RESOLUTION NO. 2025-16

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION; APPROVING THE PREPARATION OF A PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT; AND APPROVING OTHER MATTERS INCIDENTAL THERETO

THE STATE OF TEXAS	§
COUNTIES OF HARRIS AND MONTGOMERY	§
CITY OF TOMBALL	§

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Tomball, Texas (the "City") deems it advisable to issue certificates of obligation (the "Certificates") of the City in accordance with the notice hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to approve the preparation of a preliminary official statement (the "Preliminary Official Statement") in anticipation of its issuance of the Certificates; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution is considered is open to the public as required by law, and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended; NOW, THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS THAT:

- <u>Section 1.</u> The findings, determinations, definitions and recitations set out in the preamble to this resolution are found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted by City Council and made a part hereof for all purposes.
- <u>Section 2.</u> The Assistant City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be published in the manner required by law and in substantially the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit</u> A, a notice of the City's intention to issue the Certificates (the "Notice").
- Section 3. The Notice shall be published once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks in a newspaper that is of general circulation in the City, the date of the first publication to be at not later than the day before the forty-fifth (45th) day before the date tentatively set in the Notice for the passage of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Certificates. In addition, the Notice shall be posted continuously on the City's website for at least forty-five (45) days before the date tentatively set in the Notice for the passage of the ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Certificates.
- <u>Section 4</u>. For the purposes of the Notice, the City hereby designates as self-supporting those public securities listed in the attached <u>Exhibit B</u>, the debt service on which the City currently pays from sources other than ad valorem tax collections. The City plans to continue to pay these public securities based on this practice; however, there is no guarantee this practice will continue in future years.

- Section 5. For purposes of section 1.150-2(d) of the Treasury Regulations, this Notice serves as the City's official declaration of intent to reimburse itself from proceeds of the Certificates in the maximum principal amount and for expenditures paid in connection with the projects, each as set forth in Exhibit A hereof. Any such reimbursement will only be made (i) for an original expenditure paid no earlier than 60 days prior to the date hereof and (ii) not later than 18 months after the later of (A) the date the original expenditure is paid or (B) the date of which the project to which such expenditure relates is placed in service or abandoned, but in no event more than three years after the original expenditure is paid.
- <u>Section 6</u>. The Mayor, the City Manager, the Finance Director, Assistant City Secretary and other appropriate officials of the City, the City's financial advisor, Hilltop Securities Inc., and bond counsel, Bracewell LLP, are authorized and directed to proceed with the preparation of the Preliminary Official Statement and to make other necessary arrangements for the sale of the Certificates at a future meeting of the City Council of the City.
- Section 7. The City hereby authorizes the preparation and distribution of a Preliminary Official Statement relating to the Certificates and authorizes the City Manager or Finance Director to deem "final" such Preliminary Official Statement within the meaning and for the purposes of paragraph (b)(1) of Rule 15c2-12 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- <u>Section 8</u>. The Mayor, City Manager, Finance Director, Assistant City Secretary, and other officers and agents of the City are hereby authorized and directed to do any and all things necessary or desirable to carry out the provisions of this resolution.
- Section 9. The notice and agenda relating to this meeting and heretofore posted by the City Secretary, and the posting thereof, are hereby authorized, approved, and ratified.
- Section 10. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage by the City Council of the City.

[Execution Page to Follow]

Assistant City Secretary City of Tomball, Texas Mayor City of Tomball, Texas

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 21st day of April, 2025.

[SEAL]

EXHIBIT A

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Tomball, Texas (the "City"), will meet at City Hall, 401 Market Street, Tomball, Texas 77375 at 6:00 p.m. on June 16, 2025, which is the time and place tentatively set for the passage of an ordinance and such other action as may be deemed necessary to authorize the issuance of the City's certificates of obligation (the "Certificates"), in the maximum aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$30,000,000 payable from ad valorem taxes and from a limited pledge of a subordinate lien on the net revenues of the City's water and sewer system, bearing interest at any rate or rates not to exceed the maximum interest rate now or hereafter authorized by law, as shall be determined within the discretion of the City Council of the City at the time of issuance of the Certificates, and maturing over a period not to exceed forty (40) years from the date of issuance, for the purposes of evidencing the indebtedness of the City for all or any part of the costs associated with (i) the design, construction, and equipment of improvements to the City's water and sewer system, including the south wastewater treatment plant and the east water plant; and (ii) the cost of professional services incurred in connection therewith. The estimated combined principal and interest required to pay the Certificates on time and in full is \$58,215,917. Such estimate is provided for illustrative purposes only and is based on an assumed interest rate of 4.34%. Market conditions affecting interest rates vary based on a number of factors beyond the control of the City, and the City cannot and does not guarantee a particular interest rate associated with the Certificates. As of the date of this notice, the aggregate principal amount of outstanding tax-supported debt obligations of the City (excluding public securities secured by an ad valorem tax but designated as self-supporting in Resolution No. 2025-16, dated April 21, 2025, which resolution is available from the City upon request) is \$39,005,000. Based on the City's expectations, as of the date of this notice, the combined principal and interest required to pay all of the outstanding tax-supported debt obligations of the City (excluding public securities secured by an ad valorem tax but designated by the City as self-supporting) on time and in full is \$54,002,081.

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE CITY, this 21st day of April, 2025.

Shannon Bennett Assistant City Secretary City of Tomball, Texas

EXHIBIT B

SELF-SUPPORTING DEBT

CERTIFICATE FOR RESOLUTION

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTIES OF HARRIS AND MONTG	OMERY §	
I, the undersigned officer of the Cas follows:	ity Council of the City of Tomball, Texas, hereby certify	
	ity of Tomball, Texas, convened in a regular meeting on meeting place thereof, within said City, and the roll was members of said City Council, to wit:	
Lori Klein Quinn John F. Ford Paul Garcia Dane Dunagin Lisa A. Covington Randy Parr	Mayor Mayor Pro Tem and Councilman, Position 1 Councilman, Position 2 Councilman, Position 3 Councilman, Position 4 Councilman, Position 5	
	pt the following absentee(s):, thus ong other business, the following was transacted at said	
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TEXAS, AUTHORIZING PUBLISSUE CERTIFICATES O	IMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT; AND	
•	on of said City Council. It was then duly moved and and, after due discussion, said motion, carrying with it and carried by the following vote:	
Members shown present voted "Aye."		
Members shown prese	nt voted "No."	
Member(s) of City Co	uncil shown present abstained from voting.	
described in the above and foregoing para resolution has been duly recorded in said	opy of the aforesaid resolution adopted at the meeting graph is attached to and follows this certificate; that said City Council's minutes of said meeting; that the above correct excerpt from said City Council's minutes of said	

meeting pertaining to the adoption of said resolution; that the persons named in the above and foregoing paragraph are the duly chosen, qualified and acting officers and members of said City Council as indicated therein; that each of the officers and members of said City Council was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the date, hour, place and purpose of the aforesaid meeting, and that said resolution would be introduced and considered for adoption at said meeting, and each of said officers and members consented, in advance, to the holding of said meeting for such purpose; that said meeting was open to the public as required by law; and that public notice of the date, hour, place and subject of said meeting was given as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

SIGNED AND SEALED this 21st day of April, 2025.

Assistant City Secretary
City of Tomball, Texas

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