Program Note Renewal

Louisville Metro Council Public Works Committee **December 1, 2020**



Program Note Background:

- Program Note Resolution adopted by the MSD Board May 29, 2018
- Ordinance 095, Series 2018 approved by Metro Council July 2, 2018
- Provides for issuance and sale by MSD of Commercial Paper (CP)
 Notes and Direct Purchase Notes in a principal amount not to exceed \$500,000,000
- Ordinance and Resolution limit maturities to no later than July 1, 2021
- Proceeds used for capital program financing



Program Note Background continued:

- MSD issued RFP for credit facility provider that allowed for a total contract of up to 5 years
- Contracts were awarded in 2018 to JP Morgan Chase and Bank of America for \$250,000,000 each
- Initial CP and Direct Purchase Note agreements with both banks terminate July 1, 2021



Program Note Success:

Benefits:

- Eliminates carrying cost during 1st year of a new revenue bond
- Provides immediate source of funds for Emergency Repair projects
- Eliminates "Market Access Risk" on BAN
- Provides liquidity in emergency situations (COVID-19)
- MSD issued \$225M in long term bonds in July to redeem \$225M in outstanding CP
- MSD desires to renew program for an additional 2 years



Pricing Changes – Credit Facility:

JP Morgan		
	7/1/2018	7/1/2021
Facility Fee	0.40%	0.75%
Annual Cost	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,875,000

Bank of America		
	7/1/2018	7/1/2021
Facility Fee	0.40%	0.60%
Annual Cost	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,500,000



KRS 76.150: District Revenue Bonds

- (2)...the bonds shall be authorized by resolution of the board...
- ...the issuance of bonds shall first be authorized by ordinance passed by the legislative body of the city and approved by the mayor of the city.
- ...the bonds shall be sold at public sale...
- (4) The bonds or other obligations of the district shall not constitute an obligation or indebtedness of the city or of the county...



Questions?

