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April 29, 2020

Hon. Andrew Joyce  
Chairman  
Albany County Legislature  
112 State Street – Suite 710  
Albany, New York 12207

**Re: National Grid Master Agreement  
Energy Conservation and Energy Management Services**

Dear Mr. Joyce

The Water Purification District (District) is requesting legislative approval to enter into a Master Agreement for Energy Conservation and Management Services with National Grid (Grid). This contract will be utilized to expedite the replacement of an existing 400 horsepower boiler that failed at the District's North Plant in January of this year.

The boiler that failed supplied building heat to our Preliminary Treatment Building, Solids Building, and Return Sludge Building. The contract with Grid will allow the District to secure the needed engineering and construction services for the boiler replacement. Services will include design, demolition work including environmental abatement for asbestos and lead, and equipment installation. The preliminary cost for the boiler replacement is estimated to be \$225,000.

As we anticipate the new boiler being smaller and more efficient than the existing unit, this contract will allow the District to take advantage of rebates offered by Grid for energy conservation. The rebate program has a maximum value of \$100,000, but the final rebate value will be determined based on the new sized of the boiler and the associated energy savings.

If you have any questions or concerns you may reach me at (518) 447-1617.

Sincerely,



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Enc. National Grid Master Agreement

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