A Resolution

NO. _____

STATEMENT EXPRESSING

OFFICIAL INTENT TO REIMBURSE EXPENDITURES WITH PROCEEDS OF FUTURE DEBT FOR THE FWCC VIOLA STORM DRAIN PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Worth, Texas (the "City") is a home-rule municipality and political subdivision of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Tarrant Regional Water District ("TRWD") are coordinating on the Army Corps of Engineers' Central City Flood Control Project, with the City advancing costs for certain ancillary subprojects such as identified stormwater/drainage infrastructure and issuing short-term commercial paper and with TRWD reimbursing such costs in annual installments correlating to costs of work within that year; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to retain the ability to debt-finance the costs of these subprojects to the extent such costs are debt-eligible both in the short-term via issuance of commercial paper and via longer term debt to the extent costs are not otherwise reimbursed by TRWD; and

WHEREAS, the City expects to pay expenditures from available funds in connection with the design, planning, acquisition and construction for the FWCC-related Viola Storm Drain project (the "Project") prior to the issuance of obligations by the City that may finance some or all of the costs of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City finds, considers, and declares that the reimbursement of the City from proceeds of obligation for the payment of such expenditures will be appropriate and consistent with the lawful objectives of the City and, as such, chooses to declare its intention, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations, to reimburse itself for such payments at such time as it issues obligations to finance the Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WORTH, TEXAS, THAT:

<u>Section 1</u>. The City reasonably expects debt, as one or more series of obligations, may be issued or incurred by the City with an aggregate maximum principal amount not to exceed \$7,000,000.00 for the purpose of paying eligible costs, including some or all of the aggregate costs of the Project.

Section 2. All costs to be reimbursed pursuant hereto will be capital expenditures. No obligations will be issued by the City in furtherance of this Statement after a date which is later than 18 months after the later of (1) the date the expenditures are paid or (2) the date on which the property, with respect to which such expenditures were made, is placed in service.

<u>Section 3</u>. The foregoing notwithstanding, no obligation will be issued pursuant to this Statement more than three years after the date any expenditure which is to be reimbursed is paid.

Adopted this _____ day of _____ 2023.

ATTEST:

By: _____

Jannette Goodall, City Secretary