



November 15, 2024

Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority
9415 Town Center Parkway
Lakewood Ranch, FL 34202

Re: Letter of Commitment

Dear Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority,

This letter serves as a formal expression of the City of North Port's commitment to purchase an additional two million gallons per day (2 MGD) of treated water from the Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority.

The City recognizes the critical need to secure a reliable and long-term water supply to meet the growing demands of our community. We believe that partnering with the Authority presents a mutually beneficial solution.

The Third Amended Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority Master Water Supply Contract includes detailed provisions outlining the terms and conditions of the water purchase, including but not limited to delivery schedules, quality standards, pricing structures, and any other pertinent contractual obligations.

The City of North Port remains committed to working collaboratively with the Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority to finalize this agreement in a timely manner. We believe that by leveraging our respective strengths and resources, we can effectively address the water supply challenges facing our region and ensure a sustainable future for generations to come.

Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to your prompt response and a productive collaboration.

Sincerely,

Mayor Alice White

CC: A Jerome Fletcher II, ICMA-CM,MPA, City Manager
Jason Yarborough, ICMA-CM, Deputy City Manager
Nancy Gallinaro, Utilities Director