



**PRIVATE DETENTION BASIN /
STORMWATER QUALITY BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE
MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT AND EASEMENT**

This PRIVATE DETENTION BASIN / STORMWATER QUALITY BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT AND EASEMENT (Agreement) is made by and between EL PASO COUNTY by and through THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO (Board or County) and Forest Lakes Metropolitan District, a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado (Owner or FLMD). The above may occasionally be referred to herein singularly as "Party" and collectively as "Parties."

Recitals

A. WHEREAS, FLMD is the owner of certain real estate (the Property) in El Paso County, Colorado, which Property is legally described in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference; and

B. WHEREAS, FLMD desires to develop on the Property a surface water treatment plant (Project); and

C. WHEREAS, the development of this Property will increase the volume of water runoff and will decrease the quality of the stormwater runoff from the Property, and, therefore, it is in the best interest of public health, safety and welfare for the County to condition approval of this Project on FLMD's promise to construct adequate drainage, water runoff control facilities, and stormwater quality structural Best Management Practices ("BMPs") for the Project; and

D. WHEREAS, Chapter 8, Section 8.4.5 of the El Paso County Land Development Code, as periodically amended, promulgated pursuant to Section 30-28-133(1), Colorado Revised Statutes (C.R.S.), requires the County to condition approval of all subdivisions on a developer's promise to construct adequate drainage, water runoff control facilities, and BMPs in subdivisions; and

E. WHEREAS, the Drainage Criteria Manual, Volume 2, as amended by Appendix I of the El Paso County Engineering Criteria Manual (ECM), as each may be periodically amended, promulgated pursuant to the County's Colorado Discharge Permit System General Permit (MS4 Permit) as required by Phase II of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), which MS4 Permit requires that the County take measures to protect the quality of stormwater from sediment and other contaminants, requires subdividers, developers, landowners, and owners of facilities located in the County's rights-of-way or easements to provide adequate permanent stormwater quality BMPs with new development or significant redevelopment; and

F. WHEREAS, Section 2.9 of the El Paso County Drainage Criteria Manual provides for a developer's promise to maintain a subdivision's drainage facilities in the event the County does not assume such responsibility; and

G. WHEREAS, developers in El Paso County have historically chosen water runoff detention basins as a means to provide adequate drainage and water runoff control in subdivisions,

which basins, while effective, are less expensive for developers to construct than other methods of providing drainage and water runoff control; and

H. WHEREAS, FLMD desires to construct for the Project one (1) detention basin/stormwater quality BMP(s) (“detention basin/BMP(s)”) as the means for providing adequate drainage and stormwater runoff control and to meet requirements of the County’s MS4 Permit, and to operate, clean, maintain and repair such detention basin/BMP(s); and

I. WHEREAS, FLMD desires to construct the detention basin/BMP(s) on a portion of the Property as generally depicted on Exhibit B attached hereto; and

J. WHEREAS, FLMD shall be charged with the duties of constructing, operating, maintaining and repairing the detention basin/BMP(s) on the Property described in Exhibit B; and

K. WHEREAS, it is the County’s experience that subdivision developers and property owners historically have not properly cleaned and otherwise not properly maintained and repaired these detention basins/BMPs, and that these detention basins/BMPs, when not so properly cleaned, maintained, and repaired, threaten the public health, safety and welfare; and

L. WHEREAS, the County, in order to protect the public health, safety and welfare, has historically expended valuable and limited public resources to so properly clean, maintain, and repair these detention basins/BMPs when developers and property owners have failed in their responsibilities, and therefore, the County desires the means to recover its costs incurred in the event the burden falls on the County to so clean, maintain and repair the detention basin/BMP(s) serving this Project due to the Developer/Owner’s failure to meet its obligations to do the same; and

M. WHEREAS, the County conditions approval of this Project on FLMD’s promise to so construct the detention basin/BMP(s), and conditions approval on FLMD’s promise to reimburse the County in the event the burden falls upon the County to so clean, maintain and/or repair the detention basin/BMP(s) serving this Project; and

N. WHEREAS, the County could condition Project approval on FLMD’s promise to construct a different and more expensive drainage, water runoff control system and BMPs than those proposed herein, which more expensive system would not create the possibility of the burden of cleaning, maintenance and repair expenses falling on the County; however, the County is willing to forego such right upon the performance of FLMD’s promises contained herein; and

O. WHEREAS, the County, in order to secure performance of the promises contained herein, conditions approval of this Project upon FLMD’s grant herein of a non-exclusive perpetual Easement over the portion of the Property described on Exhibit B for the purpose of allowing the County to periodically access, inspect, and, when so necessary, to clean, maintain and/or repair the detention basin/BMP(s); and

Agreement

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual Promises contained herein, the sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Incorporation of Recitals: The Parties incorporate the Recitals above into this Agreement.

2. Covenants Running with the Land: FLMD agrees that this entire Agreement and the performance thereof shall become a covenant running with the land, which land is legally described in Exhibit A attached hereto, and that this entire Agreement and the performance thereof shall be binding upon itself, its successors and assigns.

3. Construction: FLMD shall construct on that portion of the Property described in Exhibit B attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, one (1) detention basin/BMP(s). FLMD shall not commence construction of the detention basin/BMP(s) until the El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department (PCD) has approved in writing the plans and specifications for the detention basin/BMP(s) and this Agreement has been signed by all Parties and returned to the PCD. FLMD shall complete construction of the detention basin/BMP(s) in substantial compliance with the County-approved plans and specifications for the detention basin/BMP(s). Failure to meet these requirements shall be a material breach of this Agreement, and shall entitle the County to pursue any remedies available to it at law or in equity to enforce the same. Construction of the detention basin/BMP(s) shall be substantially completed within eighteen (18) months, which eighteen (18) month period will commence to run on the date the Erosion and Stormwater Quality Control Permit (ESQCP) is issued. Rough grading of the detention basin/BMP(s) must be completed and inspected by the El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department.

In the event construction is not substantially completed within the eighteen (18) month period, then the County may exercise its discretion to complete the project, and shall have the right to seek reimbursement from the Owner and its successors and assigns, for its actual costs and expenses incurred in the process of completing construction. The term actual costs and expenses shall be liberally construed in favor of the County, and shall include, but shall not be limited to, labor costs, tool and equipment costs, supply costs, and engineering and design costs, regardless of whether the County uses its own personnel, tools, equipment and supplies, etc. to correct the matter. In the event the County initiates any litigation or engages the services of legal counsel in order to enforce the Provisions arising herein, the County shall be entitled to its costs and out-of-pocket expenses, including reasonable attorney fees, regardless of whether the County contracts with outside legal counsel or utilizes in-house legal counsel for the same.

4. Maintenance: The Owner agrees for itself and its successors and assigns, that it will regularly and routinely inspect, clean and maintain the detention basin/BMP(s), and otherwise keep the same in good repair, all at its own cost and expense. No trees or shrubs that will impair the structural integrity of the detention basin/BMP(s) shall be planted or allowed to grow on the detention basin/BMP(s).

5. Creation of Easement: Owner hereby grants the County a non-exclusive perpetual easement upon and across the Property described in Exhibit A. The purpose of the easement is to allow the County to access, inspect, clean, repair and maintain the detention basin/BMP(s); however, the creation of the easement does not expressly or implicitly impose on the County a duty to so inspect, clean, repair or maintain the detention basin/BMP(s).

6. County's Rights and Obligations: Any time the County determines, in the sole exercise of its discretion, that the detention basin/BMP(s) is not properly cleaned, maintained and/or otherwise kept in good repair, the County shall give reasonable notice to the Owner and its successors and assigns, that the detention basin/BMP(s) needs to be cleaned, maintained and/or otherwise repaired. The notice shall provide a reasonable time to correct the problem(s). Should the responsible parties fail to correct the specified problem(s), the County may enter upon the Property to so correct the specified problem(s). Notice shall be effective to the above by the County's deposit of the same into the regular United States mail, postage pre-paid. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Agreement does not expressly or implicitly impose on the County a duty to so inspect, clean, repair or maintain the detention basin/BMP(s).

7. Reimbursement of County's Costs / Covenant Running With the Land: The Owner agrees and covenants, for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will reimburse the County for its costs and expenses incurred in the process of completing construction of, cleaning, maintaining, and/or repairing the detention basin/BMP(s) pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement.

The term "actual costs and expenses" shall be liberally construed in favor of the County, and shall include, but shall not be limited to, labor costs, tools and equipment costs, supply costs, and engineering and design costs, regardless of whether the County uses its own personnel, tools, equipment and supplies, etc. to correct the matter. In the event the County initiates any litigation or engages the services of legal counsel in order to enforce the provisions arising herein, the County shall be entitled to its costs and out-of-pocket expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, regardless of whether the County contracts with outside legal counsel or utilizes in-house legal counsel for the same.

8. Contingencies of Land Use/Land Disturbance Approval: Owner's execution of this Agreement is a condition of land use/land disturbance approval.

The County shall have the right, in the sole exercise of its discretion, to approve or disapprove any documentation submitted to it under the conditions of this Paragraph, including but not limited to, any separate agreement or amendment, if applicable, identifying any specific maintenance responsibilities not addressed herein. The County's rejection of any documentation submitted hereunder shall mean that the appropriate condition of this Agreement has not been fulfilled.

9. Agreement Monitored by El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department and/or El Paso County Department of Transportation: Any and all actions and decisions to be made hereunder by the County shall be made by the Director of the El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department and/or the Director of the El Paso County Department of Transportation. Accordingly, any and all documents, submissions, plan approvals, inspections, etc. shall be submitted to and shall be made by the Director of the Planning and Community Development Department and/or the Director of the El Paso County Department of Transportation.

10. Indemnification and Hold Harmless: To the extent authorized by law, Owner agrees, for itself, its successors and assigns, that it will indemnify, defend, and hold the County harmless from any and all loss, costs, damage, injury, liability, claim, lien, demand, action and causes of action whatsoever, whether at law or in equity, arising from or related to its intentional or negligent acts, errors or omissions or that of its agents, officers, servants, employees, invitees and licensees in the construction, operation, inspection, cleaning (including analyzing and disposing of any solid or hazardous wastes as defined by State and/or Federal environmental laws and regulations), maintenance, and repair of the detention basin/BMP(s), and such obligation arising under this Paragraph shall be joint and several. Nothing in

this Paragraph shall be deemed to waive or otherwise limit the defense available to the County pursuant to the Colorado Governmental Immunity Act, Sections 24-10-101, *et seq.* C.R.S., or as otherwise provided by law.

11. Severability: In the event any Court of competent jurisdiction declares any part of this Agreement to be unenforceable, such declaration shall not affect the enforceability of the remaining parts of this Agreement.

12. Third Parties: This Agreement does not and shall not be deemed to confer upon or grant to any third party any right to claim damages or to bring any lawsuit, action or other proceeding against either the County, the Owner, or their respective successors and assigns, because of any breach hereof or because of any terms, covenants, agreements or conditions contained herein.

13. Solid Waste or Hazardous Materials: Should any refuse from the detention basin/BMP(s) be suspected or identified as solid waste or petroleum products, hazardous substances or hazardous materials (collectively referred to herein as “hazardous materials”), the Owner shall take all necessary and proper steps to characterize the solid waste or hazardous materials and properly dispose of it in accordance with applicable State and/or Federal environmental laws and regulations, including, but not limited to, the following: Solid Wastes Disposal Sites and Facilities Acts, §§ 30-20-100.5 – 30-20-119, C.R.S., Colorado Regulations Pertaining to Solid Waste Disposal Sites and Facilities, 6 C.C.R. 1007-2, *et seq.*, Solid Waste Disposal Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 6901-6992k, and Federal Solid Waste Regulations 40 CFR Ch. I. The County shall not be responsible or liable for identifying, characterizing, cleaning up, or disposing of such solid waste or hazardous materials. Notwithstanding the previous sentence, should any refuse cleaned up and disposed of by the County be determined to be solid waste or hazardous materials, the Owner, but not the County, shall be responsible and liable as the owner, generator, and/or transporter of said solid waste or hazardous materials.

14. Applicable Law and Venue: The laws, rules, and regulations of the State of Colorado and El Paso County shall be applicable in the enforcement, interpretation, and execution of this Agreement, except that Federal law may be applicable regarding solid waste or hazardous materials. Venue shall be in the El Paso County District Court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties affix their signatures

below. Executed this ____ 2nd ____ day of January, 2018, by:

Forest Lakes Metropolitan District,


a quasi-municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Colorado

By: 
Ann Nichols – District Manager

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 2nd day of January, 2018, by Ann Nichols, District Manager, Forest Lakes Metropolitan District
Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: 8/28/2020




Notary Public


Executed this 17th day of January, 2018, by:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO

By: 
Craig Dossey, Executive Director
Planning and Community Development Department
Authorized signatory pursuant to LDC

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17 day of January, 2018, by Craig Dossey, Executive Director of El Paso County Planning and Community Development Department.

Witness my hand and official seal.
My commission expires: 09-02-2020


Notary Public

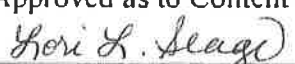
Approved as to Content and Form:

Assistant County Attorney



Exhibit A

FOREST LAKES METROPOLITAN DISTRICT – Water Intake and Treatment Plant Project

Property Information

Schedule No: 7127000011
Owner Name: FOREST LAKES METROPOLITAN DIST
Location: FOREST LAKES DR
Mailing Address: 2 N CASCADE AVE STE 1280 COLORADO SPRINGS CO 80903-1631

Legal Description:

TR IN S2 SEC 27 & SE4 SEC 28-11-67 DESC AS FOLS: COM AT THE SE COR SD SEC 27, TH S 89<06'01" W 346.55 FT FOR POB, TH N 01<53'03" W 274.33 FT TO A PT ON THE SELY LN OF BEAVER CREEK RESERVOIR, TH N 59<29'17" E 51.68 FT, N 06<07'30" W 110.74 FT, N 46<28'55" W 104.05 FT, N 16<07'05" E 40.14 FT, N 05<05'06" W 62.66 FT, N 50<02'04" W 43.81 FT, N 23<12'31" W 187.95 FT, N 36<52'39" W 120.40 FT, N 53<08'54" W 451.70 FT, N 62<50'04" W 227.51 FT, N 38<22'21" W 177.20 FT, S 81<24'30" W 119.63 FT, S 17<50'57" W 164.79 FT, S 35<43'43" E 148.27 FT, S 01<33'29" E 94.11 FT, S 28<53'19" E 239.77 FT, S 62<22'47" E 132.59 FT, S 51<12'34" E 99.15 FT, S 02<39'30" W 58.53 FT, S 54<42'08" W 388.61 FT, N 82<44'50" W 100.0 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE R HAVING A RAD OF 250.0 FT A C/A OF 55<09'02" WHICH CHORD BEARS S 34<49'41" W AN ARC DIST OF 240.64 FT, N 49<41'38" W 353.05 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE R HAVING A RAD OF 200.0 FT A C/A OF 87<16'55" WHICH CHORD BEARS N 39<20'36" E AN ARC DIST OF 304.67 FT, N 20<35'43" W 533.66 FT, N 20<16'16" W 293.60 FT, N 19<16'05" W 313.29 FT, N 34<00'06" W 119.27 FT, N 50<48'40" W 277.20 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE R HAVING A RAD OF 750.0 FT A C/A OF 51<42'04" WHICH CHORD BEARS N 88<52'42" W AN ARC DIST OF 676.76 FT, TH S 65<16'16" W 174.61 FT, N 60<15'59" W 134.79 FT, TH S 67<10'16" W 92.97 FT, N 59<41'35" W 111.85 FT, S 75<21'37" W 73.74 FT, S 05<04'22" E 43.47 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE R HAVING A RAD OF 77.47 FT A C/A OF 153<02'45" AN ARC DIST OF 153.52 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE L HAVING A RAD OF 128.85 FT A C/A OF 67<16'02" AN ARC DIST OF 151.28 FT, S 80<42'21" W 109.55 FT, S 61<08'19" W 105.53 FT, S 84<43'08" W 158.36 FT, S 64<19'11" W 438.22 FT, S 60<52'45" W 210.32 FT, S 47<50'35" W 229.58 FT, S 89<43'28" W 41.08 FT, S 49<55'21" W 86.25 FT, N 53<18'17" W 95.27 FT, S 47<22'36" W 296.61 FT, S 04<21'54" E 233.85 FT, N 69<54'17" W 119.12 FT, S 76<05'02" W 82.51 FT, S 41<12'42" E 260.49 FT, N 37<39'01" E 291.36 FT, S 43<59'16" E 229.27 FT, S 75<49'23" E 146.85 FT, N 69<09'44" E 303.33 FT, S 77<49'22" E 417.47 FT, S 45<51'42" E 329.48 FT, S 70<45'09" E 127.92 FT, S 52<05'47" E 494.62 FT, S 05<33'19" W 170.72 FT, S 71<50'38" E 119.41 FT, N 58<19'42" E 203.15 FT, S 63<11'25" E 197.99 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE R HAVING A RAD OF 100.0 FT A C/A OF 61<25'41" WHICH CHORD BEARS S 05<41'29" W AN ARC DIST OF 107.21 FT, TH N 87<36'36" E 229.60 FT, N 17<59'19" E 273.65 FT, N 39<27'27" E 94.70 FT, N 67<11'54" E 64.75 FT, N 73<13'36" E 120.24 FT, N 65<52'00" E 76.26 FT, N 80<03'07" E 85.73 FT, S 66<31'57" E 98.81 FT, S 63<49'39" E 218.51 FT, S 49<41'38" E 410.81 FT, N 62<24'12" E 94.31 FT, TH ALG ARC OF CUR TO THE L HAVING A RAD OF 350.0 FT A C/A OF 36<46'39" AN ARC DIST OF 224.66 FT, S 36<32'34" E 89.22 FT, N 69<49'03" E

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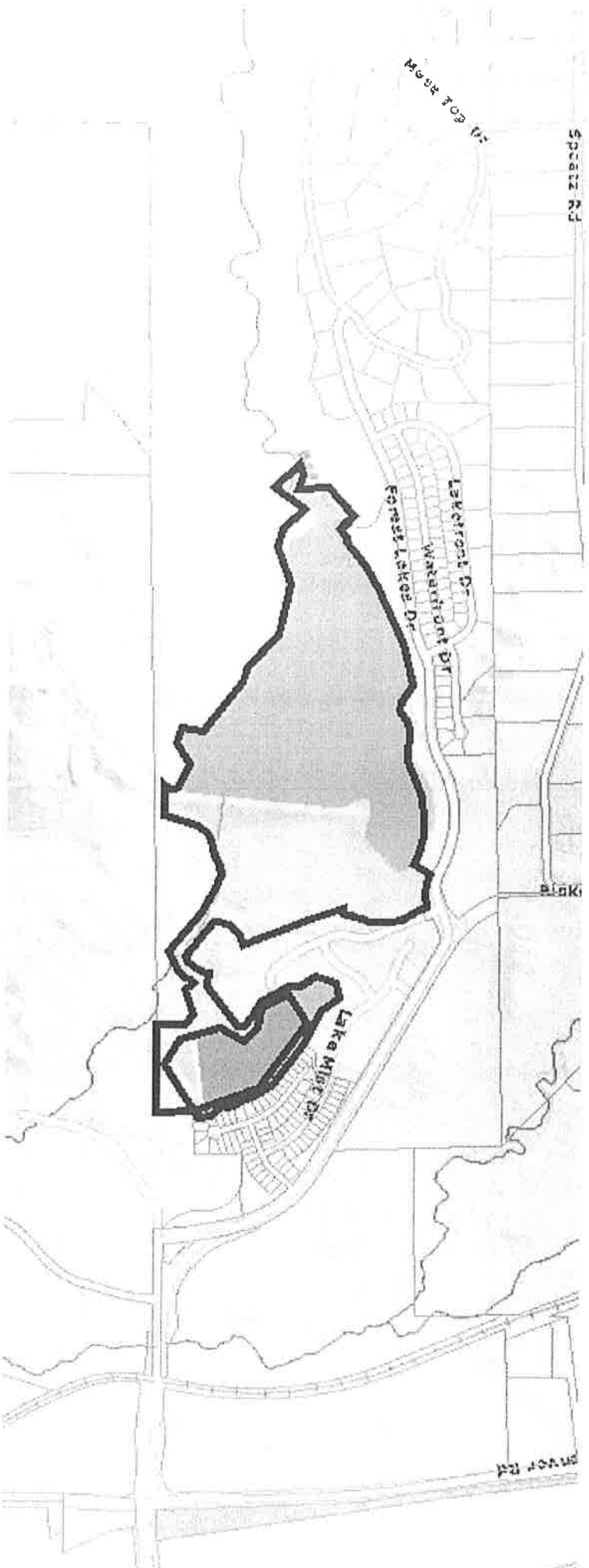
Exhibit B

El Paso County Assessor's Office

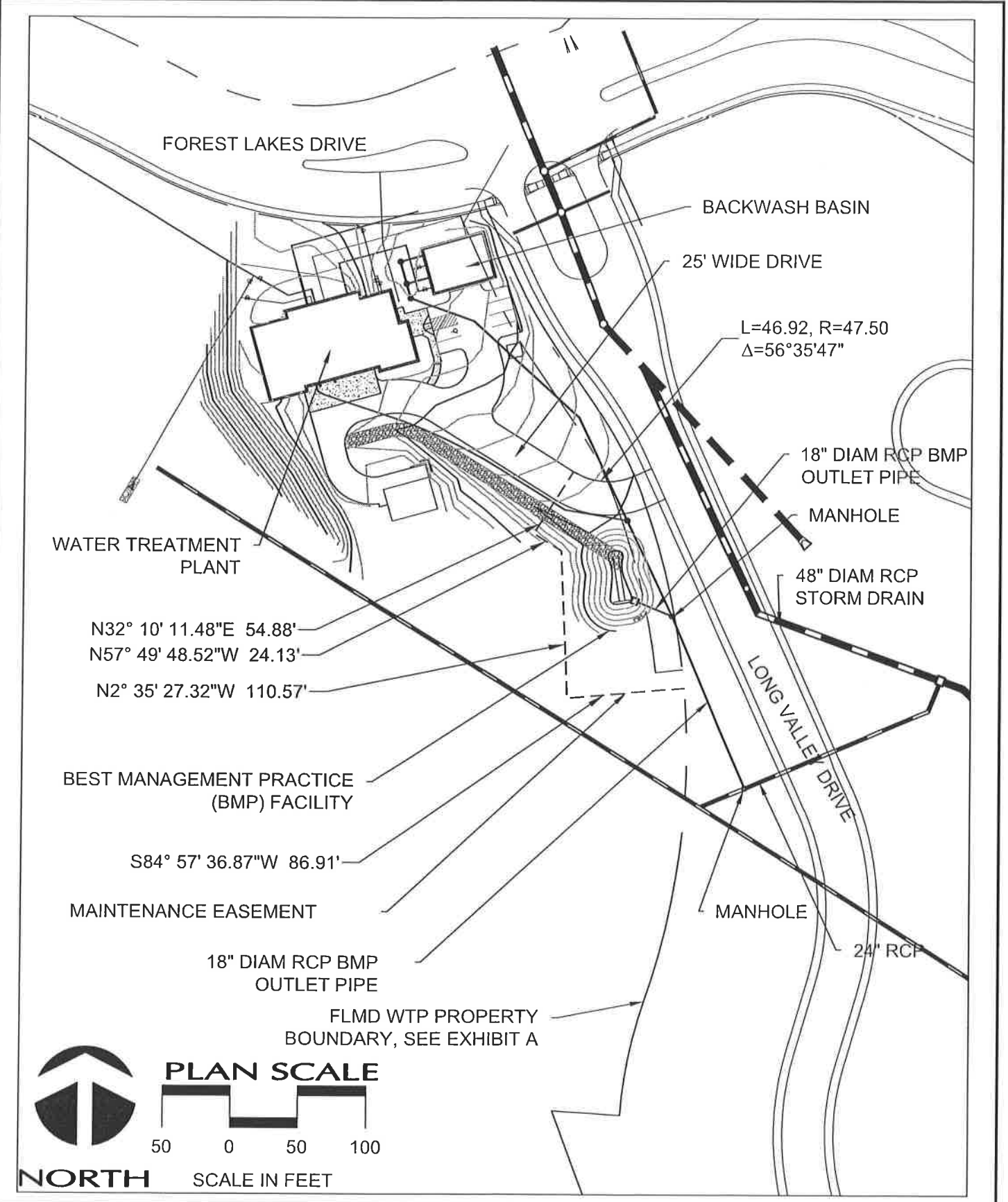
EXHIBIT A - PAGE 3

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SCHEDULE: 7127000011
OWNER: FOREST LAKES METROPOLITAN DIST

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N32° 10' 11.48"E 54.88'
 N57° 49' 48.52"W 24.13'
 N2° 35' 27.32"W 110.57'

BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICE (BMP) FACILITY

S84° 57' 36.87"W 86.91'

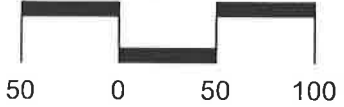
MAINTENANCE EASEMENT

18" DIAM RCP BMP OUTLET PIPE

FLMD WTP PROPERTY BOUNDARY, SEE EXHIBIT A



PLAN SCALE



NORTH SCALE IN FEET

WRIGHT WATER ENGINEERS, INC.
 2490 W. 26TH AVE. 100A
 DENVER, CO 80211
 (303)480-1700

DESIGN	HAL
DETAIL	HAL
CHECK	WFL
DATE	11/13/2017
SCALE	AS NOTED

FLMD WATER INTAKE AND TREATMENT PLANT PROJECT
 MONUMENT, CO

MAINTENANCE EASEMENT

EXHIBIT
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