APPENDIX B

VERIFICATION OF AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the undersigned, the President of Confluence Rivers Utility Operating Company, Inc. ("Confluence Rivers") and Central States Water Resources, Inc. ("CSWR"), and does hereby verify that CSWR had and has the requisite authority to enter into each Agreement for Sale of Utility System described in the Application and to carry out all the obligations contained in each Agreement for Sale of Utility System.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has hereto set his hand the April, 2022.	
CON CON	h Cox, President IFLUENCE RIVERS UTILITY OPERATING IPANY, INC. and CENTRAL STATES IER RESOURCES, INC.
State of Missouri)) ss County of St. Louis)	
Subscribed and sworn before me this about day of April , 2022.	
MERANDA K. KEUBLER My Commission Expires November 13, 2022 St. Louis County Commission #14631487 Nota	ry Public

My Commission Expires 11.13.2020