

RESOLUTION NO. 25-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A TEMPORARY RESALE AMENDMENT TO SYSTEM WATER AVAILABILITY AGREEMENT WITH BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY.

WHEREAS, On March 10, 2005 the Brazos River Authority, the West Central Texas Municipal Water District, and the City of Abilene executed an Interlocal Agreement providing Abilene and/or WCTMWD with a preferential right and option to purchase BRA System Water, and the total amount shall not exceed a volume of 20,000 acre-feet per annum; and

WHEREAS, since the time of the initial Interlocal Agreement the City of Abilene has entered into three System Water Availability Agreements with BRA totaling 19,418 acre-feet of raw water to be taken from the Possum Kingdom Reservoir;

WHEREAS, in late summer 2023 the Palo Pinto County Municipal Water District No. 1 requested a Water Supply Agreement to purchase from Abilene on a temporary basis up to 3,000 acre feet annually of Possum Kingdom raw water that Abilene holds through the SWAA's; and

WHEREAS, Abilene's temporary resale of the raw water must be approved by the BRA and requires the execution of a separate Temporary Resale Amendment to System Water Availability Agreement between Brazos River Authority and City of Abilene; and


WHEREAS, City staff recommends that the Abilene City Council authorize the City Manager to execute the Temporary Resale Amendment to the System Water Availability Agreement with the Brazos River Authority authorizing Abilene to resale 3,000 acre-feet annually of Possum Kingdom raw water to the Palo Pinto County Municipal Water District No. 1 in accordance with the Amendment terms and conditions; and

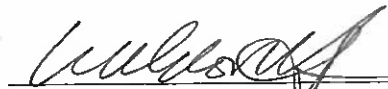
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

That the Abilene City Council authorizes the City Manager to execute the Temporary Resale Amendment to the Surface Water Availability Agreement with Brazos River Authority authorizing Abilene to resale 3,000 acre-feet of raw water to be released from Possum Kingdom Reservoir to the Palo Pinto County Municipal Water District No. 1 in accordance with the Amendment terms and conditions.


ADOPTED this 8th day of February, 2024.

ATTEST:


Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary


Weldon Hurt, Mayor

APPROVED:


Stanley E. Smith, City Attorney