

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF BARTOW**

RELEASE OF PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIMS

The City of Cartersville, Georgia, a municipal corporation of the State of Georgia (hereinafter referred to as “City”) acknowledges receipt of Four Hundred Ten Thousand and No/100 (\$410,000.00) Dollars, in return for which the City hereby releases Middlesex Insurance Company and Total Water Treatment Systems Inc. from any and all property claims and damages to property as a result of a loss on or about October 16, 2024, at or near 301 Douthit Ferry Rd, Cartersville, Georgia. This release includes all known and unknown property damage. In making this agreement, the City is relying wholly on its own judgment concerning the nature and extent of property damage and understands this release is full and final.

The City, to the extent allowed by Georgia law, hereby covenants with Middlesex Insurance Company and Total Water Treatment Systems, Inc. to indemnify and hold them harmless from all claims arising out of said loss to property damage.

The City also understands this is a compromise of a disputed claim for which liability is expressly denied. This agreement is not to be construed nor considered an admission of liability on the part of Middlesex Insurance Company or Total Water Treatment Systems, Inc., both of whom expressly reserve the right to prosecute a claim for any damages sustained.

This release has been approved by the Mayor Pro-Tem and City Council of the City of Cartersville on the ____ day of May, 2025, and the Mayor Pro-Tem and City Clerk have been authorized to sign said Release.

CAUTION: READ BEFORE SIGNING. The undersigned are represented by counsel and this release has been explained in full. The undersigned are authorized to sign this Release and understand the terms and conditions of said Release. Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which may be a crime.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ____
day of May, 2025.

CITY OF CARTERSVILLE, a municipal
corporation of the State of Georgia

By: _____
Calvin Cooley, Mayor Pro-Tem

Notary Public

[AFFIX SEAL]

Attest: _____
Julia Drake, City Clerk

[AFFIX SEAL]