State Water Infrastructure Authority North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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The State Government Ethics Act (North Carolina General Statute § 138A) mandates that the Chair inquire as to whether there is any known conflict of interest or potential conflict of interest with respect to any matters before the Authority today. If any member knows of a conflict of interest or potential conflict of interest, please identify the conflict at the time the conflict becomes apparent.

The times indicated for each Agenda Item are merely for guidance. The Authority will proceed through the Agenda until completed.

<u>AGENDA</u>

Kim H. Colson, Authority Chair, Presiding

9:00 A. Call to Order – Chair Colson

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Reminder of Conflict of Interest and Compliance with State Government Ethics Act
- 3. Please set Electronic Devices to Off or Vibrate
- 9:10 B. Approval of Minutes of February 20, 2014 Authority Meeting (Action Item)
- 9:20 C. Attorney General's Office Report Mary Lucasse
- 9:30 D. Chair's Remarks Chair Colson
- 9:45 E. Clean Water and Drinking Water SRF Update (Action Item)
- 10:00 F. Report on Recent Training Events Seth Robertson
- 10:10 Break
- 10:30 G. Community Development Block Grants-Infrastructure Julie Cubeta
- 10:45 H. Presentation of Draft Report to Legislative Committees Francine Durso
- 11:15 I. LGC Oversight of Municipal Water and Sewer Enterprise Operations Tim Romocki, Director of Debt Management Section, NC Department of the State Treasurer, State & Local Government Finance Division
- 12:00 Lunch Break

- 1:00 J. Overview of Financial Management of NC's Drinking Water & Wastewater Utilities Jeff Hughes and Shadi Eskaf, Environmental Finance Center at the UNC School of Government
- 2:15 K. Informal Comments from the Public
- 2:30 L. Concluding Remarks by Authority Members, Chair and Counsel
- 2:45 M. Adjourn

Reminder to All Authority Members: Members having a question about a conflict of interest or potential conflict should consult with the Chair or with legal counsel.

Reminder to Authority Members Appointed by the Governor: Executive Order 34 mandates that in transacting Commission business each person appointed by the Governor shall act always in the best interest of the public without regard for his or her financial interests. To this end, each appointee must recuse himself or herself from voting on any matter on which the appointee has a financial interest.