## BEFORE THE DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

In the Matter of the Designation of the	)	
Groundwater Management District No. 4 District Wide	)	
Local Enhanced Management Area in Cheyenne, Decatur,	)	
Gove, Graham, Logan, Rawlins, Sheridan, Sherman,	)	002-DWR-LEMA-2017
Thomas, and Wallace Counties, Kansas.	)	
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Pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041.	)	
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## ACCEPTANCE OF THE MODIFIED DISTRICT WIDE LEMA MANAGEMENT PLAN

**COMES NOW**, David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer of the Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture ("Chief Engineer"), who, pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041(d)(4), hereby accepts the Groundwater Management District No. 4 ("GMD4") District Wide LEMA Management Plan, as modified in the Order of Decision.

That on February 23, 2018, corrected by order of February 26, 2018, and pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041(d)(4), the Chief Engineer issued an Order of Decision returning the proposed management plan to GMD4 for consideration of proposed modifications to such management plan.

That on March 1, 2018 the GMD4 Board of Directors approved the proposed modifications and on that same day returned the proposed management plan to the Chief Engineer for his acceptance with the requested modifications.

**THEREFORE**, the Chief Engineer accepts the so modified proposed management plan and pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1041(e), shall issue an order of designation within a reasonable time that designates the area in question as a local enhanced management area.

IT IS SO ORDERED, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of March 2018.

David W. Barfield, P.E.

Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources

Kansas Department of Agriculture

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On this Day of March 2018, I hereby certify that the original of the foregoing Decision was sent by U.S. Mail and a true and correct copy by electronic mail to:

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