

MURFREESBORO CITY COUNCIL
Regular Meeting Agenda
Council Chambers – City Hall – 6:00 PM
April 16, 2020

PRAYER

Mr. Ronnie Martin

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CEREMONIAL ITEMS

New Business

On Motion

1. Extension of Emergency Pay Policy (Administration)
2. Resolution 20-R-08: Refinance City General Obligation and Water Resources Variable Rate Debt (Administration)
3. MTSU Temporary Parking Transient Use Agreement (Airport)

Licensing

Other Business

Adjournment

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

Meeting Date: 04/16/2020

Item Title: Extension of Emergency Pay Policy

Department: Administration

Presented by: Craig Tindall

Requested Council Action:

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Summary

Extension of the Emergency Pay Policy 5003 (Temp-1).

Staff Recommendation

Extend the Emergency Pay Policy 5003 (TEMP-1) for an additional 20-day period.

Background Information

In light of the current declared state of emergency, which caused the closing of City facilities and limitation on certain City functions, Council adopted an Emergency Pay Policy, 5003(a) on March 19th, 2020. This Policy was consistent with the March 18, 2020 Federal Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act ("EPSLA") as part of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act. This Act is effective until 12/31/2020.

The revised supplement to the City Compensation Policy (Employee Handbook 5003), Policy 5003 (Temp-1), conforms to the EPSLA and makes provision for employees in the event they are temporarily displaced from their positions.

Council Priorities Served

Responsible budgeting

The City is required to conforming Federal law. Additionally, assuring that employees temporarily displaced by a declared emergency assures that the employees are available on an as-needed basis and are available to return to work after the emergency situation is resolved.

Operational Issues

The proposed policy will be important to maintain operations during an emergency and ensure returning to normal operations as quickly as possible.

Fiscal Impact

All funds are budgeted.

Attachments

Employee Handbook Policy 5003 (TEMP-1)

EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK

Policy No: 5003 (Temp-1)
Policy: Classification and Compensation – COVID-19 Emergency
Effective Date: 3/19/2020
Expiration Date: 12/31/2020

1. Policy

- 1.1. An emergency situation related to the spread of the COVID-19 virus that has been declared by federal, state or local officials may require that the employment of certain employees be curtailed for a period.
- 1.2. On March 18, 2020, as part of the response to this emergency, the President of the United States signed into law the Families First Coronavirus Response Act, H.R. 6201, 116th Congress (2020) (“Families First Act”). The Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act and Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act are part of the larger Families First Act. These two laws, among other things, require certain specified employers, including local government employers, to provide emergency paid sick leave, as well as emergency paid leave under the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA), to certain employees who contract COVID-19 or are otherwise affected by the Coronavirus pandemic as specified in the Act.
- 1.3. This Policy implements the requirements of the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act and Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act. It also permits the continuation of compensation in other specific circumstances, which may be implemented by the City Manager for the period designated herein.

2. Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act

2.1 Generally.

- a. Any employee who experiences a Qualifying Need Related to a Public Health Emergency is entitled to leave in accordance with this section of Policy 5003 (Temp-1) and the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act.
- b. This section of Policy 5003 (Temp-1) prevails to the extent the leave and other benefits granted by this section are more generous or expansive than those required by federal law. In all other respects, this section will be applied and interpreted in accordance with the Family Medical Leave Act, as amended by the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act.

2.2 Definitions. For purposes of this Section the following definitions apply:

- a. *Qualifying Need Related to a Public Health Emergency.* A “Qualifying Need Related to a Public Health Emergency” (hereinafter “Qualifying Need”) exists when an employee is unable to work (or telework) due to a need for leave to care for the employee’s child under 18 years of age if the school or place of care has been closed, or the child care provider of such child is unavailable, due to a public health emergency.

- b. *Employee.* The term “Employee” includes any person employed by the City as of the date the person requests leave under this Section, regardless of how long the person has been employed by the City.
 - c. *Employee’s Child.* The term an “Employee’s Child” includes an employee’s child by birth or adoption, an employee’s stepchild, and a child for whom the employee acts in loco parentis.
- 2.3 Leave for Initial 10 Days of a Qualifying Need. The first 10 days for which an employee takes leave under this section will be unpaid leave, unless the employee elects to substitute any accrued vacation leave, personal leave, compensatory leave, or medical or sick leave for unpaid leave under section.
- 2.4 Leave for Subsequent Days of a Qualifying Need. Once an employee has taken 10 days of leave for a Qualifying Need, the City will provide paid leave for each additional leave taken by the employee for a Qualifying Need in accordance with the formula set forth in the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act. In no case, however, will such paid leave exceed \$200 per day and \$10,000 in the aggregate.
- 2.5 Public Safety Exception. As permitted under the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Act, this section does not apply to any Police Officer or Firefighter, regardless of the employee’s rank within the Police or Fire Rescue departments.

3. Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act

- 3.1 Leave. The City will provide an employee paid sick leave to the extent that the employee is unable to work or telework due to a need for leave because of:
- a. The employee is subject to a Federal, State, or local quarantine or isolation order related to COVID–19;
 - b. The employee has been advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine due to concerns related to COVID–19;
 - c. The employee is experiencing symptoms of COVID–19 and seeking a medical diagnosis;
 - d. The employee is caring for an individual who is subject to an order as described in subparagraph (a) or has been advised as described in subparagraph (b);
 - e. The employee is caring for a son or daughter of such employee if the school or place of care of the son or daughter has been closed, or the childcare provider of such son or daughter is unavailable, due to COVID–19 precautions; or
 - f. The employee is experiencing any other substantially similar condition specified by the U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services.
- 3.2 Public Safety Exception. As permitted under the Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act, no Police Officer or Firefighter, regardless of the employee’s rank within the Police or Fire Rescue departments, are eligible for paid leave pursuant to subparagraph (e).

3.3 Duration.

- a. Full-time employees are eligible for up to 80 hours of paid sick leave under Section 3.1.
- b. Part-time employees are eligible for a number of hours equal to the number of hours that such employee works, on average, over a 2-week period.
- c. The City may not require an employee to use other paid leave provided to the employee before the employee uses the paid sick time under this Section.
- d. After the expiration of the paid sick leave afforded by this policy, an employee may utilize other leave provided by the City in accordance with existing City policy.

3.4 Calculation. The monetary value of an employee's paid sick leave will be calculated in accordance with Section 5110(5) of the Family First Coronavirus Response Act. As provided by that law, in no event will the sick leave paid under this Section exceed:

- a. \$511 per day and \$5,110 in the aggregate for a use described in sections 3.1.a, 3.1.b, or 3.1.c.; and
- b. \$200 per day and \$2,000 in the aggregate for a use described in sections 3.1.d, 3.1.e, or 3.1.f.

3.5 Interpretation. This section will be applied and interpreted in all respects in accordance with the Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act.

4. Closure of City Facilities to the Public

- 4.1 In the event of the closure of a City facility to the public, the Department Director with authority over that facility will ensure that staffing remains sufficient at the facility to continue critical functions and protect the facility. Critical staff remaining at the facility will be paid as in the normal course of business.
- 4.2 Department Directors will identify and take reasonable measures to assign alternative, on-site work to non-critical staff and work with other Department Directors to identify assignments for which non-critical staff may be qualified to perform.
- 4.3 Full-time employees whose job responsibilities do not relate to the publicly closed facility's critical functions and cannot be reassigned to other productive duties within the City will be placed on administrative leave with pay for up to 40 business days, after which time employees will be required to use benefit hours (vacation, compensatory, or sick time).
- 4.4 Part-time employees whose job responsibilities do not relate to the publicly closed facility's critical functions and cannot be reassigned to other productive duties within the City will be paid for their originally scheduled work hours up to a maximum of 200 hours.
- 4.5 Employees on administrative leave may be required to report for a portion of the day by their Department Director as required by operational necessity. Additionally, Employees may be assigned to work on community assistance, which may include working with City's

Strategic Partners or other community-based non-profits. Any employee declining a temporary assignment will be required to use benefit hours, if available, during their time away from work or, if benefits hours are unavailable, will be placed on administrative leave without pay, and may be subject to discipline.

- 4.6 Employees on administrative leave must remain within a 60-minute drive to work on any day they would normally be expected to be at work. Employees whose residence is further than a 60-minute drive to the workplace may be provided an exception up to an additional 30 minutes by their Department Director.

5. Time off due to Pre-Existing Condition in the Public Health Emergency

Requests of employees for time off because of a disability as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act (“ADA”) will be handled in accordance with that Act.

6. Time off for Other Reasons

Employees away from work due to any other reason, including vacation time, workers’ Compensation, ADA, or employees running out benefits for retirement purposes are not affected by this policy and their compensation will continue to be applied based on current policy. Similarly, employees who are on leave pursuant to the Family and Medical Leave Act for reasons not related to the COVID-19 pandemic are not affected by this policy and their compensation will continue to be applied based on current policy, unless the individual becomes eligible for leave (paid or unpaid) under the Emergency Family and Medical Leave Expansion Act and/or the Emergency Paid Sick Leave Act.

7. Non-Retaliation

Neither the City nor any City official or employee may discharge, discipline, or in any other manner discriminate against any employee who takes leave pursuant to this Policy or who files a complaint or instituted or caused to be instituted any proceeding alleging a violation of this policy, or has testified or is about to testify in any such proceeding.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

Meeting Date: 04/16/2020

Item Title: Refinance City General Obligation and Water Resources Variable Rate Debt

Department: Administration

Presented by: Craig Tindall, City Manager

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Summary

Refinance City General Obligation and Water Resources General Obligation variable rate debt to fixed rate

Staff Recommendation

Approve Resolution 20-R-08 authorizing the Refunding of variable rate debt to fixed rate debt, including competitive bank loan or public sale.

Background Information

Council approved Resolution 20-R-06 on March 19, 2020, authorizing staff to pursue refinancing the City’s variable rate debt to a fixed rate through a public sale. The attached resolution and refunding plan modifies the original plan to also include a competitive bank loan if the terms and rates are more favorable than the open market.

In addition, the Plan has been amended to include the City of Murfreesboro General Obligation Loans, Series 2006A, dated May 30, 2006 and Series 2006B, dated June 27, 2006, both of which will be fully matured June 1, 2021. This debt was used to finance construction, improvement, renovation, and equipping of several City facilities including City Schools, MPD, MFRD, Airport, and parks. It financed construction and improvement of roads and acquired equipment for various departments including MPD, Solid Waste, MFRD, and Streets. Additional construction included funding for MTSU track and baseball complexes.

By including the flexibility to sell the bonds competitively in the bond market or through a bank loan, the City will be able to react to the uncertain bond market with the most favorable outcome.

Council Priorities Served

Responsible budgeting

Moving from variable to fixed rate will allow for precise budgeting.

Fiscal Impact

Refunding will reduce interest rate, remarketing and liquidity risk. Estimated savings relative to budget rates for General Fund is \$450,000 and \$830,000 for Water Resources Department.

Attachments

1. Resolution No. 20-R-08
2. Refunding Plan

RESOLUTION NO. 20-R-08

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$46,300,000, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES; MAKING PROVISION FOR THE ISSUANCE, SALE AND PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS, ESTABLISHING THE TERMS THEREOF AND THE DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS THEREFROM; AND PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 12-10-101, et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the "Municipality") entered into (i) a Loan Agreement dated December 10, 2003 (the "2003 Loan Agreement"), between The Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee (the "Authority") and the Municipality, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2003 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated December 10, 2003 (the "Series 2003 Bond"); (ii) a Loan Agreement dated May 30, 2006 (the "2006A Loan Agreement"), between the Authority and the Municipality, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2006 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated May 30, 2006 (the "Series 2006A Bond"); (iii) a Loan Agreement dated June 27, 2006 (the "2006B Loan Agreement"), between the Authority and the Municipality, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2006 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated June 27, 2006 (the "Series 2006B Bond") (iv) a Loan Agreement dated March 12, 2007 (the "2007 Loan Agreement"), between the Authority and the Municipality, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2006 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated March 12, 2007 (the "Series 2007 Bond"); and (v) a Loan Agreement dated February 14, 2008 (the "2008 Loan Agreement" and collectively with the 2003 Loan Agreement, the 2006A Loan Agreement, the 2006B Loan Agreement and the 2007 Loan Agreement, the "Loan Agreements"), between the Authority and the Municipality, which was funded from the proceeds of the Authority's Local Government Loan Program Bond, Series 2008 (City of Murfreesboro Loan), dated February 14, 2008 (the "Series 2008 Bond" and collectively with the Series 2003 Bond, the Series 2006A Bond, the Series 2006B Bond and the Series 2007 Bond, the "Authority Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Loan Agreements, the Authority made loans to the Municipality for the purpose of funding various public works projects; and

WHEREAS, the Loan Agreements bear interest at variable rates; and

WHEREAS, the refinancing of the Loan Agreements to fixed rate indebtedness will reduce the Municipality's exposure to the costs and risks attendant to variable rate indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Sections 9-21-101 et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, municipalities in Tennessee are authorized through their respective governing bodies to issue and sell bonds to refund, redeem or make principal and interest payments on bonds or other debt obligations previously issued by said municipalities; and

WHEREAS, a plan of refunding has been submitted to the Director of the Division of Local Government Finance (the "State Director") as required by Section 9-21-903, Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and the State Director has

acknowledged receipt thereof and reported thereon to the Municipality, which report is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the Municipality (the “Governing Body”) hereby determines that it is necessary and advisable to refund all or a portion of the Loan Agreements by the issuance of general obligation refunding bonds; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the Governing Body to adopt this Resolution for the purpose of authorizing not to exceed \$46,300,000 in aggregate principal amount of its general obligation refunding bonds, providing for the issuance, sale and payment of said bonds, establishing the terms thereof and the disposition of proceeds therefrom and for the levy of a tax for the payment of principal thereof, premium, if any, and interest thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Authority. The bonds authorized by this resolution are issued pursuant to 9-21-101 et seq., Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and other applicable provisions of law.

SECTION 2. Definitions. In addition to the terms defined in the preamble above, the following terms shall have the following meanings in this resolution unless the text expressly or by necessary implication requires otherwise:

(a) “Bonds” means the not to exceed \$46,300,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds of the Municipality, to be issued in one or more series and dated their date(s) of issuance, and having such series designation(s) or such other dated date(s) as shall be determined by the Mayor pursuant to Section 8 hereof.

(b) “Bond Purchase Agreement” means a Bond Purchase Agreement, dated as of the date of the sale of the Bonds, between the Municipality and an Underwriter, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, subject to such changes as permitted by Section 8 hereof, as approved by the Mayor, consistent with the terms of this resolution.

(c) “Book-Entry Form” or “Book-Entry System” means a form or system, as applicable, under which physical bond certificates in fully registered form are issued to a Depository, or to its nominee as Registered Owner, with the certificate of bonds being held by and “immobilized” in the custody of such Depository, and under which records maintained by persons, other than the Municipality or the Registration Agent, constitute the written record that identifies, and records the transfer of, the beneficial “book-entry” interests in those bonds.

(d) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and all regulations promulgated thereunder.

(e) "Debt Management Policy" means the Debt Management Policy adopted by the Governing Body as required by the State Funding Board of the State of Tennessee.

(f) “Depository” means any securities depository that is a clearing agency under federal laws operating and maintaining, with its participants or otherwise, a Book-Entry System, including, but not limited to, DTC.

(g) “DTC” means The Depository Trust Company, a limited purpose company organized under the laws of the State of New York, and its successors and assigns.

(h) “DTC Participant(s)” means securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies and clearing corporations that have access to the DTC System.

(i) "Governing Body" means the City Council of the Municipality.

(j) “Mayor” shall mean the Mayor of the Municipality.

(k) “Municipal Advisor” means Cumberland Securities Company, Inc., Knoxville, Tennessee.

(l) “Registration Agent” means the registration and paying agent appointed by the Mayor pursuant to the terms hereof, or any successor designated by the Governing Body.

(m) “Underwriter” means the original purchaser of the Bonds if a negotiated, public sale is utilized to sell the Bonds, as selected by the Mayor as provided herein.

SECTION 3. Findings of the Governing Body; Compliance with Debt Management Policy. The Governing Body hereby finds that the issuance and sale of the Bonds, as proposed herein, is consistent with the Municipality’s Debt Management Policy. Approximate debt service is attached hereto as Exhibit C, subject to change by the Mayor, as permitted by Section 8 hereof.

SECTION 4. Authorization and Terms of the Bonds.

(a) For the purpose of providing funds to (i) prepay, in whole or in part, the Loan Agreements, including accrued interest and premium, and in turn, the Authority Bonds, and (ii) pay costs incident to the issuance and sale of the Bonds, there is hereby authorized to be issued general obligation refunding bonds of the Municipality in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$46,300,000. The Bonds shall be issued in one or more series, as fully registered certificated Bonds or in fully registered, book-entry form, without coupons, and subject to the adjustments permitted hereunder, shall be known as “General Obligation Refunding Bonds”, shall be dated their date(s) of issuance, and shall have such series designation(s) or such other dated date(s) as shall be determined by the Mayor pursuant to the terms hereof. The Bonds, or any series thereof, shall bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by applicable Tennessee law at the time of issuance of the Bonds, payable (subject to the adjustments permitted hereunder) semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 in each year, commencing December 1, 2020. The Bonds shall be issued initially in \$5,000 denominations or integral multiples thereof, as shall be requested by the original purchaser thereof, or such other denominations as shall be directed by the Mayor. Subject to the adjustments permitted pursuant to the terms hereof, the Bonds shall mature serially or be subject to mandatory redemption and shall be payable on June 1 of each year, subject to prior optional redemption as hereinafter provided, in the years 2021 through 2027, inclusive. Attached hereto as Exhibit C is a preliminary debt service estimate of the amortization of the Bonds provided, however, such amortization may be adjusted in accordance with the terms hereof.

(b) Subject to the adjustments permitted under Section 8 hereof, the Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Municipality.

(c) Pursuant to the terms hereof, the Mayor is authorized to sell the Bonds, or any maturities thereof, as term bonds (“Term Bonds”) with mandatory redemption requirements corresponding to the maturities set forth herein or as determined by the Mayor. In the event any or all the Bonds are sold as Term Bonds, the Municipality shall redeem Term Bonds on redemption dates corresponding to the maturity dates set forth herein, in aggregate principal amounts equal to the maturity amounts established pursuant to the terms hereof for each redemption date, as such

maturity amounts may be adjusted pursuant to the terms hereof, at a price of par plus accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption. The Term Bonds to be redeemed within a single maturity shall be selected as follows:

(i) if the Bonds are being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds to be redeemed shall be determined by DTC, or such successor Depository, by lot or such other manner as DTC, or such successor Depository, shall determine; or

(ii) if the Bonds are not being held under a Book-Entry System by DTC, or a successor Depository, the Bonds within the maturity to be redeemed shall be selected by the Registration Agent by lot or such other random manner as the Registration Agent in its discretion shall determine.

At its option, to be exercised on or before the forty-fifth (45th) day next preceding any such mandatory redemption date, the Municipality may (i) deliver to the Registration Agent for cancellation Bonds to be redeemed, in any aggregate principal amount desired, and/or (ii) receive a credit in respect of its redemption obligation under this mandatory redemption provision for any Bonds of the maturity to be redeemed which prior to said date have been purchased or redeemed (otherwise than through the operation of this mandatory sinking fund redemption provision) and cancelled by the Registration Agent and not theretofore applied as a credit against any redemption obligation under this mandatory sinking fund provision. Each Bond so delivered or previously purchased or redeemed shall be credited by the Registration Agent at 100% of the principal amount thereof on the obligation of the Municipality on such payment date and any excess shall be credited on future redemption obligations in chronological order, and the principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed by operation of this mandatory sinking fund provision shall be accordingly reduced. The Municipality shall on or before the forty-fifth (45th) day next preceding each payment date furnish the Registration Agent with its certificate indicating whether or not and to what extent the provisions of clauses (i) and (ii) of this subsection are to be availed of with respect to such payment and confirm that funds for the balance of the next succeeding prescribed payment will be paid on or before the next succeeding payment date.

(d) Notice of any call for redemption shall be given by the Registration Agent on behalf of the Municipality not less than twenty (20) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the date fixed for redemption by sending an appropriate notice to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, at the addresses shown on the Bond registration records of the Registration Agent as of the date of the notice; but neither failure to mail such notice nor any defect in any such notice so mailed shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for redemption of any of the Bonds for which proper notice was given. The optional redemption notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). The notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). If DTC, or a successor Depository, is the registered owner of the Bonds, all redemption notices shall be mailed by the Registration Agent to DTC, or such successor Depository, as the registered owner of the Bonds, as and when above provided, and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible for mailing notices of redemption to DTC Participants or Beneficial Owners. Failure of DTC, or any successor Depository, to provide notice to any DTC Participant or Beneficial Owner will not affect the validity of such redemption. The Registration Agent shall mail said notices as and when directed by the Municipality pursuant to written instructions from an authorized representative of the Municipality (other than for a mandatory sinking fund redemption, notices of which shall be given on the dates provided herein) given at least forty-five (45) days prior to

the redemption date (unless a shorter notice period shall be satisfactory to the Registration Agent). From and after the redemption date, all Bonds called for redemption shall cease to bear interest if funds are available at the office of the Registration Agent for the payment thereof and if notice has been duly provided as set forth herein. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall give immediate notice to the Depository, if applicable, or the affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall give immediate notice to the Depository or the affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding.

(e) The Governing Body hereby authorizes and directs the Mayor to appoint the Registration Agent for the Bonds and hereby authorizes the Registration Agent so appointed to maintain Bond registration records with respect to the Bonds, to authenticate and deliver the Bonds as provided herein, either at original issuance or upon transfer, to effect transfers of the Bonds, to give all notices of redemption as required herein, to make all payments of principal and interest with respect to the Bonds as provided herein, to cancel and destroy Bonds which have been paid at maturity or upon earlier redemption or submitted for exchange or transfer, to furnish the Municipality at least annually a certificate of destruction with respect to Bonds cancelled and destroyed, and to furnish the Municipality at least annually an audit confirmation of Bonds paid, Bonds outstanding and payments made with respect to interest on the Bonds. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute and the City Recorder is hereby authorized to attest such written agreement between the Municipality and the Registration Agent as they shall deem necessary and proper with respect to the obligations, duties and rights of the Registration Agent. The payment of all reasonable fees and expenses of the Registration Agent for the discharge of its duties and obligations hereunder or under any such agreement is hereby authorized and directed.

(f) The Bonds shall be payable, both principal and interest, in lawful money of the United States of America at the designated office of the Registration Agent. The Registration Agent shall make all interest payments with respect to the Bonds by check or draft on each interest payment date directly to the registered owners as shown on the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding the interest payment date (the "Regular Record Date") by depositing said payment in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to such owners at their addresses shown on said Bond registration records, without, except for final payment, the presentation or surrender of such registered Bonds, and all such payments shall discharge the obligations of the Municipality in respect of such Bonds to the extent of the payments so made. Payment of principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds shall be made upon presentation and surrender of such Bonds to the Registration Agent as the same shall become due and payable. All rates of interest specified herein shall be computed on the basis of a three hundred sixty (360) day year composed of twelve (12) months of thirty (30) days each. In the event the Bonds are not registered in the name of DTC, or a successor Depository, if requested by the Owner of at least \$1,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds, payment of interest on such Bonds shall be paid by wire transfer to a bank within the continental United States or deposited to a designated account if such account is maintained with the Registration Agent and written notice of any such election and designated account is given to the Registration Agent prior to the record date.

(g) Any interest on any Bond that is payable but is not punctually paid or duly provided for on any interest payment date (hereinafter "Defaulted Interest") shall forthwith cease to be payable to the registered owner on the relevant Regular Record Date; and, in lieu thereof, such Defaulted Interest shall be paid by the Municipality to the persons in whose names the Bonds are registered at the close of business on a date (the "Special Record Date") for the payment of such Defaulted Interest, which shall be fixed in the following manner: the Municipality shall notify the Registration Agent in writing of the amount of Defaulted Interest proposed to be paid on each Bond and the date of the proposed payment, and at the same time the Municipality shall deposit with the Registration Agent an amount of money equal to the aggregate amount proposed to be paid in respect of such Defaulted Interest or shall make arrangements satisfactory to the Registration Agent for such deposit prior to the date of the proposed payment, such money when deposited to be held in trust for the benefit of the persons entitled to such Defaulted Interest as in this Section provided. Thereupon, not less than ten (10) days after the receipt by the Registration Agent of the notice of the proposed payment, the Registration Agent shall fix a Special Record Date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest which date shall be not more than fifteen (15) nor less than ten (10) days prior to the date of the proposed payment to the registered Owners. The Registration Agent shall promptly notify the Municipality of such Special Record Date and, in the name and at the expense of the Municipality, not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date, shall cause notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor to be mailed, first-class postage prepaid, to each registered owner at the address thereof as it appears in the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the date of such notice. Nothing contained in this Section or in the Bonds shall impair any statutory or other rights in law or in equity of any registered owner arising as a result of the failure of the Municipality to punctually pay or duly provide for the payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds when due.

(h) The Bonds are transferable only by presentation to the Registration Agent by the registered owner, or his legal representative duly authorized in writing, of the registered Bond(s) to be transferred with the form of assignment on the reverse side thereof completed in full and signed with the name of the registered owner as it appears upon the face of the Bond(s) accompanied by appropriate documentation necessary to prove the legal capacity of any legal representative of the registered owner. Upon receipt of the Bond(s) in such form and with such documentation, if any, the Registration Agent shall issue a new Bond or the Bond to the assignee(s) in denominations, or integral multiples thereof, as authorized hereunder and as requested by the registered owner requesting transfer. The Registration Agent shall not be required to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period commencing on a Regular or Special Record Date and ending on the corresponding interest payment date of such Bond, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond after the publication of notice calling such Bond for redemption has been made, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period following the receipt of instructions from the Municipality to call such Bond for redemption; provided, the Registration Agent, at its option, may make transfers after any of said dates. No charge shall be made to any registered owner for the privilege of transferring any Bond, provided that any transfer tax relating to such transaction shall be paid by the registered owner requesting transfer. The person in whose name any Bond shall be registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary whether or not any payments due on the Bonds shall be overdue. The Bonds, upon surrender to the Registration Agent, may, at the option of the registered owner, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of the Bonds of the same maturity in any authorized denomination or denominations.

(i) The Bonds shall be executed in such manner as may be prescribed by applicable law, in the name, and on behalf, of the Municipality with the signature of the Mayor and the attestation of the City Recorder.

(j) If the Bonds are issued using a Book-Entry System, the Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, which will act as securities depository for the Bonds. If a Book-Entry System is employed, one Bond for each maturity shall be issued to DTC and immobilized in its custody or a custodian of DTC. A Book-Entry System, if employed, shall evidence ownership of the Bonds in authorized denominations, with transfers of beneficial ownership effected on the records of DTC and the DTC Participants pursuant to rules and procedures established by DTC. Unless the text expressly or by necessary implication requires otherwise, references in this Subsection to a Bond or the Bonds shall be construed to mean the Bond or the Bonds that are held under the Book-Entry System.

Each DTC Participant shall be credited in the records of DTC with the amount of such DTC Participant's interest in the Bonds. Beneficial ownership interests in the Bonds may be purchased by or through DTC Participants. The holders of these beneficial ownership interests are hereinafter referred to as the "Beneficial Owners." The Beneficial Owners shall not receive the Bonds representing their beneficial ownership interests. The ownership interests of each Beneficial Owner shall be recorded through the records of the DTC Participant from which such Beneficial Owner purchased its Bonds. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds shall be accomplished by book entries made by DTC and, in turn, by DTC Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. **SO LONG AS CEDE & CO., AS NOMINEE FOR DTC, IS THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE BONDS, THE REGISTRATION AGENT SHALL TREAT CEDE & CO. AS THE ONLY HOLDER OF THE BONDS FOR ALL PURPOSES UNDER THIS RESOLUTION, INCLUDING RECEIPT OF ALL PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS, RECEIPT OF NOTICES, VOTING AND REQUESTING OR DIRECTING THE REGISTRATION AGENT TO TAKE OR NOT TO TAKE, OR CONSENTING TO, CERTAIN ACTIONS UNDER THIS RESOLUTION.**

Payments of principal, interest, and redemption premium, if any, with respect to the Bonds, so long as DTC is the only owner of the Bonds, shall be paid by the Registration Agent directly to DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co., as provided in the Letter of Representation relating to the Bonds from the Municipality and the Registration Agent to DTC (the "Letter of Representation"). DTC shall remit such payments to DTC Participants, and such payments thereafter shall be paid by DTC Participants to the Beneficial Owners. The Municipality and the Registration Agent shall not be responsible or liable for payment by DTC or DTC Participants for sending transaction statements or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing records maintained by DTC or DTC Participants.

In the event that the Bonds are issued through a Book-Entry System and (1) DTC determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Bonds, or (2) the Municipality determines that the continuation of the Book-Entry System of evidence and transfer of ownership of the Bonds would adversely affect their interests or the interests of the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, then the Municipality shall discontinue the Book-Entry System with DTC or, upon request of such original purchaser, deliver the Bonds to the original purchaser in the form of fully-registered Bonds, as the case may be. If the Municipality fails to identify another qualified securities depository to replace DTC, the Municipality shall cause the Registration Agent to authenticate and deliver replacement Bonds in the form of fully-registered Bonds to each Beneficial Owner.

THE MUNICIPALITY AND THE REGISTRATION AGENT SHALL NOT HAVE ANY RESPONSIBILITY OR OBLIGATIONS TO ANY PARTICIPANT OR ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER WITH RESPECT TO (i) THE BONDS; (ii) THE

ACCURACY OF ANY RECORDS MAINTAINED BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT; (iii) THE PAYMENT BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT OF ANY AMOUNT DUE TO ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER IN RESPECT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THE BONDS; (iv) THE DELIVERY OR TIMELINESS OF DELIVERY BY DTC OR ANY DTC PARTICIPANT OF ANY NOTICE DUE TO ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER THAT IS REQUIRED OR PERMITTED UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS RESOLUTION TO BE GIVEN TO BENEFICIAL OWNERS; (v) THE SELECTION OF BENEFICIAL OWNERS TO RECEIVE PAYMENTS IN THE EVENT OF ANY PARTIAL REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS; OR (vi) ANY CONSENT GIVEN OR OTHER ACTION TAKEN BY DTC OR ITS NOMINEE, CEDE & CO., AS OWNER.

(k) If a Book-Entry System is used, the Registration Agent is hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary from time to time to qualify and maintain the Bonds for deposit with DTC, including but not limited to, wire transfers of interest and principal payments with respect to the Bonds, utilization of electronic book entry data received from DTC in place of actual delivery of Bonds and provision of notices with respect to Bonds registered by DTC (or any of its designees identified to the Registration Agent) by overnight delivery, courier service, telegram, telecopy or other similar means of communication. No such arrangements with DTC may adversely affect the interest of any of the owners of the Bonds; provided, however, that the Registration Agent shall not be liable with respect to any such arrangements it may make pursuant to this Section.

(l) If the purchaser(s) certifies that it intends to hold the Bonds for its own account, then the Municipality may issue certificated Bonds registered in the name of the owner without the utilization of DTC and the Book-Entry System.

(m) The Registration Agent is hereby authorized to authenticate and deliver the Bonds to the original purchaser, upon receipt by the Municipality of the proceeds of the sale thereof and to authenticate and deliver Bonds in exchange for Bonds of the same principal amount delivered for transfer upon receipt of the Bond(s) to be transferred in proper form with proper documentation as hereinabove described. The Bonds shall not be valid for any purpose unless authenticated by the Registration Agent by the manual signature of an officer thereof on the certificate set forth herein on the Bond form.

(n) In case any Bond shall become mutilated, or be lost, stolen, or destroyed, the Municipality, in its discretion, shall issue, and the Registration Agent, upon written direction from the Municipality, shall authenticate and deliver, a new Bond of like tenor, amount, maturity and date, in exchange and substitution for, and upon the cancellation of, the mutilated Bond, or in lieu of and in substitution for such lost, stolen or destroyed Bond, or if any such Bond shall have matured or shall be able to mature, instead of issuing a substituted Bond the Municipality may pay or authorize payment of such Bond without surrender thereof. In every case, the applicant shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the Municipality and the Registration Agent of the destruction, theft or loss of such Bond, and indemnify satisfactory to the Municipality and the Registration Agent; and the Municipality may charge the applicant for the issue of such new Bond an amount sufficient to reimburse the Municipality for the expense incurred by it in the issue thereof.

SECTION 5. Source of Payment. The Bonds shall be payable from and secured by unlimited ad valorem taxes to be levied on all taxable property within the Municipality. For the prompt payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, the full faith and credit of the Municipality are hereby irrevocably pledged. Any Bonds or series of Bonds issued to refinance any portion of the indebtedness evidenced by the Loan Agreements attributable to the financing of capital improvements to the Municipality's water and sewer system (the "System")

shall be additionally payable from, but not secured by a pledge of, the revenues of the System.

SECTION 6. Form of Bonds. The Bonds shall be in substantially the following form, the omissions to be appropriate completed when the Bonds are prepared and delivered:

(Form of Bond)

REGISTERED
Number_____

REGISTERED
\$_____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF TENNESSEE
CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE
GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BOND, SERIES [2020]

Interest Rate: Maturity Date: Date of Bond: CUSIP No.:

Registered Owner:

Principal Amount:

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the “Municipality”), a municipal corporation lawfully organized and existing in Rutherford County, Tennessee, hereby promises to pay to the registered owner hereof, hereinabove named, or registered assigns, in the manner hereinafter provided, the principal amount hereinabove set forth on the maturity date hereinabove set forth (or upon earlier redemption as set forth herein), and to pay interest (computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months) on said principal amount at the annual rate interest hereinabove set forth from the date hereof until said maturity date or redemption date, said interest being payable on December 1, 2020, and semi-annually thereafter on the first day of June and December in each year until this Bond matures or is redeemed. The principal hereof and interest hereon are payable in lawful money of the United States of America by check or draft at the [designated corporate trust] office of _____, _____, _____, as registration agent and paying agent (the “Registration Agent”). The Registration Agent shall make all interest payments with respect to this Bond on each interest payment date directly to the registered owner hereof shown on the Bond registration records maintained by the Registration Agent as of the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding the interest payment date (the “Regular Record Date”) by check or draft mailed to such owner at such owner’s address shown on said Bond registration records, without, except for final payment, the presentation or surrender of this Bond, and all such payments shall discharge the obligations of the Municipality to the extent of the payments so made. Any such interest not so punctually paid or duly provided for on any interest payment date shall forthwith cease to be payable to the registered owner on the relevant Regular Record Date; and, in lieu thereof, such defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on the date (the “Special Record Date”) for payment of such defaulted interest to be fixed by the Registration Agent, notice of which shall be given to the owners of the Bonds of the issue of which this Bond is one not less than ten (10) days prior to such Special Record Date. Payment of principal of [and premium, if any, on] this Bond shall be made when due upon presentation and surrender of this Bond to the Registration Agent.

Except as otherwise provided herein or in the Resolution, as hereinafter defined, this Bond shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The

Depository Trust Company, New York, New York (“DTC”), which will act as securities depository for the Bonds of the series of which this Bond is one. One Bond for each maturity of the Bonds shall be issued to DTC and immobilized in its custody. A book-entry system shall be employed, evidencing ownership of the Bonds in \$5,000 denominations, or multiples thereof, with transfers of beneficial ownership effected on the records of DTC and the DTC Participants, as defined in the Resolution, pursuant to rules and procedures established by DTC. So long as Cede & Co., as nominee for DTC, is the registered owner of the Bonds, the Municipality and the Registration Agent shall treat Cede & Co. as the only owner of the Bonds for all purposes under the Resolution, including receipt of all principal and maturity amounts of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, receipt of notices, voting and requesting or taking or not taking, or consenting to, certain actions hereunder. Payments of principal, maturity amounts, interest, and redemption premium, if any, with respect to the Bonds, so long as DTC is the only owner of the Bonds, shall be paid directly to DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co. DTC shall remit such payments to DTC Participants, and such payments thereafter shall be paid by DTC Participants to the Beneficial Owners, as defined in the Resolution. Neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible or liable for payment by DTC or DTC Participants, for sending transaction statements or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing records maintained by DTC or DTC Participants. In the event that (1) DTC determines not to continue to act as securities depository for the Bonds or (2) the Municipality determines that the continuation of the book-entry system of evidence and transfer of ownership of the Bonds would adversely affect its interests or the interests of the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, the Municipality may discontinue the book-entry system with DTC. If the Municipality fails to identify another qualified securities depository to replace DTC, the Municipality shall cause the Registration Agent to authenticate and deliver replacement Bonds in the form of fully-registered Bonds to each Beneficial Owner. Neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall have any responsibility or obligations to DTC Participant or any Beneficial Owner with respect to (i) the Bonds; (ii) the accuracy or any records maintained by DTC or any DTC Participant; (iii) the payment by DTC or any DTC Participant of any amount due to any Beneficial Owner in respect of the principal or maturity amounts of and interest on the Bonds; (iv) the delivery or timeliness of delivery by DTC or any DTC Participant of any notice due to any Beneficial Owner that is required or permitted under the terms of the Resolution to be given to Beneficial Owners; (v) the selection of Beneficial Owners to receive payments in the event of any partial redemption of the Bonds; or (vi) any consent given or other action taken by DTC, or its nominee, Cede & Co., as owner.

Bonds of the issue of which this Bond is one shall not be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Municipality.

[Subject to the credit hereinafter provided, the Municipality shall redeem Bonds maturing _____ on the redemption dates set forth below opposite the maturity dates, in aggregate principal amounts equal to the respective dollar amounts set forth below opposite the respective redemption dates at a price of par plus accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption. DTC, as securities depository for the series of Bonds of which this Bond is one, or such Person as shall then be serving as the securities depository for the Bonds, shall determine the interest of each Participant in the Bonds to be redeemed using its procedures generally in use at that time. If DTC or another securities depository is no longer serving as securities depository for the Bonds, the Bonds to be redeemed within a maturity shall be selected by the Registration Agent in such manner as is provided in the Resolution, as defined below. The dates of redemption and principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed on said dates are as follows:

<u>Final Maturity</u>	<u>Redemption Date</u>	<u>Principal Amount of Bonds Redeemed</u>
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*Final Maturity

At its option, to be exercised on or before the forty-fifth (45th) day next preceding any such redemption date, the Municipality may (i) deliver to the Registration Agent for cancellation Bonds to be redeemed, in any aggregate principal amount desired, and/or (ii) receive a credit in respect of its redemption obligation under this mandatory redemption provision for any Bonds of the maturity to be redeemed which prior to said date have been purchased or redeemed (otherwise than through the operation of this mandatory sinking fund redemption provision) and cancelled by the Registration Agent and not theretofore applied as a credit against any redemption obligation under this mandatory sinking fund provision. Each Bond so delivered or previously purchased or redeemed shall be credited by the Registration Agent at 100% of the principal amount thereof on the obligation of the Municipality on such payment date and any excess shall be credited on future redemption obligations in chronological order, and the principal amount of Bonds to be redeemed by operation of this mandatory sinking fund provision shall be accordingly reduced. The Municipality shall on or before the forty-fifth (45th) day next preceding each payment date furnish the Registration Agent with its certificate indicating whether or not and to what extent the provisions of clauses (i) and (ii) of this subsection are to be availed of with respect to such payment and confirm that funds for the balance of the next succeeding prescribed payment will be paid on or before the next succeeding payment date.]

Notice of any call for redemption shall be given by the Registration Agent not less than twenty (20) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the date fixed for redemption by sending an appropriate notice to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, at the addresses shown on the Bond registration records of the Registration Agent as of the date of the notice; but neither failure to mail such notice nor any defect in any such notice so mailed shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for the redemption of any of the Bonds for which proper notice was given. An optional redemption notice may state that it is conditioned upon the deposit of moneys in an amount equal to the amount necessary to affect the redemption with the Registration Agent no later than the redemption date ("Conditional Redemption"). [As long as DTC, or a successor Depository, is the registered owner of the Bonds, all redemption notices shall be mailed by the Registration Agent to DTC, or such successor Depository, as the registered owner of the Bonds, as and when above provided, and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be responsible for mailing notices of redemption to DTC Participants or Beneficial Owners. Failure of DTC, or any successor Depository, to provide notice to any DTC Participant will not affect the validity of such redemption.] From and after any redemption date, all Bonds called for redemption shall cease to bear interest if funds are available at the office of the Registration Agent for the payment thereof and if notice has been duly provided as set forth in the Resolution, as hereafter defined. In the case of a Conditional Redemption, the failure of the Municipality to make funds available in part or in whole on or before the redemption date shall not constitute an event of default, and the Registration Agent shall give immediate notice to the Depository or the affected Bondholders that the redemption did not occur and that the Bonds called for redemption and not so paid remain outstanding.

This Bond is transferable by the registered owner hereof in person or by such owner's attorney duly authorized in writing at the designated office of the Registration Agent, but only in the manner, subject to limitations and upon payment of the charges provided in the Resolution, as hereafter defined, and upon surrender and cancellation of this Bond. Upon such transfer, a new Bond or Bonds of authorized denominations of the same maturity and interest rate for the same aggregate principal amount will be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor. The person in whose name this Bond is registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes and neither the Municipality nor the Registration Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary whether or not any payments due on the Bond shall be overdue. Bonds, upon surrender to the Registration Agent, may, at the option of the registered owner thereof, be exchanged for an equal aggregate principal amount of the Bonds of the same maturity in authorized denomination or denominations, upon the terms set forth in the Resolution. The Registration Agent shall not be required to transfer or exchange any Bond during the period commencing on a Regular Record Date or Special Record Date and ending on the corresponding interest payment date of such Bond, nor to transfer or exchange any Bond after the notice calling such Bond for redemption has been made, nor during a period following the receipt of instructions from the Municipality to call such Bond for redemption.

This Bond is one of a total authorized issue aggregating \$_____ and issued by the Municipality to prepay its Loan Agreements, dated December 10, 2003, May 30, 2006, June 27, 2006, March 12, 2007 and February 14, 2008, between The Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee and the Municipality, and to pay costs incident to issuing the Bonds, pursuant to 9-21-101 *et seq.*, Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Municipality on March 19, 2020 (the "Resolution").

The Bonds shall be payable from unlimited ad valorem taxes to be levied on all taxable property within the Municipality. For the prompt payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, the full faith and credit of the Municipality are irrevocably pledged. [The Bonds are additionally payable from, but not secured by, the revenues of the water and sewer system of the Municipality.]

This Bond and the income therefrom are exempt from all present state, county and municipal taxes in Tennessee except (a) Tennessee excise taxes on interest on the Bond during the period the Bond is held or beneficially owned by any organization or entity, other than a sole proprietorship or general partnership, doing business in the State of Tennessee, and (b) Tennessee franchise taxes by reason of the inclusion of the book value of the Bond in Tennessee franchise tax base of any organization or entity, other than a sole proprietorship or general partnership, doing business in the State of Tennessee.

It is hereby certified, recited, and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the amount of this Bond, together with all other indebtedness of the Municipality, does not exceed any limitation prescribed by the constitution and statutes of the State of Tennessee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Municipality has caused this Bond to be signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Recorder under the corporate seal of the Municipality, all as of the date hereinabove set forth.

CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

By: FORM ONLY
Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTESTED:

FORM ONLY
City Recorder

Transferable and payable at the
designated corporate trust office of: _____
_____, _____

Date of Registration: _____

This Bond is one of the issue of Bonds issued pursuant to the Resolution hereinabove described.

Registration Agent

By: _____
Authorized Officer

(FORM OF ASSIGNMENT)

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers unto _____, whose address is _____ (Please insert Federal Identification or Social Security Number of Assignee _____), the within Bond of City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, and does hereby irrevocably constitute and appoint _____, attorney, to transfer the said Bond on the records kept for registration thereof with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: _____

NOTICE: The signature to this assignment must correspond with the name of the registered owner as it appears on the face of the within Bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever.

Signature guaranteed:

NOTICE: Signature(s) must be guaranteed by a member firm of a Medallion Program acceptable to the Registration Agent

SECTION 7. Levy of Tax. The Municipality, through its Governing Body, shall annually levy and collect a tax upon all taxable property within the Municipality, in addition to all other taxes authorized by law, sufficient to pay principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds when due, and for that purpose there is hereby levied a direct annual tax in such amount as may be found necessary each year to pay principal, premium, if any, and interest coming due on the

Bonds in said year. Principal, premium, if any, and interest falling due at any time when there are insufficient funds from this tax levy on hand shall be paid from the current funds of the Municipality and reimbursement therefor shall be made out of the taxes hereby provided to the levied when the same shall have been collected. The tax herein provided may be reduced to the extent of any direct appropriations from other funds, taxes and revenues of the Municipality to the payment of debt service on the Bonds, including (as applicable) any revenues of the System.

SECTION 8. Sale of Bonds.

(a) The Bonds or any emission thereof shall be sold, as selected by the Mayor and City Manager, by competitive sale or by negotiated sale to an Underwriter or by private negotiated sale to a financial institution, at a price of not less than 98% of par, plus accrued interest, if any, as shall be determined by the Mayor and the City Manager, in consultation with the Municipal Advisor. The sale of the Bonds, or any emission thereof, shall be binding on the Municipality, and no further action of the Governing Body with respect thereto shall be required.

(b) If sold at negotiated sale to an Underwriter, the Mayor is authorized to execute a Bond Purchase Agreement with the Underwriter, detailing the terms of the sale. The Bond Purchase Agreement shall be in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, together with such changes and may be approved by the Mayor consistent with the terms hereof. If sold at private negotiated sale to a financial institution, the Mayor is authorized to execute a covenant agreement and other documentation required by the financial institution as may be required by the financial institution as a condition to purchasing the Bonds, provided any such agreements shall not be in conflict with this resolution. No Bonds shall be sold by negotiated sale unless such sale has been approved by the State Director.

(c) The Mayor is further authorized with respect to each series of Bonds to:

(1) change the dated date of the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a date other than the date of issuance of the Bonds;

(2) change the designation of the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a designation other than "General Obligation Refunding Bonds" and to specify the series designation of the Bonds, or any series thereof;

(3) change the first interest payment date on the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a date other than December 1, 2020, provided that such date is not later than twelve months from the dated date of such series of Bonds;

(4) adjust the principal and interest payment dates and the maturity amounts of the Bonds (including, but not limited to establishing the date and year of the first principal payment date), or any series thereof, provided that (A) the total principal amount of all series of the Bonds does not exceed the total amount of Bonds authorized herein; and (B) the final maturity date of each series shall not exceed December 1, 2027.

(5) adjust or remove the Municipality's optional redemption provisions of the Bonds, or any series thereof, provided that the premium amount to be paid on Bonds or any series thereof does not exceed two percent (2%) of the principal amount thereof;

(6) prepay less than all of the Loan Agreements; and

(7) sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, or any maturities thereof as Term Bonds with mandatory redemption requirements corresponding to

the maturities set forth herein or as otherwise determined by the Mayor, as he shall deem most advantageous to the Municipality.

The form of the Bond set forth in Section 6 hereof shall be conformed to reflect any changes made pursuant to this Section 8 hereof.

(d) The Mayor is authorized to sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, simultaneously with any other bonds or notes authorized by resolution or resolutions of the Governing Body. The Mayor is further authorized to sell the Bonds, or any series thereof, as a single issue of bonds with any other bonds with substantially similar terms authorized by resolution or resolutions of the Governing Body, in one or more series as the Mayor shall deem to be advantageous to the Municipality and in doing so, the Mayor is authorized to change the designation of the Bonds to a designation other than "General Obligation Refunding Bonds"; provided, however, that the total aggregate principal amount of combined bonds to be sold does not exceed the total aggregate principal amount of Bonds authorized by this resolution or bonds authorized by any other resolution or resolutions adopted by the Governing Body.

(e) If the Bonds are sold at competitive sale, the Mayor is authorized to award the Bonds, or any series thereof, in each case to the bidder whose bid results in the lowest true interest cost to the Municipality, provided the rate or rates on the Bonds does not exceed the maximum rate prescribed by Section 4 hereof. The award of the Bonds by the Mayor to the lowest bidder shall be binding on the Municipality, and no further action of the Governing Body with respect thereto shall be required. If permitted in the notice of sale for the Bonds, including any series thereof, (i) the successful bidder may request that the Bonds, or any such series thereof, be issued in the form of fully registered certificated Bonds in the name of the successful bidder or as directed by the successful bidder, in lieu of registration using the Book-Entry System, and/or (ii) the successful bidder may assign its right to purchase the Bonds, or any series thereof, to a third party provided, however, that upon such assignment, the successful bidder shall remain obligated to perform all obligations relating to the purchase of the Bonds as the successful bidder, including the delivery of a good faith deposit, if any, the execution of required documents and the payment of the purchase price, if such successful bidder's assignee does not perform any of such obligations.

(f) The Mayor and City Recorder are authorized to cause the Bonds, in fully registered certificated or book-entry form, to be authenticated and delivered by the Registration Agent to the purchaser thereof and to execute, publish, and deliver all certificates and documents, including an Official Statement and closing certificates, as they shall deem necessary in connection with the sale and delivery of the Bonds. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Municipal Advisor, for financial advisory services in connection with the sale of the Bonds and to enter into a contract with Bass, Berry & Sims PLC to serve as bond counsel in connection with the Bonds.

SECTION 9. Disposition of Bond Proceeds. The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds shall be deposited with the appropriate officer of the Municipality and be used to pay the Loan Agreements and, in turn, the Authority Bonds, and the remaining proceeds shall be used to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds, including necessary legal, accounting and fiscal expenses, printing, engraving, advertising and similar expenses, administrative and clerical costs, Registration Agent fees, bond insurance premiums, if any, and other necessary miscellaneous expenses incurred in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds. Notwithstanding the foregoing, costs of issuance of the Bonds may be withheld from the good faith deposit, if any, or purchase price of the Bonds and paid to the Municipal Advisor to be used to pay costs of issuance of the Bonds. If the Mayor, in consultation with the Municipal Advisor, determines that it is necessary or appropriate to utilize a refunding escrow to provide for the retention and investment of Bond proceeds pending their application to the

prepayment of the Loan Agreements, the Mayor is authorized to select a refunding escrow agent and enter into a refunding escrow agreement for that purpose; in which case, the proceeds of the Bonds to be used for the prepayment of the Loan Agreements shall be deposited to the escrow fund so established.

SECTION 10. Official Statement. The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, are hereby authorized and directed to provide for the preparation and distribution of a Preliminary Official Statement describing the Bonds. After the Bonds have been sold, the Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, shall make such completions, omissions, insertions and changes in any Preliminary Official Statement prepared, as shall be consistent with this resolution and necessary or desirable to complete the Preliminary Official Statement as a final Official Statement for purposes of Rule 15c2-12(e)(3) of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, shall arrange for the delivery to the purchaser of the Bonds of a reasonable number of copies of the Official Statement within seven business days after the Bonds have been sold for delivery, by the purchaser of the Bonds, to each potential investor requesting a copy of the Official Statement and to each person to whom such purchaser and any members of the underwriting group initially sell the Bonds.

The Mayor, City Manager and City Recorder of the Municipality, or any of them, are authorized, on behalf of the Municipality, to deem any Preliminary Official Statement and Official Statement for the Bonds in final form, each to be final as of its date within the meaning of Rule 15c2-12(b)(1), except for the omission in the Preliminary Official Statement of certain pricing and other information allowed to be omitted pursuant to such Rule 15c2-12(b)(1). The distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement in final form shall be conclusive evidence that each has been deemed in final form as of its date by the Municipality except for the omission in the Preliminary Official Statement of such pricing and other information.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section, if the purchaser does not intend to reoffer the Bonds, as evidenced by a certificate executed by such purchaser, then an Official Statement is authorized, but not required, as shall be determined by the Mayor in consultation with the Municipal Advisor and Bond Counsel.

SECTION 11. Discharge and Satisfaction of Bonds. If the Municipality shall pay and discharge the indebtedness evidenced by any series of the Bonds in any one or more of the following ways:

(a) By paying or causing to be paid, by deposit of sufficient funds as and when required with the Registration Agent, the principal of and interest on such Bonds as and when the same become due and payable;

(b) By depositing or causing to be deposited with any trust company or financial institution whose deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or similar federal agency and which has trust powers (an "Agent"; which Agent may be the Registration Agent) in trust or escrow, on or before the date of maturity or redemption, sufficient money or Federal Obligations, as hereafter defined, the principal of and interest on which, when due and payable, will provide sufficient moneys to pay or redeem such Bonds and to pay interest thereon when due until the maturity or redemption date (provided, if such Bonds are to be redeemed prior to maturity thereof, proper notice of such redemption shall have been given or adequate provision shall have been made for the giving of such notice); or

(c) By delivering such Bonds to the Registration Agent for cancellation by it; and if the Municipality shall also pay or cause to be paid all other sums payable

hereunder by the Municipality with respect to such Bonds, or make adequate provision therefor, and by resolution of the Governing Body instruct any such Agent to pay amounts when and as required to the Registration Agent for the payment of principal of and interest on such Bonds when due, then and in that case the indebtedness evidenced by such Bonds shall be discharged and satisfied and all covenants, agreements and obligations of the Municipality to the holders of such Bonds shall be fully discharged and satisfied and shall thereupon cease, terminate and become void.

If the Municipality shall pay and discharge the indebtedness evidenced by any of the Bonds in the manner provided in either clause (a) or clause (b) above, then the registered owners thereof shall thereafter be entitled only to payment out of the money or Federal Obligations deposited as aforesaid.

Except as otherwise provided in this Section, neither Federal Obligations nor moneys deposited with the Registration Agent pursuant to this Section nor principal or interest payments on any such Federal Obligations shall be withdrawn or used for any purpose other than, and shall be held in trust for, the payment of the principal and interest on said Bonds; provided that any cash received from such principal or interest payments on such Federal Obligations deposited with the Registration Agent, (A) to the extent such cash will not be required at any time for such purpose, shall be paid over to the Municipality as received by the Registration Agent and (B) to the extent such cash will be required for such purpose at a later date, shall, to the extent practicable, be reinvested in Federal Obligations maturing at times and in amounts sufficient to pay when due the principal and interest to become due on said Bonds on or prior to such redemption date or maturity date thereof, as the case may be, and interest earned from such reinvestments shall be paid over to the Municipality, as received by the Registration Agent. For the purposes of this Section, Federal Obligations shall mean direct obligations of, or obligations, the principal of and interest on which are guaranteed by, the United States of America, which obligations shall not be subject to redemption prior to their maturity other than at the option of the registered owner thereof.

SECTION 12. Federal Tax Matters Related to the Bonds.

(a) Except as hereinafter provided, the Bonds will be issued as federally tax-exempt bonds. The Municipality hereby covenants that it will not use, or permit the use of, any proceeds of the Bonds in a manner that would cause the Bonds to be subjected to treatment under Section 148 of the Code, and applicable regulations thereunder, as an "arbitrage bond". To that end, the Municipality shall comply with applicable regulations adopted under said Section 148. The Municipality further covenants with the registered owners from time to time of the Bonds that it will, throughout the term of the Bonds and through the date that the final rebate, if any, must be made to the United States in accordance with Section 148 of the Code, comply with the provisions of Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code and all regulations proposed and promulgated thereunder that must be satisfied in order that interest on the Bonds shall be and continue to be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Code. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Mayor determines, in consultation with the Municipal Advisor and Bond Counsel, that a portion of the Bonds cannot be issued as federally tax-exempt bonds pursuant to the requirements of the Code, that portion of the Bonds will be issued as federally taxable bonds, and all documents authorized herein shall be conformed accordingly.

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Municipality's Federal Tax Compliance Policies and Procedures with respect to the Bonds.

SECTION 13. Continuing Disclosure. If and as required by Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Commission for the Bonds, the Municipality hereby covenants and agrees that it will provide annual financial information and event notices to the appropriate information repositories. The Mayor is authorized to execute at the Closing of the sale of the Bonds an agreement for the benefit of and enforceable by the owners of the Bonds specifying the details of the financial information and event notices to be provided and its obligations relating thereto. Failure of the Municipality to comply with the undertaking herein described and to be detailed in said closing agreement shall not be a default hereunder, but any such failure shall entitle the owner or owners of any of the Bonds to take such actions and to initiate such proceedings as shall be necessary and appropriate to cause the Municipality to comply with their undertaking as set forth herein and in said agreement, including the remedies of mandamus and specific performance.

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Passed: _____

M. Shane McFarland, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Melissa B. Wright
City Recorder

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Adam F. Tucker
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City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

STATE REPORT ON PLAN OF REFUNDING



JUSTIN P. WILSON
Comptroller

JASON E. MUMPOWER
Deputy Comptroller

April 15, 2020

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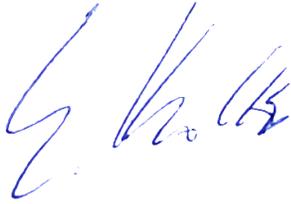
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Concerning the Proposed Issuance of
General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020A
City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee**

This report is being issued pursuant to T.C.A. § 9-21-903 and is based upon information as presented in a plan of refunding (the “Plan”) received by our office on April 14, 2020, from the City of Murfreesboro (the “City”). Our report provides information to assist the governing body in its responsibility to understand the nature of the refunding transaction, including the costs, risks, and benefits, prior to approving the issuance of the refunding bonds and is designed to provide consistent and comparable information for all local governments in Tennessee.

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Refunding Analysis

At the request of the City Manager, our office has reviewed the City’s Plan, as required by TCA § 9-21-903, and provides the following analysis based upon the assumptions outlined in the Plan:

The City intends to issue by private negotiated sale or competitive sale approximately \$25,360,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020A (the “Series 2020A Refunding Bonds”), priced at par to current refund:

- \$5,839,907 Public Building Authority of the County of Montgomery, Tennessee Loan Agreement, Series 2006A, with a final maturity date of May 25, 2021;
- \$422,000 Public Building Authority of the County of Montgomery, Tennessee Loan Agreement, Series 2006B, with a final maturity date of May 25, 2021; and
- \$18,789,000 Public Building Authority of the City of Clarksville, Tennessee Loan Agreement, Series 2008, maturing May 25, 2021 through May 25, 2024.

These are collectively known hereinafter as the “Refunded Loans.” The total amount being refunded is \$25,050,907

- The City’s objective for refunding the Series 2006A, Series 2006B, and Series 2008 Loan Agreements is to reduce the City’s interest rate, remarketing, and liquidity risk by replacing variable rate debt with true fixed rate debt.

- The final maturity of the Series 2020A Refunding Bonds does not extend beyond the final maturity of the Refunded Loans.
- The proposed structure of the Series 2020A Refunding Bonds is not balloon indebtedness as defined in T.C.A. § 9-21-134.
- Estimated costs of issuance are summarized below:

	Amount	Price per \$1,000 Bond
Estimated Underwriter's Discount	\$ 180,105	\$ 7.10
Financial Advisor (Cumberland Securities Company)	41,375	1.63
Bond Counsel (Bass Berry & Sims)	41,375	1.63
Rating Agency - Moody's	21,515	0.85
Miscellaneous (Paying Agent, etc)	6,066	0.24
Total Cost of Issuance	\$ 290,435	\$ 11.45

Changes to the Structure of the Repayment Schedule

If the structure is revised, the City should determine if the new structure complies with the requirements of T.C.A. § 9-21-134 concerning balloon indebtedness. If it is determined that the bond structure constitutes balloon indebtedness, the City must submit a Plan of Balloon Indebtedness to the Director of the Division of Local Government Finance for approval prior to the City adopting the resolution authorizing the issuance of the debt.

Financial Professionals

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Plan Assumptions

The assumptions of the Plan are the assertions of the City. An evaluation of the preparation, support and underlying assumptions of the Plan has not been performed by our office. This report provides non assurances of the reasonableness of the underlying assumptions. The assumptions included in the City's Plan may not reflect either current market conditions or market conditions at the time of sale. The Series 2020A Refunding Bonds may be issued with a structure different from that of the Plan.

Debt Management Policy

The City has adopted a debt management policy and has indicated in its Plan that the proposed refunding transaction complies with the City's policy.

Requirements After the Refunding Bonds Have Been Issued

We have included a listing of certain compliance requirements your local government will be responsible for once the bonds are issued. The listing is not all inclusive and you should work with your municipal advisor and bond counsel to ensure compliance with legal and regulatory requirements related to the proposed refunding.

Effective Date for this Report

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Betsy Knotts
Director of the Division of Local Government Finance
Date: April 15, 2020

Enclosure: Requirements After Debt is Issued



JUSTIN P. WILSON
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Requirements After Debt is Issued

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- **Required Notification**

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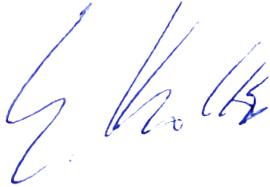
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Government Finance. The Report and instructions may be accessed at: tncot.cc/debt-report. No public entity may enter into additional debt if it has failed to file the Report.

- **Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Act**

Local governments that have issued municipal securities on or after February 27, 2019, are required to report certain information related to the issuance of financial obligations. Information on the reporting requirements is available on the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (MSRB) Electronic Municipal Market Access EMMA® website: emma.msrb.org.

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT

CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

\$ _____ GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2020_

BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT

June __, 2020

City Council of the
City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned, _____ as representative for itself and the other underwriters named on the cover of the Preliminary Official Statement described below (together the "Underwriter"), offers to enter into the following agreement with the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee (the "Issuer"), which, upon the Issuer's acceptance and approval hereof, will be binding upon the Issuer and upon the Underwriter. This offer is made subject to acceptance by the Issuer, execution of this Bond Purchase Agreement (this "Purchase Agreement") and its delivery to the Underwriter, on or before 5:00 p.m., central time, on the date hereof.

Capitalized terms used herein and not defined herein shall have the meanings given them in the Resolution (as hereinafter defined).

SECTION 1. Purchase and Sale of the Bonds.

(a) Upon the basis of the representations, warranties, covenants and agreements herein contained, but subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth, the Underwriter hereby agrees to purchase from the Issuer for offering to the public, and the Issuer hereby agrees to sell to the Underwriter for such purpose, all (but not less than all) of the Issuer's \$ _____ General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds"), dated _____, 2020 in book-entry only form, at the purchase price of \$ _____, representing the face amount of the Bonds, plus net original issue premium less original issue discount of \$ _____, less Underwriter's discount of \$ _____. The Bonds shall bear interest, shall mature, shall be redeemable and shall otherwise be as described in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

(b) The Bonds shall be issued and secured under the provisions of a resolution, adopted on _____, 2020 (the "Resolution") by the City Council of the Issuer (the "Board"), providing for the issuance of the Bonds pursuant to Title 9, Chapter 21, Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended (the "Act"), and other applicable provisions of law, for the purposes described in the Resolution.

(c) At the time of the Issuer's acceptance hereof (or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, but no later than the Closing (as hereinafter defined)), the Issuer shall have delivered, or caused to be delivered, to the Underwriter: (i) a certified copy of the Resolution; and (ii) a copy of the Official Statement, dated the date hereof (the "Official Statement"), signed on behalf of the Issuer by the appropriate officers thereof.

(d) The Issuer authorizes the Underwriter to use copies of the Official Statement and the information contained therein in connection with the public

offering and sale of the Bonds and agrees not to supplement or amend, or cause to be supplemented or amended, the Official Statement, at any time prior to the Closing, without the consent of the Underwriter. The Issuer ratifies and confirms the use by the Underwriter, prior to the date hereof in connection with the public offering of the Bonds, of the Preliminary Official Statement of the Issuer relating to the Bonds, dated _____, 2020, which with any and all appendices, exhibits, maps, reports and summaries included therein is hereinafter called the "Preliminary Official Statement."

(e) As of its date, the Preliminary Official Statement has been "deemed final" (except for permitted omissions) by the Issuer for purposes of Rule 15c2-12(b)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Issuer will deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the Underwriter, promptly after the acceptance hereof, but in any event within seven (7) days of the date hereof, copies of the Official Statement, sufficient to enable the Underwriter to comply with the requirements of Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Commission (and the related rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board).

(f) The Issuer acknowledges and agrees that (i) the purchase and sale of the Bonds pursuant to this Agreement is an arm's-length commercial transaction between the Issuer and the Underwriter; (ii) in connection with such transaction, the Underwriter is acting solely as a principal and not as an agent or a fiduciary of the Issuer; (iii) the Underwriter has not assumed a fiduciary responsibility in favor of the Issuer with respect to the offering of the Bonds or the process leading thereto (whether or not the Underwriter, or any affiliate of the Underwriter, has advised or is currently advising the Issuer on other matters) nor has it assumed any other obligation to the Issuer except the obligations expressly set forth in this Agreement, (iv) the Underwriter has financial and other interests that differ from those of the Issuer; and (v) the Issuer has consulted with its own legal and financial advisors to the extent it deemed appropriate in connection with the offering of the Bonds.

SECTION 2. Establishment of Issue Price.

(a) The Underwriter agrees to assist the Issuer in establishing the issue price of the Bonds and shall execute and deliver to the Issuer at Closing an "issue price" or similar certificate, together with the supporting pricing wires or equivalent communications, substantially in a form acceptable to the Issuer and Bond Counsel, to accurately reflect, as applicable, the sales price or prices or the initial offering price or prices to the public of the Bonds. Pursuant to such certificate, the Issuer may require the Underwriter to hold the issue price of the Bonds in order to comply with any applicable federal tax requirements in order to establish issue price.

Except as may be otherwise provided in the issue price certificate described above, the Issuer will treat the first price at which 10% of each maturity of the Bonds (the "10% test") is sold to the public as the issue price of that maturity. At or promptly after the execution of this Bond Purchase Agreement, the Underwriter shall report to the Issuer the price or prices at which it has sold to the public each maturity of Bonds. If at that time the 10% test has not been satisfied as to any maturity of the Bonds, the Underwriter agrees to promptly report to the Issuer the prices at which it sells the unsold Bonds of that maturity to the public. That reporting obligation shall continue, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either (i) the Underwriter has sold all Bonds of that maturity or (ii) the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the Underwriter's reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic intervals or otherwise upon request of the Issuer or bond counsel. For purposes of this Section, if Bonds mature on the same date but have different interest rates, each separate CUSIP number within that maturity will be treated as a separate maturity of the Bonds.

The Underwriter confirms that it has offered the Bonds to the public on or before the date of this Bond Purchase Agreement at the offering price or prices (the

“initial offering price”), or at the corresponding yield or yields, set forth in EXHIBIT B attached hereto, except as otherwise set forth therein. Schedule [I] also sets forth, as of the date of this Bond Purchase Agreement, the maturities, if any, of the Bonds for which the 10% test has not been satisfied and for which the Issuer and the Underwriter agree that the restrictions set forth in the next sentence shall apply, which will allow the Issuer to treat the initial offering price to the public of each such maturity as of the sale date as the issue price of that maturity (the “hold-the-offering-price rule”). So long as the hold-the-offering-price rule remains applicable to any maturity of the Bonds, the Underwriter will neither offer nor sell unsold Bonds of that maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the initial offering price to the public during the period starting on the sale date and ending on the earlier of the following:

the close of the fifth (5th) business day after the sale date; or

the date on which the Underwriter has sold at least 10% of that maturity of the Bonds to the public at a price that is no higher than the initial offering price to the public.

The Underwriter will advise the Issuer promptly after the close of the fifth (5th) business day after the sale date whether it has sold 10% of that maturity of the Bonds to the public at a price that is no higher than the initial offering price to the public.

The Underwriter confirms that:

(i) any selling group agreement and any third-party distribution agreement relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each dealer who is a member of the selling group and each broker-dealer that is a party to such third-party distribution agreement, as applicable:

(A)(i) to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allocated to it, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either all Bonds of that maturity allocated to it have been sold or it is notified by the Underwriter that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic intervals or otherwise upon request of the Underwriter, and (ii) to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, if and for so long as directed by the Underwriter,

(B) to promptly notify the Underwriter of any sales of Bonds that, to its knowledge, are made to a purchaser who is a related party to an underwriter participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (each such term being used as defined below), and

(C) to acknowledge that, unless otherwise advised by the dealer or broker-dealer, the Underwriter shall assume that each order submitted by the dealer or broker-dealer is a sale to the public.

(ii) any selling group agreement relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each dealer that is a party to a third-party distribution agreement to be employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public to require each broker-dealer that is a party to such third-party distribution agreement to (A) report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allocated to it, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either all Bonds of that maturity allocated to it have been sold or it is notified by the Underwriter or the dealer that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic

intervals or otherwise upon request of the Underwriter or the dealer, and (B) comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, if and for so long as directed by the Underwriter or the dealer and as set forth in the related pricing wires.

(b) The Issuer acknowledges that, in making the representations set forth in this section, the Underwriter will rely on (i) in the event a selling group has been created in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, the agreement of each dealer who is a member of the selling group to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in a selling group agreement and the related pricing wires, and (ii) in the event that a third-party distribution agreement was employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, the agreement of each broker-dealer that is a party to such agreement to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in the third-party distribution agreement and the related pricing wires. The Issuer further acknowledges that the Underwriter shall not be liable for the failure of any dealer who is a member of a selling group, or of any broker-dealer that is a party to a third-party distribution agreement, to comply with its corresponding agreement to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds.

(c) The Underwriter acknowledges that sales of any Bonds to any person that is a related party to an underwriter participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (each such term being used as defined below) shall not constitute sales to the public for purposes of this section. Further, for purposes of this section:

- (i) “public” means any person other than an underwriter or a related party,
- (ii) “underwriter” means (A) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public and (B) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (A) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a third-party distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public),
- (iii) a purchaser of any of the Bonds is a “related party” to an underwriter if the underwriter and the purchaser are subject, directly or indirectly, to (A) more than 50% common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (B) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profits interests, if both entities are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (C) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other), and
- (iv) “sale date” means the date of execution of this Bond Purchase Agreement by all parties.

SECTION 3. Liquidated Damages. If the Issuer accepts this offer and if the Underwriter fails (other than for a reason permitted hereunder) to accept and pay for

the Bonds upon tender thereof by the Issuer at the Closing as herein provided, the parties hereby agree that the damages to the Issuer shall be fixed at 1.00% of the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds and, upon such failure of the Underwriter to accept and pay for the Bonds, Underwriter shall be obligated to pay to the Issuer such amount as and for full liquidated damages for such failure and for any and all defaults hereunder on the part of the Underwriter. Upon such payment the Underwriter shall be fully released and discharged of all claims, rights and damages for such failure and for any and all such defaults. In no event shall the Issuer be entitled to damages of any nature other than the liquidated damages herein specified.

SECTION 4. Closing. At 10:30 a.m., central time, on _____, 2020, or at such other time or date as shall be agreed to by the Issuer and the Underwriter, the Issuer will deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the Underwriter, or such agent as it shall designate, the Bonds, in definitive form, duly executed on the Issuer's behalf, together with the other documents hereinafter mentioned, and the Underwriter will accept, or cause to be accepted, such delivery and pay to the Issuer the purchase price of the Bonds in the amount set forth in Section 1 hereof by wire transfer payable in immediately available funds or such other medium of payment as shall be acceptable to the Issuer. Payment for the Bonds as aforesaid shall be made at such place designated by the Issuer and delivery of the Bonds shall be made through Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, or at such other location mutually acceptable to the parties. Such payment and delivery is herein called the "Closing" and the date of the Closing is herein called the "Closing Date." The Bonds shall be delivered as fully registered Bonds, book-entry only form, in denominations of \$5,000 each or any integral multiple thereof as the Underwriter shall request, shall bear CUSIP numbers, shall be registered in such names and in such denominations as shall be designated in writing by the Underwriter to the Issuer or to _____, as the registration and paying agent for the Bonds (the "Registration Agent"), and shall be duly authenticated by the Registration Agent. The Underwriter hereby instructs that the Bonds be delivered at Closing through The Depository Trust Company's "FAST Program".

SECTION 5. Conditions of Closing. The obligations of the Underwriter hereunder shall be subject to the performance by the Issuer of its obligations to be performed hereunder at or prior to the Closing, to the accuracy of and compliance with the representations, warranties and covenants of the Issuer herein, in each case as of the time of delivery of this Purchase Agreement and as of the Closing, and, in the discretion of the Underwriter, to the following:

(a) at the Closing, (i) the Resolution shall be in full force and effect and shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented, except as may have been agreed to in writing by the Underwriter, and the Issuer shall have executed and there shall be in full force and effect such additional agreements, and there shall have been taken in connection therewith and in connection with the issuance of the Bonds all such action as shall, in the opinion of Bass, Berry & Sims PLC, Nashville, Tennessee, Bond Counsel ("Bond Counsel"), be necessary in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, (ii) the Bonds shall have been duly authorized, executed and delivered as provided herein, (iii) the Official Statement shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented, except as may have been agreed to in writing by the Underwriter, and (iv) the Issuer shall perform or have performed all of its obligations under or specified in this Bond Purchase Agreement to be performed at or prior to the Closing;

(b) At or prior to the Closing Date, the Underwriter shall have received the following:

(i) The unqualified approving opinion, dated the Closing Date, of Bond Counsel, in substantially the form attached as Appendix A to the Official Statement, addressed to the Issuer and the Underwriter;

(ii) A certificate, dated the Closing Date, signed by the Mayor and City Recorder of the Issuer, in which such officers, to the best of their knowledge, information and belief, shall state that

(A) Except as described in the Official Statement, there is no litigation or other legal or governmental action, proceeding, inquiry or investigation of any nature pending on the Closing Date, or to our knowledge threatened, seeking to restrain or enjoin the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the Bonds, application of the proceeds thereof, or the payment, collection or application of income of the Issuer or the pledge thereof to the payment of the Bonds pursuant to the Resolution and the Act; seeking to restrain or enjoin the execution, delivery or performance of this Purchase Agreement; in any manner questioning the proceedings or authority pursuant to which the Bonds are authorized or issued; in any manner questioning or relating to the validity of the Bonds, the Resolution, or this Purchase Agreement; contesting in any way the completeness or accuracy of the Official Statement; in any way contesting the corporate existence or boundaries of the Issuer or the title of its present officers to their respective offices; or contesting the powers of the Issuer or its authority with respect to the Bonds, the Resolution, the Act, this Purchase Agreement or the Official Statement, or any act to be done or documents or certificates to be executed or delivered in connection with any of them.

(B) The Resolution is, as of the Closing Date, in full force and effect and has not been amended, modified or supplemented, except as provided herein.

(C) The execution and delivery of this Purchase Agreement and the Bonds, the adoption of the Resolution, and the compliance by the Issuer with the terms and provisions thereof, will not conflict with, or result in any violation of any provision of the laws pursuant to which the Issuer is created or incorporating or governing documents of the Issuer or of any amendments to any of the foregoing or any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust or other agreement or instrument to which the Issuer is a party or by which it or its properties are bound and will not violate any decree, order, injunction, judgment, determination or award to which the Issuer or its properties are subject.

(D) The Issuer has complied with all the requirements and satisfied all the conditions on its part to be performed or satisfied at or prior to the delivery of the Bonds.

(E) The descriptions and statements contained in the Official Statement were at the time of its publication and distribution, and are on the Closing Date, true and correct in all material respects, and the Official Statement did not at the time of its publication and distribution, and does not on the Closing Date, contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated where necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.

(F) Subsequent to June 30, 2019, there has been no material adverse change in the financial position or results of

operations of the Issuer except as set forth in or contemplated by the Official Statement;

- (iii) Evidence satisfactory in form and substance to the Underwriter that the credit rating assigned to the Bonds by Moody's is as set forth on the cover page of the Official Statement;
- (iv) An opinion of counsel to the Issuer in form and substance satisfactory to Bond Counsel; and
- (v) An executed copy of the Issuer's Continuing Disclosure Agreement.

If the Issuer shall be unable to satisfy the conditions to the obligations of the Underwriter contained in this Purchase Agreement, this Purchase Agreement shall terminate and neither the Underwriter nor the Issuer shall be under any further obligation hereunder.

SECTION 6. Termination of Agreement. The Underwriter may terminate this Purchase Agreement, without liability therefor, by notification to the Issuer, if at any time subsequent to the date of this Purchase Agreement and at or prior to the Closing:

(a) legislation shall be enacted by the Congress of the United States or a bill introduced (by amendment or otherwise) or favorably reported by a committee of the House of Representatives or the Senate of the Congress of the United States, or a decision by a court of the United States or the Tax Court of the United States shall be rendered, or a ruling, regulation or fiscal action shall be issued or proposed by or on behalf of the Treasury Department of the United States, the Internal Revenue Service or other governmental agency with respect to or having the purpose or effect of including within gross income for federal income tax purposes interest received on bonds of the general character of the Bonds, which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, materially adversely affects the market for the Bonds or the sale, at the contemplated offering prices, by the Underwriter of the Bonds to be purchased by it; or

(b) any legislation, rule or regulation shall be introduced in, or be enacted by the General Assembly or any department or agency in the State of Tennessee, or a decision by any court of competent jurisdiction within the State of Tennessee shall be rendered which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, materially adversely affects the market for the Bonds or the sale, at the contemplated offering prices, by the Underwriter of the Bonds to be purchased by it; or

(c) any amendment to the Official Statement is proposed by the Issuer or deemed necessary by Bond Counsel which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, materially adversely affects the market for the Bonds or the sale, at the contemplated offering prices, by the Underwriter of the Bonds to be purchased by it; or

(d) any fact shall exist or any event shall have occurred which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, makes the Official Statement, in the form as originally approved by the Issuer, contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or

(e) the marketability of the Bonds or the market price thereof, in the opinion of the underwriter, has been materially and adversely affected by disruptive events, occurrences or conditions in the securities or debt markets; or

(f) legislation shall be enacted or any action shall be taken by, or on behalf of, the Securities and Exchange Commission which, in the reasonable opinion

of the Underwriter, has the effect of requiring the contemplated distribution of the Bonds to be registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Resolution to be qualified under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, or any laws analogous thereto relating to governmental bodies, and compliance therewith cannot be accomplished prior to the Closing; or

(g) a general banking moratorium shall have been declared by United States, New York or Tennessee authorities, which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, materially adversely affects the market for the Bonds or the sale, at the contemplated offering prices, by the Underwriter of the Bonds to be purchased by it; or

(h) any national securities exchange, or any governmental authority, shall impose, as to the Bonds or obligations of the general character of the Bonds, any material restrictions not now in force, or increase materially those now in force, with respect to the extension of credit by, or the charge to the net capital requirements of, the Underwriter; or

(i) the rating of the Bonds shall have been downgraded from the rating set forth on the cover page of the Official Statement or withdrawn by such rating service, or there shall have occurred or any notice shall have been given of any intended downgrading, suspension, withdrawal or negative change in credit watch status by any national rating service to any of the Issuer's obligations, which, in the Underwriter's reasonable opinion, materially adversely affects the market for the Bonds or the sale, at the contemplated offering prices, by the Underwriter of the Bonds to be purchased by them; or trading in any securities of the Issuer shall have been suspended on any national securities exchange; or any proceeding shall be pending or threatened by the Securities and Exchange Commission against the Issuer

SECTION 7. Expenses.

(a) The Issuer shall pay all expenses that are incidental to the performance of the Issuer's obligations under this Purchase Agreement, including but not limited to: all expenses in connection with the printing of the Preliminary Official Statement, the Official Statement and any amendment or supplement to either; all expenses in connection with the printing, issuance and delivery of the Bonds; the fees and expenses of Bond Counsel and Issuer's Counsel; the fees of the bond insurer, if any; the fees and expenses of the Issuer's financial advisors, accountants, any verification consultant and all other consultants; the fees and disbursements of the Registration Agent; all expenses in connection with obtaining a rating or ratings for the Bonds; all expenses of the Issuer in connection with the preparation, printing, execution and delivery, and any recording or filing; and all other expenses and costs of the Issuer incident to its obligations in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale and distribution of the Bonds. The Issuer shall not be required to pay for any incidental costs (including, but not limited to, transportation, lodging, meals and entertainment of any representative of the Underwriter) incurred in connection with the marketing, issuance and delivery of the Bonds.

(b) The Underwriter shall pay the costs of qualifying the Bonds for sale in the various states chosen by the Underwriter, all advertising expenses in connection with the public offering of the Bonds, and all other expenses incurred by the Underwriter in connection with the public offering and distribution of the Bonds, except as otherwise set forth in Section 7(a) above, including the fees and expenses of the Underwriter's counsel. In no event shall the Issuer be required to register as an issuer of the Bonds or be required to agree to service of process in any state in connection with the sale of the Bonds.

SECTION 8. Miscellaneous.

(a) All notices, demands and formal actions hereunder shall be in writing and mailed, telegraphed or delivered to:

The Underwriter:

The Issuer: City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee
111 West Vine Street
Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37130
Attn: City Manager

(b) This Purchase Agreement will inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties and their successors and assigns, and will not confer any rights upon any other person. The terms "successors" and "assigns" shall not include any purchaser of any of the Bonds from the Underwriter merely because of such purchase.

(c) Section headings have been inserted in this Purchase Agreement as a matter of convenience of reference only, and it is agreed that such section headings are not a part of this Purchase Agreement and will not be used in the interpretation of any provisions of this Purchase Agreement.

(d) If any provision of this Purchase Agreement shall be held or deemed to be or shall, in fact, be invalid, inoperative or unenforceable as applied in any particular case in any jurisdiction or jurisdictions, or in all jurisdictions because it conflicts with any provisions of any constitution, statute or rule of public policy, or for any other reason, such circumstances shall not have the effect of rendering the provision in question invalid, inoperative or unenforceable in any other case or circumstance, or of rendering any other provision or provisions of this Purchase Agreement invalid, in operative or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

(e) This Purchase Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be regarded as an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same document.

(f) This Purchase Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of the State of Tennessee.

(g) This Purchase Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof.

(h) The Underwriter may waive compliance by the Issuer with any of the conditions, requirements, covenants, warranties or representations set forth herein, but waiver by the Underwriter of any such compliance shall not be deemed a waiver of compliance with any other of the conditions, requirements, covenants, warranties or representations set forth herein.

Signatures on Following Page

_____, as
Representative for itself and the other
underwriters named on the cover of the
Preliminary Official Statement

By: _____
Title:

Accepted as of the date first
above written:

CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

By: _____
Mayor

EXHIBIT C

ESTIMATED DEBT SERVICE



ESTIMATED DEBT SERVICE

**City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee
General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020A
Refunding of Outstanding Variable Rate Debt - General Fund**

Date	Principal	Estimated Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
12/01/2020			168,059.10	168,059.10	
06/01/2021	10,830,000.00	1.490%	193,914.35	11,023,914.35	
06/30/2021					11,191,973.45
12/01/2021			113,230.85	113,230.85	
06/01/2022	4,655,000.00	1.520%	113,230.85	4,768,230.85	
06/30/2022					4,881,461.70
12/01/2022			77,852.85	77,852.85	
06/01/2023	4,840,000.00	1.563%	77,852.85	4,917,852.85	
06/30/2023					4,995,705.70
12/01/2023			40,028.25	40,028.25	
06/01/2024	5,035,000.00	1.590%	40,028.25	5,075,028.25	
06/30/2024					5,115,056.50
	25,360,000.00		824,197.35	26,184,197.35	

Date Structure

Date	06/25/2020
First Coupon Date	12/01/2020

Yield Statistics

Average Coupon	1.5518880%
Weighted Average Maturity	2.094
True Interest Cost (TIC)	1.9013534%

ESTIMATED DEBT SERVICE

**City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee
General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020B
Refunding of Outstanding Variable Rate Debt - Water & Sewer Fund**

Date	Principal	Estimated Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Fiscal Total
12/01/2020			142,074.38	142,074.38	
06/01/2021	2,990,000.00	1.490%	163,931.98	3,153,931.98	
06/30/2021					3,296,006.36
12/01/2021			141,656.48	141,656.48	
06/01/2022	3,065,000.00	1.520%	141,656.48	3,206,656.48	
06/30/2022					3,348,312.96
12/01/2022			118,362.48	118,362.48	
06/01/2023	3,165,000.00	1.563%	118,362.48	3,283,362.48	
06/30/2023					3,401,724.96
12/01/2023			93,628.00	93,628.00	
06/01/2024	2,700,000.00	1.590%	93,628.00	2,793,628.00	
06/30/2024					2,887,256.00
12/01/2024			72,163.00	72,163.00	
06/01/2025	2,795,000.00	1.630%	72,163.00	2,867,163.00	
06/30/2025					2,939,326.00
12/01/2025			49,383.75	49,383.75	
06/01/2026	2,895,000.00	1.650%	49,383.75	2,944,383.75	
06/30/2026					2,993,767.50
12/01/2026			25,500.00	25,500.00	
06/01/2027	3,000,000.00	1.700%	25,500.00	3,025,500.00	
06/30/2027					3,051,000.00
	20,610,000.00		1,307,393.78	21,917,393.78	

Date Structure

Date	06/25/2020
First Coupon Date	12/01/2020

Yield Statistics

Average Coupon	1.6263949%
Weighted Average Maturity	3.900
True Interest Cost (TIC)	1.8140680%

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

Meeting Date: 04/16/2020

Item Title: MTSU Temporary Parking Transient Use Agreement

Department: Airport

Presented by: Chad Gehrke, Airport Manager

Requested Council Action:

- Ordinance
 - Resolution
 - Motion
 - Direction
 - Information
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Summary

Transient use agreement with MTSU to provide temporary auto parking at their Airport Campus.

Staff Recommendation

Approve Transient Use Agreement for temporary parking facility.

Background Information

The MTSU Aerospace Department has experienced 22% increase in enrollment in their program over the last few years. The University has also completed their Airport Campus Development Plan depicting a number of facilities that they will be constructing over the next several years to meet the demand and standards set by the industry. Recently the City of Murfreesboro built a new maintenance facility at McKnight Park. The previous maintenance facility will be cleared out and prepared to provide much needed additional auto parking for MTSU faculty and students.

Council Priorities Served

Responsible budgeting

This Transient Use Agreement provides the Airport revenue of \$10,036 per year.

Expand infrastructure

Additional auto parking will assist the University in the development of their Airport Campus.

Operational Issues

This parking lot will address and improve existing auto parking issues.

Fiscal Impact

This agreement is for a term of five years providing \$10,036 rent to the Airport per year. The Airport Fund will cover the cost of clearing and installation of chip/seal and car stops to create the temporary auto parking area.

Attachments

Transient Use Agreement with MTSU

TRANSIENT USE AGREEMENT

TEMPORARY PARKING FACILITIES

This Agreement, entered into as of this 3rd day of March, 2020, made by and between the City of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, (“Owner”) and Middle Tennessee State University (“User”).

WITNESSETH:

A. This Agreement provides for the User to have access to and use of certain facilities (the “Use Area”) of the Owner described below. The Transient Use Terms and Conditions are hereby made a part of this Agreement as fully as if incorporated verbatim herein, and are those contained in:

Exhibit A - Transient Use Terms and Conditions

B. **TERM OF AGREEMENT:**

The term of this Agreement shall commence on the first day of the first month after completion of preparation by Owner and shall end five (5) years after commencement date.

C. **RENTAL** shall be \$ 10,036 annually, payable in advance. Rent will commence on the first day of the month after the completion of preparation by Owner. The first rent invoice will cover pro rata the period from the commencement date through June 30, 2021; future rent invoices will be for the fiscal year July 1 through June 30.

D. **NOTICES** shall be addressed:
to Owner at:

Murfreesboro Airport
Attn: Airport Manager
1930 Memorial Blvd.
Murfreesboro, TN 37129

With a copy to:
City of Murfreesboro
Attn: City Attorney
111 W. Vine Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

to User at:

Middle Tennessee State University
Attn: Senior Vice President
1301 East Main St.
Murfreesboro, TN 37132

With a copy to:
Middle Tennessee State University
Attn: University Counsel
1301 East Main St.
Murfreesboro, TN

E. **LOCATION:** The Owner hereby agrees to let the User access and make use of certain premises with the appurtenances situated in the Murfreesboro Municipal Airport located at 1930 Memorial Boulevard, Murfreesboro TN, 37129, Murfreesboro, Rutherford County, Tennessee,

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and more particularly described as follows:

- (1) **Use Area:** The User will have full use of a .48 +/-acres area depicted on the attached **Exhibit B** for automobile parking.
 - (2) **Restricted Area:** The User will refrain from parking on grass areas not designated for parking, existing soccer fields, and any other roadways and other paved areas not designated for parking automobiles.
 - (3) The User shall have access to and use of the Use area at any and all times during agreement term.
 - (4) The User shall generally confine its activities on premises to the following purposes: automobile parking for MTSU Aerospace Department students, faculty, staff, and guests.
- F. PREPARATION:** Promptly after execution of this Agreement, Owner will clear and level the Use Area and prepare the surface for temporary parking use by User.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto:

OWNER: CITY OF MURFREESBORO

USER: MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

BY: _____
 Name: Shane McFarland
 Title: Mayor
 Date:

BY: _____
 Digitally signed by Alan R. Thomas,
 Vice President for Business and
 Finance, acting for and on behalf of
 Middle Tennessee State University
 Date: 2020.03.31 08:02:54 -05'00'
 Name: Alan Thomas
 Title: VP, Business & Finance
 Date:

ATTEST:

 Melissa Wright, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
 DocuSigned by:
 Adam F. Tucker

 Adam F. Tucker, City Attorney

Recommended by Murfreesboro Airport Commission: March 9, 2020
Approved by Murfreesboro City Council: _____

EXHIBIT A

TRANSIENT USE AGREEMENT
TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. **TERM:** The term of the Agreement shall commence and end on the dates set forth in the Agreement, with such rights of termination as are hereinafter expressly set forth.
2. **RENTAL:** Rent payable for any interval of time less than one payment period shall be determined by prorating the periodic rental specified in the Agreement, based on the actual number of months in the period. Rental shall be paid to Owner at the address specified for Notices in the Agreement, or to such other address as the Owner may designate by a notice in writing.
3. **APPROPRIATIONS:** All terms and conditions of the Agreement are made subject to the continued appropriations by the appropriate Legislative Body.
4. **ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLETTING:** The User shall not assign the Agreement without the written consent of the Owner.
5. **NOTICES:** All Notices herein provided to be given, or which may be given, by either party to the other, shall be deemed to have been fully given when made in writing and deposited in the United States mail, certified and postage prepaid, and addressed as set forth in the Agreement.
6. **ALTERATIONS:** The User shall have the right during the term of the Agreement to make reasonable alterations, attach fixtures and erect additions, structures or signs in or upon the premises with the prior written consent of the Owner, with such consent not to be unreasonably withheld. Such fixtures, additions, structures or signs so placed in or upon or attached to the premises under the Agreement or any prior agreement of which the Agreement is an extension or renewal shall be and remain the property of the User and may be removed therefrom by the User prior to the termination or expiration of the Agreement or any renewal or extension thereof, or within a reasonable time thereafter, provided, however, that User shall repair any damaged caused by the removal of any such personal property, equipment or fixtures (including signs) to the reasonable satisfaction of City. Any personal property, equipment or fixtures (including signs) that are not removed by User within 30 days after the termination or expiration of this Agreement shall become the property of the City.
7. **INSPECTION:** The Owner reserves the right to enter and inspect the premises, at reasonable times, and to render services and make any necessary repairs to the premises.
8. **SERVICES AND UTILITIES:** N/A.
9. **REPAIR and MAINTENANCE:** During the Agreement term, User shall maintain the premises and appurtenances that Owner provides in good repair and tenantable condition, except in case of damage arising solely from a willful or negligent act of the Owner.
10. Deleted.
11. **DESTRUCTION:** If the premises is totally destroyed, Owner shall effect restoration of the premises as quickly as is reasonably possible, but in any event within thirty (30) days.

In the event of any such destruction other than total, where the User has not terminated the Agreement as herein provided, or pursuant to the terms hereof has not elected to make the repairs itself, Owner shall

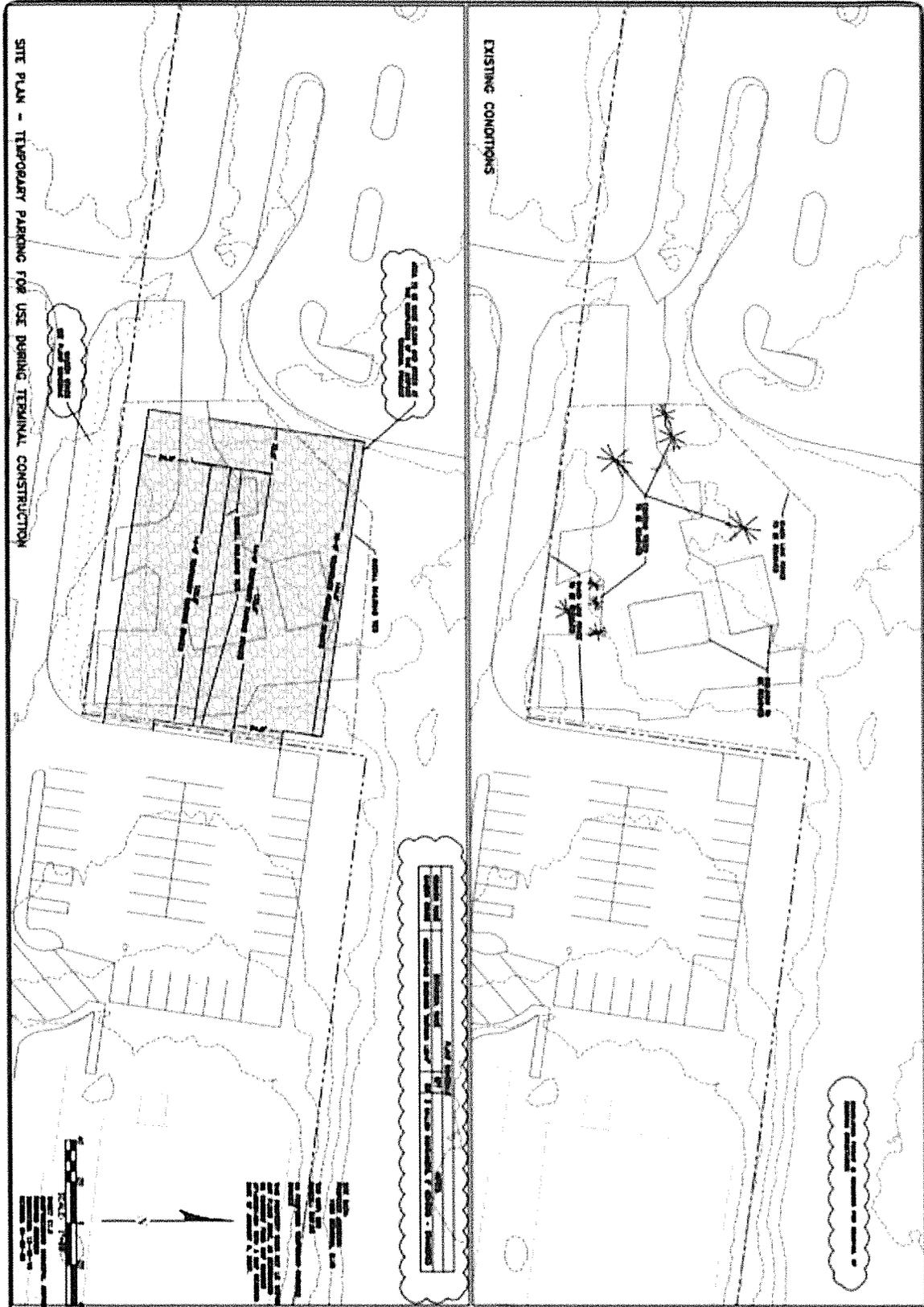
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diligently prosecute the repair of the premises and, in any event, if repairs are not completed within the period of thirty (30) days the User shall have the option to terminate the Agreement or complete the repairs itself, deducting the cost thereof from the rental due or to become due under the Agreement and any other agreement between Owner and User.

12. TERMINATION: User may terminate the Agreement at any time by giving 60 days written notice to the Owner. Notice shall commence on the day after the date of mailing. The number of days shall be waived in cases of:
 - (a) Termination or consolidation of the User operations or programs housed in the premises because of loss of funding or otherwise; or
 - (b) Lack of funding by the appropriate legislative body for obligations required of the User by the Agreement.

Owner may terminate this Agreement in the event of a default by User by giving 60 days written notice of the default, provided that if User shall cure the default within such 60-day period the Notice will be withdrawn. Default by User includes failure to pay rent when due, damaging any part of the premises, whether by User or User's guests or invitees, or conducting activities within the premises in such a manner that substantially interferes with the safety or quiet enjoyment of the premises by the Owner or other users of the facility.

13. SURRENDER OF POSSESSION: Upon termination or expiration of the Agreement, the User will peaceably surrender to the Owner the premises in as good order and condition as when received, reasonable use and wear thereof and damage by earthquake, fire, public calamity, the elements, acts of God, or circumstances over which the User has no control or for which Owner is responsible pursuant to the Agreement, excepted. The User shall have no duty to remove any improvements or fixtures placed by it on the premises or to restore any portion of the premises altered by it, save and except in the event the User elects to remove any such improvement or fixture and such removal causes damages or injury to the premises and then only to the extent of any such damage or injury.
14. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT: In the event the consideration for this Agreement is in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00), the requirements of T.C.A. § 12-12-101 et seq. addressing contracting with persons with investment activities in Iran, shall be a material provision of this agreement and the User agrees, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its belief that it is not on the list created pursuant to T.C.A. § 12-12-106.



	TEMPORARY PARKING EXISTING CONDITIONS/SITE PLAN		MURFREESBORO AIRPORT PARKING ADDITION		NO. DATE REVISION D.R./C.K.
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