# NEW YORK CITY MUNICIPAL WATER BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A meeting of the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority (the "Authority") was held at 255 Greenwich Street, Room 6M4, New York, N.Y. 10007 at 9.42 a.m. on Friday October 12, 2018. The following Directors were present:

Alan Anders (by designation of Authority Director Melanie Hartzog);

Robert Elburn (by designation of Authority Director Basil Seggos);

Jacqueline Gold (by designation of Authority Director Jacques Jiha);

Marc Shaw; and

Max Von Hollweg;

constituting a quorum of the Board of Directors. Mr. Anders chaired the meeting, and Deborah Cohen served as Secretary.

#### Approval of Minutes of the Meeting of September 7, 2018

The first item on the agenda was approval of the minutes of the meeting of September 7, 2018. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Directors has reviewed the minutes of its meeting held on September 7, 2018; it is therefore

**RESOLVED,** that the minutes of the meeting of September 7, 2018 be, and they hereby are, approved.

Acceptance of the independent auditors' report on the audited financial statements for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 and authorization to release such financial statements

The next item on the agenda was the acceptance of the independent auditors' report on the audited financial statements of the New York City Water and Sewer System (the "System") for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 and authorization to release such financial statements. Mr. Anders explained that the Joint Audit Committee of the New York City Water Board (the "Water Board") and the Authority had reviewed the auditors' report and audited financial statements, met with the System's auditors, and recommended to the Water Board and the Authority's Directors that the auditors' report and financial statements be accepted by the Water Board and by the Authority. He noted that Robert Balducci, the Authority's Comptroller, was available to answer any questions on the financial statements. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, the Joint Audit Committee of the New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority (the "Authority") and the New York City Water Board (the "Water Board") has met with the independent auditors of the water and sewer system of the City of New York (the "System") and has reviewed the independent auditors' report on the audited financial statements of the System for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 and such financial statements; and

WHEREAS, the Joint Audit Committee believes the independent auditors' report and the financial statements are reasonable and appropriate and has recommended that the Board of Directors of the Authority and the Water Board accept the independent auditors' report and authorize the release of the financial statements; it is therefore

**RESOLVED**, that the Board of Directors of the Authority hereby accepts the independent auditors' report on the audited financial statements of the System for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 and authorizes the release of such audited financial statements upon approval of the Water Board; provided that both the independent auditors' report and the audited financial statements may be amended to reflect non-material changes acceptable to the Comptroller of the Authority.

Approval of Supplemental Resolution No. 140 Authorizing the issuance of Fiscal 2019 Series 2 Second General Resolution Water and Sewer System Bonds issued to the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation

The next item on the agenda was the approval of Supplemental Resolution No. 140 Authorizing the Issuance of the Fiscal 2019 Series 2 Second General Resolution Water and Sewer System Bonds issued to the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation ("EFC"). Mr. Anders noted that this action was recommended by the Finance Committee and that the proposed resolution authorizes the issuance of up to \$350 million of bonds to EFC. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the resolution was adopted.<sup>1</sup>

Approval of Supplemental Resolution No. 141 Authorizing the issuance of Fiscal 2019 Series 3 Second General Resolution Water and Sewer System Bonds issued to the NYS Environmental Facilities Corporation as a Direct Loan

The next item on the agenda was the approval of Supplemental Resolution No. 141 Authorizing the Issuance of Fiscal 2019 Series 3 Second General Resolution Water and Sewer System Bonds issued to the EFC as a direct loan. Mr. Anders noted that the resolution authorizes \$250 million of bonds to be issued as a direct loan to EFC, and that this action was also recommended by the Finance Committee. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the resolution was adopted.<sup>2</sup>

# **Approval of Investment Guidelines**

The next item on the agenda was the annual approval of the Authority's Investment Guidelines as required by the Public Authorities Law. Mr. Anders explained that no changes

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Filed with the meeting minutes

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Filed with the meeting minutes

were proposed at this time, as these Guidelines had been amended and approved in May of this year. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority (the "Authority"), adopted Investment Guidelines on April 10, 1986 to establish policies for the investment of its funds and subsequently amended the Investment Guidelines on August 10, 1993, February 18, 1998, April 17, 1998, March 20, 2009, October 10, 2013, October 21, 2015, February 23, 2016 and May 31, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, the Authority is required annually to review its Investment Guidelines; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Directors has reviewed the attached Investment Guidelines and has deemed them to be reasonable and appropriate; it is therefore

**RESOLVED**, that the Investment Guidelines, a copy of which will be filed with the Minutes of the Meeting, are hereby approved.<sup>3</sup>

#### **Approval of Investment Report**

The next item on the agenda was the annual approval of the Investment Report.

Mr. Anders explained that the Investment Report is required to be prepared and approved annually pursuant to the Public Authorities Accountability Act. There being no discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**WHEREAS**, the New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority (the "Authority"), pursuant to the Authority's Investment Guidelines, is required to annually prepare and approve an Investment Report; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has reviewed the attached Investment Report<sup>4</sup> and has deemed it to be reasonable and appropriate, it is therefore

**RESOLVED**, that the Investment Report is hereby approved

### Adjournment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Filed with Minutes of the meeting.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Filed with Minutes of the meeting.

There being no further business to come before the Board, upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was duly adjourned.

SSISTANT SECRETARY