

THIS CONTRACT FOR WATER SERVICES, made and entered into as of this 17 day of Feb. 2026,  
By and between the Webster County Water District, a Water District created under and existing by  
virtue of the provisions of Chapter 74 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes by virtue of an order entered by  
the County Court Clerk of Webster County, Kentucky, on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 1965. As created, the  
Webster County Water District embraced the area of Webster County, excluding the towns and cities of  
Providence, Clay, Dixon, Sebree, and Slaughters, Kentucky, situated entirely in Webster County,  
Kentucky, (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "District"), and the North Hopkins Water District,  
situated in Hopkins County, Kentucky, acting by and through the Board of Directors (hereinafter  
sometimes referred to as "North Hopkins").

NOW THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF ALL THE FOREGOING AND THE VARIOUS REPRESENTATIONS,  
COVENANTS, AND UNDERTAKINGS HEREINABOVE AND HEREINAFTER CONTAINED, THE PARTIES HEREBY  
SPECIFICALLY AGREE AND COVENANT EACH WITH THE OTHER AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1:** North Hopkins Water District, hereby agrees to purchase its treated water in  
accordance with the Terms of this Contract for Water Services from Webster County Water District, and  
said Webster County Water District agrees to sell the North Hopkins Water District, Kentucky at the  
following schedule of rates:

At a monthly rate of \$4.92 per 1,000 gallons metered.

It is understood that the North Hopkins Water District operates its own water distribution  
system and will serve its own retail customers. No tapping fees will be exacted from any customers  
served by the North Hopkins Water District distribution system for the benefit of the District, and North  
Hopkins customers shall be customers of the North Hopkins Water District only, and not the District, and  
North Hopkins itself being the customer of the District. The term of this contract shall be for  
Ten (10) years, from the date of this contract.

**Section 2:** It is hereby specifically agreed and covenanted between the parties that the initial  
schedule of water rates to be paid to the District by North Hopkins Water District, as set forth in  
Section 1 hereof, shall be increased only after a review and approval of the Public Service Commission.

**Section 3:** From the date when water is first made available by the District to North Hopkins, the  
water rate as paid by North Hopkins to the District may be decreased if it is determined from the  
receipts from the sale of water to North Hopkins that such a decrease can equitably and profitably be  
made, at which time an increase or decrease by the District in the rates charged North Hopkins can be  
made if it is determined from the receipts of District that either an increase or decrease should be made,  
and any increase or decrease by the District in its schedule of water rates shall be made on relatively  
proportionate basis, so that North Hopkins Water District, being a water consumer, will not be unfairly  
discriminated against. Any increase or decrease in rates shall be based on a demonstrable increase or  
decrease in costs of performance hereunder, but such costs shall not include increased capitalization of  
the District's system. Other provisions of this contract may be modified or altered by mutual

agreement. In this connection, it is agreed that any increase or decrease in water cost applied to North Hopkins Water District shall and must be on a basis of the same percentage of increase or decrease in revenue per gallon for the gross of all other wholesale customers of the District. In the event of the proposed increase in water cost, North Hopkins will be notified 90 days prior to the change and will be afforded the opportunity to participate in the process of rate change.

**Section 4:** The District agrees to furnish the purchaser at the point of delivery during the term of this contract or any renewal or extension thereof, potable treated water in such quantity as may be required by the purchaser, not to exceed 12,000,000 gallons per month.

**Section 5:** The contract for Water Service shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of all the parties hereto and their successors in interest, grantees, assignees, heirs, and assigns, and all parties taking an interest from said parties. If any section, clause or provision of this contract shall be held invalid, such holding of invalidity shall not affect the validity of any remaining section, clause, paragraph, portion or provision of this contract.

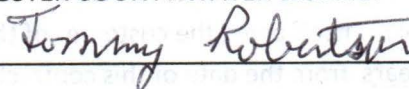
**Section 6:** The District will provide water that meets all State and Federal Regulations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereunto cause their names to be affixed as heretofore duly authorized.


NORTH HOPKINS WATER DISTRICT

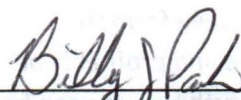
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ATTEST:

  
NORTH HOPKINS WATER DISTRICT SECRETARY

  
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