

AGREEMENT FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL

THIS AGREEMENT made and executed this 20th day of
April, 1961, between MERCER ISLAND SEWER
DISTRICT, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington,
hereinafter referred to as "the District" and the MUNICIPALITY
OF METROPOLITAN SEATTLE, a municipal corporation of the State
of Washington, hereinafter referred to as "Metro,"

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the public health, welfare and safety of the
residents of the District and the residents of the metropolitan
area require the elimination of existing sources of water
pollution and the preservation of the fresh and salt water
resources of the area; and

WHEREAS, growth of population, topographic conditions
and preservation of water resources require that certain major
sewage disposal works be constructed and operated and that
the cities and special districts within the metropolitan area
dispose of their sewage in accordance with a comprehensive plan
for the metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, Metro was established by vote of the people
in the metropolitan area pursuant to Chapter 35.58 RCW for the
purpose of performing the function of metropolitan sewage
disposal, has adopted a comprehensive plan for the disposal
of sewage from the metropolitan area and intends to develop the
facilities needed to carry out such plan and to issue revenue
bonds to finance such development; and

WHEREAS, to carry out the purposes of Metro and perform its authorized function and to provide for the disposal of sewage from the District into the metropolitan sewage disposal system it is necessary that a contract be now entered into establishing certain rights and duties of the parties incident thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows:

Section 1. Definition of Terms. The following words and phrases used in this contract shall have the meanings hereinafter set forth in this section:

- (a) The words "Comprehensive Plan" shall mean the Comprehensive Sewage Disposal Plan for the metropolitan area adopted in Resolution No. 23 of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle and as same may be hereafter amended from time to time in the manner required by law.
- (b) The words "Metropolitan Sewerage System" shall mean all of the facilities to be constructed, acquired or used by Metro as a part of the Comprehensive Plan. The Metropolitan Sewerage System shall generally include sewage disposal facilities with capacity to receive sewage from natural drainage areas of approximately one thousand acres or more. The Metropolitan Sewerage System shall thus include trunk or interceptor sewer facilities extending to a point within each tributary, and natural drainage area, where not more than one thousand acres remain to be served beyond the upper terminus of such trunk or interceptor sewer.
- (c) The words "Local Sewerage Facilities" shall mean all facilities owned or operated by the Participant for

the local collection of sewage to be delivered to the Metropolitan Sewerage System.

- (d) The words "Metropolitan Area" shall mean the area contained within the boundaries of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle as now or hereafter constituted.
- (e) The word "Participant" shall mean each city, town, county, sewer district, municipal corporation, person, firm or private corporation which shall dispose of any portion of its sanitary sewage into the Metropolitan Sewerage System and shall have entered into a contract with Metro providing for such disposal.
- (f) The words "Residential Customer" shall mean a single family residence billed by a Participant for sewerage charges.

Section 2. Delivery and Acceptance of Sewage: From and after July 1, 1962, the District shall deliver to the Metropolitan Sewerage System all of the sewage and industrial wastes collected by it and Metro shall accept the sewage and wastes delivered for treatment subject to such reasonable rules and regulations as may be adopted from time to time by the Metropolitan Council. Metro shall not directly accept sewage or wastes from any person, firm, corporation or governmental agency which is located within the boundaries of or is delivering its sewage into the Local Sewerage Facilities of any Participant without the written consent of such Participant.

Section 3. Construction of Facilities. Metro shall construct, acquire or otherwise secure the right to use all facilities required for the disposal of sewage delivered to Metro pursuant to this Agreement and shall perform all services required

for the maintenance, operation, repair, replacement or improvement of the Metropolitan Sewerage System, including any additions and betterments thereto.

Section 4. Connection of Local Sewerage Facilities to the Metropolitan Sewerage System. Local Sewerage Facilities of the District shall be connected to the Metropolitan Sewerage System at such time as any portion of the Metropolitan Sewerage System shall be available to receive sewage collected by such facilities. Metro shall, at its sole expense, connect those Local Sewerage Facilities of the District which are now in existence or which shall be constructed in accordance with the rules and regulations of Metro prior to the availability of the Metropolitan Sewerage System. Local Sewerage Facilities constructed after the Metropolitan Sewerage System shall have been made available to the area served by such Local Sewerage Facilities shall be connected to the Metropolitan Sewerage System at the expense of the Participant in accordance with the rules and regulations of Metro.

Section 5. Payment for Sewage Disposal. For the disposal of sewage collected by the District and delivered to Metro, the District shall pay to Metro on or before the last day of each month during the term of this agreement, commencing with the month of July, 1962, a sewage disposal charge determined as provided in this Section 5.

1. For the quarterly periods ending March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31 of each year every Participant shall submit a written report to Metro setting forth (a) the number of Residential Customers billed by such Participant for local sewerage charges as of the last day of the quarter, (b) the total number of all customers billed by such Participant as of such day and (c) the total water consumption during such quarter

for all customers billed by such Participant other than Residential Customers. The quarterly water consumption report shall be taken from water meter records and may be adjusted to exclude water which does not enter the sanitary facilities of a customer. Where actual sewage flow from an individual customer is metered, the metered sewage flows shall be reported in lieu of adjusted water consumption. The total quarterly water consumption report in cubic feet shall be divided by 2,700 to determine the number of Residential Customer equivalents represented by each Participant's customers other than single family residences. The first report shall cover the quarterly period ending December 31, 1960 and shall be submitted on or before March 1, 1961. Succeeding reports shall be made for each quarterly period thereafter and shall be submitted within thirty (30) days following the end of the quarter. Metro shall maintain a permanent record of the quarterly customer reports from each Participant.

2. To form a basis for determining the monthly sewage disposal charge to be paid by each Participant during any particular quarterly period Metro shall ascertain the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of each Participant for each such quarterly period beginning with the July-September quarter of the year 1962. This determination shall be made by taking the sum of the actual number of Residential Customers reported as of the last day of the next to the last preceding quarter and the average number of Residential Customer equivalents per quarter reported for the four quarters ending with said next to the last preceding quarter, adjusted to eliminate any Residential Customers or Residential Customer equivalents whose sewage is delivered to a governmental

agency other than Metro or other than a Participant for disposal outside of the Metropolitan Area.

3. For the period from July 1, 1962 to December 31, 1963, the monthly rate for each Residential Customer and Residential Customer equivalent of each Participant shall be Two dollars (\$2.00) and the monthly sewage disposal charge to be paid by each Participant to Metro shall be obtained by multiplying the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the Participant as determined in subparagraph 2 of this section by the monthly rate of Two dollars.

4. For each calendar year after the year 1963, the monthly sewage disposal charge payable to Metro shall be determined as follows:

a) Prior to July 1st of each year Metro shall determine its total monetary requirements for the disposal of sewage during the next succeeding calendar year. Such requirements shall include the cost of administration, operation, maintenance, repair and replacement of the Metropolitan Sewerage System, establishment and maintenance of necessary working capital and reserves, the requirements of any resolution providing for the issuance of revenue bonds of Metro to finance the acquisition, construction or use of sewerage facilities, plus not to exceed 1% of the foregoing requirements for general administrative overhead costs.

b) To determine the monthly rate per Residential Customer or Residential Customer equivalent to be used during said next succeeding calendar year, the total monetary requirements for disposal of sewage as determined in subparagraph 4(a) of this section shall be divided by twelve and the resulting quotient shall be divided by the

total number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of all Participants ascertained in accordance with subparagraph 2 of this section for the October-December quarter preceding said July 1st; provided, however, that the monthly rate shall not be less than Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month per Residential Customer or Residential Customer equivalent at any time during the period ending July 31, 1972.

c) The monthly sewage disposal charge paid by each Participant to Metro shall be obtained by multiplying the monthly rate by the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the Participant determined as provided in Paragraph 2 of this section. An additional charge may be made for sewage or wastes of unusual quality or composition requiring special treatment, or Metro may require pretreatment of such sewage or wastes. An additional charge may be made for quantities of storm or ground waters entering those Local Sewerage Facilities which are constructed after January 1, 1961 in excess of the minimum standard established by the general rules and regulations of Metro.

5. A statement of the amount of the monthly sewage disposal charge shall be submitted by Metro to each Participant on or before the first day of each month during the term of this agreement commencing with the month of July, 1962, and payment of such charge shall be due on the last day of such month. If any charge or portion thereof due to Metro shall remain unpaid for fifteen days following its due date, the Participant shall be charged with and pay to Metro interest on the amount unpaid from its due date until paid at the rate of 6% per annum, and Metro may, upon failure to pay such amount, enforce payment by any remedy available at law or equity.

6. The District irrevocably obligates and binds itself to pay its sewage disposal charge out of the gross revenues of the sewer system of the District. The District further binds itself to establish, maintain and collect charges for sewer service which will at all times be sufficient to pay all costs of maintenance and operation of the sewer system of the District, including the sewage disposal charge payable to Metro hereunder and sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on any revenue bonds of the District which shall constitute a charge upon such gross revenues. It is recognized by Metro and the District that the sewage disposal charge paid by the District to Metro shall constitute an expense of maintenance and operation of the sewer system of the District prior in lien to any sewer revenue bonds of the District to be hereafter issued. It is further recognized that the District shall have the right to fix its own schedule of rates and charges for sewer service, provided that same shall produce revenue sufficient to meet the covenants contained in this agreement.

Section 6. Responsibility of Participant. Each Participant shall be responsible for the delivery to the Metropolitan Sewerage System of sewage collected by such Participant, for the construction, maintenance and operation of Local Sewerage Facilities, and for the payment of all costs incident to the collection of such sewage and its delivery to the Metropolitan Sewerage System.

Section 7. Records. Permanent books and records shall be kept by Metro of the rates established, the volumes of sewage delivered and discharged into the Metropolitan Sewerage System wherever such volumes are measured and the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents reported by each Participant, in addition to complete books

of account showing all costs incurred in connection with the Metropolitan Sewerage System. Such records shall be maintained beginning with the commencement of operation of any part of the Metropolitan Sewerage System.

Section 8. Development of Metropolitan Sewerage System. It is contemplated that the Metropolitan Sewerage System will be developed in stages and the nature of facilities to be constructed, acquired or used and the time of such construction, acquisition or use shall be determined by Metro, it being contemplated that Metro shall ultimately provide sewage disposal service for the entire Metropolitan Area.

Section 9. Reimbursement for and Use of District Facilities. Effective July 1, 1962, or such earlier date as may be mutually agreed upon (hereinafter called "takeover date"), Metro shall have the exclusive right to use and the duty to maintain, operate, repair and replace the facilities which are described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, subject to the continued availability of such facilities to receive, transport or treat sewage delivered by the District. From and after the takeover date Metro shall acquire, construct, maintain, operate, repair and replace all facilities now or hereafter required for the treatment and disposal of sewage delivered by the District and the District shall make payment for such treatment and disposal as provided in Section 5 of this Agreement.

For the privilege of using the facilities described in Exhibit "A" Metro shall pay to the District the total amount of Two Hundred Sixty Two Thousand Three Hundred Thirty DOLLARS (\$262,330.00)

(hereinafter called "amount of reimbursement"). If the District shall construct improvements or additions to the facilities described in Exhibit "A" with the approval of Metro after the date of this Agreement and prior to the takeover date, the District shall be reimbursed for the actual cost thereof in cash within thirty (30) days following the said takeover date in addition to the amount of reimbursement set forth above. The right of Metro to use facilities designated as "temporary" shall expire six months following the date of completion as determined by Metro of permanent metropolitan facilities adequate to replace such temporary facilities. The District shall continue to retain its existing rights of ownership in the facilities described in this Section 9 and shall continue to pay the principal of and interest on any bonds issued to pay in whole or in part the cost of acquisition and construction of such facilities, provided that any right, title and interest of the District in and to facilities which are designated as "permanent" shall be conveyed by the District to Metro by quit claim deed upon payment of all presently outstanding revenue bonds or general obligation bonds of the District secured by or issued to acquire or construct said facilities.

The District shall give written notice to Metro prior to June 1, 1961, setting forth the manner in which the amount of reimbursement shall be paid. The District may elect to receive all or any portion of said amount in cash within thirty (30) days following the date of delivery of revenue bonds issued by Metro for the purpose of providing funds therefor and, in any event, not later than July 1, 1962 (hereinafter called "cash payment date") and may elect to receive any portion which is not paid on said cash payment date.

together with interest thereon at the rate of 4% per annum from said date, in the form of a credit against the District's monthly sewage disposal charge in equal monthly amounts sufficient to amortize such unpaid amount of reimbursement and interest thereon prior to July 1, 1977. The District may at any time after the cash payment date elect to receive any unpaid portion of the amount of reimbursement in cash with interest at the rate of 4% per annum to date of final payment by giving written notice to Metro at least one year prior to the date such final payment is to be made.

Section 10. Insurance and Liability for Damages. Each participant with a population of less than 100,000 shall secure and maintain with responsible insurers all such insurance as is customarily maintained with respect to sewerage systems of like character against loss of or damage to the respective sewerage facilities of each and against public and other liability to the extent that such insurance can be secured and maintained at reasonable cost. Any liability incurred by Metro as a result of the operation of the Metropolitan Sewerage System shall be the sole liability of Metro and any liability incurred by the District as a result of the operation of the Local Sewerage Facilities of the District shall be the sole liability of the District.

Section 11. Assignment. Neither of the parties hereto shall have the right to assign this Agreement or any of its rights and obligations hereunder nor to terminate its obligations hereunder by dissolution or otherwise without first securing the written consent of the other party and this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of the parties hereto. In the event that the District should be dissolved, the local sewer facilities owned and operated by the District within

the Metropolitan Area shall by such act of dissolution be assigned and transferred to Metro subject to any outstanding debts of the District incurred for the construction or acquisition of such facilities and subject to the obligation of Metro to continue to provide sewer service to the residents served by such local facilities upon payment of the reasonable costs thereof.

Section 12. Effective Date and Term of Contract. This Agreement shall be in full force and effect and binding upon the parties hereto upon the execution of the Agreement and shall continue in full force and effect for a period of fifty years unless prior to July 1, 1962, Metro shall not have entered into a firm commitment for the sale of revenue bonds to finance any portion of the Comprehensive Plan, then in such event only, this Agreement shall be terminated as of said date. Metro shall make every reasonable effort to secure such a commitment prior to said date.

Section 13. Notice. Whenever in this Agreement notice is required to be given, the same shall be given by Registered Mail addressed to the respective parties at the following addresses:

Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle
152 Denny Way
Seattle 9, Washington

Mercer Island Sewer District
3030 - 78th S. E.
Mercer Island, Washington

unless a different address shall be hereafter designated in writing by either of the parties.

The date of giving such notice shall be deemed to be the date of mailing thereof. Billings for and payments of sewage disposal costs may be made by regular mail.

Section 14. Execution of Documents. This Agreement shall be executed in ten counterparts, any of which shall be regarded for all purposes as one original. Each party agrees that it will

execute any and all deeds, instruments, documents and resolutions or ordinances necessary to give effect to the terms of this Agreement.


Section 15. Waiver. No waiver by either party of any term or condition of this Agreement shall be deemed or construed as a waiver of any other term or condition, nor shall a waiver of any breach be deemed to constitute a waiver of any subsequent breach whether of the same or a different provision of this Agreement.

Section 16. Remedies. In addition to the remedies provided by law, this Agreement shall be specifically enforceable by either party.

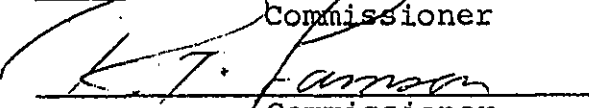
Section 17. Entirety. This Agreement merges and supercedes all prior negotiations, representations and agreements between the parties hereto relating to the subject matter hereof and constitutes the entire contract between the parties concerning the disposal of sewage by the District and acceptance of such sewage by Metro for disposal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

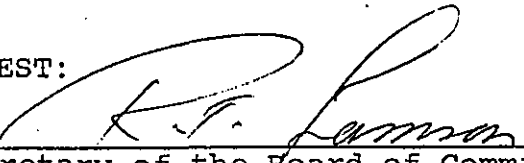
MERCER ISLAND SEWER DISTRICT

By 
Commissioner


Commissioner


Commissioner

ATTEST:

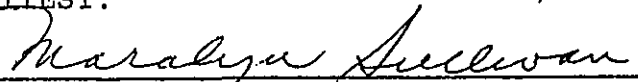

Secretary of the Board of Commissioners

MUNICIPALITY OF METROPOLITAN SEATTLE

By 

C. Carey Donworth
Chairman of the Council

ATTEST:


Maralyne Sullivan, Clerk of the Council

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
)
COUNTY OF KING) ss.

On this 11th day of APRIL, 1961,
before me personally appeared IVAN M. BRUCE,

ROBERT T. LAMSON and PALMER G. LEWIS

to me known to be the Commissioners of Mercer Island Sewer District, a municipal corporation, and acknowledged the within and foregoing instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that they were authorized to execute said instrument and that the seal affixed is the corporate seal of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.

Erma G. Fitchard
Notary Public in and for the State
of Washington, residing at _____
Mercer Island, Washington

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
)
COUNTY OF KING) ss.

On this 20 day of April, 1961,
before me personally appeared C. CAREY DONWORTH and MARALYN SULLIVAN, to me known to be the Chairman of the Council and Clerk of the Council, respectively, of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle, a municipal corporation, and acknowledged the within and foregoing instrument to be the free and voluntary act and deed of said corporation, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and on oath stated that they were authorized to execute said instrument and that the seal affixed is the corporate seal of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.

Arthur S. Shoney
Notary Public in and for the State
of Washington, residing at Seattle

EXHIBIT "A"

MERCER ISLAND SEWER DISTRICT

<u>FACILITY</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>COMPREHENSIVE PLAN DESIGNATION (SEE FOOTNOTE)</u>	<u>COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REFERENCE (SEE FOOTNOTE)</u>
<u>Permanent Facilities</u>				
Pumping Stations, Force Mains and Trunk Sewer	Pump Station near Roanoke Way and Lake Washington	Pump Station at east end of East Channel Lake Washington Bridge	ELW 28, ELW 29, ELW 30, ELW 31, ELW 33, ELW 34, P.S.-ELW 8, P.S.- ELW 9, P.S.-ELW 10	Table 15-33 Figure 15-15

(NOTE: No property description required)

FOOTNOTE: Comprehensive Plan Designation and Reference are as set forth in the "Metropolitan Seattle Sewerage and Drainage Survey" dated March 1958 and referred to in Section 1 of Resolution No. 23 of Metro.

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND
MUNICIPALITY OF METROPOLITAN SEATTLE
AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT
FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL

THIS AMENDMENT made as of the 2nd day
of October, 1992 between the City of Mercer
Island, successor to Mercer Island Sewer District a
municipal corporation of the State of Washington
(hereinafter referred to as the "City") and the Municipality
of Metropolitan Seattle, a metropolitan municipal
corporation of the State of Washington (hereinafter referred
to as "Metro");

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the parties have entered into a long term
Agreement for Sewage Disposal dated April 20, 1961
(hereinafter referred to as the "Basic Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, an advisory committee composed of elected
and appointed officials in the metropolitan area was
appointed by the Metropolitan Council to examine the
structure of Metro's charges to its participants; and

WHEREAS, said advisory committee, following
extensive research, study and deliberations, has recommended
certain changes in the structure of Metro's charges to its
participants and implementation of said changes requires
amendment of the Basic Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the parties have determined that the
recommendations are in the best public interest and
therefore desire to amend said Basic Agreement to implement
said recommendations;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby agreed as follows:

Section 1. Amendment of Section 5 of the Basic Agreement. Section 5 of the Basic Agreement is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Payment for Sewage Disposal. For the disposal of sewage hereafter collected by the City and delivered to Metro the City shall pay to Metro on or before the last day of each month during the term of this Agreement, a sewage disposal charge determined as provided in this Section 5.

1. For the quarterly periods ending March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31 of each year every Participant shall submit a written report to Metro setting forth:

(a) the number of Residential Customers billed by such Participant for local sewerage charges as of the last day of the quarter,

(b) the total number of all customers billed for local sewerage charges by such Participant as of such day, and

(c) the total water consumption during such quarter for all customers billed for local sewerage charges by such Participant other than Residential Customers.

The quarterly water consumption report shall be taken from water meter records and may be adjusted to exclude water which does not enter the sanitary facilities of the customer. Where actual sewage flow from an individual customer is metered, the metered sewage flows shall be reported in lieu of adjusted water consumption. The total quarterly water consumption report in cubic feet shall be divided by 2,250 to determine the number of Residential Customer equivalents represented by each Participant's customers other than single family residences. Metro shall maintain a permanent record of the quarterly customer reports from each Participant.

The City's first quarterly report shall cover the first quarterly period following the date when sewage is first delivered to Metro and shall be submitted within thirty days following the end of the quarter. Succeeding reports shall be made for each quarterly period thereafter and shall be submitted within thirty (30) days following the end of the quarter.

2. (a) To form a basis for determining the monthly sewage disposal charge to be paid by each Participant during any particular quarterly period, Metro shall ascertain the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of each Participant. This determination shall be made by taking the sum of the actual number of Residential customers reported as of the last day of the next to the last preceding quarter and the average number of Residential Customer Equivalents per quarter reported for the four quarters ending with said next to the last preceding quarter, adjusted for each Participant to eliminate any Residential Customers or Residential Customer equivalents whose sewage is delivered to a governmental agency other than Metro or other than a Participant for disposal outside of the Metropolitan Area.

(b) For the initial period until the City shall have submitted six consecutive quarterly reports, the reported number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the City shall be determined as provided in this subparagraph (b). On or before the tenth day of each month beginning with the month prior to the month in which sewage from the City is first delivered to Metro, the City shall submit a written statement of the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents estimated to be billed by the City during the next succeeding month. For the purpose of determining the basic reported number of Residential Customers and

Residential Customer equivalents of the City for such next succeeding month, Metro may at its discretion adopt either such estimate or the actual number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents reported by the City as of the last day of the next to the last preceding reported quarter. After the City shall have furnished six consecutive quarterly reports the reported number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the City shall be determined as provided in the immediately preceding subparagraph (a).

(c) If the City shall fail to submit the required monthly and/or quarterly reports when due, Metro may make its own estimate of the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the City and such estimate shall constitute the reported number for the purpose of determining sewage disposal charges.

3. The monthly sewage disposal charge payable to Metro shall be determined as follows:

(a) Prior to July 1st of each year Metro shall determine its total monetary requirements for the disposal of sewage during the next succeeding calendar year. Such requirements shall include the cost of administration, operation, maintenance, repair and replacement of the Metropolitan Sewerage System, establishment and maintenance of necessary working capital and reserves, the requirements of any resolution providing for the issuance of revenue bonds of Metro to finance the acquisition, construction or use of sewerage facilities, plus not to exceed 1% of the foregoing requirements for general administrative overhead costs.

(b) To determine the monthly rate per Residential Customer or Residential Customer equivalent to be used during said next succeeding calendar year, the total monetary requirements for disposal of sewage as determined

in subparagraph 3(a) of this section shall be divided by twelve and the resulting quotient shall be divided by the total number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of all Participants for the October-December quarter preceding said July 1st; provided, however, that the monthly rate shall not be less than Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month per Residential Customer or Residential Customer equivalent at any time during the period ending July 31, 1972.

(c) The monthly sewage disposal charge paid by each Participant to Metro shall be obtained by multiplying the monthly rate by the number of Residential Customers and Residential Customer equivalents of the Participant. An additional charge may be made for sewage or wastes of unusual quality or composition requiring special treatment, or Metro may require pretreatment of such sewage or wastes. An additional charge may be made for quantities of storm or ground waters entering those Local Sewerage Facilities which are constructed after January 1, 1961 in excess of the minimum standard established by the general rules and regulations of Metro.

4. The parties acknowledge that, by resolution of the Metropolitan Council, Metro may impose a charge or charges directly on the future customers of a Participant for purposes of paying for capacity in Metropolitan Sewerage Facilities and that such charges shall not constitute a breach of this agreement or any part thereof. The proceeds of said charge or charges, if imposed, shall be used only for capital expenditures or defeasance of outstanding revenue bonds prior to maturity.

In the event such a charge or charges are imposed, the City shall, at Metro's request, provide such information regarding new residential customers and residential customer

equivalents as may be reasonable and appropriate for purposes of implementing such a charge or charges.

5. A statement of the amount of the monthly sewage disposal charge shall be submitted by Metro to each Participant on or before the first day of each month and payment of such charge shall be due on the last day of such month. If any charge or portion thereof due to Metro shall remain unpaid for fifteen days following its due date, the Participant shall be charged with and pay to Metro interest on the amount unpaid from its due date until paid at the rate of 6% per annum, and Metro may, upon failure to pay such amount, enforce payment by any remedy available at law or equity.

6. The City irrevocably obligates and binds itself to pay its sewage disposal charge out of the gross revenues of the sewer system of the City. The City further binds itself to establish, maintain and collect charges for sewer service which will at all times be sufficient to pay all costs of maintenance and operation of the sewer system of the City, including the sewage disposal charge payable to Metro hereunder and sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on any revenue bonds of the City which shall constitute a charge upon such gross revenues. It is recognized by Metro and the City that the sewage disposal charge paid by the City to Metro shall constitute an expense of the maintenance and operation of the sewer system of the City. The City shall provide in the issuance of future sewer revenue bonds of the City that expenses of maintenance and operations of the sewer system of the City shall be paid before payment of principal and interest of such bonds. The City shall have the right to fix its own schedule of rates and charges for sewer service provided that same shall produce revenue sufficient to meet the covenants contained in this Agreement.

Section 2. Effective Date of Amendment. This amendment shall take effect at the beginning of the first quarter following the date first written above with quarters beginning January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1.

Section 3. Basic Agreement Unchanged. Except as otherwise provided in this amendment, all provisions of the basic agreement shall remain in full force and effect as written therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first written above.

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND

Paula Jansper

ATTEST:

Alba E. Symmonet

MUNICIPALITY OF
METROPOLITAN SEATTLE

Gary Zimmerman

Gary Zimmerman
Chair of the Council

ATTEST:

MAY 22 1992

Bernie Mettler

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND
MUNICIPALITY OF METROPOLITAN SEATTLE

EXTENSION OF AGREEMENT FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL

WHEREAS, the City of Mercer Island (the "City"), as successor to Mercer Island Sewer District, and the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle (the "Municipality") are parties to a certain Agreement for Sewage Disposal (the "Agreement") dated April 20, 1961, as amended, pursuant to which the City delivers to the Municipality for treatment and disposal all the sewage and industrial wastes it collects from its service area; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expires by its terms on July 1, 2016; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City and the Municipality that the expiration date of the Agreement be extended in order to allow the Municipality to sell and issue its sewer revenue bonds with maturities extending beyond 2016;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein and in the Agreement, it is hereby agreed as follows:

The Agreement for Sewage Disposal between the City of Mercer Island, as successor to Mercer Island Sewer District, and the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle dated April 20, 1961, as amended, is hereby extended for a period of twenty years and shall continue in full force and effect until July 1, 2036.

It is further agreed that all other provisions of said Agreement shall remain unchanged, and the Agreement dated April 20, 1961, as amended, as extended herein shall constitute the entire Agreement for Sewage Disposal between the parties.

DATED: This 19th ~~4th~~ day of March ~~December~~, 1985

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND

By *Jarrett*

ATTEST:

Debra E. Symmonds
City Clerk

MUNICIPALITY OF METROPOLITAN
SEATTLE

By *Gary A. Zimmerman*
Gary Zimmerman
Chairman of the Council

ATTEST:

Bonnie Mattson
Bonnie Mattson
Clerk of the Council