

### REVISED MUNICIPAL BOND INSURANCE COMMITMENT

ISSUER:

Consolidated Waterworks and Wastewater District No. 1 of the Parish of

St. Charles, Louisiana

MEMBER:

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Effective Date:

May 26, 2021

Expiration Date:

August 23, 2021

BONDS:

Taxable Water Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2021

in aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$15,035,000

Insurance Payment:

0.300% of the Total Debt Service on the Bonds

BUILD AMERICA MUTUAL ASSURANCE COMPANY ("BAM") hereby commits, subject to the terms and conditions contained herein or added hereto, to issue its Municipal Bond Insurance Policy (the "Policy") relating to the Bonds referenced above (the "Bonds") issued by or on behalf of the Member. To keep this Commitment in effect after the Expiration Date set forth above, a written request for renewal must be submitted to BAM prior to such Expiration Date. BAM reserves the right to grant or deny a renewal in its sole discretion.

# THE MUNICIPAL BOND INSURANCE POLICY SHALL BE ISSUED IF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE SATISFIED:

- 1. The documents to be executed and delivered in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds (collectively, the "Security Documents"), shall not contain any untrue or misleading statement of a material fact and shall not fail to state a material fact necessary in order to make the information contained therein not misleading.
- 2. No event shall occur which would permit any underwriter or purchaser of the Bonds, otherwise required, not to be required to underwrite or purchase the Bonds on the date scheduled for the issuance and delivery thereof (the "Closing Date").
- 3. As of the Closing Date, there shall have been no material omissions or material adverse changes in, as to or affecting (i) the Member or the Bonds, including, without limitation, the security for the Bonds or (ii) any disclosure document relating to the Bonds (including any financial statements and other information included or incorporated by reference therein) (the

"Official Statement"), the Security Documents to be executed and delivered with respect to the Bonds, any project to be financed with the proceeds of the Bonds (if applicable), the legal opinions to be delivered in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds, or any other information submitted to BAM with respect to the issuance and sale of the Bonds, including the proposed debt service schedule of the Bonds, from information previously provided to BAM in writing.

- 4. The applicable Security Documents shall contain the document provisions set forth in Exhibit A hereto and shall be in form and substance acceptable to BAM. No variation shall be permitted therefrom except as specifically approved by BAM in writing prior to the Closing Date.
- 5. The Bonds shall contain no reference to BAM, the Policy or the insurance evidenced thereby except as may be approved in writing by BAM. BOND PROOFS SHALL BE APPROVED IN WRITING BY BAM PRIOR TO PRINTING. The Bonds shall bear a Statement of Insurance in the form found on BAM's website (www.buildamerica.com) and in Exhibit B hereto entitled "DOCUMENT, PRINTING AND DISCLOSURE INFORMATION FOR PUBLIC FINANCE TRANSACTIONS".
- 6. The Official Statement shall contain the language provided by BAM and only such other references to BAM as BAM shall supply or approve in writing, and BAM shall be provided with final drafts of any preliminary and final Official Statement at least two business days prior to printing/electronic posting. BAM SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH AN ELECTRONIC COPY OF THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT SEVEN (7) DAYS PRIOR TO CLOSING, unless BAM shall agree in writing to a shorter period.

## 7. BAM shall be provided with:

- (a) Copies of all Security Document drafts prepared subsequent to the date of this Commitment (blacklined to reflect all revisions from previously reviewed drafts) for review and approval. Final drafts of such documents shall be provided at least three (3) business days prior to the issuance of the Policy, unless BAM shall agree in writing to a shorter period. Copies of all drafts of the Security Documents shall be delivered to the BAM contacts specified in Exhibit 1.
- (b) Copies of any consulting reports, feasibility studies, rate reports, engineer's reports or similar expert reports for review and approval, along with any revisions thereto (blacklined to reflect all revisions from previously reviewed drafts). Final drafts of such documents shall be provided at least three (3) business days prior to the issuance of the Policy, unless BAM shall agree in writing to a shorter period.
- (c) The amortization schedule for, and final maturity date of, the Bonds, which schedule shall be acceptable to BAM. Please be aware that BAM will only insure fixed rate Bonds.
- (d) A No-Litigation Certificate or a description of any material pending litigation relating to the Member or the Bonds and any opinions BAM shall request in connection therewith.
- (e) A description of any material change in the Member's financial position from and after the date of the financial statements provided to BAM.

- (f) Executed copies of all Security Documents, the Official Statement and the various legal opinions delivered in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds (which shall be dated the Closing Date and which, except for the opinions of counsel relating to the adequacy of disclosure, shall be addressed to BAM or accompanied by a letter of such counsel permitting BAM to rely on such opinion as if such opinion were addressed to BAM), including, without limitation, the unqualified approving opinion of bond counsel, in form and substance satisfactory to BAM. The foregoing shall be in form and substance acceptable to BAM. (For your information, the form of legal opinion, primary market disclosure certificate and officer's certificate to be delivered by BAM at Closing is attached hereto as Exhibit C.)
- (g) Evidence of wire transfer in federal funds of an amount equal to the Insurance Payment, unless alternative arrangements for the payment of such amount acceptable to BAM have been made prior to the Closing Date.
- 8. In the event the Bonds are sold in a private placement transaction, (i) BAM shall receive a closing certificate, in form and substance acceptable to BAM, covering the matters in Paragraphs 7 (d) and (e), (ii) the Issuer shall agree to provide BAM with continuing disclosure consistent with any Continuing Disclosure Agreement for any previously issued public debtof the Issuer (irrespective of whether or not that debt remains outstanding) or enter into such other agreement for continuing disclosure acceptable to BAM and (iii) the Issuer shall provide BAM with copies of all documents and agreements, including without limitation any term sheet, side agreement and/or purchase agreement, executed or delivered in connection with the Bonds, which documents and agreements shall be in form and substance acceptable to BAM.
- 9. Promptly, but in no event more than thirty (30) days after the Closing Date, BAM shall receive a link to or PDF file of, or two (2) CD-ROMs of, the final closing transcript of proceedings, or if a link or PDF file cannot be provided or a CD-ROM is not available, such other electronic form as BAM shall accept.
- 10. To maintain this commitment until the Expiration Date set forth above, BAM must receive a copy of the signature page of this Commitment fully executed by an authorized officer of the undersigned by the earlier of the date on which the Preliminary Official Statement containing disclosure language regarding BAM is circulated and ten (10) days after the date of this Commitment.

### REPRESENTATION AND AGREEMENT BY BAM

- (a) BAM is a mutual insurance corporation organized under the laws of, and domiciled in, the State of New York.
- (b) BAM covenants that it will only insure obligations of states, political subdivisions, an integral part of states or political subdivisions or entities otherwise eligible for the exclusion of income under Section 115 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any successor thereto.
  - (c) BAM covenants that it will not seek to convert to a stock insurance corporation.

- (d) The issuance of the Policy qualifies the Member as a member of BAM until the Bonds are no longer outstanding. As a member of BAM, the Member is entitled to certain rights and privileges as provided in BAM's charter and by-laws and as may otherwise be provided under New York law, including the right to receive dividends if and when declared by BAM's Board of Directors. No dividends have been paid to date, and BAM has no current expectation that any dividends will be paid.
  - (e) The Policy is non-assessable and creates no contingent mutual liability.
  - (f) Refundings.

If (1) the Security Documents relating to the Bonds permit a legal defeasance (such that the bonds are no longer treated as outstanding under the Security Documents), (2) refunding bonds ("Refunding Bonds") will be issued for the purpose of legally defeasing such then outstanding BAM-insured Bonds (in this context, the "Refunded Bonds") and (3) upon their issuance (A) such Refunding Bonds have a final maturity date that is not later than the final Maturity Date of the Refunded Bonds, (B) the average annual debt service on the Refunding Bonds does not exceed the average annual debt service on the Refunded Bonds, and (C) the net proceeds of such Refunding Bonds are applied solely towards the legal defeasance of the Refunded Bonds and related costs of issuance, then, if BAM is requested to, and in its sole discretion determines to. offer a municipal bond insurance policy covering the Refunding Bonds (the "Refunding Policy") BAM will credit the then available Member Surplus Contribution for the Refunded Bonds against the insurance payment then charged with respect to the Refunding Bonds (proportionate to the amount of Refunding Bonds insured by BAM). If the Security Documents are silent on the matter of a legal defeasance, BAM may, in its sole and absolute discretion, accept such certificates, opinions and reports from or on behalf of the Member in connection with the issuance of such Refunding Bonds in order to establish to its satisfaction that the Refunding Bonds will be issued to retire the outstanding Refunded Bonds and that the Refunding Bonds comply with the criteria set forth in clause (3) of the preceding sentence for the purpose of determining whether a supplemental Member Surplus Contribution is or is not required to be made at that time.

> BUILD AMERICA MUTUAL ASSURANCE COMPANY

Authorized Officer

May 26, 2021
Date

#### AGREED AND ACCEPTED

- 1. The undersigned agrees and accepts the conditions set forth above and further agrees that (i) if the Bonds (and any of the Bonds to be issued on the same date and for which BAM has issued a commitment) are insured by a policy of municipal bond insurance, such insurance shall be provided by BAM in accordance with the terms of this Commitment; (ii) it has made an independent investigation and decision as to whether to insure the payment when due of the principal of and interest on the Bonds and whether the Policy is appropriate or proper for it based upon its judgment and upon advice from such legal and financial advisers as it has deemed necessary; (iii) BAM has not made, and therefore it is not relying on, any recommendation from BAM that the Bonds be insured or that a Policy be obtained, it being understood and agreed that any communications from BAM (whether written or oral) referring to, containing information about or negotiating the terms and conditions of the Policy, and any related insurance document or the documentation governing the Bonds, do not constitute a recommendation to insure the Bonds or obtain the Policy; (iv) the undersigned acknowledges that BAM has not made any representation, warranty or undertaking, and has not given any assurance or guaranty, in each case. expressed or implied, as to its future financial strength or the rating of BAM's financial strength by the rating agency; (v) the undersigned acknowledges that a credit or claims-paying rating of BAM assigned by a Rating Agency reflects only the views of, and an explanation of the significance of any such rating may be obtained only from, the assigning Rating Agency, any such rating may change or be suspended, placed under review or withdrawn by such Rating Agency if circumstances so warrant, and BAM compensates a Rating Agency to maintain a credit or claimspaying ability rating thereon, but such payment is not in exchange for any specific rating or for a rating within any particular range; (vi) the undersigned acknowledges that BAM may in its sole and absolute discretion at any time request that a Rating Agency withdraw any rating maintained in respect of BAM; and (vii) BAM has made no representation that any dividend will be declared or paid while the Bonds are outstanding, the undersigned has no reason for expecting that any dividend will be declared or paid and the potential receipt of any dividend was not a reason for acquiring the Policy.
- 2. BAM may determine to designate the Bonds as GreenStar Bonds. Any such designation is based upon information obtained by BAM at the time of issuance of the Bonds and will appear on the cover of and be described under the caption "BOND INSURANCE BAM GreenStar Bonds" in the Preliminary and Final Official Statements for the Bonds. Said designation will also be included in BAM's Credit Profiles and on BAM's website; it may also be included on lists of green bonds maintained by third parties (including, but not limited to, Bloomberg LP, ICE Data Services, the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas, and the Nasdaq Sustainable Bond Network).
- 3. The undersigned member hereby appoints Jeffrey Fried, General Counsel of Build America Mutual Assurance Company ("Build America"), as proxy with the power to appoint his substitute, and hereby authorizes him to represent and to cast all of the votes to which the undersigned is entitled to cast as of the record date for the annual meeting of Build America members to be held on Tuesday, April 26, 2022, or at any adjournment or postponement thereof. This proxy is solicited on behalf of the management of Build America and will empower the holder to vote on the undersigned member's behalf for the election of members of the Board of Directors and such other business as may properly come before said annual meeting. This proxy can be revoked by giving Build America written notice of revocation (by email to <a href="mailto:generalcounsel@buildamerica.com">generalcounsel@buildamerica.com</a>, or by U.S. mail or private carrier to General Counsel, Build America, 200 Liberty Street, New York, NY

10281) received by Build America on or before April 22, 2022. This proxy may also be revoked if the undersigned member attends the annual meeting and chooses to vote in person.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein, upon issuance of the Policy, the provisions set forth under paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 above and the representations and agreements of BAM shall survive the expiration or termination of this Commitment.

CONSOLIDATED WATERWORKS AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. 1 OF THE PARISH OF ST. CHARLES, LOUISIANA

By: Nichell Synstah

Authorized Officer

Date

#### AGREED AND ACCEPTED

The undersigned, an authorized officer of the Issuer, agrees and accepts the conditions set forth above and further agrees that (i) if the debt service reserve fund requirement for the Bonds is met by a credit instrument, such credit instrument shall be a Reserve Policy provided by BAM in accordance with the terms of this Commitment; (ii) the Issuer has made an independent investigation and decision as to whether to satisfy its reserve fund requirement with the Reserve Policy or whether the Reserve Policy is appropriate or proper for it based upon its judgment and upon advice from such legal and financial advisers as it has deemed necessary; (iii) BAM has not made, and therefore the Issuer is not relying on, any recommendation from BAM that the Issuer satisfy its reserve fund requirement with or obtain the Reserve Policy, it being understood and agreed that any communications from BAM (whether written or oral) referring to, containing information about or negotiating the terms and conditions of the Reserve Policy, and any related insurance document or the documentation governing the Bonds, do not constitute a recommendation to insure the Bonds or obtain the Reserve Policy; (iv) the Issuer acknowledges that BAM has not made any representation, warranty or undertaking, and has not given any assurance or guaranty, in each case, expressed or implied, as to its future financial strength or the rating of BAM's financial strength by the rating agency; (v) the Issuer acknowledges that a credit or claims-paying rating of BAM assigned by a Rating Agency reflects only the views of, and an explanation of the significance of any such rating may be obtained only from, the assigning Rating Agency, any such rating may change or be suspended, placed under review or withdrawn by such Rating Agency if circumstances so warrant, and BAM compensates a Rating Agency to maintain a credit or claims-paying ability rating thereon, but such payment is not in exchange for any specific rating or for a rating within any particular range; and (vi) the Issuer also acknowledges that BAM may in its sole and absolute discretion at any time request that a Rating Agency withdraw any rating maintained in respect of BAM. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein, the provisions set forth under subparagraphs (ii) through (vi) above shall survive the expiration or termination of this Commitment.

# CONSOLIDATED WATERWORKS AND WASTEWATER DISTRICT NO. 1 OF THE PARISH OF ST. CHARLES, LOUISIANA

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