




Office of the Treasurer & Collector of Taxes

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**Phyllis L. Marshall
Treasurer & Collector of Taxes**

Memorandum

Date: May 2, 2019
To: Diane M. Mahon, Select Board Chair
From: Phyllis L. Marshall, Treasurer – Collector 
Subject: Approval of \$200,000 Sewer Bond to the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority

In accordance with the Town Meeting Authorization of Article 32 on April 23, 2018 for Appropriation/Financing of Construction or Reconstruction of Sewers and Sewerage Facilities, please see the attached financial assistance award in the amount of \$800,000 in a combination of grant funds and interest free loan. The Financial Assistance Agreement and Loan Agreement between the Town and the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) provides for an interest-free Sewer Bond in the amount of \$200,000 and Grant funds in the amount of \$600,000 for the project submitted to the MWRA.

I respectfully request your favorable consideration and vote of the Select Board for sale of \$200,000 Sewer Bond will close on May 20, 2019.

Attachments

Cc: Adam Chapdelaine, Town Manager
Michael Rademacher, Director of Public Works
Wayne Chouinard, Town Engineer
Charlene Doucette, Locke Lord LLP

VOTE OF THE SELECT BOARD

I, the Clerk of the Select Board of the Town of Arlington, Massachusetts, certify that at a meeting of the board held May 6, 2019, of which meeting all members of the board were duly notified and at which a quorum was present, the following votes were unanimously passed, all of which appear upon the official record of the board in my custody:

Voted: that the sale of the \$200,000 Sewer Bond of the Town dated May 20, 2019, to Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (the "Authority") is hereby approved and the Town Treasurer or other appropriate Town official is authorized to execute on behalf of the Town a Loan Agreement and a Financial Assistance Agreement with the Authority with respect to the bond. The bond shall be payable without interest on May 15 of the years and in the principal amounts as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Installment</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Installment</u>
2020	\$20,000	2025	\$20,000
2021	20,000	2026	20,000
2022	20,000	2027	20,000
2023	20,000	2028	20,000
2024	20,000	2029	20,000

Further Voted: that each member of the Select Board, the Town Clerk and the Town Treasurer be and hereby are, authorized to take any and all such actions, and execute and deliver such certificates, receipts or other documents as may be determined by them, or any of them, to be necessary or convenient to carry into effect the provisions of the foregoing vote.

I further certify that the votes were taken at a meeting open to the public, that no vote was taken by secret ballot, that a notice stating the place, date, time and agenda for the meeting (which agenda included the adoption of the above votes) was filed with the Town Clerk and a copy thereof posted in a manner conspicuously visible to the public at all hours in or on the municipal building that the office of the Town Clerk is located or, if applicable, in accordance with an alternative method of notice prescribed or approved by the Attorney General as set forth in 940 CMR 29.03(2)(b), at least 48 hours, not including Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the time of the meeting and remained so posted at the time of the meeting, that no deliberations or decision in connection with the sale of the bond were taken in executive session, all in accordance with G.L. c.30A, §§18-25 as amended.

Dated: May 6, 2019

Clerk of the Select Board



OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK
TOWN OF ARLINGTON
730 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE
ARLINGTON, MA 02476

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STEPHANIE L. LUCARELLI
TOWN CLERK

TELEPHONE

(781) 316-3070

ARTICLE 32

**APPROPRIATION/FINANCING OF CONSTRUCTION OR
RECONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE
FACILITIES**

VOTED:

**DECLARED 2/3RD (QUORUM PRESENT - MORE THAN
85 TMM PRESENT AND VOTING)**

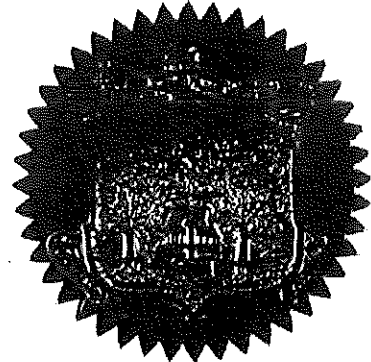
That the sum of \$800,000 be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of financing the construction or reconstruction of sewers and sewerage facilities, inflow/infiltration reduction or system rehabilitation, including costs incidental and related thereto; that to raise this appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, is authorized to borrow \$800,000 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7, of the General Laws, as amended, or any other enabling authority and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor; and that the Board of Selectmen and the Town Manager be and hereby are authorized to enter into any agreements they determine to be necessary in connection with the project and its financing and are further authorized to accept and expend in addition to the foregoing appropriation any grants that may become available from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority or other sources.

A True copy of the vote under
Article 32 of the Warrant for the
Annual Town Meeting of the Town
of Arlington at the session held on
April 23, 2018.

ATTEST:

Stephanie L. Lucarelli

Town Clerk



LOAN AGREEMENT

LOAN AGREEMENT, dated the 20th day of May 2019 between the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, a body politic and corporate, a public instrumentality and an independent public authority of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts (the "Authority") established by the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority Act, Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1984 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts ("Commonwealth"), as amended (the "Act"), having its principal place of business in Boston, Massachusetts, and the Town of Arlington, MA (the "Government Unit").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Authority has established a program of loans and grants (the "I/I Local Financial Assistance Program") to assist Local Bodies, as defined in the Act, in establishing programs for the reduction and control of infiltration and inflow ("I/I") into local sewer systems (the "Local I/I Programs") which will have a beneficial impact on the Authority's cost of maintaining and improving the Authority's sewer system; and

WHEREAS, the Government Unit has requested a loan from the Authority in the amount of \$200,000 (hereinafter referred to as the "Loan") for the purposes of funding its Local I/I Program and, to evidence the indebtedness to be incurred thereby, has duly authorized the issuance of its bonds in the principal amount of the Loan (the "Municipal Bonds"), which Municipal Bonds are to be issued to and held by the Authority in accordance with this Loan Agreement; and

WHEREAS, simultaneously with the making of the Loan, the Authority is making a grant in the amount of \$600,000 to the Government Unit (the "Grant"), which Grant will also be used by the Government Unit to fund its Local I/I Program; and

WHEREAS, the Authority may finance the Loan and the Grant from the proceeds of an issue of its tax-exempt revenue bonds which proceeds are subject to certain limitations as to investment and application;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Loan, the Grant and the Municipal Bonds. The Authority hereby agrees to make the Loan and the Grant and the Government Unit hereby agrees to accept the Loan and the Grant and, with respect to the Loan, to evidence its obligation to repay the Loan by issuing to the Authority the Municipal Bonds in the principal amount of the Loan, and substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A. Neither the Loan nor the Municipal Bonds shall bear interest.

2. Representations and Warranties. The Government Unit represents and warrants as follows: (a) it has duly adopted all necessary votes and resolutions and has taken all proceedings required by law to enable it to enter into this Loan Agreement and issue its Municipal Bonds to the Authority to evidence its obligation to pay the Loan; (b) the Municipal Bonds have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Government Unit and constitute valid and binding obligations of the Government Unit, enforceable in accordance with their terms, except as such enforceability may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium, reorganization or other laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted and general equity principles; (c) the Municipal Bonds constitute general obligations of the Government Unit to which its full faith and credit is pledged; (d) all permits and approvals necessary to construct the project being financed by the Grant and the Loan (the "Project"), given the current status of the Project, have been obtained and remain in full force and effect; and (e) no litigation before or by any court, public board or body is pending or threatened against the Government Unit seeking to restrain or enjoin the issuance of the Municipal Bonds or the construction of the Project.

3. Covenants. The Government Unit agrees that until the Loan shall be paid in full, and the proceeds of the Loan and the Grant, together with the earnings thereon, shall be expended in full, it shall perform the following covenants: (a) it shall make the payments with respect to the principal of the Municipal Bonds in ten equal annual installments, all at the time and in the amounts set forth in the Municipal Bonds; (b) it shall notify the Authority in writing, from time to time, of the name of the official of the Government Unit to whom invoices for the payment of principal should be addressed if different from the address set forth in paragraph 8; and (c) it shall furnish the Authority annually such information regarding the Government Unit's Local I/I Program and the implementation thereof, including project status and expenditure reports and evidence of compliance with any applicable permits and any other financial or project information as the Authority may reasonably request.

4. Opinion of Bond Counsel. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is an opinion of bond counsel to the Government Unit to the effect that (i) the Municipal Bonds have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Government Unit and constitute valid and binding general obligations of the Government Unit, enforceable in accordance with their terms, except as such enforceability may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, and moratorium, reorganization or other laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted and to general equity principles, and (ii) the Municipal Bonds constitute general obligations to which the Government Unit's full faith and credit is pledged.

5. Application of Grant and Loan Moneys. (a) The Government Unit shall deposit the proceeds of the Loan and the Grant (collectively, the "Proceeds") in a single account (the "Account") separated from its other moneys. Such Account shall be invested with Massachusetts Municipal Depository Trust or in such other manner as may be approved by the Authority from time to time in the Authority's reasonable discretion. Earnings on the Account shall be retained in such Account. The Government Unit shall arrange for copies of all investment reports with respect to the Account to be furnished in timely fashion to the Authority.

(b) The Proceeds, together with the earnings thereon, shall be applied to the costs of the Government Unit's Local I/I Program.

(c) The Government Unit acknowledges that the Authority has financed the Loan and the Grant with the issue of the Authority's tax-exempt revenue bonds (the "Authority Bonds"). The Government Unit agrees to take such steps as are reasonably requested by the Authority in order to preserve the tax-exempt status of the Authority Bonds including, but not limited to, the following: (i) to pay to the Authority such amount, not exceeding the Government Unit's investment earnings on the Proceeds, as may be required to satisfy the Authority's obligation to pay rebate to the United States pursuant to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"); (ii) to the extent feasible, to limit the investment of the Proceeds, together with any earnings thereon, to such interest rate or to such investments as the Authority may specify from time to time in writing; and (iii) to repay to the Authority the Proceeds upon its written request, together with any earnings thereon, in exchange for other moneys which are not subject to investment restrictions or which are subject to lesser restrictions.

(d) The Government Unit shall repay to the Authority the unexpended balance in any account established pursuant to Section 5(a) hereof on or before May 21, 2021 or thereafter shall invest such unexpended balance in accordance with the directions of the Authority in order to assure compliance with the applicable provisions of the Code.

6. Prepayment of Loan. The Authority shall have the right to cancel all or any part of its obligations hereunder and the Government Unit shall be obligated to repay all of the Proceeds previously disbursed to it which remain unexpended, together with any earnings on the Proceeds, upon the Authority's request if: (a) any representation made by the Government Unit to the Authority in connection with its application for Authority assistance shall be incorrect or incomplete in any material respect; or (b) the Government Unit is in (i) default of any of its obligations hereunder to make payment on the Municipal Bonds as and when the same shall become due and payable, or (ii) in default of any other covenant or agreement on its part contained herein, and such default shall continue for thirty (30) days after written notice from the Authority specifying the default and requesting that the same be remedied.

If the Authority demands repayment of the Proceeds and the earnings thereon pursuant to Section 6(a) or if repayment is made pursuant to Section 5(d), the moneys returned to the Authority shall be attributed first to the Proceeds. Seventy-five percent of the Proceeds shall be treated as a return of the Grant. Twenty-five percent of the Proceeds and any earnings on the Proceeds shall be applied to a prepayment of the Loan. If the Authority demands repayment of the Proceeds and the earnings thereon pursuant to Section 6(b), the moneys returned to the Authority shall be attributed first to earnings on the Proceeds and then to a return of the Grant. Any Proceeds after such allocation shall be applied to a prepayment of the Municipal Bonds.

In addition to the foregoing provisions, the Government Unit may prepay the Loan upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Authority. Except as expressly provided herein, all prepayments shall be without penalty.

11. No Waiver. No waiver by either party of any term or conditions of this Loan Agreement shall be deemed or construed as a waiver of any other terms or conditions, nor shall a waiver of any breach be deemed to constitute a waiver of any subsequent breach, whether of the same or of a different section, subsection, paragraph, clause, phrase, or other provision of this Loan Agreement.

12. Integration. This Loan Agreement merges and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, and agreements between the parties hereto relating to the subject matter hereof and constitutes the entire agreement between parties hereto in respect hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement the day and year first above written.

(SEAL)
Attest:

MASSACHUSETTS WATER RESOURCES AUTHORITY

Rose Marie Convery
Assistant Secretary

By _____
Matthew R. Horan, Treasurer

(SEAL)
Attest:

The Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

Stephanie L. Lucarelli
Town Clerk

BY: _____
Adam W. Chapdelaine, Town Manager

PLEASE SIGN / SEAL /
ATTEST ALL & LOAN
AGREEMENTS.

THANKS

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT

BY AND BETWEEN

THE AUTHORITY

AND

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

This Financial Assistance Agreement is made by and between the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, a body politic and corporate and public instrumentality, existing under Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1984, with its principal place of business at 100 First Avenue Charlestown, MA 02129, ("Authority" or "MWRA") and the Town of Arlington, MA, a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, with its principal place of business at Town Hall, 730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, MA 02476 ("Awardee") (collectively, "Parties");

WHEREAS, on August 19, 1992 the Authority Board of Directors voted to approve a program whereby the Authority was permitted to offer financial assistance to certain local communities committed to infiltration and inflow reduction or sewer system rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, the Awardee intends to conduct, or is conducting, an infiltration/inflow ("I/I") reduction or sewer system rehabilitation project ("Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Awardee filed a Financial Assistance Application in which it furnished information about the Project to the Authority; and

WHEREAS, the MWRA will provide financial assistance to the Awardee for its Project under certain terms and conditions, hereinafter provided.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the promises contained herein, the Parties agree that the Authority will provide and the Awardee will accept financial assistance under the following terms and conditions:

I. SCOPE OF SERVICES.

The Awardee has entered into or will enter into, within ninety (90) days of the execution of this Agreement, a contract with a consultant or contractor for sewer rehabilitation and/or I/I reduction services, in accordance with the Awardee's competitive procurement practice, and the scope of such work is listed in Attachment A.

II. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

A. The Authority shall provide financial assistance ("Award") to the Awardee in the form of both a grant and a loan. The total amount of the Award shall be \$ 800,000 of which \$ 600,000 shall be in the form of a grant ("Grant") and \$ 200,000 shall be in the form of an interest-free loan ("Loan").

B. The Loan shall be governed by the attached Loan Agreement, which is incorporated herein by reference as Attachment C.

C. Upon execution of the Loan Agreement, the Authority shall initiate an electronic transfer for the total Award through the Automated Clearing House (ACH) having a pay date three business days after the execution date, including both the grant and the loan, to the following designated account of the Awardee:

MMDT Account No. 44261014 (Federated Account No. 1003275)

D. The Authority shall not be obligated to provide additional financial assistance above the Award amount regardless of additional Project costs which may be incurred by the Awardee.

E. In the event that the Project is not initiated as outlined in the Project Schedule, the Awardee shall return the entire Grant to the Authority within ninety (90) days.

III. EFFECTIVE DATE OF AGREEMENT.

This agreement will not become effective until the Loan Agreement is fully executed.

IV. TERM.

The term of this Agreement shall begin upon the date of execution of this Agreement, including the execution of the Loan Agreement, and shall be in effect until the Awardee fully repays the Loan to the Authority in accordance with the terms of the Loan Agreement. As evidence that the final payment has been made, the Authority will send a letter to the Awardee indicating that the Loan has been discharged.

V. PROJECT SCHEDULE.

Implementation of the Project must begin within ninety (90) calendar days of execution of the Agreement, including the Loan Agreement, or all grant funds must be returned to the Authority. The Project must comply with the Project Schedule listed in Attachment B.

It is the obligation of the Awardee to obtain all licenses, permits, easements or any other approvals necessary to begin and successfully complete the Project.

VI. EXPENDITURE VERIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.

A. Throughout the completion of the Project Scope of Services, the Awardee shall submit progress reports to the Authority, on forms provided by the Authority, which outline the overall progress of the Project, the progress of key Project tasks, and the total Project cost expended to date. The frequency and schedule for progress reporting is outlined within the Phase I/I Local Financial Assistance Program Guidelines. Progress reports shall be submitted to:

Massachusetts Water Resources Authority
Charlestown Navy Yard
100 First Avenue
Boston, MA 02129
Attn: Community Support Program

B. The Awardee shall append to each progress report information which documents eligible Project costs, including, but not limited to, consultant and/or contractor invoices; awardee labor, equipment, materials and other costs; and ancillary expenses. Time sheets and work summaries documenting any requests for force account work reimbursement must also be provided.

C. The Awardee shall exercise its best efforts to accomplish the Project set forth in the Scope of Services within the Award Amount established. In the event that an increase or decrease in the total Project cost is anticipated, or in fact occurs, the Awardee shall immediately notify the Authority in writing, and shall submit a status report including reasons for changes in Project cost, work completed to date, total dollars expended to date, and an estimate of the cost required to complete the Project.

VII. PROJECT INSPECTION.

The Awardee shall make the Project site and all Project records available to the Authority staff for review during the course of the Project. Authority staff may periodically monitor the progress of work to insure that the Project is: (1) proceeding substantially as defined in the Scope of Services; (2) proceeding substantially within the Project Schedule; and (3) proceeding in a manner which will substantially produce the quantitative I/I reduction result which the Awardee estimated would be achieved in the Financial Assistance Application.

VIII. PROJECT CLOSEOUT PROVISIONS.

A. Upon completion of the Project, the Awardee shall notify the Authority that the Project is complete and shall certify, on a form provided by the Authority, that all work included in the Scope of Services has been completed and performed in accordance with this Agreement. The Awardee shall submit to the Authority a Project closeout package which shall include a summary of all Project expenditures and the final Project cost.

B. If the final Project cost meets or exceeds the Award, no revision to the Grant shall be made during Project closeout.

C. If the final Project cost is less than the Award, a revision to the Grant shall be made during Project closeout. The difference between the Award and the final Project closeout cost will be calculated and defined as the Project "Shortage Amount". The existence of a Project Shortage Amount will not affect the Loan repayment amount or schedule.

D. In the event that a Project Shortage Amount exists, the Awardee agrees to repay seventy-five (75%) of such Project Shortage Amount to the Authority. The Authority will send the Awardee a separate invoice for payment of the Project Shortage Amount forty-five (45) days prior to the next loan repayment date.

IX. PROJECT AUDIT PROVISIONS.

A. The Awardee, its engineers, and its contractors shall maintain books, records, and other documents that pertain to and involve transactions related to this Agreement in accordance with generally accepted accounting principals. The Awardee, its engineers, and its contractors shall also maintain the financial information and data used by the engineers and contractors in the preparation or support of all invoices and progress reports. The Authority and any other duly authorized person, shall have access to such books, records, documents, and other evidence for inspection, audit, and copying during normal business hours, upon ten (10) days notice and at the Authority's expense. The Awardee, its engineers, and its contractors shall provide proper facilities for such access and inspection. All documents shall be kept for at least seven (7) years after either the final payment to the engineer or contractor or after the closeout of the Project, whichever is later.

B. The Awardee agrees to include the wording of Section IX A, above, in all contracts and subcontracts hereafter awarded to third party contractors, vendors and service providers related to this Agreement.

C. Audits conducted by the Authority, or its duly authorized representatives, shall be in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards and established procedures and guidelines of the Authority. Such audits shall be conducted at the expense of the Authority upon ten (10) days notice to the Awardee.

D. The Awardee agrees to provide the Authority with a copy of the Awardee's annual audited financial statements within a reasonable time after the issuance thereof, together with a certificate of the Awardee stating that the Awardee is in compliance with its obligations under this agreement.

X. INTERACTION WITH OTHER PROGRAMS OF ASSISTANCE.

The Awardee certifies that it has not and will not receive financial assistance under the State Revolving Fund (SRF) or any other state, federal, or other program of funding assistance for any Project costs for which financial assistance has been provided by the MWRA I/I Local Financial Assistance Program.

XI. AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE AGREEMENT.

Prior to the execution of this Agreement, the Awardee shall take all steps necessary to authorize it to properly execute this Agreement.

XII. GOVERNING LAW.

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

XIII. COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL LAWS.

The Awardee shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, and codes of the state and local governments, and shall commit no trespass on any public or private property in performing any of the work embraced by this Agreement.

XIV. INVALIDITY OF PARTICULAR PROVISIONS.

If any provision of this Agreement shall to any extent be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be deemed affected thereby.

XV. CONTRACTING/SUBCONTRACTING.

The Awardee shall have no capacity to involve the Authority in any contract nor to incur any liability on the part of the Authority.

XVI. CHANGES TO SCOPE OF SERVICES.

The Authority and the Awardee may, during the course of the project, mutually agree to revisions in the Scope of Services or Project Schedule. Such changes shall be incorporated into this Agreement by written amendment.

XVII. PROVISION OF CONTRACTS.

The Awardee agrees to submit to the Authority an executed copy of each contract for engineering services or construction relevant to the Scope of Services.

XVIII. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.

The Awardee shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, age, handicap status or national origin. The Awardee, its engineer(s), and its contractor(s) shall comply with all applicable laws and regulations pertaining to nondiscrimination, equal opportunity and affirmative action, including without limitation executive orders and rules and regulations of federal and state agencies of competent jurisdiction. The Awardee shall make positive efforts to achieve a goal of 7.18 percent participation of Minority-owned Business Enterprise(s) and 5.77 percent participation of Woman-owned Business Enterprise(s) within Professional Services contracts which are funded through financial assistance under this Agreement. For Non-Professional Services category work, the Awardee should make positive efforts to achieve a goal of 5.61 percent participation of Minority-owned Business Enterprise(s) and a goal of 4.88 percent participation of Woman-owned Business Enterprise(s) within project contracts.

For Construction, the Awardee shall require all construction contractors and subcontractors to make positive efforts to achieve: (1) a minority employee work force goal of 15.30 percent, (2) a woman employee work force goal of 6.90 percent, (3) a goal of 7.24 percent participation of Minority-owned Business Enterprise(s), and (4) a goal of 3.60 percent participation of Woman-owned Business Enterprise(s) within the project contracts.

XIX. INDEMNIFICATION.

The Awardee, at its expense, shall defend and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Authority, its members, officers and employees, from and against any and all claims, causes of action, suits, losses, damages and expenses, including attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from any acts, errors or omissions or breach of contractual duties by the Awardee and anyone employed by it (including Contractors, Subcontractors and/or Consultants and their employees) in performance of this Agreement. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate or abridge any other obligation of indemnification running to the Authority which would otherwise exist.

XX. MEMBERS, EMPLOYEES NOT LIABLE.

No member or employee of the Authority shall be charged personally or held contractually liable by or to the Awardee under any term or provision of this Agreement or because of any breach thereof or because of its execution or attempted execution.

XXI. INTEREST OF AWARDEE.

The Awardee covenants that its Contractors, Subcontractors and/or Consultants presently have no interest and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in the property to which this Agreement pertains or any parcels therein or any other interest which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of its services hereunder. The Awardee further covenants that no person having any such interest shall be employed in the performance of this Agreement.

XXII. INTEREST OF EMPLOYEES; M.G.L.C. 268A.

Neither Awardee, nor its Contractors, Subcontractors and/or Consultants shall, during the term of this Agreement, hire or employ on either a full-time or part-time basis any person or persons so long as such person shall be employed by the Authority.

The Awardee acknowledges that the Authority is a state agency for the purposes of Chapter 268A of the Massachusetts General Laws (the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest statute). The Awardee agrees to take actions and to forbear from taking actions, as circumstances require, so as to be in compliance at all time with said statute.

XXIII. ASSIGNABILITY.

The Awardee shall not assign any interest, in whole or in part, in this Agreement and shall not transfer any interest in the same, whether by assignment or novation, without the prior written approval of the Authority.

XXIV. PAYMENT NOT A WAIVER.

The Authority's payment to Awardee under this Agreement or its review, approval or acceptance of any actions by Awardee under this Agreement shall not operate as a waiver of any rights under this Agreement and the Awardee shall remain liable to the Authority for all damages incurred by the Awardee's failure to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

The rights and remedies of the Authority provided for under this Agreement are in addition to any other rights or remedies provided by law. The Authority may assert a right to recover damages by any appropriate means, including but not limited to set-off, suit, withholding, recoupment, or counter-claim either during or after performance of this Agreement.

XXV. TERMINATION OF THE AGREEMENT FOR CAUSE.

If, through any cause, the Awardee shall fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under this Agreement (including performance of the Scope of Services and maintenance of the Project Schedule); or if it is determined that there is probable cause to believe that the Award was obtained on the basis of fraud, deceit, or illegality; or if the Awardee has failed to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; the Authority shall hereupon have the right to terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to the Awardee of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof.

The Awardee agrees that if this Agreement is terminated by the Authority, the Awardee shall immediately repay to the Authority the full Grant which is identified in Section II, above. The Awardee also agrees that the Loan shall not be affected by such termination and that the separate Loan Agreement shall remain in full effect.

XXVI. ATTACHMENTS.

Attachments to this Agreement are incorporated herein and are as follows:

Attachment A Scope of Services
Attachment B Project Schedule
Attachment C Loan Agreement

XXVII. PROJECT SPECIFIC ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. All reports prepared in conjunction with this project shall be submitted to the Authority for review and approval.
2. The community will submit to the Authority the proposed project's plans and specifications upon their completion for review and approval.
3. The Authority will be informed of the contract award for the construction phase of the proposed rehabilitation project and forwarded bid tabulation and contractor intent to award / notice to proceed documentation. The community will inform the Authority of the date for Final Inspection for the construction phase of the proposed rehabilitation project.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement this _____ day of _____, 2019.

MASSACHUSETTS WATER RESOURCES AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Matthew R. Horan, Treasurer

AWARDEE: Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

BY:  _____
Adam W. Chapdelaine, Town Manager

**MWRA I/I LOCAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - PHASE 11
ATTACHMENT A
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT**

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

**PHASE #11 SANITARY SEWER REHABILITATIONS
PHASE #9 POST-CONSTRUCTION FLOW EVALUATION**

MWRA PROJECT NO. WRA-P11-01-3-1117

SCOPE OF SERVICES

The purpose of these projects is to identify and rehabilitate community sewer subareas that contribute excessive I/I, evaluate rehabilitation options and rehabilitate the sewer system on a continuous set schedule. Project work will include, but not be limited to, the following:

Phase #11 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Construction: Construction of cost-effective / value-effective sewer rehabilitations. Sewer rehabilitation work includes: performing 1553 LF of sewer pipe root treatment; cleaning and inspecting 604 LF of 8-inch sewer; testing (48) 8-inch pipe joints; sealing (30) 8-inch pipe joints; installing 50 LF of 8-inch PVC gravity sewer; CIP pipe lining of 7536 LF of 6, 8 and 12-inch sewer pipe; installing eight (8) LF of CIP short liners; installing five (5) CIP lateral liners; grouting 162 reinstated service connections; grouting 10 service connections; installing 45 LF of 6-inch PVC building connections; cutting three (3) protruding service connections; performing cementitious lining of existing sewer manholes (2314 VF); grouting seven (7) sewer manholes; installing two (2) sewer manhole inflow dishes; furnishing & installing two (2) manhole frames & covers; raising two (2) manholes frames & covers to grade; performing 8140 LF of post-construction flow isolation; and the performance of all other work pursuant to the terms and conditions detailed within the plans and specifications of the Town of Arlington Phase #11 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitations and the approved MWRA Phase 11 I/I Local Financial Assistance Project Application received April 18, 2019. Project work is located in Arlington Investigation Areas #1 through #11.

Phase #9 Post-Construction Flow Evaluation: Flow Evaluation work includes: compiling and reviewing flow isolation data collected as part of the Phase #9 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project (MWRA Project No. WRA-P9-01-3-960); preparing a line segment to line segment comparison of flow isolation data; and providing an estimate of the infiltration removed during the Phase #9 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project.

Overall project cost is estimated at \$800,000. Eligible MWRA I/I Local Financial Assistance is \$800,000 (Phase #11 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Construction: \$635,000 / Phase #11 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Construction Services: \$150,000 / Phase #9 Post-Construction Flow Evaluation: \$15,000). As a result of the above Phase #11 Sanitary System Rehabilitation work, an estimated 0.04 mgd of peak infiltration will be removed from the collection system upon contract completion.

**MWRA I/I LOCAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - PHASE 11
ATTACHMENT B
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT**

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

**PHASE #11 SANITARY SEWER REHABILITATIONS
PHASE #9 POST-CONSTRUCTION FLOW EVALUATION**

MWRA PROJECT NO. WRA-P11-01-3-1117

PROJECT SCHEDULE

<u>Item</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Completion Date</u>
Phase #11 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitations:		
Construction	May 2019	November 2019
Warranty Retesting	May 2020	June 2020
Phase #9 Post-Construction Flow Evaluation:		
Study	May 2019	August 2019