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Erie County Water Authority Board of Commissioners Jerome D. Schad, Chair Peggy A. LaGree, Vice Chair Michelle M. Iannello, Treasurer 295 Main Street Room 350 Buffalo, New York 14203 July 30, 2024

Re: Retirement as Senior Legal Counsel

Dear Commissioners:

When I first accepted the appointment of Legal Counsel, effective March 1, 2001, I never thought I would serve the many twenty-three years. I have finalized the date of my retirement from the Water Authority. My last day of work will be Friday, August 9, 2024.

Its been a privilege working with the Authority, both the Board and many fine and dedicated employees.

Very truly yours.

Ronald P. Bennett

Cc: Mark S. Carney, General Counsel
Terrence D. McCracken, Secretary to the Authority
Joyce A. Tomaka, Chief Financial Officer
Charles E. Eaton, Chief Operation Officer
Lenoard F. Kowalski, Executive Engineer
Jennifer A. Hibit, Director of Human Resources