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# CLOSING MEMORANDUM AND INDEX FOR CLOSING TRANSCRIPT

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The following documents were delivered by the parties indicated at the bond closing held in the offices of Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP, 3060 Peachtree Road, N.W., Suite 730, Atlanta, Georgia 30305, on October 18, 2016. All transactions at the Bond Closing were interdependent and shall be considered to have been effected concurrently. No delivery was considered to have been completed until all deliveries were made and Bond Counsel authorized the release of its opinion and the delivery of the Bonds.

**PARTIES**:

AUTHORITY: Walton County Water and Sewerage Authority

Loganville, Georgia

COUNTY: Oconee County, Georgia

Watkinsville, Georgia

TRUSTEE AND ESCROW AGENT: Regions Bank

Atlanta, Georgia

UNDERWRITER: Stifel Nicolaus & Company, Incorporated

Atlanta, Georgia

AUTHORITY'S COUNSEL: Atkinson Ferguson, LLC

Monroe, Georgia

COUNTY'S COUNSEL: Daniel C. Haygood, Esq.

Watkinsville, Georgia

BOND COUNSEL AND DISCLOSURE

COUNSEL:

Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP

Atlanta, Georgia

UNDERWRITER'S COUNSEL: Holland & Knight LLP

Atlanta, Georgia

TRUSTEE'S COUNSEL: Smith, Gambrell & Russell, LLP

Atlanta, Georgia

#### **BASIC DOCUMENTS:**

- 1. Copy of the Bond Validation Transcript relating to the Walton County Water and Sewerage Authority Revenue Bonds (Oconee-Hard Labor Creek Reservoir Project) Series 2016 (the "Series 2016 Bonds"):
  - (a) Petition and Complaint which includes Notice to the District Attorney with executed Bond Resolution of the Authority, adopted on September 13, 2016, attached, Rule Nisi and Notice to the Public;
  - (b) Answers of the Authority and the County; and
  - (c) Validation Order and Certification of Superior Court Clerk, dated October 11, 2016.
- 2. Certified copy of Resolution of Oconee County, Georgia, adopted on September 14, 2016, authorizing the Third Supplement to Contract with the Authority.
- 3. Executed counterpart of the Trust Indenture, dated as of April 1, 2008, between the Authority and the Trustee.
- 4. Executed counterpart of the First Supplemental Trust Indenture, dated as of April 1, 2008, between the Authority and the Trustee.
- 5. Executed counterpart of the Second Supplemental Trust Indenture, dated as of July 1, 2015, between the Authority and the Trustee.
- 6. Executed counterpart of the Third Supplemental Trust Indenture, dated as of October 1, 2016, between the Authority and the Trustee.
- 7. Executed counterpart of the Intergovernmental Contract Hard Labor Creek Reservoir Project, dated as of October 1, 2007, between the Authority and the County.
- 8. Executed counterpart of the First Supplement to Intergovernmental Contract-Reservoir Project, dated as of April 1, 2008, between the Authority and the County.
- 9. Executed counterpart of the Second Supplement to Intergovernmental Contract-Reservoir Project, dated as of July 1, 2015, between the Authority and the County.
- 10. Executed counterpart of the Third Supplement to Intergovernmental Contract-Reservoir Project, dated as of October 1, 2016, between the Authority and the County.
- 11. Specimen Series 2016 Bonds.
- 12. Copy of U.C.C. Financing Statement filed with respect to the security interest created under the Trust Indenture, relating to the Series 2016 Bonds.

#### **UNDERWRITING DOCUMENTS:**

- 13. Preliminary Official Statement, dated September 7, 2016.
- 14. Official Statement, dated September 14, 2016.
- 15. Bond Purchase Agreement, dated September 14, 2016, among the Authority, Oconee County, Georgia and the Underwriter.
- 16. Receipt for Series 2016 Bonds.
- 17. Rating Letter from Moody's with respect to the Series 2016 Bonds.
- 18. Rule 15c2-12 Certificate of the Authority.
- 19. Rule 15c2-12 Certificate of the County.
- 20. Continuing Disclosure Certificate of Oconee County, Georgia.

### CLOSING DOCUMENTS FURNISHED BY THE AUTHORITY:

- 21. Authentication Order.
- 22. Incumbency Certificate of the Authority.
- 23. Execution, Signature, No-Litigation and Officers' Certificate of the Authority with attached Certificate of Superior Court Clerk regarding Validation.
- 24. Information Return for Tax-Exempt Governmental Bond Issues (Form 8038-G), required by Section 149(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- 25. Tax and Non-Arbitrage Certificate of the Authority.
- 26. Receipt of Bond Proceeds.
- 27. Certificate Designating Authorized Authority Representative.

# CLOSING DOCUMENTS FURNISHED BY OCONEE COUNTY, GEORGIA:

- 28. Incumbency Certificate of Oconee County.
- 29. Officer's Certificate of Oconee County.

# **CLOSING DOCUMENTS FURNISHED BY TRUSTEE:**

30. Officer's Certificate of Trustee relating to the Series 2016 Bonds.

### CLOSING DOCUMENTS RELATING TO REFUNDING OF REFUNDED BONDS:

- 31. Escrow Deposit Agreement, dated as of October 18, 2016, among the Authority, the Trustee and the Escrow Agent.
- 32. Certificate of the Escrow Agent.
- 33. Defeasance Opinion of Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP.

# **OPINIONS OF COUNSEL:**

- 34. Opinion of Atkinson Ferguson, LLC, Counsel to the Authority.
- 35. Opinion of Daniel C. Haygood, Esq., Counsel to Oconee County, Georgia.
- 36. Opinion of Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP, Bond Counsel.
- 37. Supplemental Opinion of Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP, Bond Counsel.
- 38. Opinion of Gray Pannell & Woodward LLP, Disclosure Counsel.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**:

- 39. DTC Blanket Letter of Representatives.
- 40. Georgia Department of Community Affairs Debt Issuance Report.
- 41. Closing Memorandum.
- 42. Verification Report.
- 43. Copy of the Intergovernmental Reservoir and Water Supply and Treatment Agreement, dated as of September 1, 2007, among the Authority, the County and Walton County, Georgia.
- 44. Consent of Auditor.
- 45. Certified copy of Resolution of Walton County, Georgia, adopted on September 13, 2016.
- 46. Written Procedures for Continuing Disclosure.