MEETING OF THE MASSACHUSETTS CLEAN WATER TRUST BOARD OF TRUSTEES

December 6, 2023 1:30 PM

Location: Remote*

NOTICE & AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

Item #1 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Acceptance and approval of minutes of the meeting held on November 1, 2023.

Item #2 **REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Item #3 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Authorization of a Permanent Transfer of Clean Water SRF Grants funds to Drinking Water SRF Grant funds in the amount of \$21,916,640

1. That, pursuant to and as further implementation of the Funds Transfer Program approved by the Board on January 8, 2014, the Board hereby re-affirms and approves the Executive Director's authority to make such transfers between the Clean Water SRF and the Drinking Water SRF as she determines to be necessary in an amount not to exceed 33% of the Drinking Water Grant, including the permanent transfers listed below:

Transfer From	Transfer To	Amount
Clean Water Base Grant	Drinking Water Base Grant	\$3,498,660
Clean Water Supplement Grant	Drinking Water Supplemental Grant	\$14,917,980
Clean Water Emerging Contaminants Grant	Drinking Water Emerging Contaminants Grant	\$3,500,000

2. That the Executive Director is further authorized to take all necessary steps to effectuate such transfer, including executing and delivering all letters, certificates, and other instruments and documents necessary or desirable in connection therewith and obtaining any necessary opinions of counsel.

Item #4 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Authorize up to \$8,412,000 for the Asset Management Grant Program for the 2024 IUP Solicitation

The Trust designates up to \$8,412,000, from the unrestricted funds on deposit in the Equity Funds under the Master Trust Agreement, to offer a continuation of the Asset Management Grant Program on the 2024 IUP Solicitation.

Item #5 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Authorize Fair Share Objectives (FSO)

1. That the Board of Trustees of the Trust approves the submission by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection ("MassDEP"), on behalf of MassDEP and the Trust, of the following fair share objectives required by the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Rule of the Environmental Protection Agency("EPA"):

Minority Business Enterprises – 4.2% Women Business Enterprises – 4.5%

- 2. That the Board of Trustees of the Trust authorizes the Executive Director of the Trust to takes such steps and to sign such documents, if any, that she deems necessary, on behalf of the Trust, to facilitate the submission of such fair share objectives to EPA.
- 3. That the Board of Trustees of the Trust designates MassDEP as the lead agency to negotiate the final fair share objectives to be used in connection with financial assistance provided by the Trust to eligible borrowers, subject to prior approval by the Executive Committee of any changes negotiated by MassDEP to the herein approved fair share objectives.

Item #6 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Approval of Asset Management Program Grant Commitments and Grant Agreements

PAC No.	<u>Recipient</u>	Amount
DWA-23-115	Chester	\$68,100
CWA-23-44	Concord	\$107,970
DWA-23-120	Douglas	\$84,000
CWA-23-41	Dover	\$99,000
CWA-23-45	Everett	\$120,042
DWA-23-132	Fitchburg	\$61,200
CWA-23-35	Hadley	\$72,000
CWA-23-12	Hudson	\$31,800
CWA-23-46	Lawrence	\$129,000
CWA-23-37	Littleton	\$109,500
CWA-23-55	New Bedford	\$150,000
CWA-23-39	Rockland	\$150,000
DWA-23-114	Russell	\$90,600
CWA-23-23	Sturbridge	\$150,000
CWA-23-32	Winchendon	\$81,375

Item #7	MOTION.	VOTE	REQUESTED	۱

Approval of Lead Service Line Planning Program Grant Commitments and Grant Agreements

PRA No.	<u>Recipient</u>	Amount
DWL-23-147	Groveland	\$147,885
DWL-23-145	North Chelmsford Water District	\$475,000

Item #8 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Approval of Community Septic Management Program Commitment

PAC No.	Borrower	Amount	Interest Rate
CW-23-59	Plymouth	\$400,000	2%

Item #9 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Approval of Clean Water Commitments

PAC No.	Borrower	Amount	Interest Rate
CW-23-11	Barnstable	\$1,125,000	$1.5\%^{1}$
CW-22-33	Chatham	\$3,605,672 ²	$0\%^{3}$
CW-22-67	Fairhaven	\$70,000,000 ⁴	2%
CW-23-55	New Bedford	\$111,500	2%
CW-22-63	New Bedford	\$29,525,807 ⁵	2%
CW-23-36	Revere	\$10,000,000	$1.5\%^{1}$

Item #10 **MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED**

Approval of Drinking Water Commitments

PAC No.	Borrower	Amount	Interest Rate
DW-23-121	Franklin	\$6,500,000	$1.5\%^{1}$
DW-23-131	Lynnfield Center	\$15,000,000	2%
	Water District		
DW-22-02	Mansfield	$$7,154,920^6$	0%7
DW-23-122	Stoughton	\$5,279,500	$1.5\%^{1}$
DW-23-116	Woburn	\$15,000,000	2%

Item #11 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Approval of Community Septic Management Program Loan and Financing Agreement

PAC No.	<u>Borrower</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>
CWT-23-59	Plymouth	\$400,000	2%

² First Revision. Previous PAC amount was \$2,826,500.

¹ Housing Choice Loan

³ Nutrient Enrichment Reduction Loan

⁴ First Revision. Previous PAC amount was \$67,219,862.

⁵ First Revision. Previous PAC amount was \$28,840,000.

⁶ First Revision. Previous PAC amount was \$6,999,694.

⁷ PFAS Remediation Loan

Item #12 **MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED**

Approval of the Clean Water Loans and Financing Agreements

PRA No.	Borrower	Amount	Interest Rate
CW-22-30	Chatham	\$15,754,810	0%3
CW-22-33	Chatham	\$3,605,672	$0\%^{3}$
CWP-22-67	Fairhaven	\$65,151,891	2%
CWP-22-67-A	Fairhaven	\$4,848,109	2%
CWA-23-55	New Bedford	\$111,500	2%
CWP-22-63	New Bedford	\$26,860,307	2%
CWP-22-63-A	New Bedford	\$2,665,500	2%
CWP-22-71	New Bedford	\$11,800,950	2%
CWP-22-71-A	New Bedford	\$730,000	2%
CWP-22-32	Oak Bluffs	\$26,000,000	2%
CW-22-40	Revere	\$1,200,000	2%

Item #13 MOTION- VOTE REQUESTED

Approval of the Drinking Water Loans and Financing Agreements

PRA No.	Borrower	Amount	Interest Rate
DWPEC-22-23	Abington	\$7,297,686	0%7
DWPEC-22-02-A	Mansfield	\$155,226	0%7
DWP-22-46	New Bedford	\$10,000,000	2%
DWPEC-22-67	Rockland	\$7,297,686	0%7
DWP-22-43-A	Somerset	\$2,616,965	2%

OTHER BUSINESS

(Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair 48 hours in advance of the meeting)

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*Location: Remote: Notice is hereby given that the Wednesday, December 6, 2023 meeting of the Massachusetts Clean Water Trust's Board of Trustees will be held through remote participation in accordance with M.G.L.c.30A, §20, as modified by c.20 of the Acts of 2021, c.22 of the Acts of 2022, and c.2 of the Acts of 2023.

Those who would like to attend the meeting, please e-mail masswatertrust@tre.state.ma.us to request meeting information. Information to access the meeting will be available through the duration of the meeting. However, we encourage participants to request the information by 5:00 PM the day before the meeting.

To ensure that the audio is clear to all attendees, unless you are actively participating in the meeting, please mute your audio. If you have technical difficulties joining the meeting, please email masswatertrust@tre.state.ma.us.

Please Note: There will be no physical meeting at the offices of the Massachusetts Clean Water Trust.

³ Nutrient Enrichment Reduction Loan

⁷ PFAS Remediation Loan