Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

100 East Erie Street Chicago, IL 60611



Regular Board Meeting Minutes

Thursday, December 18, 2025 10:30 AM

Board Room

Board of Commissioners

Commissioner Precious Brady-Davis, Commissioner Yumeka Brown, Commissioner Cameron Davis, Vice-President Patricia Theresa Flynn, Chairman of Finance Marcelino Garcia, Commissioner Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Commissioner Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Commissioner Sharon Waller, President Board of Commissioners Kari K. Steele

THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES WILL GOVERN THE MEETING PROCESS:

- 1. Board Members who vote "Nay, Present, or Abstain" or have a question on any item may request the item be removed from the Consent Agenda.
- 2. Citizens in the audience who address the Board on any item may request the item be removed from the Consent Agenda.
 - 3. Items removed from the Consent Agenda are considered separately.
 - 4. One roll call vote is taken to cover all Consent Agenda Items.

Call Meeting to Order

President Kari K. Steele presiding, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

Roll Call

Present: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis; Yumeka Brown; Cameron Davis; Patricia Theresa Flynn; Marcelino Garcia; Beth McElroy Kirkwood; Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda; Sharon Waller; and Kari K. Steele

Approval of Previous Board Meeting Minutes

A motion was made by Precious Brady-Davis, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that the minutes from the last meeting of December 4, 2025, be approved without having to read them into the record. The motion carried by acclamation. Chorus of ayes - No nays

A motion was made by Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, seconded by Beth McElroy Kirkwood, that the minutes from the reconvened Annual Meeting of December 4, 2025, be approved without having to read them into the record. The motion carried by acclamation. Chorus of ayes - No nays

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that the minutes from the Public Hearing of December 4, 2025, be approved without having to read them into the record. The motion carried by acclamation. Chorus of ayes - No nays

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Marcelino Garcia, that the minutes from the Special Meeting of December 11, 2025, be approved without having to read them into the record. The motion carried by acclamation. Chorus of ayes - No nays

Public Comments

None

Recess and Convene as Committee of the Whole

A motion was made by Precious Brady-Davis, seconded by Beth McElroy Kirkwood, to recess and convene as a committee of the whole. The motion carried by acclamation. Chorus of Ayes - No Nays

Committee of the Whole

Approval of the Committee of the Whole Agenda with the exception of Items: 35, 43, and 45

Agenda Item 35 was deferred by Patricia Theresa Flynn

A motion was made by Cameron Davis, seconded by Marcelino Garcia, to defer Agenda Item 43. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis; Yumeka Brown; Cameron Davis; Patricia Theresa Flynn; Marcelino Garcia; Beth McElroy Kirkwood; Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda; Sharon Waller; and Kari K. Steele

Agenda Item 45 was deferred by Kari K. Steele

President Kari K. Steele called for a motion to accept the agendas for each Standing Committee that was convened. Moved by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Marcelino Garcia. President Kari K. Steele called for any objections. No objections were voiced. Motion carried.

The Committee of the Whole meeting of December 18, 2025, was adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Executive Session

None

Recess and Reconvene as Board of Commissioners

At 11:10 a.m. President Kari K. Steele reconvened the regular board meeting to order

Motions, Ordinances and Resolutions

Motion

1 25-0971 Authority to Amend the Adopted 2026 Budget

Attachments: 2026 Consolidated BF-21 Packet.pdf

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Agenda Item be Approved. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

2 25-0972 MOTION to amend the 2026 budget of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago as adopted December 11, 2025, consistent with motions adopted this date

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

3 O25-004A Adopt Ordinance O25-004A, Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026, adopted on December 11, 2025

Attachments: Ordinance O25-004A Annual Appropriation Ordinance BTL.pdf

O25-004A Annual Appropriation Ordinance.pdf

O25-004A Approp Ord Attachment Part 1 O25-004A Approp Ord Attachment Part 2

O25-004A Approp Ord Attachment Part 3

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Marcelino Garcia, that this Ordinance be Adopted. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9-

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

25-0973

MOTION to reconsider the December 11, 2025 vote Adopting Ordinance O25-005, of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the levy of taxes for 2026 to provide revenues for the Retirement Fund and Corporate Fund, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026

Attachments: Ordinance O25-005 Retirement and Corporate Tax Levy Ordinance.pdf

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Nay: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

25-0974

MOTION to reconsider the December 11, 2025 vote Adopting Ordinance O25-006, of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the levy of taxes for 2026 to provide revenues for the Construction Fund, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026

Attachments: Ordinance O25-006 Construction Fund Tax Levy Ordinance.pdf

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

6 25-0975 MOTION to reconsider the December 11, 2025 vote Adopting Ordinance O25-007, of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the levy of taxes for 2026 to pay the interest on outstanding bonds and to discharge the principal thereof, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026

Attachments: Ordinance O25-007 Bond Interest and Principal Tax Levy Ordinance.pdf

> A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Nay: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

25-0976

MOTION to reconsider the December 11, 2025 vote Adopting Ordinance O25-008, of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the levy of taxes for 2026 to provide revenues for the Reserve Claim Fund, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026

Attachments: Ordinance O25-008 Reserve Claim Fund Tax Levy Ordinance.pdf

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

25-0977 8

MOTION to reconsider the December 11, 2025 vote Adopting Ordinance O25-009, of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago for the levy of taxes for 2026 to provide revenues for the Stormwater Management Fund, effective for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026

Attachments: Ordinance O25-009 Stormwater Management Fund Tax Levy Ordinance.pdf

> A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

9 25-0978 MOTION to reconsider the vote on the 2026 budget as amended

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Marcelino Garcia, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion failed. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Nay: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

10 25-0959 MOTION to re-appoint John S. Kendall as Member of the Civil Service Board of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Beth McElroy Kirkwood, that this Motion be Adopted. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

Ordinance

11 O25-013 Adopt Ordinance O25-013 establishing the minimum gualifications and duties for MWRD Inspector General and convening search and selection committees for appointing an MWRD Inspector General (As Revised)

Attachments: MISC NB - O25-013 MWRD IG Selection and Hiring process - Board

Letter

MISC NB - O25-013 MWRD IG Selection and Hiring process -

Ordinance (revised)

MISC NB - O25-013 MWRD IG Selection and Hiring process - Job

Specification (Exhibit A) revised

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that this Ordinance be Adopted. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

Resolution

25-0969

RESOLUTION sponsored by the Board of Commissioners congratulating the Fenwick High School football team on winning the state championship

Adopted

Finance Committee

Report

25-0947 Report on the investment interest income during October 2025 13

Attachments: Inv Int Inc 2025-10 att.pdf

Published and Filed

14 <u>25-0948</u> Report on investments purchased during October 2025

Attachments: Inv Purch 2025-10 att.pdf

Published and Filed

15 25-0949 Report on the investment interest income during November 2025

Attachments: Inv Int Inc 2025-11 att.pdf

Published and Filed

16 25-0950 Report on investments purchased during November 2025

Attachments: Inv Purch 2025-11 att.pdf

Published and Filed

17 25-0966 Report on Cash Disbursements for the Month of November 2025, in the amount

of \$47,564,031.29

Attachments: November 2025 Cash Disbursements

Published and Filed

Procurement Committee

Report

18 25-0929 Report of bid opening of Tuesday, December 2, 2025

Published and Filed

19 25-0967 Report of bid opening of Tuesday, December 9, 2025

Published and Filed

Authorization

20 25-0941 Authorization for payment to the Water Research Foundation for the 2026

Annual Research Commitment in an amount not to exceed \$190,663.00,

Account 101-15000-612280

Attachments: 2026 MWRD Anticipated WRF Participation opt

WRF Subscriber Involvement Report Dec 2024-Nov 2025.pdf

Approved

21 25-0943

Authorization for payment to Illinois Association of Wastewater Agencies (IAWA)

for 2025/2026 membership dues in the amount of \$14,120.00, Account

101-15000-612280

Approved

Authority to Advertise

22 25-0848 Authority to advertise Contract 25-RFP-24, Furnish, Deliver, and Install

Web-Based Compliance Software, estimated cost \$250,000.00, Account 101-15000-612430 and 612820, Requisition 1648399 (Deferred from the November 20, 2025 Board Meeting)(Deferred from the December 4, 2025)

Board Meeting)

Attachments: Contract 25-RFP-24 Affirmative Action Goals Report

Approved

23 25-0953 Authority to advertise Contract 26-028-11 Furnish and Deliver Paper Filters,

Crucibles, and Petri Dishes to Various Locations for a One-Year Period,

estimated cost \$252,000.00, Account 101-20000-623570

Attachments: Contract 26-028-11 Affirmative Action Goals Report.pdf

Approved

Issue Purchase Order

24 25-0924 Issue purchase order to Early Morning Software, Inc. for EMS PRISM

Compliance Software License Renewal and Stage Infrastructure, in an amount not to exceed \$96,832.00, Account 101-27000-612820, Requisition 1649388

Approved

25 25-0927 Issue purchase order for Contract 25-102-11, Boat Maintenance, Repairs, and

Parts for the PC100 Boat, to Marine Services Corporation, in an amount not to

exceed \$83,600.00, Account 101-16000-612790, Requisition 1644515

Approved

26 25-0942 Issue purchase order to 101 Erie Hotel LLC for maintenance and operation of

the common areas of the 101-111 East Erie Street Building for the period of January 1, 2026, through December 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed

\$71,408.77, Account 101-15000-612390, Requisition 1647545

Approved

27 25-0951 Issue purchase orders and enter into agreements for Contract 25-RFP-16,

State Legislative Consulting Services, with Paul L. Williams & Associates, P.C. in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00, Blaida and Associates LLC in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00, Cozen O'Connor Public Strategies in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00, and McGuireWoods Consulting in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00, Account 101-15000-612430, Requisitions 1641566,

1641567, 1641568, 1641569 (As Revised)

<u>Attachments:</u> Contract 25-RFP-16 Affirmative Action Goals Report

Approved

28 <u>25-0952</u> Issue purchase order for Contract 26-685-51 Furnishing, Delivering and

Administration of Rain Barrels, to Enviro World Corporation, in an amount not to

exceed \$450,000.00, Account 501-50000-623990, Requisition 1641177

Attachments: Contract 26-685-51 Affirmative Action Goals Report.pdf

Approved

29 25-0954 Issue purchase order and enter into an agreement with GZA GeoEnvironmental,

Inc. for Contract 25-RFP-18, Professional Environmental Engineering Services

for Real Estate, in an amount not to exceed \$600,000.00, Accounts

101-30000-612430 and 501-50000-612520, Requisition 1641369 (As Revised)

Attachments: Contract 25-RFP-18 Affirmative Action Goals and Appendix A Report -

GZA GeoEnvironmental Inc.

Approved

30 25-0955 Issue purchase order and enter into an agreement with V3 Companies, Ltd.,

Inc. for Contract 25-RFP-18, Professional Environmental Engineering Services

for Real Estate, in an amount not to exceed \$600,000.00, Accounts

101-30000-612430 and 501-50000-612520, Requisition 1641370 (As Revised)

<u>Attachments:</u> Contract 25-RFP-18 Affirmative Action Goals and Appendix A Report -

V3 Companies Ltd

Approved

31 25-0965 Issue purchase order and enter into an agreement with Barnes & Thornburg

LLP for legal services related to the time limited water quality standard for dissolved oxygen in the Chicago Area Waterway System, in an amount of

\$700,000.00 Account 101-30000-612430, Requisition 1649976

Approved

Award Contract

32 25-0926 Authority to award Contract 24-988-11, Specialty Railroad Grade Crossing

Signal System Services in the Stickney Service Area, to Track Service, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$950,000.00, Account 101-69000-612670, Requisition

1621812

Attachments: Contract 24-988-11 Affirmative Action Goals Report.pdf

Approved

33 25-0928 Authority to award Contract 25-922-22 (Re-Bid), Specialized Railroad Car

Rehabilitation in the Stickney Service Area, to JK-CO, LLC, in an amount not to

exceed \$2,001,071.00, Account 201-50000-645790, Requisition 1640566

<u>Attachments:</u> Contract 25-922-21 Affirmative Action Goals Report.pdf

Approved

34 25-0957 Authority to award Contract 25-612-21, Roof Replacement and Rehabilitation at

Various Locations, Groups A, B, and C, to DCG Roofing Solutions, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$4,097,530.00, Account 201-50000-645780, Requisitions

1634050, 1634141, and 1634143

<u>Attachments:</u> Contract 25-612-21 (Groups A,B and C) - Affirmative Action Goals and

Revised Appendix D and Appendix V Reports - DCG Rfg. Sol. Inc.

Approved

35 25-0962 Authority to award Contract 25-635-22 (Re-Bid), SEPA 3 Paver Walkway

Improvement, to Semper Fi Landscaping, Inc., in an amount not to exceed

\$191,525.00, Account 201-50000-645720, Requisition 1636647

Attachments: Contract 25-635-22 (Re-Bid) Affirmative Action Goals and Revised

Appendix D and Appendix V Reports - Semper Fi Landscaping, Inc.

Deferred by Patricia Theresa Flynn

36 25-0963 Authority to award Contract 25-986-11, Locomotive Repair Services at the

Stickney Water Reclamation Plant, to Motive Power Resources, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$585,000.00, Accounts 101-69000-612670/623270,

Requisition 1632597

<u>Attachments:</u> Contract 25-986-11 Affirmative Action Goals Report.pdf

Approved

Increase Purchase Order/Change Order

37 25-0944 Authority to increase Contract 23-419-11, Elevator Maintenance and Repair

Service at The Main Office Building Complex, with Parkway Elevators, Inc., in an amount of \$9,000.00, from an amount of \$150,529.26, to an amount not to exceed \$159,529.26, Accounts 101-15000-612370 and 612390, Purchase

Order 5001931

Attachments: Change Order Log 5001931.pdf

Approved

38 25-0946 Authority to increase Contract 21-RFP-13, Procure a Public Sector Budget

System, with Euna Solutions Inc. formerly Questica LTD, in an amount of \$19,000.00, from an amount of \$1,531,098.00, to an amount not to exceed \$1,550,098.00, Accounts 101-15000-612430 and 612820, Purchase Orders

3124557 and 3138156

Attachments: Change Order Log 3124557.pdf

Approved

39 <u>25-0964</u> Authority to increase purchase order and extend the agreement with Labyrinth

Solutions LLC d/b/a LSI Consulting, for Contract 22-RFP-14 SAP Consulting Services, in an amount of \$75,000.00, from an amount of \$354,090.00, to an amount not to exceed \$429,090.00, Account 101-27000-612430, Purchase

Order 3123966

Attachments: Change Order - Purchase Order 3123966

Approved

Engineering Committee

Report

40 25-0960 Report on change orders authorized and time extensions approved by the

Director of Engineering during the month of November 2025

Attachments: Attachment 1 CO Report November 2025 5% Contingency Revised -

Final.pdf

Attachment 2 CO Status Report November 2025 - FINAL.pdf

Attachment 3 CO Report November 2025 5% Contingency - Final.pdf

Published and Filed

Judiciary Committee

Authorization

41 <u>25-0958</u> Authority to settle the Workers' Compensation Claim of Cristobal Gutierrez vs.

MWRDGC, Claim number W004220148, Illinois Workers' Compensation Commission (IWCC), in the sum of \$31,514.75, Account 901-30000-601090

Approved

Maintenance & Operations Committee

Reports

42 25-0932 Report on change orders authorized and approved by the Acting Director of

Maintenance and Operations during the month of November 2025

Attachments: R-98 Report November 2025.pdf

Published and Filed

Public Health & Welfare Committee

Authorization

43 25-0885 Authority to amend the Intergovernmental Agreement with the Cook County

Sheriff's Office to continue supporting its Prescription Drug Take-Back Program by extending the IGA for one year and to make payment to the CCSO in an amount not to exceed \$80,000.00, Account 101-15000-612490 (Deferred from

the December 4, 2025 Board Meeting)

Attachments: IGA 2018 CCSO-MWRD Executed.pdf

A motion was made by Cameron Davis, seconded by Marcelino Garcia, that this Agenda Item be Deferred. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller,

Kari K. Steele

Real Estate Development Committee

Authorization

44 25-0970 Authority to issue a 5-year permit to the Village of Stickney to install security

cameras on District real estate located adjacent to the Stickney Water Reclamation Plant along Pershing Avenue, between Laramie Avenue and Ridgeland Avenue, in Stickney, Illinois. Consideration shall be a nominal fee of

\$10.00

Attachments: RE - Issue Permit to Village of Stickney - Aerial.pdf

Approved

State Legislation & Rules Committee

Authorization

45 25-0968 Recommendations for the State of Illinois 2026 Legislative Program

Deferred by Kari K. Steele

Stormwater Management Committee

Authorization

46 25-0961 Authority to negotiate an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Village of

Flossmoor for the design, construction, operation, and maintenance of

Flossmoor Road Viaduct Storm Sewer Improvements in Flossmoor (25-IGA-23)

Attachments: BL Exhibit Attachment 25-IGA-23 Flossmoor Project Plan.pdf

Approved

Approval of the Consent Agenda with the exception of Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 35, 43, and 45

A motion was made by Yumeka Brown, seconded by Precious Brady-Davis, to Approve the Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following roll call vote:

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn,

Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller,

Kari K. Steele

Miscellaneous and New Business

Meeting Summary

Speakers

Colonel Otto Rutt, President of Fenwick High School, accepted the resolution

congratulating the Fenwick High School football team on winning the state championship

(Re: Resolution Item 11)

Summary of Requests

Public Health & Welfare Item #43

Precious Brady-Davis requested the Sheriff's office cost breakdown

Study Session

None

Announcements

None

Board Letter Submission Dates

The next regular board meeting is scheduled for January 8, 2026, please prepare and submit Board items before the following absolute cutoff dates.

Date agenda items are due to the Director of Procurement and Materials Management for signature and preparation: December 26, 2025

Date all agenda items are due to the Executive Director: 1:00 p.m., December 31, 2025

Adjournment

A motion was made by Patricia Theresa Flynn, seconded by Yumeka Brown, that when the Board Adjourns, it adjourns to meet again on Thursday, January 8, 2026 at 10:30 a.m. and also move that today's meeting be Adjourned. The motion carried by the following roll call vote: /s/ Jacqueline Torres, Clerk

Aye: 9 - Precious Brady-Davis, Yumeka Brown, Cameron Davis, Patricia Theresa Flynn, Marcelino Garcia, Beth McElroy Kirkwood, Eira L. Corral Sepúlveda, Sharon Waller, Kari K. Steele

APPROVAL:

In accordance with the provisions of 70ILCS 2605/4, each of the foregoing agenda items duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago this December 18, 2025, are hereby approved.

APPROVED:

/s/ Kari K. Steele
President Board of Commissioners of the
Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

December 18, 2025