

VILLAGE COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

MEETING TO BE HELD VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE Contact <u>vtsv@vtsv.org</u> for meeting information TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2020 2:00 P.M.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER AND NOTICE OF MEETING
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
- 4. OLD BUSINESS

A. PUBLIC HEARING: Consideration to Approve Ordinance 2020-64 CONCERNING THE MUNICIPAL JOINT WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO; PROVIDING FOR THE PERMANENT FINANCING OF THE EXTENSION, ENLARGEMENT, BETTERMENT, REPAIR AND OTHER IMPROVEMENT OF SUCH SYSTEM, AS PREVIOUSLY FINANCED BY INTERIM REVENUE BONDS (INTERIM BONDS) ISSUED TO A CONSTRUCTION LENDER, THROUGH THE ISSUANCE TO (OR ASSIGNMENT TO, AND AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) OF REVENUE BONDS IN THE AGGREGATE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$8,500,000 CONSISTING OF THE VILLAGE'S JOINT WATER AND SEWER REVENUE BOND, IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$3,500,000, AND ITS GROSS RECEIPTS TAX REVENUE BOND IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$5,000,000; DECLARING THE NECESSITY FOR ISSUING (OR PERMITTING THE ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) SUCH BONDS WHICH SHALL BE PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE NET REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM (AS TO THE SYSTEM REVENUE BOND) AND CERTAIN GROSS RECEIPTS TAX RECEIPTS PLEDGED FOR SUCH PURPOSE (AS TO THE GRT REVENUE BOND), RESPECTIVELY, AS PROVIDED HEREIN; APPROVING THE DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO MAKE CERTAIN DETERMINATIONS REGARDING THE SALE OF THE BONDS PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL PUBLIC SECURITIES ACT: PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF THE REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM AND THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF SUCH GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, RESPECTIVELY; PROVIDING THE FORM, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH REVENUE BONDS, THE METHOD OF PAYING SUCH AND THE SECURITY THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A SINGLE REGISTERED BOND FOR EACH SUCH SERIES; PRESCRIBING OTHER DETAILS CONCERNING SUCH SYSTEM REVENUES, GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, BONDS AND SYSTEM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AUTHORIZING THE REDEMPTION AND REPAYMENT (OR ACQUISITION BY WAY OF ASSIGNMENT) OF THE INTERIM BONDS: RATIFYING ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN IN CONNECTION THEREWITH: AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH

- 5. MISCELLANEOUS
- 6. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DATE, TIME & PLACE OF THE NEXT MEETING OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL
- 7. ADJOURNMENT

Village of Taos Ski Valley

Village Council Agenda Item

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DATE: May 5, 2020

PRESENTED BY: John Avila

STATUS OF AGENDA ITEM: Old Business

CAN THIS ITEM BE RESCHEDULED: Not Recommended

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

This Ordinance outlines the mechanism for the Village to obtain permanent financing for the Village's upgraded wastewater treatment plant, through the USDA Rural Development.

This was introduced for first reading at the Village's regularly scheduled April 14, 2020 Council meeting.

The Village's financial advisor from Stifel Financial Corporation, Mr. Brad Angst, and Parker Schenken from Sherman & Howard, the Village's bond attorney, will be in attendance to answer any questions.

Recommendation: As this is the second reading of this ordinance, a Public Hearing will be held after which a motion and vote by Council are required.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
COUNTY OF TAOS) ss.
VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY)

The Village Council (the "Council") of the Village of Taos Ski Valley (the "Village"), in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico, met in open session in full conformity with law and the ordinances and rules of the Village, , at the hour of 2:00 o'clock p.m., on May 5, 2020.

Upon roll call, the following were found to be present, constituting a quorum:

Mayor:

Christof Brownell

Council Members:

Jeffrey Kern Neal King Chris Stagg Tom Wittman

Absent:

None

constituting all the members of the Council.

There were also present:

Village Administrator:

John Avila

Village Attorney:

Susan C. Baker

Village Clerk:

Ann M. Wooldridge

Thereupon the following proceedings, among others, were had and taken, to wit:

The Village Clerk announced that the United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture, has approved a Letter of Conditions relating to the permanent financing of certain improvements to the Village's wastewater treatment facilities; that pending construction of such improvements and closing of such permanent financing, the Village incurred interim bank financing for such improvements through the issuance of the Village's revenue bonds; the improvements have been completed (or are expected to be completed prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized), and the remaining conditions set out in the Letter of Conditions have been satisfied (or are expected to be satisfied prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized); and the Village desires to issue its long-term revenue bonds as provided herein (which may include the assignment, amendment and restatement of the interim revenue bonds) for the purpose of providing permanent financing for the project. The Mayor announced that the Council at this meeting is to consider the adoption of the bond ordinance providing for the issuance (or assignment, amendment and restatement) of such revenue bonds and authorizing the same.

The Village Clerk announced that the first reading of the proposed ordinance took place on April 14, 2020, and also announced that copies of a draft of such proposed ordinance previously were filed with her on April 28, 2020.

Thereupon, there was officially filed with the Village Clerk	k, the Mayor and each
Council Member, a copy of the ordinance in its final form which is in subs	tantially the form filed
with the Village Clerk on April 28, 2020. Council Member	thereupon introduced
the ordinance, which is as follows:	-

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-64

CONCERNING THE MUNICIPAL JOINT WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO; PROVIDING THE PERMANENT FINANCING OF THE ENLARGEMENT, BETTERMENT, REPAIR AND OTHER IMPROVEMENT OF SUCH SYSTEM, AS PREVIOUSLY FINANCED BY INTERIM REVENUE BONDS (INTERIM BONDS) ISSUED TO A CONSTRUCTION LENDER, THROUGH THE ISSUANCE TO (OR ASSIGNMENT TO. AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) OF REVENUE BONDS IN THE AGGREGATE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$8,500,000 CONSISTING OF THE VILLAGE'S JOINT WATER AND SEWER REVENUE BOND, IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$3,500,000, AND ITS GROSS RECEIPTS TAX REVENUE BOND IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$5,000,000: DECLARING THE **NECESSITY** FOR ISSUING PERMITTING THE ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) SUCH BONDS WHICH SHALL BE PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE NET REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM (AS TO THE SYSTEM REVENUE BOND) AND CERTAIN GROSS RECEIPTS TAX RECEIPTS PLEDGED FOR SUCH PURPOSE (AS TO THE GRT REVENUE BOND), RESPECTIVELY, AS PROVIDED HEREIN; APPROVING THE DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO MAKE CERTAIN DETERMINATIONS REGARDING THE SALE OF THE BONDS PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL PUBLIC SECURITIES ACT: PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF THE REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM AND THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF SUCH GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, RESPECTIVELY; PROVIDING THE FORM, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH REVENUE BONDS, THE METHOD OF PAYING SUCH AND THE SECURITY THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A SINGLE REGISTERED BOND FOR EACH SUCH SERIES; PRESCRIBING OTHER DETAILS CONCERNING SUCH SYSTEM REVENUES, GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, BONDS AND SYSTEM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH: AUTHORIZING THE REDEMPTION **AND** REPAYMENT ACQUISITION BY WAY OF ASSIGNMENT) OF THE INTERIM BONDS; **ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN** INCONNECTION RATIFYING THEREWITH; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

Capitalized terms in the following preambles have the same definitions as set forth in Section 1 unless the content provides otherwise.

(1) WHEREAS, the Village of Taos Ski Valley, in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico (herein the "Village"), is a legally and regularly created, established,

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organized and existing municipal corporation under its territorial charter and the general laws of the State of New Mexico; and

- (2) WHEREAS, the Village now owns, operates and maintains a joint public utility constituting a joint water and sanitary sewer system (the "System"); and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 05-41 of the Village, NMSA Sections 3-31-1 et seq. (the "Revenue Bond Act") and NMSA Sections 74-6A-1 et seq (the "Wastewater Facility Construction Loan Act"), the Village previously entered into a Final Loan Agreement dated as of May 5, 2005, as amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto (together, the "2005 Loan Agreement") under which the Village issued to the New Mexico Environment Department ("NMED") its Final Promissory Note dated December 5, 2006, in the original principal amount of \$1,641,757.25, of which there is now outstanding principal in the amount of \$941,320.88 (the "2006 Note"); under the terms of Ordinance No. 05-41, the 2005 Loan Agreement, the New Mexico Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act, Sections 7-9-1 et seq. and the Municipal Local Option Gross Receipts Taxes Act (collectively, the "GRT Act") and the Wastewater Facility Construction Loan Act, the 2006 Note is secured by a pledge of "Net Revenues", which is defined in Ordinance No. 05-41 as all income and revenues directly or indirectly derived by the Village from the operation of the System, LESS the operation and maintenance expenses of the System, parity obligations and other approved debt(s) herein indicated, approved indirect charges, any amounts expended for capital replacements and repair of System, and the required set asides for debt and replacement reserves and revenues derived from the 0.25% increase in Municipal Capital Outlay Gross Receipts Tax (as authorized by Ordinance No. 04-39 and the GRT Act, the "Capital Outlay GRT"); and
- (4) WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2016-54, the Revenue Bond Act and the Wastewater Facility Construction Loan Act, the Village previously entered into an Interim Loan Agreement (Loan Number CWSRF 052) dated as of March 24, 2016 (the "2016 Loan Agreement") under which the Village issued to NMED its Interim Promissory Note dated March 17, 2016, in the maximum principal amount drawable of \$350,000.00, of which there is now outstanding principal in the amount of \$212,499.84 (the "2016 Note"); under the terms of Ordinance No. 2016-54, the 2016 Loan Agreement, the GRT Act and the Wastewater Facility Construction Loan Act, the 2016 Note is secured by a pledge of:
 - 1. "Net Revenues", which is defined in Ordinance No. 2016-54 as Gross Revenues (defined as all income and revenues directly or indirectly derived by the Village from the operation and use of the System) LESS the following expenses (capitalized terms being defined in the 2016 Loan Agreement): (1) Operation and Maintenance expenses, (2) Parity Bonds or Parity Obligations, (3) approved indirect charges, (4) any amounts expended for capital replacements of the System, and (5) the required set asides for Debt Service Reserve Requirement and Replacement Reserve Requirement; and
 - 2. The "Municipal Gross Receipts Tax", which is defined in the 2016 Ordinance as an excise tax equal to one-quarter percent (0.25%) of the gross receipts reported or required to be reported by the person pursuant to the New Mexico Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act as it now exists or may be amended and as defined

in Ordinance Number 97-1 as an excise tax equal to one-half percent of the gross receipts reported or required to be reported by the person pursuant to the New Mexico Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act as it now exists or as it may be amended (as authorized by Ordinance 97-1 and the GRT Act, the "Municipal GRT"); and

- (5) WHEREAS, the Village, by Ordinance No. 2017-60 passed, approved and adopted on February 14, 2017, and the GRT Act, has imposed a municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax (the "Hold Harmless GRT") consisting of an excise equal to 0.375% of the gross receipts reported or required to be reported by the person pursuant to the GRT Act for the purpose of general operations of the Village, including securing of debt and revenue bonds, debt service, and funding Enterprise Fund projects; and
- (6) WHEREAS, the United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA"), pursuant to a letter of conditions between it and the Village dated as of July 13, 2017 (as the same may be amended, the "USDA Letter of Conditions"), has agreed to provide permanent financing for the Project by acquiring from the Village its revenue bond or bonds in an amount of up to \$8,300,000 (collectively, the "USDA Bonds" as defined in the Prior Ordinance, referred to in this Ordinance as the "Bonds"), on the terms described in the USDA Letter of Conditions; and
- (7) WHEREAS, pending construction of the Project and satisfaction of the conditions to the acquisition of the Bonds by USDA as provided in the USDA Letter of Conditions, TIB The Independent BankersBank, N.A. provided temporary construction financing for the Project through the purchase of the Village's Joint Sewer and Water System Draw Down Revenue Bond (Interim Bank Bond), Series 2017A, in the principal amount of \$2,800,000, now drawn and outstanding in the principal amount of \$2,800,000 (the "Interim System Revenue Bond") and its Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond (Interim Bank Bond), Series 2017B, in the principal amount of \$4,200,000, now drawn and outstanding in the principal amount of \$4,200,000 (the "Interim GRT Bond"; and, together with the Interim System Revenue Bond, the "Interim Bonds") issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 2018-64 (the "Prior Ordinance"); and
- (8) WHEREAS, under the terms of the Prior Ordinance, the Interim Bonds are secured by a pledge of the Net Revenues and the Hold Harmless GRT, respectively, and by their terms may assigned and transferred to another Holder, or may be paid and redeemed prior to maturity at any time at a redemption price equal to 100% of the outstanding principal amount thereof, plus accrued interest; and
- (9) WHEREAS, the construction of the Project has been completed (or is expected to be completed prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized), and the remaining conditions set out in the USDA Letter of Conditions have been satisfied (or are expected to be satisfied prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized), and the Council has determined and does hereby determine and declare that the issuance (or the assignment, amendment and restatement) of the Bonds should be authorized for the purpose of providing permanent financing for the Project; and
- (10) WHEREAS, as continuing security for the Bonds, the Village desires to affirm and ratify the pledges made in the Prior Ordinance, and to continue such pledges in favor

USDA, pursuant to the terms of the Revenue Bond Act, as follows: (a) a lien on the Net Revenues of the system securing the System Revenue Bond on an equal and ratable basis with the lien on such Net Revenues in favor of NMED which secures the 2006 Note and the 2016 Note; and (b) a lien on the Hold Harmless GRT securing the GRT Revenue Bond; and

- (11) WHEREAS, under HB 479 (2019), as clarified by HB 326 (2020), any municipal or county local option enactments of repealed or consolidated gross receipts tax rates required by provisions of HB479 are considered to be continuous enactments of currently allowed local option enactments; and
 - (12) WHEREAS, Section 3-31-6C, NMSA 1978, provides as follows:
 - "C. Any law which authorizes the pledge of any or all of the pledged revenues to the payment of any revenue bonds issued pursuant to Sections 3-31-1 through 3-31-12 NMSA 1978 or which affects the pledged revenues, or any law supplemental thereto or otherwise appertaining thereto, shall not be repealed or amended or otherwise directly or indirectly modified in such a manner as to impair adversely any such outstanding revenue bonds, unless such outstanding revenue bonds have been discharged in full or provision has been fully made therefor."; and
- (13) WHEREAS, Section 7-19D-18, NMSA 1978 (as in effect at the time of the Prior Ordinance and the initial issuance of the Interim Bonds), provides as follows:
 - "D. Any law that imposes or authorizes the imposition of a municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax or that affects the municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax, or any law supplemental thereto or otherwise appertaining thereto, shall not be repealed or amended or otherwise directly or indirectly modified in such a manner as to impair adversely any outstanding revenue bonds that may be secured by a pledge of such municipal hold harmless gross receipts tax unless such outstanding revenue bonds have been discharged in full or provision has been fully made therefor."; and
- (14) WHEREAS, the details of the Bonds are to be established in the Sale Certificate pursuant to this Ordinance and the USDA Letter of Conditions;
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO:
- **Section 1.** <u>Definitions.</u> The terms in this section defined for all purposes of this Ordinance and of any ordinance amendatory hereof or supplemental hereto, or relating hereto, and of any instrument or document appertaining hereto, except where the context by clear implication herein otherwise requires, shall have meanings herein specified:
- "Bond Fund" means the Bond Fund maintained within the Income Fund and referred to in Section 21B hereof.

"Bonds" means, collectively, the System Revenue Bond and the GRT Revenue Bond.

"Council" means the Village Council of the Village (defined below).

"<u>Finance Director</u>" means the person serving as Treasurer and Finance Director of the Village.

"<u>Fiscal Year</u>" for the purposes of this Ordinance means the twelve months commencing on the first day of July of any calendar year and ending on the last day of June of the next calendar year; but it may mean any other 12-month period which any appropriate authority hereafter may establish for the System.

"GRT Revenue Bond" means the Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond authorized to be issued to USDA as provided in Section 5 of this Ordinance, and may include the Interim GRT Bond, as assigned to USDA and amended and restated as provided herein.

"Herein," "hereby," "hereunder," "hereof," "hereinbefore" and "hereafter" refer to this ordinance and not solely to the particular portion thereof in which such word is used.

"Holder" means the registered owner(s) of the Bonds as they appear on the registration records kept by the Village.

"Income Fund" means the Income Fund referred to in Section 20 of this Ordinance.

"Independent Accountant" means any registered or certified public accountant or firm of such accountants duly licensed to practice and practicing as such under the laws of the State of New Mexico, appointed and paid by the Village, who (1) is, in fact, independent and not under the domination of the Village, (2) does not have any substantial interest, direct or indirect, with the Village, and (3) is not connected with the Village as an officer or employee of the Village, but who may be regularly retained to make annual or similar audits of the books or records of the Village; and Independent Accountant also means the State Auditor of the State of New Mexico.

"Insured Bank" means a bank qualified to accept public deposits under state law which is a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

"Interim Bonds" has the meaning provided in the Recitals.

"issue", "issued", "issuance", "issuing" and words of similar import may include, as the context requires with respect to the Bonds, the assignment, amendment and restatement of the Interim Bonds.

"<u>Net Revenues</u>" means the "revenues" (defined below) after deducting "operation and maintenance expenses" (defined below).

"operation and maintenance expenses" (or a phrase of similar import) means all reasonable and necessary current expenses of the Village, paid or accrued, of operating, maintaining and repairing the System, and shall include, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, legal and overhead expense of the various Village departments directly related and reasonably allocable to the administration of the System, insurance premiums, the reasonable charges of depositary banks and paying agents, contractual services, professional services required by this Ordinance, salaries and administrative expenses, labor, the cost of materials and supplies used for current operation, but shall not include any allowance for depreciation, liabilities incurred by the Village as the result of its negligence in the operation of the System, extensions, enlargements or betterments, or any charges for the accumulation of reserves for capital replacements.

"Operation and Maintenance Fund" means the Operation and Maintenance Fund referred to in Section 21A of this Ordinance.

"Ordinance" means, collectively, the Prior Ordinance, Form RD 1942-47 "Loan Resolution", and this Ordinance No. 2020-64 of the Village authorizing the issuance (or assignment, amendment and restatement) of the Bonds, as adopted on May 5, 2020.

"Outstanding Bond Funds" means any fund or funds created by the Village from which revenues are held and applied to the 2006 Note and the 2016 Note.

"Parity GRT Lien Bonds" means the any other bonds, warrants, notes, securities, leases or other contracts evidencing borrowings and payable from receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT issued with a lien on the receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT on a parity with the lien thereon securing the GRT Revenue Bond.

"<u>Parity System Lien Bonds</u>" means the 2006 Note, the 2016 Note and any other bonds, warrants, notes, securities, leases or other contracts evidencing borrowings and payable from revenues of the System issued with a lien on the Net Revenues on a parity with the lien thereon securing the 2006 Note and the 2016 Note and the System Revenue Bond.

"Paying Agent" means the office of the Finance Director of the Village, or any successor thereto.

"Project" means extending, enlarging, bettering, repairing or otherwise improving the System (as described in Section 5A of this Ordinance) and all costs incidental to the foregoing and to the issuance of the Bonds.

"Purchaser" means USDA, as purchaser of the Bonds.

"Registrar" means the office of the Finance Director of the Village, or any successor thereto.

"Reserve Fund" means the Reserve Fund referred to in Section 21C hereof and established under Section 23 hereof.

"Reserve Requirement" means an amount equal to one year of debt service on the Bonds.

"revenues," "gross revenues," "income" or "gross income" means all income and revenues derived by the Village from the operation of the System, or any part thereof, whether resulting from extensions, enlargements or betterments to the System, or otherwise, and includes all revenues received by the Village or any municipal corporation succeeding to the rights of the Village from the System and from the sale and use of water, water service and facilities, sanitary sewer service and facilities or any combination thereof to the inhabitants of what is now the Village (including all territorial annexations which may be made while any of the Bonds are outstanding), or from the sale and use of water, water service and facilities, sanitary sewer service and sewer facilities or any combination thereof, by means of the System owned and operated by the Village as the same may at any time exist to serve customers outside the Village limits as well as customers within the Village limits, and also means all income derived from the investment of any money in any of the funds established herein or contained herein even though such investment income is to be credited to the particular fund from which such investment is made, as further provided by Section 27 hereof.

"Sale Certificate" means one or more certificates executed by the Mayor or Village Administrator dated on or before the date of delivery of the Bonds, setting forth the following final terms of the Bonds: (i) the interest and principal payment dates; (ii) the principal amounts, denominations and maturity amortization; (iii) the sale prices (not less than par); (iv) the interest rate or rates; (v) the interest payment periods and payment dates; (vi) the redemption and tender provisions; (vii) the creation of any capitalized interest fund, including the size and funding of such fund(s); (viii) the amount of underwriting discount, if any (not greater than 1%); and (ix) the final terms of agreements, if any, with agents or service providers required for the purchase, sale, issuance and delivery of the Bonds, all subject to the parameters and conditions contained in this Ordinance.

"Supplemental Act" means the Supplemental Public Securities Act, Section 6-14-8 et seq., NMSA 1978, as amended by Senate Bill 43 adopted by the New Mexico Legislature during the 2017 Regular Legislative Session.

"System" means the municipally owned joint public utility designated as the Village's water system and sanitary sewer system consisting of all properties, real, personal, mixed or otherwise, now owned or hereafter acquired by the Village through purchase, construction or otherwise, and used in connection with said water system and sanitary sewer system of the Village and in anyway appertaining thereto, whether situated within or without the limits of the Village (for the avoidance of doubt, "System" includes the Project).

"System Revenue Bond" means the Joint Sewer and Water System Revenue Bond authorized to be issued to USDA as provided in Section 5 of this Ordinance, and may include the Interim System Revenue Bond, as assigned to USDA and amended and restated as provided herein.

"<u>USDA</u>" means The United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture.

"<u>Village</u>" means the municipal corporate body corporate and politic known as the Village of Taos Ski Valley, Taos County, New Mexico.

Definitions include both singular and plural. Pronouns include both singular and plural and cover all genders. Definitions of other terms appear throughout this Ordinance.

- **Section 2.** Ratification. All action heretofore taken (not inconsistent with the express provisions of this Ordinance) by the Council and officers of the Village directed toward the Project, the approval of the USDA Letter of Conditions, the issuance of the Interim Bonds and the pledges of System Revenues and the Hold Harmless GRT as security therefor, and the authorization, sale and issuance (and, as applicable, the assignment, amendment and restatement) of the Bonds as herein authorized be, and the same hereby is ratified, approved and confirmed.
- **Section 3.** Public Utility. The municipal water facilities or system and the municipal sanitary sewer facilities or system shall constitute a joint public utility and shall be operated and maintained as such System.
- Section 4. <u>Approval of USDA Letter of Conditions.</u> The terms of the USDA Letter of Conditions for the purchase by USDA of the Bonds, which was received by the Village as authorized by State law, be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

Section 5. <u>Authorization of Project and Bonds.</u>

- A. Authorization of Project. The Project has been authorized at a total cost of not exceeding \$8,500,000 and the necessity thereof has been and is hereby declared. The Project has been completed. The Village has authorized (and hereby authorizes) the issuance of the Bonds to defray a part of such total cost through the redemption and repayment (or acquisition, amendment and restatement) of the Interim Bonds and the payment or reimbursement of costs fo the Project. The Project, briefly and generally described, consists of the improvement, extension and betterment of the System, consisting of the replacement and upgrade of the Village's existing wastewater treatment facility with a Membrane Bio Reactor System, and all other equipment, appurtenances and land necessary or convenient thereof or (including all necessary sites, rights-of-way and easements), all as more particularly described in the preliminary engineering report, plans and specifications which have heretofore been prepared and filed by the Consulting Engineer, which are available for public inspection in the office of the Village Clerk.
- B. <u>Authorization of Bonds</u>. For the purpose of protecting the public health, conserving the property and advancing the general welfare of the citizens of the Village, and for the purpose of defraying the cost of the Project through the payment and satisfaction in full of the Interim Bonds (or the assignment of the Interim Bonds to USDA), it is hereby declared that the interest or necessity of the Village and the inhabitants thereof demand the issuance (or assignment, amendment and restatement, as applicable) of the Bonds by the Village and the purchase thereof by USDA as provided in the USDA Letter of Conditions, said Bonds to consist of its fully registered revenue bonds without coupons to be designated:
 - 1. "Village of Taos Ski Valley Joint Sewer and Water System Revenue Bond" in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$3,500,000, to be payable and

collectible, both as to principal and interest solely from the Net Revenues and constituting a special obligation of the Village; and

- 2. "Village of Taos Ski Valley Gross Receipts Revenue Bond" in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$5,000,000, to be payable and collectible, both as to principal and interest solely from receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT and constituting a special obligation of the Village.
- **Section 6.** <u>Bond Details.</u> Each of the Bonds shall be issued in fully registered form, i.e., registered as to both principal and interest and the regulations of the Secretary of the Treasury thereunder, as follows:
- A. System Revenue Bond. The System Revenue Bond shall be dated initially as of the date of delivery thereof to USDA, and shall be issued as a single bond in the principal amount of not to exceed \$3,500,000. The Village's indebtedness as represented by the System Revenue Bond shall be up to \$3,500,000, together with interest on the principal amount outstanding from time to time as provided in this Section 6 (as finally determined pursuant to the Sale Certificate authorized in Section 40 below). The System Revenue Bond shall bear interest from the date of delivery at the rate of not to exceed 7.5% per annum on the unpaid balance of the total principal amount from the date of issuance thereof until the principal thereof is paid in full. Principal and interest on the System Revenue Bond shall be paid in equal monthly installments to be set out in the System Revenue Bond, amortized over the term of the System Revenue Bond, determined as provided in the USDA Letter of Conditions, payable on the days of each month to be set out in the System Revenue Bond, determined as provided in the USDA Letter of Conditions (each such day is referred to herein as a "Payment Date"). All outstanding principal and accrued and unpaid interest on the System Revenue Bond shall be due and payable in full on the Payment Date identified in the Sale Certificate which is not later than forty (40) years following the first Payment Date (the "Maturity Date"). Except as otherwise provided herein, every payment on the System Revenue Bond shall be applied first to interest computed to the date of payment and then to principal.
- B. GRT Revenue Bond. The GRT Revenue Bond shall be dated initially as of the date of delivery thereof to USDA, and shall be issued as a single bond in the principal amount of not to exceed \$5,000,000. The Village's indebtedness as represented by the GRT Revenue Bond shall be up to \$5,000,000, together with interest on the principal amounts outstanding from time to time as provided in this Section 6 (as finally determined pursuant to the Sale Certificate authorized in Section 40 below). The GRT Revenue Bond shall bear interest from the date of delivery at the rate of not to exceed 7.5% per annum on the unpaid balance of the total principal amount from the date of issuance thereof until the principal thereof is paid in full. Principal and interest on the GRT Revenue Bond shall be paid in equal monthly installments to be set out in the System Revenue Bond, determined as provided in the USDA Letter of Conditions, payable on each Payment Date. All outstanding principal and accrued and unpaid interest on the GRT Revenue Bond shall be due and payable in full on the Maturity Date. Except as otherwise provided herein, every payment on the GRT Revenue Bond shall be applied first to interest computed to the date of payment and then to principal.

C. <u>Establishment of Terms</u>. The exact principal amounts of each of the Bonds, the maturity and payment dates, interest rates, payment terms, prepayment and redemption terms, sale prices, and other terms described in the definition of "Sale Certificate" and in Section 40 of this Ordinance and necessary to complete and deliver the Bonds, will be established in the Sale Certificate, but in no event shall the net effective interest rate on the Bonds exceed the lesser of (i) the maximum rate of interest applicable to the Bonds as provided in Section 6.A or 6.B above, or (ii) twelve percent (12%) per annum as required by Section 6-14-3, NMSA 1978. The form, terms, and provisions of the Bonds, as set forth or referred to in this Ordinance, are hereby approved with only such changes therein as are not inconsistent with this Ordinance and the Sale Certificate

Section 7. Payment of Bonds; Paying Agent and Registrar.

- The principal of and interest on any Bond shall be payable to the Α. registered owner thereof as shown in the registration records kept by the Registrar, in installments as provided herein and upon maturity and presentation and surrender thereof at the office of the Paying Agent. If, upon any Payment Date or presentation of any Bond at or after its maturity, payment is not made as herein provided, interest thereon shall continue at the same rate per annum until the principal thereof is paid in full. Payment of installments of principal and interest on any Bond shall be made to the registered owner thereof by check or draft mailed by the Paying Agent on or before each Payment Date (or, if such Payment Date is not a business day, on or before the next succeeding business day), to the registered owner thereof at his address as shown on the registration records kept by the Registrar at the close of business on the fifteenth day (whether or not a business day) of the calendar month preceding the Payment Date (the "Record Date"); but any such installment not so timely paid or duly provided for shall cease to be payable to the person who is the registered owner thereof at the close of business on the Record Date and shall be payable to the person who is the registered owner thereof at the close of business on a special record date for the payment of any defaulted installment fixed by the Registrar whenever moneys become available for payment of the defaulted installment (each such date, a "Special Record Date"), and notice of the Special Record Date shall be given to the registered owners of the Bonds not less than ten days prior to the Special Record Date by firstclass mail to each such registered owner as shown on the registration records on a date selected by the Registrar, stating the date of the Special Record Date and the date fixed for the payment of such defaulted installment. The Paying Agent may make payments by such alternative means (including payment by ACH) as may be mutually agreed to between the owner of any Bond and the Paying Agent. All such payments shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America without deduction for the services of the Paying Agent or the Registrar.
- B. If any installment is not paid when due, then in addition to installments thereafter becoming due, the Village shall pay interest on the unpaid balance of the total principal amount from the due date of the delinquent installment to the date of payment of the delinquent installment, provided, that interest accruing by reason of any such delinquency shall not include any interest applicable to such delinquency period in any installment subsequently paid.
- C. So long as USDA is the registered owner of the Bonds, payment of installments of principal and interest shall be made at an office designated in writing by USDA,

or at such other address as USDA may designate in writing. During the time any registered assign is the registered owner of the Bonds, payment shall be made at the address shown on the registration book kept by the Registrar. The Bond must be registered by any registered owner, and may be assigned in the manner and with the effect set forth in the provisions for registration contained in the form of the Bonds hereinafter set forth, and as herein further provided. The principal and interest of the Bonds shall be payable only to, or upon the order of, the registered owner or his legal representative. Upon issuance, the Bonds shall be registered in the name of USDA. The Village is authorized to execute Form RD 3550-28, "AUTHORIZATION Agreement for Preauthorized Payments" which shall provide for the means of making payments on the Bonds to USDA.

Section 8. Prior Redemption.

- A. The Village hereby reserves the right, at its option, to prepay the principal amount of the Bonds outstanding, in whole or in part, at any time. Prepayments may be made on any date and shall be made in the manner provided herein for making regularly scheduled installments. No prepayment of an installment shall extend or postpone the due date of any subsequent installment. Any prepayments shall be in the amount of principal being prepaid, together with accrued interest thereon to the date of prepayment, and shall be made without penalty or without additional interest charges.
- B. Notice of prepayment shall be mailed at least ten days prior to the redemption date to each person whose name and address appears on the registration books. The Holder of any Bond may waive any requirement of notice. The notice shall identify the bonds to be redeemed, by name and series, specify the redemption date, and state that on such date the principal amount thereof and accrued interest to the redemption date will become due and payable, and thereafter interest shall cease to accrue. After such notice and presentation of said Bonds, the Bonds called for redemption will be paid.
- **Section 9.** Negotiability. Subject to the provisions specifically made or necessarily implied herein, the Bonds shall be fully negotiable, and shall have all the qualities of negotiable paper, and the registered owner or owners thereof shall possess all rights enjoyed by the holders of negotiable instruments under the provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code.

Section 10. Execution.

- A. <u>Filing Manual Signatures</u>. If necessary in connection with the use of any facsimile signatures, prior to the execution and authentication of any Bond pursuant to Sections 6-9-1 through 6-9-6, both inclusive, NMSA 1978, the Mayor, Village Clerk and Village Treasurer (Finance Director) may each forthwith file with the Secretary of State of New Mexico, his or her manual signature certified by him or her under oath; provided, that such filing shall not be necessary for any officer where any previous such filing may have legal application to the Bonds or in the event the Bonds are manually executed.
- B. <u>Method of Execution</u>. Each Bond (including any Interim Bonds, as assigned, amended and restated) shall be signed and executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor under the manual or facsimile of the seal of the Village, which shall be

printed, stamped, engraved or otherwise placed thereon; each Bond shall be executed and attested with the manual or facsimile signature of the Village Clerk and countersigned with the manual or facsimile signature of the Village Treasurer (Finance Director); and each Bond shall be authenticated by the manual signature by an authorized officer of the Registrar as hereafter provided. The Bonds bearing the facsimile signatures of the officers in office at the time of the authorization thereof shall be the valid and binding obligations of the Village (subject to the requirement of authentication by the Registrar as hereinafter provided) notwithstanding that before the delivery thereof and payment therefor, or before the issuance thereof upon transfer or exchange, any or all of the persons whose facsimile signatures appear thereon shall have ceased to fill their respective offices. The Mayor, Village Clerk and Village Treasurer (Finance Director) of the Village shall, by the execution of a signature certificate pertaining to the Bonds, adopt as and for their respective signatures the facsimiles thereof appearing on the Bonds; and, at the time of the execution of said signature certificate, said Mayor, Village Clerk and Village Treasurer (Finance Director) may each adopt as and for his or her facsimile signature the facsimile signature of his or her predecessor in office in the event that such facsimile signature appears upon any of the Bonds.

C. <u>Certificate of Authentication</u>. No Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless the certificate of authentication, substantially in the form provided in the forms of the Bonds attached hereto, has been duly executed by the Registrar. The Registrar's certificate of authentication shall be deemed to have been duly executed by it if manually signed by the Registrar (or as applicable an authorized officer of the Registrar), but it shall not be necessary that the same officer sign the certificate of authentication on all of the Bonds issued hereunder.

Section 11. Registration, Transfer and Exchange.

- A. Registration Books Transfer and Exchange Authentication. Books for the registration and transfer of the Bonds shall be kept by the Registrar. Upon the surrender for transfer of any Bonds at the Registrar, duly endorsed for transfer or accompanied by an assignment duly executed by the registered owner or his attorney duly authorized in writing, the Registrar shall authenticate and deliver in the name of the transferee or transferees a new Bond or Bonds of a like series, aggregate principal amount and of the same maturity, bearing a number or numbers not contemporaneously outstanding. Bonds may be exchanged at the Registrar for an equal aggregate principal amount of Bonds of the same series, maturity of other authorized denominations. The Registrar shall authenticate and deliver a Bond or Bonds which the registered owner making the exchange is entitled to receive, bearing a number or numbers not contemporaneously outstanding. Exchanges and transfers of Bonds as herein provided shall be without charge to the owner or any transferee, but the Registrar may require the payment by the owner of any Bond requesting exchange or transfer of any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such exchange or transfer.
- B. <u>Transfer Restrictions</u>. Notwithstanding any provision in this Ordinance or in the Bonds to the contrary, no Holder may transfer any Bond in whole or in part or transfer any interest therein without compliance with all applicable federal and state securities laws. In addition, the Bonds must at all times be held by the same Holder (i.e., the System Revenue Bond and the GRT Revenue Bond may not be held by separate Holders).

- C. <u>Times When Transfer or Exchange Not Required</u>. The Registrar shall not be required to transfer or exchange all or a portion of any Bond subject to prepayment at any time following the mailing of notice to the registered owners calling any Bonds for prepayment pursuant to Section 8B hereof.
- D. Payment Registered Owners. The person in whose name any Bond shall be registered, on the registration books kept by the Registrar, shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for the purpose of making payment thereof and for all other purposes except as may otherwise be provided with respect to payment of principal and interest as is provided in Section 7 hereof; and payment of or on account of either principal or interest on any Bond shall be made only to or upon the written order of the registered owner thereof or his legal representative, but such registration may be changed upon transfer of such Bond in the manner and subject to the conditions and limitations provided herein. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.
- E. <u>Replacement Bonds</u>. If any Bond shall be lost, stolen, destroyed or mutilated, the Registrar shall, upon receipt of such evidence, information or indemnity relating thereto as it may reasonably require, authenticate and deliver a replacement Bond or Bonds of a like aggregate principal amount and of the same series, maturity, bearing a number or numbers not contemporaneously outstanding. If such lost, stolen, destroyed or mutilated Bond shall have matured, the Registrar may direct the Paying Agent to pay such Bond in lieu of replacement.
- F. <u>Delivery of Bond Certificates to Registrar</u>. The officers of the Village are authorized to deliver to the Registrar fully executed but unauthenticated Bonds in such quantities as may be convenient to be held in custody by the Registrar pending use as herein provided.
- G. <u>Cancellation of Bonds</u>. Whenever any Bond shall be surrendered to the Paying Agent upon payment thereof, or to the Registrar for transfer, exchange or replacement as provided herein, such Bond shall be promptly cancelled by the Paying Agent or Registrar, and counterparts of a certificate of such cancellation shall be furnished by the Paying Agent or Registrar to the Village.
- Section 12. Successor Registrar or Paying Agent. If the Registrar or Paying Agent initially appointed hereunder shall resign, or if the Village shall reasonably determine that said Registrar or Paying Agent has become incapable of fulfilling its duties hereunder, the Village may, upon notice mailed to each registered owner of Bonds at the address last shown on the registration books, appoint a successor Registrar or Paying Agent, or both. Every such successor Registrar or Paying Agent shall be a bank or trust company located in and in good standing in the United States and having a shareholders equity (e.g., capital stock, surplus and undivided profits), however denominated, not less than \$10,000,000. It shall not be required that the same institution serve as both Registrar and Paying Agent hereunder, but the Village shall have the right to have the same institution serve as both Registrar and Paying Agent hereunder.

Section 13. Special Obligations.

A. <u>System Revenue Bond</u>. The System Revenue Bond, together with the interest accruing thereon, shall be payable and collectible solely out of the Net Revenues, which

are irrevocably so pledged on an equal and ratable basis for the System Revenue Bond and for the Parity System Lien Bonds. The registered owner or owners of the System Revenue Bond may not look to any general or other fund for the payment of the principal of or interest on such obligations, except the designated special funds pledged. The System Revenue Bond shall not constitute an indebtedness or a debt within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision or limitation; nor shall it be considered or held to be a general obligation of the Village. The System Revenue Bond shall recite on its face that it is payable and collectible solely from the Net Revenues, the income from which is so pledged, and that the registered owner thereof may not look to any general or other fund for the payment of principal and interest on, and prior redemption premium due in connection with, the System Revenue Bond.

- B. GRT Revenue Bond. The GRT Revenue Bond, together with the interest accruing thereon, shall be payable and collectible solely out of the revenues from the Hold Harmless GRT, which are irrevocably so pledged. The registered owner or owners of the GRT Revenue Bond may not look to any general or other fund for the payment of the principal of or interest on such obligations, except the designated special funds pledged. The GRT Revenue Bond shall not constitute an indebtedness or a debt within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision or limitation; nor shall it be considered or held to be a general obligation of the Village. The GRT Revenue Bond shall recite on its face that it is payable and collectible solely from the revenues of the Hold Harmless GRT, the income from which is so pledged, and that the registered owner thereof may not look to any general or other fund for the payment of principal and interest on, and prior redemption premium due in connection with, the GRT Revenue Bond.
- Section 14. <u>Use of Single Bond.</u> USDA has requested, and the Village has agreed, that the obligations of the Village hereunder shall be represented in the form of a single registered revenue bond for each series.
- **Section 15.** Forms of Single Bond. Subject to this provision of this Ordinance, the Bonds, the registration panels and the forms of assignment therefor, shall be in substantially forms attached hereto as Exhibit "A" (with respect to the System Revenue Bond) and Exhibit "B" (with respect to the GRT Revenue Bond), with such changes, modifications, and completions as the Village Administrator shall approve.
- **Section 16.** <u>Graduation</u>. As provided in the Loan Resolution (described in the definition of "Ordinance"), the Village agrees to refinance the unpaid balance, in whole or in part, of the Bonds upon the request of the Government if at any time it shall appear to the Government that the Village is able to refinance its bonds by obtaining a loan for such purposes from responsible cooperative or private sources at reasonable rates and terms for loans for similar purposes and periods of time as required by section 333(c) of said Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U. S. C. 1983(c)).
- Section 17. <u>Period of Improvement Project's Usefulness.</u> It is hereby determined and recited that the period of usefulness of the facilities to be acquired and/or financed with the proceeds of the Bonds (i.e. the Project) is not less than 40 years from the date of the Bonds.

Section 18. Sale and Delivery of Bonds; Initial Registration. The Village hereby agrees to sell the Bonds (or to effect the assignment, amendment and restatement of the Interim Bonds) to USDA on the terms set forth herein. The Registrar shall initially register the Bonds in the name of USDA. When the Bonds have been duly executed, authenticated, registered and sold, the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) shall deliver them to USDA on receipt of the agreed purchase price unless otherwise provided in writing by USDA.

Section 19. <u>Disposition of Bond Proceeds.</u>

- A. <u>Application of Proceeds</u>. Except as herein otherwise specifically provided or otherwise specifically permitted by USDA, the proceeds derived from the sale of the Bonds shall be used and paid solely for the purpose of permanently financing the Project.
- B. <u>Purchaser Not Responsible</u>. The validity of the Bonds is not dependent on nor affected by the validity or regularity of any proceedings related to the completion of the Project. USDA, and any subsequent Holder of any Bonds, shall in no manner be responsible for the application or disposal by the Village or by any officer or any employee or other agent of the Village of the moneys derived from the sale of the Bonds or of any other moneys herein designated

Section 20. Income Fund and Hold Harmless GRT Fund.

- A. <u>Income Fund</u>. So long as any of the System Revenue Bond or any Parity System Lien Bonds shall be outstanding, either as to principal or interest, or both, the revenues of the System shall continue to be set aside and deposited monthly into the separate account known as the "Income Fund" (currently consisting of enterprise funds 01 water and 02 sewer, the establishment of which is hereby affirmed and ratified).
- B. <u>Hold Harmless GRT Fund</u>. So long as the GRT Revenue Bond or any Parity GRT Lien Bonds shall be outstanding, either as to principal or interest or both, receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT received from time to time shall continue to be set aside and deposited monthly into the separate account known as the "Hold Harmless GRT Fund" (the establishment of which is hereby affirmed and ratified).
- **Section 21.** Administration of Income Fund. So long as any of the System Revenue Bond or any Parity System Lien Bonds shall be outstanding, either as to principal or interest or both, the following payments shall be made from the Income Fund:
- A. Operation and Maintenance Fund. First, as a first charge thereon, there shall continue to be set aside monthly from moneys in the Income Fund from time to time in, and credited to an account known as the "Operation and Maintenance Fund" (which may consist of existing operation and maintenance account(s), being one or several separate funds and/or accounts consistent with Village policies), amounts sufficient to pay the operation and maintenance expenses as they become due and payable, and thereupon they shall be promptly paid. Any surplus remaining at the end of the Fiscal Year and not needed for operation and maintenance expenses (which may include amounts carried forward to cover reasonably anticipated future operation and maintenance expenses as determined by the Village), shall be transferred back to the Income Fund and used for the purposes thereof as herein provided.

- B. Bond Fund. Second, subject to the aforesaid provisions, from any moneys remaining in the Income Fund, i.e., from the Net Revenues, there shall be credited pro rata on a monthly basis to the System Revenue Bond sub-account in the Bond Fund and any other fund funds for any additional Parity System Lien Bonds, amounts necessary, together with any moneys therein and available therefor, to pay the installments of principal and interest on the System Revenue Bond and any other Parity System Lien Bonds on the first Payment Date and on each Payment Date thereafter. Nothing herein shall prevent the Village, in its discretion, from making the foregoing deposits from other legally available funds. If prior to any Payment Date, there has been accumulated in the Bond Fund the entire amount necessary to pay the next maturing installment of interest or principal, or both, the payment required in this paragraph B may be appropriately reduced; but the required monthly amounts again shall be so credited to such account commencing on the next Payment Date. The moneys in the Bond Fund shall be used only to pay the principal of and interest on the System Revenue Bond and any Parity System Lien Bonds as the same become due, except as otherwise provided in Section 21.C.
- C. <u>Reserve Fund</u>. Third, subject to paragraphs A and B of this section, amounts on deposit in the Income Fund shall be credited to the Reserve Fund and the Short-Lived Asset Reserve Fund, as and to the extent required under Section 23 of this Ordinance.
- Section 22. <u>Administration of Hold Harmless GRT Fund.</u> So long as any of the GRT Revenue Bond or any Parity GRT Lien Bonds shall be outstanding, either as to principal or interest or both, the following payments shall be made monthly from the Hold Harmless GRT Fund:
- A. <u>Hold Harmless GRT Fund</u>. First, from moneys on hand in the Hold Harmless GRT Fund, i.e., from collection of the Hold Harmless GRT, the Village shall pay the installments of principal and interest on the GRT Revenue Bond on the first Payment Date and on each Payment Date thereafter and to pay any Parity GRT Lien Bonds in accordance with their respective terms. Nothing herein shall prevent the Village, in its discretion, from making the foregoing deposits from other legally available funds. If prior to any Payment Date, there has been accumulated in the Hold Harmless GRT Fund the entire amount necessary to pay the next maturing installment of interest or principal, or both, the payment required in this Section 22 may be appropriately reduced; but the required monthly amounts again shall be so credited to such account commencing on the next Payment Date. The moneys in the Hold Harmless GRT Fund shall be used only to pay the principal of and interest on the GRT Revenue Bond and any Parity GRT Lien Bonds as the same become due, except as otherwise provided in Section 22.B.
- B. <u>Reserve Fund</u>. Second, subject to paragraph A of this section, amounts on deposit in the Hold Harmless GRT Fund shall be credited to the Reserve Fund, as and to the extent required under Section 23 of this Ordinance.

Section 23. Reserve Fund and Short-Lived Asset Reserve Fund.

A. <u>Reserve Fund</u>. The Village shall on each Payment Date deposit into the Reserve Fund, which is hereby created: (1) from excess Net Revenues available after making required payments on and deposits related to the System Revenue Bond and the other Parity System Lien Bonds ("Excess Net Revenues"), and (2) from excess receipts from the Hold

Harmless GRT after making required payments on and deposits related to the GRT Revenue Bond and other Parity GRT Lien Bonds, if any, as described in Section 30 ("Excess GRT Receipts"), an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of each payment for a period of ten (10) years, until the accumulated amount on deposit in the Reserve Fund is equal to the Reserve Requirement. The moneys in the Reserve Fund shall be maintained as a continuing reserve to be used to make payments of principal and interest on the Bonds in the event that the Net Revenues or Hold Harmless GRT, respectively, to prevent a default. As long as the Reserve Fund is funded to the Reserve Requirement, Excess Net Revenues and Excess GRT Receipts may be applied in any other manner permitted by this Ordinance.

B. Short-Lived Asset Reserve Fund. In addition to its obligations to fund the Reserve Fund, the Village will establish a short-lived asset reserve fund, into which the Village shall deposit from Excess Net Revenues and Excess GRT Receipts the sum of at least \$49,708 annually through the Maturity Date to pay for repairs and/or replacement of major system assets. The Village will assess its asset needs on a regular basis and adjust the amount deposited to meet those needs. The Short-Lived Asset Reserve Fund is not pledged as security for the Bonds.

Section 24. <u>Termination of Deposits.</u> Payment need not be made into the funds discussed in Section 21 and 22 if the total amount in both funds (together with funds on hand in the Reserve Fund) at least equals the principal and interest requirements of the then outstanding Bonds to maturity. In that case such an amount equal to such principal and interest requirements shall be set aside for that purpose and all other moneys may be used in any lawful manner.

Section 25. Defraying Delinquencies in Bond Fund and in Reserve Fund. If, for any reason, the Village shall fail to pay into the Bond Fund or the Hold Harmless GRT Fund, as applicable, the full stipulated amount from Net Revenues or the Hold Harmless GRT, as applicable, then the difference between that paid and the amount stipulated shall be paid into the Bond Fund or the Hold Harmless GRT Fund, as applicable, from the Reserve Fund. Money so used shall be replaced in the Reserve Fund from the first revenues thereafter received not required to be otherwise applied by this section. If the proceedings authorizing other Parity System Lien Bonds require the replacement of moneys in a reserve fund, then money shall be replaced in each such reserve fund from available Net Revenues on a pro rata basis with the System Revenue Bond and any other Parity System Lien Bonds. If the proceedings authorizing other Parity GRT Lien Bonds require the replacement of moneys in a reserve fund, then money shall be replaced in each such reserve fund from available receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT on a pro rata basis with the GRT Revenue Bond and any other Parity GRT Lien Bonds. If, for any reason, the Village shall fail to pay into the Reserve Fund the full stipulated amount, the difference between the amount paid and the amount stipulated shall in like manner be paid therein from the first revenues thereafter received not required to be otherwise applied by this section.

Section 26. <u>Use of Surplus Revenues.</u>

A. <u>Net Revenues</u>. After making the above payments, the remaining Net Revenues shall be applied for any of the following purposes: the additional improvement, extension and betterment of the System; the payment of debt service on any general obligation

bonds incurred in the acquisition, construction and improvement of the System; the purchase in the open market or prior redemption of any bonds payable from Net Revenues at the best reasonable price obtainable; and any other lawful purpose.

- B. <u>Hold Harmless GRT</u>. After making the above payments, the remaining Hold Harmless GRT may be applied for any purpose permitted by Ordinance No. 2017-60.
- Section 27. General Administration of Funds. The funds and accounts hereof shall be administered as follows:
- A. <u>Places and Times of Deposits</u>. The above accounts and funds shall be separately maintained and deposited in one or more bank accounts in an Insured Bank or Insured Banks. Each account shall be continuously secured to the extent required by law and shall be irrevocable and not withdrawable by anyone for any other purpose. Deposits shall be made into (or allocated to) the proper account on or before the first day of each month, except when the first day shall be a Sunday or legal holiday, then payment shall be made on the preceding secular day. At least 5 days prior to any Payment Date, moneys sufficient to pay interest and principal then due shall be available to the Paying Agent (or, if the Paying Agent is other than the Finance Director, shall be deposited with the Paying Agent). Nothing in this Ordinance shall prevent the Council from establishing one bank account for any of the funds required by this Ordinance.
- B. <u>Investment of Money</u>. Any moneys in any fund or account designated in this Ordinance may be invested or reinvested by the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) in such obligations as may be permitted by the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico, and applicable federal statutes and regulations. The obligations so purchased as an investment of moneys in said fund shall be deemed at all times to be part of said fund, and the interest accruing thereon and any profit realized therefrom shall be credited to the fund and any loss resulting from such investment shall be charged to the fund. The Treasurer (Finance Director) of the Village shall present for redemption or sale on the prevailing market any obligations so purchased as an investment of moneys in the fund whenever it shall be necessary to do so in order to provide moneys to meet any payment or transfer from such fund.

Section 28. <u>Lien on Net Revenues; Lien on Hold Harmless GRT.</u>

- A. <u>Lien on Net Revenues</u>. The System Revenue Bond, subject to the payment of all necessary and reasonable operation and maintenance expenses and together with outstanding Parity System Lien Bonds, constitute an irrevocable lien upon the Net Revenues. The System Revenue Bond and any other Parity System Lien Bonds now Outstanding or authorized to be issued and from time to time Outstanding are equitably and ratably secured by a lien on the Net Revenues and shall not be entitled to any priority one over the other in the application of the Net Revenues regardless of the time or times of the issuance thereof, it being the intention of the Village that there shall be no priority among the System Revenue Bond and any other Parity System Lien Bonds, regardless of the fact that they may be actually issued and delivered at different times.
- B. <u>Lien on Hold Harmless GRT</u>. The GRT Revenue Bond constitutes an irrevocable lien upon the Hold Harmless GRT. The GRT Revenue Bond and any other Parity

GRT Lien Bonds now Outstanding or authorized to be issued and from time to time Outstanding are equitably and ratably secured by a lien on the receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT and shall not be entitled to any priority one over the other in the application of the receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT regardless of the time or times of the issuance thereof, it being the intention of the Village that there shall be no priority among the GRT Revenue Bond and any other Parity GRT Lien Bonds, regardless of the fact that they may be actually issued and delivered at different times.

Section 29. Additional Bonds Payable from Net Revenues.

- A. <u>Earnings Tests</u>. This Ordinance shall not prevent the issuance of additional Parity System Lien Bonds. Before any such additional Parity System Lien Bonds are actually issued it must be determined that:
- 1. The Village is not, and has not been in default as to any payments required to be made in Section 21 hereof during the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the issuance of such additional bonds; and
- 2. The annual Net Revenues derived from the operation of said System for the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the date of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of any such Parity System Lien Bonds shall have been sufficient to pay an amount representing 100% of the average annual principal and interest requirements on all bonds then outstanding constituting a lien upon Net Revenues and the bonds proposed to be issued As used in this section "average annual principal and interest (excluding reserves). requirements" shall be the total principal and interest coming due on the System Revenue Bond and the then outstanding and proposed Parity System Lien Bonds during the period extending from the date of the proposed Parity System Lien Bonds to the final principal payment date of the System Revenue Bond and then outstanding Parity System Lien Bonds or the proposed Parity System Lien Bonds, whichever is longer, divided by the number of years (including any fraction thereof) computed from the date of the proposed Parity System Lien Bonds to the last principal payment date of the System Revenue Bond or then outstanding Parity System Lien Bonds, or the proposed Parity System Lien Bonds, whichever is longer.

The foregoing limitations upon the issuance of Parity System Lien Bonds shall not apply in the case of the issuance of additional Parity System Lien Bonds necessary to complete the Project in accordance with the original plans and specifications thereof or as prepared and filed by the Consulting Engineer and upon certificates by such Engineers that such Parity System Lien Bonds are required for such original project. Such certificates shall conclusively determine the right of the Village to issue such Parity System Lien Bonds.

B. <u>Certification of Revenues</u>. A written opinion or certificate by an Independent Accountant or the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) that annual Net Revenues are sufficient shall conclusively determine the right of the Village to issue additional Parity System Lien Bonds. The Independent Accountant or the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) may utilize the results of any annual audit to the extent it covers the applicable period.

- C. <u>Consideration of Additional Expenses</u>. In determining whether additional Parity System Lien Bonds may be issued, the Independent Accountant or Village Finance Director shall consider any probable increase (but not reduction) in operation and maintenance expenses. A written certificate by a Consulting Engineer as to the amount of such probable increase may be conclusively relied upon in determining the right of the Village to issue additional Parity System Lien Bonds.
- D. <u>Subordinate Obligations Permitted</u>. The Village may issue bonds or other obligations having a lien on Net Revenues which are subordinate to the lien of the System Revenue Bond.
- E. <u>Superior Obligations Prohibited</u>. The Village shall not issue any bond or other obligation having a lien on the Net Revenues which are prior and superior to the System Revenue Bond.

Section 30. Additional Bonds Payable from Hold Harmless GRT.

- A. <u>Earnings Tests</u>. This Ordinance shall not prevent the issuance of additional Parity GRT Lien Bonds. Before any such Parity GRT Lien Bonds are actually issued it must be determined that:
- 1. The Village is not, and has not been in default as to any payments required to be made in Section 21 hereof during the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the issuance of such additional bonds; and
- Year immediately preceding the date of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of any such Parity System Lien Bonds shall have been sufficient to pay an amount representing 100% of the average annual principal and interest requirements on all bonds then outstanding constituting a lien upon the receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT and the Parity GRT Lien Bonds proposed to be issued (excluding reserves). As used in this section "average annual principal and interest requirements" shall be the total principal and interest coming due on the GRT Revenue Bond and the then outstanding and proposed Parity GRT Lien Bonds during the period extending from the date of the proposed Parity GRT Lien Bonds to the final principal payment date of the GRT Revenue Bond and then outstanding Parity GRT Lien Bonds or the proposed Parity GRT Lien Bonds, whichever is longer, divided by the number of years (including any fraction thereof) computed from the date of the proposed Parity GRT Lien Bonds to the last principal payment date of the GRT Revenue Bond or then outstanding Parity GRT Lien Bonds, or the proposed Parity GRT Lien Bonds, whichever is longer.

The foregoing limitations upon the issuance of Parity GRT Lien Bonds shall not apply in the case of the issuance of Parity GRT Lien Bonds necessary to complete the Project in accordance with the original plans and specifications thereof or as prepared and filed by the Consulting Engineer and upon certificates by such Engineers that such Parity GRT Lien Bonds are required for such original project. Such certificates shall conclusively determine the right of the Village to issue such Parity GRT Lien Bonds.

- B. <u>Certification of Revenues</u>. A written opinion or certificate by an Independent Accountant or the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) that annual receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT are sufficient shall conclusively determine the right of the Village to issue Parity GRT Lien Bonds. The Independent Accountant or the Village Treasurer (Finance Director) may utilize the results of any annual audit to the extent it covers the applicable period.
- C. <u>Consideration of Additional Expenses</u>. In determining whether Parity GRT Lien Bonds may be issued, the Independent Accountant or Village Finance Director shall consider any probable increase (but not reduction) in receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT. A written certificate by a Consulting Engineer as to the amount of such probable increase may be conclusively relied upon in determining the right of the Village to issue Parity GRT Lien Bonds.
- D. <u>Subordinate Obligations Permitted</u>. The Village may issue bonds or other obligations having a lien on receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT which are subordinate to the lien of the GRT Revenue Bond.
- E. <u>Superior Obligations Prohibited</u>. The Village shall not issue any bond or other obligation having a lien on the Hold Harmless GRT which are prior and superior to the GRT Revenue Bond.
- Section 31. Refunding Bonds. The Bonds may otherwise be refunded in accordance with this Section.
- A. <u>Privilege Of Issuing Refunding Obligations</u>. If at any time the Council shall find it desirable to refund any outstanding Bonds for the purpose of effecting interest rate savings or for any other valid business purpose, said Bonds may be refunded with like security (i.e., refunding bonds may be issued as Parity System Lien Bonds for the purpose of refunding the System Revenue Bond and refunding bonds may be issued as Parity GRT Lien Bonds for the purpose of refunding the GRT Revenue Bond) without compliance with the provisions of Sections 29 or 30 of this Ordinance, as applicable.
- B. <u>Limitations Upon Issuance of Parity Refunding Obligations</u>. No refunding bonds or obligations shall be issued on a parity with the Bonds, <u>unless</u>:
- 1. The lien of the obligations refunded is on a parity with the lien of the Bonds being refunded, or
- 2. The refunding bonds or obligations are issued in compliance with paragraph A of Section 29, or Section 30, as applicable, hereof.
- C. <u>Refunding Part of an Issue</u>. The refunding bonds or obligations shall enjoy complete equality of lien with any portion of the same issue which is not refunded. The holders of such refunding bonds or obligations shall be subrogated to all of the rights and privileges enjoyed by the holders of the bonds or obligations of the same issue refunded thereby.
- D. <u>Limitations Upon Issuance of any Refunding Obligations</u>. Any refunding bonds or obligations shall be issued with such details as the Council may provide, but without impairing any contractual obligation imposed by any proceedings authorizing any unrefunded

portion of any issue (including the Bonds). If only a part of any issue or issues is refunded, then there may be no refunding without the consent of the holders of the unrefunded portion, unless:

- 1. The refunding bonds or obligations do not increase the aggregate principal and interest requirements for any fiscal year commencing prior to the last maturity date of such unrefunded obligations, or
- 2. The lien of the refunding obligations is subordinate to the lien or any obligations not refunded, or
- 3. The refunding bonds or obligations are issued in compliance with paragraph A of Section 29, or Section 30, as applicable, hereof.
- Section 32. <u>Protective Covenants.</u> That the Village hereby covenants and agrees with each and every registered owner of the Bonds that:
- A. <u>Use of Bond Proceeds</u>. The proceeds of the Bonds shall be applied only to the payment and satisfaction of the Interim Bonds (or the acquisition of the Interim Bonds by USDA, as applicable) and to the payment or reimbursement of costs of the Project.
- B. <u>Payment of Bonds Herein Authorized</u>. The Village will pay bond principal and interest at the place, on the dates, and in the manner specified according to the true intent and meaning thereof.
- C. Use Charges. Rates for all services rendered by the System shall be reasonable and just, taking into account and consideration the cost and value of the System and the proper and necessary allowances for the depreciation thereof and the amounts necessary for the retirement of the System Revenue Bond and all other Parity System Lien Bonds, accruing interest thereon, and reserves therefor and there shall be charged against all purchasers of service, including the Village, such rates and amounts as shall be adequate to meet the requirement of this and the preceding Sections hereof, and which shall be sufficient to produce revenues annually to pay the annual operation and maintenance expenses of the System and one hundred per cent (100%) of both the principal of (including mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts) and interest on the System Revenue Bond and other Parity System Lien Bonds (excluding the reserves therefor), all of which revenues, including those received from the Village, shall be subject to distribution to the payment of the cost of operating and maintaining the System and the payment of principal of (including mandatory sinking fund redemption amounts) and interest on all obligations payable from the revenues of the System, including reasonable reserves therefor. No free service, facilities nor commodities shall be furnished by the System. Should the Village elect to use for municipal purposes water supplied by, or the sanitary sewer facilities of, the System, or any combination thereof, or in any other manner use the System, or any part thereof, any use of the System by or of the services rendered thereby to the Village, or any department, board or agency thereof, any use of the System by or of the services rendered thereby to the Village, or any department, board or agency thereof, will be paid for from the Village's general fund or other available revenues at the reasonable value of the use so made, or service, facility or commodity so rendered; and all the revenue so derived from the Village shall be deemed to be income derived from the operation of the System, to be used and

accounted for in the same manner as any other income derived from the operation of the System. The Village is granted by statute a lien upon each lot or parcel of land in the Village for the charges imposed hereunder for water and sewerage facilities and services supplied by the System to the owner thereof (except as otherwise provided in Section 3-23-6, NMSA 1978), and the Village expressly covenants and agrees that it will cause each such lien to be perfected in accordance with the provisions of Sections 3-23-6 and 3-36-1 through 3-36-7, NMSA 1978, as from time to time amended, and the Village covenants and agrees that it will take all steps necessary to enforce such lien as to each piece of property the owner of which shall be delinquent for more than six months in the payment of charges imposed hereunder.

- D. <u>Levy of Charges</u>. The Village will forthwith and in any event prior to the delivery of the System Revenue Bond fix, establish and levy the rates and charges which are required by paragraph C of this Section, if such action be necessary therefor. No reduction in any initial or existing rate schedule for the System may be made unless:
- 1. The Village has fully complied with the provisions of Section 21 of this Ordinance for at least the full Fiscal Year immediately preceding such reduction of the initial rate schedule; and
- 2. The audits for the full two Fiscal Years immediately preceding such reduction disclose that the estimated revenues resulting from the proposed rate schedule will be sufficient to meet the requirements of paragraph C of this Section.
- 3. The appropriate district or state official of USDA, to the extent required by USDA, approves in writing the proposed reduction provided that they shall first have been furnished with a written request signed by the Mayor of the Village requesting and justifying such reduction.

In addition, the Village shall take such actions within its power and control to collect and apply the Hold Harmless GRT as provided in this Ordinance.

- E. <u>Efficient Operation</u>. The Village will operate said System so long as any of the System Revenue Bond herein authorized is outstanding, maintain said System in efficient operating condition and make such improvements, extensions, enlargements, repairs and betterments thereto as may be necessary or advisable to insure its economical and efficient operation at all times and to the extent sufficient to supply public or private demands for service within the Village and the territory adjacent thereto.
- F. <u>Records</u>. So long as any of the System Revenue Bond remains outstanding, proper books of record and account will be kept by the Village, separate and apart from all other records and accounts, showing complete and correct entries of all transactions relating to the System. Such books shall include (but not necessarily be limited to) monthly records showing:
 - 1. The number of customers;
- 2. The revenues received from charges to customers by water facilities and sewer facilities;

- 3. A detailed statement of the expenses of the System; and
- 4. Such other items specified in any form furnished by USDA.

In addition, so long as any of the GRT Revenue Bond or any Parity GRT Lien Bonds remain outstanding, proper books of record and account will be kept by the Village, separate and apart from all other records and accounts, showing complete and correct entries of all transactions relating to the Hold Harmless GRT.

- G. <u>Right to Inspect</u>. Any registered owner of any of the Bonds or any duly authorized agent or agents of such registered owner, shall have the right at all reasonable times to inspect the System and all properties comprising the System or the Hold Harmless GRT.
- H. Audits and Budgets. The Village further agrees that except where the State Auditor of the State of New Mexico performs the audit or where the due date for the audit has been postponed as may otherwise be required by the State Auditor or any other state agency with appropriate authority, it will, within 180 days following the close of each Fiscal Year, cause an audit of such books and accounts to be made by an Independent Accountant and shall furnish two copies of such audit to the USDA and, if required by USDA, a copy of the audit, its accompanying letters and the Data Collection Form to the Federal Clearinghouse designated by the Office of Management and Budget. Each such audit, in addition to matters thought proper by the accountant, shall include:
- 1. A statement for the Fiscal Year just closed, of the income and expenditures of the System, including gross revenues, net revenues, the amount of any capital expenditures and profit or loss;
- 2. A balance sheet as of the end of such Fiscal Year, including all funds created by proceedings authorizing bonds payable from revenues;
- 3. The accountant's comment regarding the Village's methods of operation and accounting practices;
- 4. A list of the insurance policies in force, setting out the amount of each policy, the risks covered, the name of the insurer, and the expiration date;
- 5. A recapitulation of each fund or account created by the various proceedings showing deposits and withdrawals for said Fiscal Year.
- 6. A statement for the Fiscal Year just closed, of the collections and disbursements from the Hold Harmless GRT.

After the beginning of each new Fiscal Year, the Village shall furnish USDA with an operating budget showing the planned budget for the ensuing year and a copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Council at which such budget was approved. Along with the operating budget, the Village shall provide a letter showing the name, address and term of office for each member of the Council, the number of residential users and the number of commercial users of the System as of the end of the Fiscal Year. The Village will furnish the designated USDA

representative with quarterly statements of income and expense on forms furnished by USDA. The Village will furnish a copy of each audit, budget, quarterly statement and written instrument to any Holder at his request, and without request to USDA. Any Holder shall have the right to discuss the contents with any person making the audit.

- I. <u>Billing Procedure and Discontinuance of Service</u>. All bills for water, water service or facilities, sewer service or facilities, or any combination thereof, furnished or served by or through the System shall be rendered to customers on a regularly established day of each and every month either monthly in advance or in the month next succeeding the month in which the service was rendered and shall be due within 30 days from the date rendered; and in the event said bills are not paid within 75 days after the date when rendered, water and water service shall be discontinued, except as otherwise provided by law, and the rates and charges due shall be collected in a lawful manner, including but not limited to the cost of disconnection and reconnection. Water charges and sewer charges shall be billed jointly with each other.
- J. <u>Use of Funds</u>. The Income Fund, the Hold Harmless GRT Fund, and the Reserve Fund, respectively, shall be used solely and only for the purposes set forth above.
- K. <u>Charges and Liens upon System</u>. From the revenues of the System, the Village will pay all taxes and assessments or other municipal or governmental charges, if any, lawfully levied, assessed upon or in respect to said System, or any part thereof, when the same shall become due, and it will duly observe and comply with all valid requirements of any municipal or governmental authority relative to any part of said System. The Village will not create or suffer to be created any lien or charge upon said System or upon the revenues therefrom except as permitted by this Ordinance, or it will make adequate provisions to satisfy and discharge within sixty days after the same shall accrue, all lawful claims and demands for labor, materials, supplies or other objects, which, if unpaid, might by law become a lien upon said System or upon the revenues therefrom; provided, however, that nothing herein shall require the Village to pay or cause to be discharged, or make provision for any such tax, assessment, lien or charge before the time when payment thereof shall be due or so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith by appropriate legal proceedings.
- L. <u>Insurance</u>. Fire and extended coverage insurance will be obtained and maintained on the System facilities above ground, including Village-owned contents, the amounts will be determined with the assistance of the Project Engineer and must be at least equal to the depreciated replacement value. The proceeds of such insurance shall be used to restore the property lost or damaged and any remainder will be distributed as Net Revenues. The Village will carry workmen's compensation insurance on all full-time employees and will maintain public liability insurance (including liability and property damage insurance on Village-owned or operated vehicles) if authorized by state law as interpreted by the attorney for the Village.
- M. <u>Competing System</u>. As long as any of the Bonds are outstanding and to the extent permitted by law, the Village shall not grant any franchise or license to a competing system, nor shall it permit during said period, (except as it may legally be required to do so) any person, association, firm or corporation to sell water, water service or facilities, sanitary sewer service or facilities, to any consumer, public or private, within the Village.

- N. <u>Alienating System</u>. The Village will not sell, lease, mortgage, pledge, or otherwise encumber, or in any manner dispose of, or otherwise alienate, the System, or any part thereof, including any and all extensions and additions that may be made thereto, until all the Bonds shall have been paid in full, both principal and interest, or if the United States of America no longer owns the Bond, unless there has been defeasance as provided herein, except that the Village may sell any portion of said property which shall have been replaced by other property of at least equal value, or which shall cease to be necessary for the efficient operation of the System, but in no manner nor to such extent as might prejudice the security for the payment of the Bonds, provided, however, that in the event of any sale as aforesaid, the proceeds of such sale shall be distributed as Net Revenues in accordance with the provisions of Section 21 hereof.
- O. Extending Interest Payments. In order to prevent any accumulation of claims for interest after maturity the Village will not directly or indirectly, extend or assent to the extension of the time for payment of any claim for interest on any of the Bonds, and it will not directly or indirectly be a party to or approve any arrangement for any such extension or for the purpose of keeping alive any of said interest and in case the time for payment of any such interest shall be extended, such installment or installments of interest after such extension or arrangement shall not be entitled in case of default hereunder to the benefit or security of this Ordinance except subject to the prior payment in full of the principal of all Bonds then outstanding, and of matured interest on such Bonds the payment of which has not been extended.
- P. <u>Management of the System</u>. If an "event of default" shall occur or if the Net Revenues in any Fiscal Year fail to equal principal, interest and reserves for all bonds payable from Net Revenues, the Village shall retain a Consulting Engineer to assist the management of the System so long as such default continues or the Net Revenues are less than the amount designated.
- Q. <u>Surety Bonds</u>. To the extent required by USDA or applicable law, the Village, or an appropriate officer or officers thereof, being responsible for receiving income and maintaining the accounts of the System, shall be bonded in an amount required by applicable law and, to the extent applicable, required by USDA (in such case such fidelity bond may be provided on Form RD 440-24 or other equivalent USDA forms and may designate USDA as a co-obligee).

R. Village's Existence.

- 1. The Village will maintain its "corporate" identity and existence so long as any of the Bonds remain outstanding (and the United States of America is a registered Holder of any of such bonds) unless another political subdivision by operation of law succeeds to the liabilities and rights of the Village, without adversely affecting to any substantial degree the privileges and rights of any Holder.
- 2. The Village agrees to give written notice to the USDA district or state office, if the United States of America is a registered Holder of any of the Bonds, at least 30 days prior to any contemplated merger, consolidation or dissolution of the Village.

Section 33. **Defeasance.** When all principal, any applicable prior redemption premium and interest in connection with the Bonds hereby authorized have been duly paid, the pledge and lien and all obligations hereunder shall thereby be discharged and the Bonds shall no longer be deemed to be outstanding within the meaning of this Ordinance. So long as the United States of America is not the owner of the Bonds, there shall be deemed to have been made such due payment as to any Bond when the Council has placed in escrow and in trust with a commercial bank located within or without the State of New Mexico and exercising trust powers, an amount sufficient (including the known minimum yield from Federal Securities in which such amount may initially be invested) to meet all requirements of principal, interest and any applicable prior redemption premium as the same become due to its maturity (including mandatory sinking fund redemption) or designated redemption date as of which the Village shall have exercised or obligated itself to exercise its option to call such Bond. The Federal Securities shall become due prior to the respective times on which the proceeds thereof shall be needed, in accordance with a schedule established and agreed upon between the Council and such bank at the time of the creation of the escrow or the Federal Securities shall be subject to the redemption at the option of the holders thereof to assure such availability as so needed to meet such schedule. "Federal Securities" within the meaning of this Section shall include only direct obligations of the United States of America and which are not callable prior to maturity by the issuer of such obligations.

Section 34. Events of Default. It is an "event of default" if:

- A. <u>Nonpayment of Principal</u>. Payment of principal of any Bond is not made when due, at maturity, or upon prior redemption.
- B. <u>Nonpayment of Interest</u>. Payment of interest on any Bond is not made when due.
- C. <u>Default of Any Provision</u>. The Village defaults in the punctual performance of its covenants hereunder for 60 days after written notice shall have been given by the Holders of 25% in principal amount of the outstanding Bonds.

Section 35. Remedies of Default. Upon the happening of any event of default, the Holder or Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding Bonds, or a trustee therefor, may protect and enforce the rights of any bondholder by proper legal or equitable remedy deemed most effectual including mandamus, specific performance of any covenant, the appointment of a receiver (the consent to such appointment being hereby granted), injunctive relief, or requiring the Council to act as if it were the trustee of an expressed trust, or any combination of such remedies. All proceedings shall be maintained for the equal benefit of all Holders to the extent of their respective rights under this Ordinance. Any receiver appointed to protect the rights of bondholders may, to the fullest extent permitted by law, take possession and operate and maintain the System, and may apply revenues or receipts from the Hold Harmless GRT, in the same manner as the Village itself might do. The failure of any Holder to proceed does not relieve the Village or any person of any liability for failure to perform any duty hereunder. The foregoing rights are in addition to any other right and the exercise of any right by any bondholder shall not be deemed a waiver of any other right.

- Section 36. <u>Duties upon Default.</u> Upon the happening of any event of default, the Village will perform all proper acts to protect and preserve the security created for the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds. The Holder or Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the outstanding Bonds, after written demand, may proceed to protect and enforce the rights provided by this section.
- **Section 37.** Prior Charge Upon Lower Rates. If any Council or authority lawfully prescribes a lower schedule of rates than that contemplated by this Ordinance, then the payment of principal and interest on the System Revenue Bond, and Parity System Lien Bonds, shall constitute a prior charge on revenues.
- Section 38. Equal Opportunity Agreement; Other Required Agreements. At the request of the United States of America, the Mayor and the Village Clerk are authorized and directed to execute for and on behalf of the Village Form RD 400-4, entitled "Non-Discrimination Agreement," and Form RD 400-1 entitled "Equal Opportunity Agreement," including an "Equal Opportunity Clause," which clause is to be incorporated in each construction contract and sub-contract in excess of \$10,000, or other equivalent USDA forms.
- **Section 39.** Amendment of Ordinance. This Ordinance may be amended, without receipt by the Village of any additional consideration, but with the written consent of the Holders of three-fourths (3/4) of the Bonds then outstanding (not including bonds which may be held for the account of the Village); but no ordinance adopted without the written consent of the Holders of all outstanding bonds shall have the effect of permitting:
 - A. An extension of the maturity of any Bond; or
 - B. A reduction in the principal amount or interest rate of any Bond; or
- C. The creation of a lien upon revenues or Hold Harmless GRT, as applicable, ranking prior to the lien or pledge created by this Ordinance; or
- D. A reduction of the principal amount of Bonds required for consent to such amendatory ordinance; or
- E. The establishment of priorities as between Bonds issued and outstanding under the provisions of this Ordinance; or
- F. The modification of or otherwise affecting the rights of the Holders of less than all of the outstanding Bonds.
- Section 40. <u>Delegated Powers.</u> The officers of the Village be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to take all action necessary or appropriate to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance, including, without limitation, the execution of such certificates or forms as may be reasonably required by the Purchaser, relating to the signing of the Bonds, the tenure and identity of the officials of the Council and of the Village, the delivery of the Bonds and the receipt of the bond purchase price, and, if it is in accordance with fact, the absence of litigation, pending or threatened, affecting the validity thereof, and (as applicable) the absence and existence of factors affecting the exemption of interest on the Bonds from federal income

taxation, the assembly and dissemination of financial and other information concerning the Village and the bonds, and the sale and issuance of the bonds pursuant to the provisions of this Ordinance and to any instrument supplemental thereto. Pursuant to the Supplemental Act, the Mayor and Village Administrator are each hereby delegated authority to determine any or all of the final terms of the Bonds, including the final principal amount(s) interest rate(s), term(s), maturity(ies), payment date(s), payment amount(s), and prepayment and redemption provisions and other terms described in the definition of "Sale Certificate"), subject to the parameters and conditions contained in this Ordinance. The Mayor and Village Administrator shall present the Sale Certificate(s) to the Council in a timely manner, before or after delivery of the Bonds, at a regularly scheduled public meeting of the Council. The Mayor and Village Administrator may also take such actions and provide such notices as may be required under the terms of the Prior Ordinance or otherwise to effect the redemption and repayment of the Interim Bonds (or the assignment of the holder thereof to USDA).

- **Section 41.** Prior Contracts. If any provision herein is inconsistent with any provision in any existing contract pertaining to the Village so as to affect prejudicially and materially the rights and privileges thereunder, so long as such contract shall remain viable and in effect such provision therein shall control such inconsistent provision herein and the latter provision shall be subject and subordinate to such provision in such existing contract.
- Section 42. <u>Police Power.</u> Nothing herein prohibits or otherwise limits or inhibits the exercise by the State of New Mexico, any agency thereof or any political subdivision thereof, including, without limitation, the Village, of the police power, i.e., essential governmental powers for the public welfare. The provisions hereof are subject to any proper exercise in the future of the police power thereby. The Village cannot contract away the police power thereof nor limit or inhibit by contract the proper exercise of the police power thereby, and this Ordinance does not purport to do so.
- **Section 43.** Ordinance Irrepealable. After any of the Bonds herein authorize are issued, this Ordinance shall be and remain irrepealable until the Bonds and interest thereon shall be fully paid, cancelled and discharged as herein provided.
- **Section 44.** <u>Severability.</u> If any section, paragraph, clause, or provision of this Ordinance shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.
- **Section 45.** Repealer Clause. All bylaws, orders, and ordinances, or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith (excluding Form RD 1942-47 "Loan Resolution", the provisions of which, in the event of a conflict with this Ordinance, shall control), are hereby repealed to the extent only of such inconsistency. This repealer shall not be construed to revive any bylaw, order, or ordinance, or part thereof, heretofore repealed.
- **Section 46.** Effective Date. This Ordinance, immediately upon its final passage by 3/4ths of the members of the Council and approval, shall be recorded in the book of ordinances of the Village kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signature of the Mayor, as presiding officer of the Village, and by the signature of the Village Clerk; this Ordinance: (a)

shall be published by posting in six public places as required by law, and (b) may be published by publication one time by title and general summary of the subject matter contained in this Ordinance (set out in Section 47 below) in a newspaper of general circulation in the Village, in accordance with the law, and said ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after such publication.

Section 47. <u>General Summary for Publication</u>. Pursuant to Section 3-17-5, NMSA 1978, as amended, the title and a general summary of the subject matter contained in this Ordinance shall be published in substantially the following form:

(Form of Summary of Ordinance for Publication)

VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 2020-64

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of the title and of a general summary of the subject matter contained in Ordinance No. 2020-64, duly adopted and approved by the Village Council of the Village of Taos Ski Valley on May 5, 2020. A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for public inspection during the normal and regular business hours of the Village Clerk in the office of the Village Clerk, 7 Firehouse Road, PO Box 100, Taos Ski Valley, New Mexico 87525.

The title of the Ordinance is:

CONCERNING THE MUNICIPAL JOINT WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM OF THE VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO; PROVIDING FOR THE **PERMANENT FINANCING** OF THE EXTENSION, ENLARGEMENT, BETTERMENT, REPAIR AND OTHER IMPROVEMENT OF SUCH SYSTEM, AS PREVIOUSLY FINANCED BY INTERIM REVENUE BONDS (INTERIM BONDS) ISSUED TO A CONSTRUCTION LENDER, THROUGH THE ISSUANCE TO (OR ASSIGNMENT TO, AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA) OF REVENUE BONDS IN THE AGGREGATE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$8,500,000 CONSISTING OF THE VILLAGE'S JOINT WATER AND SEWER REVENUE BOND, IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$3,500,000, AND ITS GROSS RECEIPTS TAX REVENUE BOND IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT \$5,000,000; DECLARING THE NECESSITY FOR **ISSUING** PERMITTING THE ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENT AND RESTATEMENT OF) SUCH BONDS WHICH SHALL BE PAYABLE SOLELY OUT OF THE NET REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM (AS TO THE SYSTEM REVENUE BOND) AND CERTAIN GROSS RECEIPTS TAX RECEIPTS PLEDGED FOR SUCH PURPOSE (AS TO THE GRT REVENUE BOND), RESPECTIVELY, AS PROVIDED HEREIN; APPROVING THE DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO MAKE CERTAIN DETERMINATIONS REGARDING THE SALE OF THE BONDS PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL PUBLIC SECURITIES ACT; PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF THE REVENUES TO BE DERIVED FROM THE OPERATION OF SUCH SYSTEM AND THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSITION OF SUCH GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, RESPECTIVELY; PROVIDING THE FORM, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH REVENUE BONDS, THE METHOD OF PAYING SUCH AND THE SECURITY THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE USE OF A SINGLE REGISTERED BOND FOR EACH SUCH SERIES; PRESCRIBING OTHER DETAILS CONCERNING SUCH SYSTEM REVENUES, GROSS RECEIPTS TAX, BONDS AND SYSTEM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AUTHORIZING THE REDEMPTION AND REPAYMENT (OR ACQUISITION BY WAY OF ASSIGNMENT) OF THE INTERIM BONDS; RATIFYING ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

The following is a general summary of the subject matter contained in such Ordinance.

Preambles recite such matters as incorporation of the Village and the operation of a joint water and sanitary sewer system (the "System") by the Village; recite that the Net Revenues have previously been pledged to the payment of the Village's promissory notes to the New Mexico Environment Department (the "Outstanding Parity System Lien Bonds") which presently remain outstanding; finding that the Village has heretofore imposed by ordinance a 3/8% (0.375%) hold harmless gross receipts tax; determine that the System was insufficient and inadequate to meet the needs of the Village and has been improved by the Project defined therein and further described herein, which project was financed by certain interim construction bonds; provide that the Bonds will be issued pursuant to Sections 3-31-1 through 3-31-12 NMSA 1978 and that such Net Revenues (as well as the proceeds of the Village's hold harmless gross receipts tax described therein) are to be pledged as security for the Bonds; recite the existence of a letter of conditions between the Village and the United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA"), in which USDA has agreed to provide permanent financing by refinancing the Bonds upon Project completion; reciting that such improvements have been completed (or are expected to be completed prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized), and the remaining conditions set out in the Letter of Conditions have been satisfied (or are expected to be satisfied prior to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized).

Sections 1 through 5 define terms used in the ordinance; ratify previous action by officers of the Village; provide that the System shall constitute a public system; acknowledges that the Village has authorized the extending, enlarging, bettering, repairing and otherwise improving the System (herein "Project"); provide that the Project has been financed through the issuance of interim bank bonds and has been completed; and provides for the issuance of the Bonds (or the assignment, amendment and restatement of the interim bank bonds), in the aggregate principal amount of up to \$8,500,000, payable from Net Revenues or hold harmless gross receipts tax, as applicable.

Sections 6 and 7 provide details of the Bonds including but not limited to the Village's system revenue bond as a single bond in the maximum principal amount of up to \$3,500,000 and hold harmless gross receipts tax revenue bond in the maximum principal amount of \$5,000,000 (provided that the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds shall not exceed \$8,500,000); delegate the Mayor and Village Administrator the authority to execute a Sale Certificate to establish the final terms of the Bonds within the parameters established in the Bond Ordinance; provide that such bonds shall be registered as to both principal and interest; provide for a rate of interest (with interest and principal payable in equal monthly installments to maturity); provide the place and manner of payment of principal and interest of the Bonds

including provisions for payment of principal and interest on the Record Date and Special Record Date; and provide for continuation of interest upon nonpayment.

Sections 8 through 17 provide terms and conditions of prior redemption; provide that the Bonds are negotiable instruments under the Uniform Commercial Code and are special obligations payable solely from the Net Revenues or hold harmless gross receipts tax, respectively; provide for the manner of execution and authentication of the Bonds; provide provisions relating to registration, transfer, exchange, replacement and cancellation of, and Registration records for the Bonds (i.e., registration books), transfer and exchange, authentication, times when transfer or exchange not required, payment to registered owners, replacement bonds, delivery of bond certificates to registrar and cancellation of bonds; successor registrar or paying agent; further provide for the forms of the Bonds, certificate of authentication, assignment and legal opinion certificate; and determine the period of usefulness of the Project being acquired and/or refinanced with Bond proceeds.

Sections 18 through 28 provide for the execution and delivery of the Bonds and initial registration; provide for the disposition of proceeds of the Bonds into several funds and accounts in connection therewith, and the administration thereof; provide for the application of bond proceeds to satisfy (or acquire) the interim bonds and to pay or reimburse costs of the Project; provide for the continued administration of the Village's Income Fund, Operation and Maintenance Fund, Hold Harmless GRT Fund, Bond Fund and a Reserve Fund and a Short-Lived Asset Reserve Fund for the Bonds; provide for the administration of all funds and special accounts created by the ordinance; the places and times of the deposits into the funds and accounts; provide for termination of deposits, and defraying delinquencies in the Bond Fund and Reserve Fund, payment for additional obligations, and use of surplus Net Revenues and hold harmless gross receipts tax; and that the Bonds constitute an irrevocable lien (but not necessarily an exclusive lien) on the Net Revenues and hold harmless gross receipts tax, respectively.

Sections 29 through 31 set out the terms and conditions under which Parity System Lien Bonds secured by a lien on Net Revenues, and under which Parity GRT Lien Bonds secured by a lien on the hold harmless gross receipts tax may be issued; prohibit the issuance of obligations having a superior lien, permit the issuance of obligations having a subordinate lien; set forth the terms and obligations relative to refunding obligations; and provide for equality among the System Revenue Bond and Parity System Lien Bonds in the application of the Net Revenues.

Section 32 provides protective covenants whereby the Village covenants with each registered owner for the protection of such registered owners covering such matters as use of bond proceeds, use charges for services rendered by the System, efficient operation and records of the System, application of receipts from the hold harmless gross receipts tax; prompt payment of Bond principal and interest, records, audits, extending interest payments, performing duties, other liens on Net Revenues, duty with respect to amount of Net Revenues, continuity of the Village's existence, no impairment of contract, and a tax covenant.

Sections 33 through 47 set forth defeasance provisions; delegate certain powers to Village officers; describe events of default; provide for refinancing of the Bonds; provide for equal opportunity with regard to construction contracts; provide for remedies and duties upon

default; provide for a method of enforcing the ordinance; provide for the calling and redemption (or assignment, amendment and restatement of) of the interim bonds; provide separability and repealer clauses; provide for the amendment of the ordinance; provide an irrepealability clause and provide an effective date and a summary for publication.

COMPLETE COPIES OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE CLERK AT 7 FIREHOUSE ROAD, P.O. BOX 100, TAOS SKI VALLEY, NEW MEXICO 87525, AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION AND/OR PURCHASE DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS. THIS NOTICE ALSO CONSTITUTES COMPLIANCE WITH SECTIONS 6-14-4 THROUGH 6-14-7, 1978.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Village of Taos Ski Valley, New Mexico, this __ day of May, 2020.

Village Clerk
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(End of Form of Ordinance for Publication)

2020.	PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED	AND APPROVED	THIS 5 TH DAY OF MAY
(SEAL)			Mayor
Attest:			
Village Clerk			

EXHIBIT "A"

Form of System Revenue Bond

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF TAOS

VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY JOINT SEWER AND WATER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND

DATED AS OF: June [], 202	DATED	O AS OF	: June	[], 202	20
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REGISTERED OWNER: United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

WHEREAS, the Village of Taos Ski Valley (herein "Village"), in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico, previously issued its Joint Sewer and Water System Draw Down Revenue Bond (Interim Bank Bond), Series 2017A, in the principal amount of \$2,800,000, now drawn and outstanding in the principal amount of \$2,800,000 (the "Interim System Revenue Bond") pursuant to Ordinance No. 2018-64 (the "Prior Ordinance"); and

WHEREAS, the holder of the Interim System Revenue Bond, for valuable consideration, has assigned the Interim System Revenue Bond (and a related Interim GRT Revenue Bond) to the United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA"); USDA has advanced additional sums to or for the benefit of the Village, and the Village and USDA desire to amend and restate the Interim System Revenue Bonds in its entirety as provided herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Village, for value received, hereby amends and restates the Interim System Revenue Bond in its entirety as follows, and USDA, by accepting delivery of this bond, hereby agrees to the amendment and restatement of the Interim System Revenue Bond, as follows:

The Village of Taos Ski Valley (herein "Village"), in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico, for value received, hereby promises to pay to United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture, or its registered assigns upon presentation and surrender of this bond, solely from the special funds provided therefor as hereinafter set forth, or registered assigns, the Principal Amount stated above, with interest at the rate ___]% per annum as authorized by Ordinance No. 2020-64, adopted by the Village Council of the Village on May 5, 2020 (the "Bond Ordinance").

	Interest	shall accrue	on the unpaid	l balance	of this bone	d from the	date of original
issue.	Payments of	principal and	l interest on	this bo	nd shall be	made in	equal monthly
installme	ents of \$[] each	, payable or	n the [_	_] day of	each mont	h commencing
Ĺ		(each, a "Pa	yment Date"). All o	outstanding 1	principal ar	nd accrued and

unpaid interest on this bond shall be due and payable in full on [________, 20___] (the "Maturity Date"). If any installment is not paid when due, then in addition to installments thereafter becoming due, the Village shall pay interest on the unpaid balance of the total principal amount from the due date of the delinquent installment to the date of payment of the delinquent installment, provided, that interest accruing by reason of any such delinquency shall not include any interest applicable to such delinquency period in any installments subsequently paid. Except as otherwise provided herein, every payment on this bond shall be applied first to interest due through the next installment due date and then the balance to principal.

The Village hereby reserves the right, at its option, to prepay the principal amount outstanding, in whole or in part, in the manner provided in the Bond Ordinance. Any prepayments shall be in the amount of principal being prepaid, together with accrued interest thereon to the date of prepayment, and shall be made without penalty or without additional interest charges. Prepayment shall be made upon prior notice as provided in the Bond Ordinance.

This bond shall be fully registered for payment (i.e., registered as to payment of both principal and interest) in the name of the registered owner hereof on the books of the Village in the office of the Village Treasurer (Finance Director), as Registrar, and in the space appended to this single bond. Upon surrender of any of such bond at the Registrar with a written instrument satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney, such bond may, at the option of the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of such bonds of the same maturity of other authorized denominations, subject to such terms and conditions as set forth in the Bond Ordinance.

Subject to the restrictions set out in the Bond Ordinance, this bond is fully transferable by the registered owner hereof in person or by his duly authorized attorney on the registration books kept by the Registrar upon surrender of this bond together with a duly executed written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar. Upon such transfer a new fully registered bond of authorized denomination or denominations of the same aggregate principal amount and maturity will be issued to the transferee in exchange for this bond, subject to such terms and conditions as set forth in the Bond Ordinance. The Village and the Registrar and Paying Agent may deem and treat the person in whose name this bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of making payment and for all other purposes.

This bond is authorized for the purpose of providing permanent financing for the purpose of extending, enlarging, bettering, repairing and otherwise improving the municipal joint water and sanitary sewer system (herein the "System") and all costs incidental to the foregoing and the issuance of the bonds. This bond is issued pursuant to and in strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico.

This bond does not constitute an indebtedness of the Village within the meaning of any charter, constitutional or statutory provision or limitation, shall not be considered or held to be a general obligation of the Village, and is payable and collectible solely out of the Net Revenues (as defined below) derived from the operation of the System, the income of which is so pledged; and the registered owner hereof may not look to any general or other fund for payment of the principal of, interest on, and any prior redemption premium due in connection with this obligation, except the special funds pledged therefor. Payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds of the series of which this is one shall be made solely from, and as security for such payment there are pledged, pursuant to the Bond Ordinance, two special funds identified as the Bond Fund and the Reserve Fund into which the Village covenants to pay from the revenues derived from the operation of its System, after provision only for all necessary and reasonable expenses of the operation and maintenance of said System (the "Net Revenues"), sums sufficient to pay when due the principal of and the interest on the bonds of the series of which this is one and to create (except to the extent created from other funds) and maintain a reasonable and specified reserve for such purpose. For a description of said funds and the nature and extent of the security afforded thereby for the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds, reference is made to the Bond Ordinance.

The bonds of the series of which this is one are equitably and ratably secured by a lien on the Net Revenues and said bonds constitute an irrevocable and valid lien together with outstanding promissory notes to the New Mexico Environment Department (the "Outstanding Bonds") upon said Net Revenues. Bonds in addition to the series of which this is one and the Outstanding Bonds may be issued and made payable from said Net Revenues, having a lien thereon inferior and junior to the lien or, subject to designated conditions, having a lien thereon on a parity with the lien of the bonds of the series of which this is one and the Outstanding Bonds, in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Ordinance.

The Village covenants and agrees with the registered owner of this bond and with each and every person who may become the registered owner hereof that it will keep and perform all of the covenants of the Bond Ordinance, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, its covenant against the sale or mortgage of the System or any part thereof unless provision shall be made for the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds of the series of which this is one (and except as provided in the Bond Ordinance), and including its covenant that it fix, maintain and collect rates for services rendered by the System sufficient to produce revenues or earnings sufficient to pay the annual operation and maintenance expenses of the System and 100% of both the principal of and interest on the bonds and any other obligations payable annually from the revenues of the System (excluding the reserves therefor).

This bond is subject to the conditions, and every registered owner hereof by accepting the same agrees with the obligor and every subsequent registered owner hereof that the principal of and the interest on this bond shall be paid, and this bond is transferable, free from,

and without regard to any equities between the obligor and the original or any intermediate registered owner hereof for any setoffs or cross-claims.

It is further certified, recited and warranted that all the requirements of law have been fully complied with by the Village Council and officers of the Village in the issue of this bond; and that it is issued pursuant to and in strict conformity with the Charter of the Village and the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico, and particularly the terms and provisions of Sections 3-31-1 through 3-31-12, NMSA 1978, as amended, and all laws thereunto enabling and supplemental thereto.

This bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose until the Registrar shall have manually signed the certificate of authentication herein.

This bond is being issued simultaneously and in conjunction with the Village's Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bonds, in the stated principal amount of \$______ (the "GRT Revenue Bond"). This bond and the GRT Revenue Bond are issued under the terms of the Bond Ordinance and are intended to represent and secure the obligations of the Village to repay an aggregate indebtedness of up to \$______ as provided in and subject to the terms of the Bond Ordinance. Under the terms of the Bond Ordinance, this bond and the GRT Revenue Bond are at all times to be held by the same Holder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Village of Taos Ski Valley has caused this bond to be signed, subscribed, executed, and attested with the facsimile signatures of its Mayor and its Village Clerk, respectively; has caused the facsimile of its corporate seal to be affixed hereon; has caused this bond to be countersigned with the facsimile signature of the Village Treasurer (Finance Director), all as of the date of delivery of this bond.

	(Manual or Facsimile Signature)
(SEAL)	Mayor
Attest:	
(Manual or Facsimile Signature) Village Clerk	
	Countersigned:
	(Manual or Facsimile Signature) Village Treasurer (Finance Director)

(End of Form of Bond)

(Form of Registrar's Certificate of Authentication)

Date of Registration and Authentication: June [__], 2020.

REGISTRAR'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This is one of the bonds described in the within-mentioned Bond Ordinance, and this bond has been duly registered on the registration books kept by the undersigned as Registrar for such Bonds.

Village Treasurer (Finance Director) of the Village of Taos Ski Valley, New Mexico, as Registrar

(End of Form of Registrar's Certificate of Authentication)

(Form of Assignment)

For value received,	hereby sells, assigns and
transfers unto	the within bond and hereby
irrevocably constitutes and appoints	attorney, to
transfer the same on the books of the Registrar, w	
Dated:	
Signature Guaranteed:	
Name and address of transferee:	
Social Security or other tax identification number of transferee:	

NOTE: The signature to this Assignment must correspond with the name as written on the face of the within bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever. The signature must be guaranteed by an eligible guarantor institution as defined in 17 C.F.R. § 240.17 Ad-15(a)(2).

(End of Form of Assignment)

(Form of Mandatory Registration Panel)

MANDATORY REGISTRATION FOR PAYMENT AS TO PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST

The within bond is registered in the office of the Treasurer of the Village, as Registrar, in the name of the last owner listed below; and the principal amount of the bond and interest thereon shall be payable only to such owner, all in accordance with the ordinance of the Village authorizing the bond's issuance.

Date of Registration	Name of Owner	Address of Owner	Signature of Registrar
June [], 2020	USDA		
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(End of Form of Registration Panel)

EXHIBIT "B"

Form of GRT Revenue Bond

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF TAOS

VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY GROSS RECEIPTS TAX REVENUE BOND

DATED AS OF: June [], 2020

REGISTERED OWNER: United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

WHEREAS, the Village of Taos Ski Valley (herein "Village"), in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico, previously issued its Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond (Interim Bank Bond), Series 2017B, in the principal amount of \$4,200,000, now drawn and outstanding in the principal amount of \$4,200,000 (the "Interim GRT Bond") issued pursuant to Ordinance No. 2018-64 (the "Prior Ordinance"); and

WHEREAS, the holder of the Interim GRT Bond, for valuable consideration, has assigned the Interim GRT Bond (and a related Interim System Revenue Bond) to the United States of America Acting through the United States Department of Agriculture ("USDA"); USDA has advanced additional sums to or for the benefit of the Village, and the Village and USDA desire to amend and restate the Interim GRT Bonds in its entirety as provided herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Village, for value received, hereby amends and restates the Interim GRT Bond in its entirety as follows, and USDA, by accepting delivery of this bond, hereby agrees to the amendment and restatement of the Interim GRT Bond, as follows:

The Village of Taos Ski Valley (herein "Village"), in the County of Taos and State of New Mexico, for value received, hereby promises to pay to United States of America acting by and through the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development or its registered assigns upon presentation and surrender of this bond, solely from the special funds provided therefor as hereinafter set forth, or registered assigns, the Principal Amount stated above, with interest at the rate [_]% per annum as authorized by Ordinance No. 2020-64, adopted by the Village Council of the Village on May 5, 2020 (the "Bond Ordinance").

Interest shall accrue on the unpaid balance of this bond from the date of origin
issue. Payments of principal and interest on this bond shall be made in equal month
installments of \$[] each, payable on the [_] day of each month commenci
[, 20] (each, a "Payment Date"). All outstanding principal and accrued a
unpaid interest on this bond shall be due and payable in full on [, 20] (t
"Maturity Date"). If any installment is not paid when due, then in addition to installment

thereafter becoming due, the Village shall pay interest on the unpaid balance of the total principal amount from the due date of the delinquent installment to the date of payment of the delinquent installment, provided, that interest accruing by reason of any such delinquency shall not include any interest applicable to such delinquency period in any installments subsequently paid. Except as otherwise provided herein, every payment on this bond shall be applied first to interest due through the next installment due date and then the balance to principal.

The Village hereby reserves the right, at its option, to prepay the principal amount outstanding, in whole or in part, in the manner provided in the Bond Ordinance. Any prepayments shall be in the amount of principal being prepaid, together with accrued interest thereon to the date of prepayment, and shall be made without penalty or without additional interest charges. Prepayment shall be made upon prior notice as provided in the Bond Ordinance.

This bond shall be fully registered for payment (i.e., registered as to payment of both principal and interest) in the name of the registered owner hereof on the books of the Village in the office of the Village Treasurer (Finance Director), as Registrar, and in the space appended to this single bond. Upon surrender of any of such bond at the Registrar with a written instrument satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney, such bond may, at the option of the registered owner or his duly authorized attorney, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of such bonds of the same maturity of other authorized denominations, subject to such terms and conditions as set forth in the Bond Ordinance.

Subject to the restrictions set out in the Bond Ordinance, this bond is fully transferable by the registered owner hereof in person or by his duly authorized attorney on the registration books kept by the Registrar upon surrender of this bond together with a duly executed written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar. Upon such transfer a new fully registered bond of authorized denomination or denominations of the same aggregate principal amount and maturity will be issued to the transferee in exchange for this bond, subject to such terms and conditions as set forth in the Bond Ordinance. The Village and the Registrar and Paying Agent may deem and treat the person in whose name this bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of making payment and for all other purposes.

This bond is authorized for the purpose of providing permanent financing for the purpose of extending, enlarging, bettering, repairing and otherwise improving the municipal joint water and sanitary sewer system (herein the "System") and all costs incidental to the foregoing

and the issuance of the bonds. This bond is issued pursuant to and in strict compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico.

This bond does not constitute an indebtedness of the Village within the meaning of any charter, constitutional or statutory provision or limitation, shall not be considered or held to be a general obligation of the Village, and is payable and collectible solely out of the Hold Harmless GRT (as defined in the Bond Ordinance), the income of which is so pledged; and the registered owner hereof may not look to any general or other fund for payment of the principal of, interest on, and any prior redemption premium due in connection with this obligation, except the special funds pledged therefor. Payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds of the series of which this is one shall be made solely from, and as security for such payment there are pledged, pursuant to the Bond Ordinance, a special fund identified as the Hold Harmless GRT Fund into which the Village covenants to pay sums sufficient to pay when due the principal of and the interest on the bonds of the series of which this is one. For a description of said funds and the nature and extent of the security afforded thereby for the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds, reference is made to the Bond Ordinance.

The bonds of the series of which this is one are equitably and ratably secured by a lien on the Hold Harmless GRT and said bonds constitute an irrevocable and valid lien upon said Hold Harmless GRT. Bonds in addition to the series of which this is one and the Outstanding Bonds may be issued and made payable from said Hold Harmless GRT, having a lien thereon inferior and junior to the lien or, subject to designated conditions, having a lien thereon on a parity with the lien of the bonds of the series of which this is one, in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Ordinance.

The Village covenants and agrees with the registered owner of this bond and with each and every person who may become the registered owner hereof that it will keep and perform all of the covenants of the Bond Ordinance.

This bond is subject to the conditions, and every registered owner hereof by accepting the same agrees with the obligor and every subsequent registered owner hereof that the principal of and the interest on this bond shall be paid, and this bond is transferable, free from, and without regard to any equities between the obligor and the original or any intermediate registered owner hereof for any setoffs or cross-claims.

It is further certified, recited and warranted that all the requirements of law have been fully complied with by the Village Council and officers of the Village in the issue of this bond; and that it is issued pursuant to and in strict conformity with the Charter of the Village and the Constitution and laws of the State of New Mexico, and particularly the terms and provisions of Sections 3-31-1 through 3-31-12, NMSA 1978, as amended, and all laws thereunto enabling and supplemental thereto.

This bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose until the Registrar shall have manually signed the certificate of authentication herein.

This bond is being issued simultaneously and in conjunction with the Village's Joint Sewer and Water System Revenue Bond, in the stated principal amount of \$ (the

"System Revenue Bond"). This bond and the System Revenue Bond are issued under the terms of the Bond Ordinance and are intended to represent and secure the obligations of the Village to repay an aggregate indebtedness of up to \$______ as provided in and subject to the terms of the Bond Ordinance. Under the terms of the Bond Ordinance, this bond and the System Revenue Bond are at all times to be held by the same Holder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Village of Taos Ski Valley has caused this bond to be signed, subscribed, executed, and attested with the facsimile signatures of its Mayor and its Village Clerk, respectively; has caused the facsimile of its corporate seal to be affixed hereon; has caused this bond to be countersigned with the facsimile signature of the Village Treasurer (Finance Director), all as of the date of delivery of this bond.

	(Manual or Facsimile Signature) Mayor
(SEAL)	·
Attest:	
(Manual or Facsimile Signature) Village Clerk	
	Countersigned:
	(Manual or Facsimile Signature) Village Treasurer (Finance Director)
(End of Fo	orm of Bond)

(Form of Registrar's Certificate of Authentication)

Date of Registration and Authentication: June _____, 2020.

REGISTRAR'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This is one of the bonds described in the within-mentioned Bond Ordinance, and this bond has been duly registered on the registration books kept by the undersigned as Registrar for such Bonds.

Village Treasurer (Finance Director) of the Village of Taos Ski Valley, New Mexico, as Registrar

(End of Form of Registrar's Certificate of Authentication)

(Form of Assignment)

For value received,	hereby sells, assigns and	d
transfers unto	the within bond and hereby	ÿ
irrevocably constitutes and appoints	attorney, to	0
transfer the same on the books of the	Registrar, with full power of substitution in the premises.	
Dated:		
Dated		
Signature Guaranteed:		
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Name and address of transferee:		
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Social Security or other tax		
identification number of		
transferee:		
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NOTE: The signature to this Assignment must correspond with the name as written on the face of the within bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever. The signature must be guaranteed by an eligible guarantor institution as defined in 17 C.F.R. § 240.17 Ad-15(a)(2).

(End of Form of Assignment)

(Form of Mandatory Registration Panel)

MANDATORY REGISTRATION FOR PAYMENT AS TO PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST

The within bond is registered in the office of the Treasurer of the Village, as Registrar, in the name of the last owner listed below; and the principal amount of the bond and interest thereon shall be payable only to such owner, all in accordance with the ordinance of the Village authorizing the bond's issuance.

Date of Registration	Name of Owner	Address of Owner	Signature of Registrar
June [], 2020	USDA		
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(End of Form of Registration Panel)

	n moved that said ordinance as filed with the Village ed. Council Member seconded the
The question being upon th called with the following result:	e passage and adoption of said ordinance, the roll was
Those Voting Aye:	
Those Voting Nay: Those Absent:	
	apon declared that at least 3/4ths of all the members of f, the said motion was carried and the said ordinance
After consideration of mat meeting on motion duly made, seconded ar	ters not relating to such Sewer Revenue Bonds, the ad unanimously carried, was adjourned.
(SEAL)	Mayor
Attest:	
Clerk	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
COUNTY OF TAOS) ss.
VILLAGE OF TAOS SKI VALLEY)
I, Ann Marie Wooldridge, the duly chosen, qualified and acting Clerk of the Village of Taos Ski Valley, New Mexico, do hereby certify:
1. The foregoing pages numbered from 1 to 52, inclusive, are a true, perfect and complete copy of the record of the proceedings of the Council of the Village of Taos Ski Valley had and taken at an open special meeting of the Council held in full conformity with law and the ordinances and rules of the Village on Tuesday, May 5, 2020, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., as far as the minutes relate to Ordinance No. 2020-64, a copy of which is therein set forth; the copy of the ordinance contained in the minutes is a full, true and correct copies of the original ordinance as introduced and passed by the Council at the meetings of April 14, 2020, and May 5, 2020, and has been duly authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and myself, as Village Clerk, sealed with the corporate seal of the Village and made a part of the records of the Council Such minutes insofar as they relate to the ordinance (i.e., pages 1 through 52) have been duly approved by the Council and are official.
2. The Mayor and other members of the Council were present at the meeting of the Council, all members of the Council present voted on the passage of the ordinances as set forth in the minutes, and the Mayor and all members of the Council were duly notified of the meeting.
3. (a) A Notice of Special Meeting and of Intention to Adopt the Ordinance was published by posting in six public places as provided by law on [
Village of Taos Ski Valley) and remained so posted at least through such meeting, a copy of such notice as so posted being substantially in the same forms set forth in such Exhibit A; (c) notice of such meeting also was given by providing telephone notice to those broadcast stations licensed by the Federal Communications Council and newspapers of general circulation that have made a written request for notice of public meetings, all at least twelve hours prior to such meeting; and (d) personal notification of such special meeting was given to each member of the Council at least twelve hours prior to such special meeting (all in accordance with the Council's Resolution No adopted on, 20] relating to what constitutes reasonable notice of Council meetings).
4. Following the adoption of the ordinance, it was published by title and summary in the <i>Taos News</i> on May 7, 2020, a copy of such affidavit of publication being attached hereto as Exhibit B.

	WITNESS my		the official	seal of the	Village o	of Taos Sk	i Valley	, New
Mexico this [_	_] day of May,	2020.						
			=		Village	e Clerk		
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EXHIBIT A

(Attach Affidavit of Publication of Notice Of Meeting and of Intention to Adopt the Ordinance)

EXHIBIT B

(Attach Affidavit of Publication of Ordinance By Title and General Summary After Adoption)