 2024 (the "Draw Down Period"). Following the conclusion of the Draw Down Period, the principal amount of the Series 2023 A Bonds which has been funded at such time together with interest which shall accrue thereon shall be payable in substantially equal monthly amortizing installment payments consisting of principal and interest on the first day of each month commencing on January 1, 2025, continuing to the Maturity Date.

The Series 2023 A Bonds are issued under the authority of and in full compliance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of West Virginia, including particularly, Chapter 16, Article 13 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended (the "Act"), for the purposes of (i) paying costs of design and other pre-construction activities for certain additions, betterments and improvements to the existing sewerage system of the Issuer, including improvements to be undertaken for the Issuer by the US Army Corps of Engineers, consisting of extension of sewer service to Arlington, West Virginia, located in Harrison County, and the addition of a tie-in point for future projects, together with all appurtenant

facilities, and to pay costs of design and construction of same to be undertaken by the US Army Corp of Engineers (the "Design Project"); and (ii) paying certain costs of issuance and related costs.

We have also examined the applicable provisions of the Act, the Bond Ordinance duly enacted by the Issuer on September 7, 2023, as supplemented by a Supplemental Resolution duly adopted by the Issuer on September 7, 2023 (collectively, the "Bond Legislation"), pursuant to and under which Act and Bond Legislation the Series 2023 A Bonds are authorized and issued. The Series 2023 A Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity under the conditions and subject to the limitations set forth in the Bond Legislation. All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the same meanings set forth in the Bond Legislation when used herein.

Based upon the foregoing, and upon our examination of such other documents as we have deemed necessary, we are of the opinion, under existing law, as follows:

1. The Issuer is a duly created and validly existing municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia, with full power and authority to acquire and construct the Design Project, to operate and maintain the System, to enact the Bond Legislation and to issue and sell the Series 2023 A Bonds, all under the Act and other applicable provisions of law.

2. The Bond Legislation and all other necessary ordinances and resolutions have been duly and effectively enacted and adopted by the Issuer in connection with the issuance and sale of the Series 2023 A Bonds and constitute valid and binding obligations of the Issuer, enforceable against the Issuer in accordance with their terms.

3. The Series 2023 A Bonds have been duly authorized, issued, executed and delivered by the Issuer to the Purchaser and are valid, legally enforceable and binding special obligations of the Issuer, payable from the Net Revenues of the System and secured by a first lien on and pledge of the Net Revenues of the System on a parity with respect to liens, pledge and source of and security for payment with the Issuer's: (i) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2009 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 8, 2009, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $1,000,000; (ii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated January 9, 2014, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $12,000,000; (iii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 30, 2020, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $7,500,000; and (iv) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2022 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated April 27, 2022, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $725,000 (collectively, the "Prior Bonds").

4. Under existing law, assuming continuing compliance with certain covenants and the accuracy of certain representations contained in the Tax Certificate, the interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the alternative minimum tax on individuals; however, with respect to certain corporations, interest on the Bonds is taken into account in determining the annual adjusted financial statement income for the purpose of computing the alternative minimum tax imposed on corporations for tax years beginning after December 31, 2022. In rendering our opinion, we have relied upon certain representations, certifications of fact and statements of reasonable expectation made by the Issuer in connection with the Series 2023 A Bonds, and we have assumed compliance by the Issuer with certain ongoing covenants to comply with the applicable requirements of the Code to assure the exclusion of interest on the Series 2023 A Bonds from gross income under Section 103 of the Code. We express no opinion regarding other federal tax consequences arising with respect to the Bonds.

5. The Series 2023 A Bonds and the interest thereon are, under the Act, exempt from all taxation by the State of West Virginia, or any county, municipality, political subdivision or agency thereof.

6. The Issuer has designated the Series 2023 A Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" for purposes of the Code, and has covenanted that it does not reasonably expect to issue more than $10,000,000 of tax-exempt obligations (other than private activity bonds or obligations issued to currently refund any obligation of the Issuer to the extent the amount of the refunding obligation does not exceed the outstanding amount of the refunded obligations) during the calendar year 2023. Therefore, the Series 2023 A Bonds are "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Code.

It is to be understood that the rights of the holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the enforceability of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Bond Legislation, and the liens and pledges set forth therein, may be subject to and limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted to the extent constitutionally applicable and that their enforcement may also be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

We have examined the executed and authenticated Series 2023 A Bond numbered AR-1, and in our opinion the form of said Bond and its execution and authentication are regular and proper.

Very truly yours,

Steptoe & Johnson PLLC

STEPTOE & JOHNSON PLLC

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CHARLESTON, WV
CLARKSBURG, WV
LEXINGTON, KY
MORGANTOWN, WV
WHEELING, WV

Richard R. Marsh, Esq.
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September 13, 2023

City of Clarksburg
Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

City of Clarksburg
Clarksburg, West Virginia

MVB Bank, Inc.
Morgantown, West Virginia

Steptoe & Johnson PLLC
Bridgeport, West Virginia

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We are counsel to the City of Clarksburg, in Harrison County, West Virginia (the "Issuer"), in connection with the issuance and sale of the above-captioned bonds (the "Series 2023 A Bonds"). As such counsel, we have reviewed copies of the commitment letter dated August 14, 2023, from MVB Bank, Inc. (the "Purchaser"), the Bond Ordinance of the Issuer duly enacted September 7, 2023, as supplemented by the Supplemental Resolution of the Issuer duly adopted September 7, 2023 (collectively, the "Ordinance"), and other documents relating to the Series 2023 A Bonds. All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the same meanings set forth in the Ordinance when used herein.

We are of the opinion under existing law and as of the date hereof that:

1. The Issuer has been duly created and is validly existing as a municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of West Virginia.

2. The Mayor, City Manager, City Clerk and members of the Council of the Issuer have been duly, lawfully and properly elected or appointed, as applicable, have taken the requisite oaths, and are authorized to act in their respective capacities on behalf of the Issuer.

3. The Ordinance has been duly adopted and enacted by the Issuer, is in full force and effect as of the date hereof and constitutes a valid and binding obligation of the Issuer enforceable in accordance with its terms.

4. The execution and delivery of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Ordinance, and the carrying out of the terms thereof, do not and will not, in any material respect, conflict with or constitute, on the part of the Issuer, a breach of or default under any ordinance, order, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the Issuer is a party or any existing law, regulation, court order or consent decree to which the Issuer is subject.

5. It is to be understood that the rights of the holders of the Series 2023 A Bonds and the enforceability of liens, pledges, rights or remedies with respect to the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Ordinance are subject to any applicable bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, moratorium or other similar laws heretofore or hereafter enacted affecting creditors' rights or remedies generally, and that their enforcement may also be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

6. The Issuer has received all permits, licenses, approvals, consents, exemptions, orders, certificates and authorizations necessary for the issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, the acquisition and construction of the Design Project, the operation of the System and the imposition of rates and charges for use of the System, and has taken any other action required for the imposition of such rates and charges, including, without limitation, the enactment of an ordinance dated October 6, 2022 prescribing such rates and charges.

7. To the best of our knowledge, there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation at law or in equity before or by any court, public board or body, pending or threatened, wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would adversely affect the transactions contemplated by the Series 2023 A Bonds and the Ordinance, the operation of the System, the Design Project, the validity of the Series 2023 A Bonds or pledge of the Net Revenues set forth in the Ordinance.

Very truly yours,



Richard R. Marsh

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WEST VIRGINIA MUNICIPAL BOND COMMISSION **NEW ISSUE REPORT FORM**

900 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1117, Charleston, WV 25302

Phone:(304) 558-3971 FAX: (304) 558-1280 **mbc.wv.gov** Date of Report: 15-Sep-23

ISSUE: City of Clarksburg Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

ADDRESS: 222 W Main Street, Clarksburg, WV 26301 COUN Harrison

PURPOSE OF ISSUE: x New Money

Refunding Refunding issue(s) dated:

ISSUE DATE: 15-Sep-23 RATE: 7.61% ADMIN FEE:

ISSUE AMOUNT: $1,500,000

1st DEBT SERVICE DUE: 1-Nov-23 1st PRINCIPAL DUE: 1-Jan-25

1st DEBT SERVICE AMOUNT: Accrued Interest PAYING AGENT: MBC

BOND COUNSEL:	*Steptoe & Johnson PLLC*	*UNDERWRITERS COUNSEL:*	*Frost Brown Todd LLP*
Contact Name:	Thomas Aman	Contact Name:	Carrie Cecil
Phone:	304.933.8136	Phone:	304.348.2406
Email:	thomas.aman@steptoe-johnson.com	Email:	ccecil@fbtlaw.com
CLOSING BANK:	*MVB Bank, Inc.*	*ESCROW TRUSTEE:*	
Contact Name:	Herman Deprospero	Contact Name:	
Phone:	304.285.0004	Phone:	
Email:	hdeprospero@mvbbanking.com	Email:	
KNOWLEDGEABLE ISSUER CONTACT:		*OTHER:*	
Contact Name:	Tiffany Fell	Contact Name:	
Title:	City Manager	Title:	
Phone:	304.423.2008	Phone:	
Email:	Tfell@cityofclarksburgwv.com	Email:	

DEPOSITS TO MBC AT CLOSE: $15,511.39 Accrued Interest:

By: Wire X Capitalized Interest: $14,038.42

Check Reserve Account: $1,472.97

In-house Transfer Other:

REFUNDS & TRANSFERS BY MBC AT CLOSE: To Escrow Trustee:

By: Wire To Issuer:

Check To Cons.Invest Fund:

IGT To Other:

ISSUER NUMBERS:

BANK ID NUMBER: CUSIP:

ACCOUNT NUMBER: PROGRAM NUMBER:

NOTES: Interest only payments monthly commencing 11/01/23 to 12/1/24; then principal and interest monthly 1/01/25 until 10/1/2038

FOR MUNIICPAL BOND COMMISSION USE ONLY:

Documents Required: Transfers Required:

SWEEP RESOLUTION

City of Clarksburg

WHEREAS, the City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer") is a municipality and political subdivision of Harrison County, West Virginia;

WHEREAS, the Issuer has issued bonds, as more specifically set forth on Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (the "Bonds");

WHEREAS, the Issuer makes monthly debt service payments on the Bonds by check to the West Virginia Municipal Bond Commission (the "MBC"), which in turn pays the owners of the Bonds and deposits funds in the reserve accounts;

WHEREAS, the MBC may accept such monthly payments by electronic funds transfer thereby eliminating delay in payments and lost checks;

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Chapter 13, Article 3, Section 5a, the MBC has established fees for its services (the "MBC Fee");

WHEREAS, the Issuer finds and determines that it is in the best interest of the Issuer, its citizens, and the owners of the Bonds, that the monthly debt service and reserve fund payments be made by electronic funds transfer with the State Treasurer sweeping the Issuer's account.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1) The monthly debt service payments on the Bonds, as set forth in Exhibit A, along with the MBC Fee, shall be made to the MBC by electronic funds transfer by the State Treasurer from the accounts set forth in Exhibit A, in such form and at such directions as are provided by the MBC.

2) The Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and execute all such documents as are necessary to facilitate the electronic funds transfer of the Bonds' debt service and reserve fund payments.

3) This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Adopted this 7th day of September, 2023.

James F. Malfregeat
Mayor

City Manager

Annette Wright
City Clerk

Acknowledgement by the Clarksburg Sanitary Board

Chairman

T&B *Tetrick & Bartlett,* PLLC
Certified Public Accountants
Consultants

September 15, 2023

City of Clarksburg
Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A

City of Clarksburg
Clarksburg, West Virginia

West Virginia Water Development Authority
Charleston, West Virginia

West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection
Charleston, West Virginia

Steptoe & Johnson PLLC
Bridgeport, West Virginia

RE: CPA CERTIFICATE

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Based upon the rates and charges as set forth in the sewer rate ordinance of the City of Clarksburg (the "Issuer") enacted October 6, 2022, and the projected operation and maintenance expenses and the anticipated customer usage as furnished to us by The Thrasher Group, it is our opinion that such rates and charges will be sufficient to provide revenues which, together with other revenues of the sewerage system (the "System") of the Issuer, will pay all repair, operation and maintenance expenses of the System and will leave a balance each year equal to at least 115% of the maximum amount required in any year for payment for debt service on the Issuer's Sewer Design Revenue Bonds, Series 2023 A proposed to be issued in the aggregate principal amount of $1,500,000 (the "Series 2023 A Bonds"), and all other obligations secured by a lien on or payable from such revenues on a parity with the Series 2023 A Bonds, including the Issuer's:

(i) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2009 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 8, 2009, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $1,000,000;

(ii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated January 9, 2014, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $12,000,000;

(iii) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated July 30, 2020, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $7,500,000; and

(iv) Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2022 A (West Virginia SRF Program), dated April 27, 2022, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of $725,000 (collectively, the "Prior Bonds").

It is further our opinion that the Net Revenues actually derived from the System during any 12 consecutive months, within the 18 months immediately preceding the date of the actual issuance of the Series 2023 A Bonds, plus the estimated average increased annual Net Revenues to be received in each of the 3 succeeding years after the completion of the improvements to be financed by the Series 2023 A Bonds, are not less than 115% of the largest aggregate amount that will mature and become due in any succeeding fiscal year for the principal of an interest, if any, on the Prior Bonds and the Series 2023 A Bonds.

In the course of our due diligence to render this Certificate, we have reviewed the books and records of the System and further opine as follows:

(a.) The Debt Service Reserve Funds for the Prior Bonds are each funded or are being funded at the level required by the respective ordinance of the City authorizing the issuance of such Prior Bonds (collectively, the "Prior Ordinances");

(b.) The Renewal and Replacement Fund is established and the rates and charges for the System have been established which are projected to be sufficient in the upcoming Fiscal Year to make the required deposits in the Renewal and Replacement Fund; and

(c.) The Working Capital Reserve Account required by W. V. Code Section 24-1-1(k) is established and sufficient funds are available to meet its requirement.

Sincerely,

Tetrick & Bartlett, PLLC

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REIMBURSEMENT RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA, DECLARING ITS OFFICIAL INTENT TO REIMBURSE EXPENDITURES MADE FROM PROCEEDS OF BONDS OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS

WHEREAS, Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2 (the "**Reimbursement Regulation**") sets forth the rules for determining when proceeds of bonds or other obligations are deemed spent for purposes of applying Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "**Code**"), including the arbitrage yield restrictions and rebate requirements under Code Section 148, if the proceeds are used to reimburse expenditures made prior to the date of issue of the bonds or other obligations; and

WHEREAS, the Reimbursement Regulation requires that a declaration of official intent to reimburse the expenditures ("**Declaration of Official Intent**") be made not later than sixty (60) days after payment of the "original expenditure," as such term is defined in the Reimbursement Regulation (the "**Original Expenditures**"), and that an allocation in writing evidencing use of proceeds of a reimbursement bond to reimburse an Original Expenditure be made within eighteen (18) months after the later of the date the Original Expenditure is paid or the date the project is placed in service or abandoned, but in no event later than three (3) years after the Original Expenditure is paid; and

WHEREAS, the City of Clarksburg, West Virginia (the "**City**") wishes to take such action as is necessary or permitted to comply with the Reimbursement Regulation; and

WHEREAS, the City owns and operates through the Clarksburg Sanitary Board (the "Board") a public sewerage system and both the City and the Board desire to undertake certain improvements to such existing public sewerage system, including but not limited to, design of system upgrades and preconstruction activities as well as paying local matching funds due the US Army Corps of Engineers for design and construction to be undertaken by the Corp relating to the acquisition, construction and equipping of improvements to the existing public sewerage system in the City, including the extension of sewer service to the Arlington area of Harrison County and the addition of a tie-in point for future projects, together with all necessary appurtenances, and the payment of engineering costs in connection therewith (collectively, the "**Project**");

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. This is a Declaration of Official Intent within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2.

2. The City intends and reasonably expects that Original Expenditures made by the City or the Board with respect to the Project will be reimbursed with proceeds of sewer design revenue bonds or other obligations (the "**Bonds**") to be issued by the City, for the benefit of the Project, in the maximum principal amount of $1,500,000.

3. The source of payment for Original Expenditures relating to the Project to be made by the City or Board and reimbursed from proceeds of the Bonds will be cash disbursed from the Board's Renewal and Replacement Fund, account number 54755, held at MBV Bank, located in Clarksburg, West Virginia.

4. The Mayor and City Manager of the City and the General Manager and President of the Board are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to take any additional action necessary to comply with the requirements of the Reimbursement Regulation so that Bond proceeds used to reimburse expenditures which are the subject of this Declaration of Official Intent will be deemed spent, including making an allocation in writing evidencing the use of proceeds of the Bonds to reimburse an Original Expenditure within eighteen (18) months after the later of the date the Original Expenditure is paid or the date the Project is placed in service or abandoned, but in no event later than three (3) years after the Original Expenditure is paid.

5. The appropriate officials of the City and the Board, including without limitation the Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk of the City and the General Manager, President and Secretary-Treasurer of the Board, are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver for and on behalf of the City and the Board respectively any or all additional certificates and other documents and to perform all other acts they may deem necessary or appropriate in order to implement and carry out the matters authorized in this resolution, including but not limited to the execution and delivery of a reimbursement allocation relating to such reimbursed expenses.

6. This Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption.

Adopted this 3rd day of August, 2023.

CITY OF CLARKSBURG,
WEST VIRGINIA

James MacGregor
Mayor

City Manager

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, being the duly qualified, elected and acting City Clerk of the City of Clarksburg, does hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the City of Clarksburg at a regular meeting duly held, pursuant to proper notice thereof, on August 3, 2023, a quorum being present and acting throughout, and which Resolution has not been modified, amended or revoked and is a true, correct and complete copy thereof as of this August 3, 2023.

By: Annette Wright
City Clerk