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October 1, 2025

Hon. Joanne Cunningham Chairwoman Albany County Legislature 112 State Street – Suite 710 Albany, New York 12207

Re: Capital Region Landfills, Inc. (Town of Colonie Landfill) Leachate Treatment Agreement

Dear Chairwoman Cunningham:

The Water Purification District (District) is requesting authorization to enter into an agreement with Capital Region Landfills, Inc, the operator of the Town of Colonie Landfill. This agreement would allow the Town of Colonie landfill to continue discharging leachate via the City of Cohoes sewer to the District's North Plant for treatment.

The contract term will be for five (5) years with an annual reserve fee of \$25,000. In addition to the annual reserve fee the District will charge for the treatment of leachate at a rate of one cent per gallon which will be invoiced monthly. Based on an initial estimate of receiving ten (10) million gallons of leachate per year the total projected revenue included the reserved fee would be \$125,000. The revenue collected from this agreement would be used as a budget offset to reduce rate increases to the eight member communities served by the District.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 518-447-1617.

Sincerely,

Angelo Gaudio, P.E. Executive Director

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Enc: Leachate Contract

cc: Hon. Dennis A. Feeney, Majority Leader Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel James Curran, Minority Counsel