STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TRAVIS

MOA for Funding a Water Resources Study

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD, THE LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY, THE BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY, AND THE POST OAK SAVANNAH GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) is entered into between the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB), a state agency with offices at 1700 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, TX 78704; the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA), a river authority with offices at 3700 Lake Austin Blvd., Austin, TX 78703; the Brazos River Authority (BRA), a river authority with offices at 4600 Cobbs Drive, Waco, TX 76710; and the Post Oak Savannah Groundwater Conservation District (POSGCD), a groundwater conservation district with offices at 310 East Avenue C, Milano, TX 76556.

TWDB has the authority to enter into this agreement under Texas Water Code §6.190. The Lower Colorado River Authority, Brazos River Authority, and Post Oak Savannah Groundwater Conservation District assert that they each have the authority to enter into this agreement under the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Texas Government Code 791.

TWDB, LCRA, BRA, and POSGCD hereby enter into this MOA to provide funding for a water resources study of surface water-groundwater interactions along the lower Colorado River in Texas (the "Project"). The Project, as described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, is being carried out by the TWDB through a contractor by means of TWDB Contract Number 1900012305.

Completion of the Project by TWDB will result in the following Project Deliverables: A copy of all data gathered in digital format and a report that will include a description of the work completed, summary of the data gathered, results from the final data evaluation, and recommendations for future work.

SECTION 1 OBLIGATIONS OF THE TWDB. TWDB agrees that it will:

- A. Administer TWDB Contract Number 1900012305 to complete the Project.
- B. Upon request, provide the LCRA, BRA, and POSGCD with updates on the status of the Project and access to preliminary data and the draft final report.
- C. Upon completion of the report, provide LCRA, BRA, and POSGCD with digital copies of the gathered data and final report.
- D. Designate a staff member to respond to LCRA, BRA, and POSGCD requests as necessary.

SECTION 2. OBLIGATIONS OF THE LCRA.

The LCRA agrees that it will:

A. Within thirty (30) days from the Effective Date of this Agreement, provide the TWDB funding in the fixed amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

SECTION 3. OBLIGATIONS OF THE BRA.

The BRA agrees that it will:

A. Within thirty (30) days from the Effective Date of this Agreement, provide the TWDB funding in the fixed amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

SECTION 4. OBLIGATIONS OF THE POSGCD.

The POSGDC agrees that it will:

A. Within thirty (30) days from the Effective Date of this Agreement, provide the TWDB funding in the fixed amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE AND AMENDMENT.

This MOA is effective on the date that it is executed by the last party. This MOA may be amended as needed upon written agreement of the parties.

SECTION 6. TERMINATION.

This MOA terminates when Project Deliverables have been completed.

SECTION 7. DESIGNATION.

The TWDB, LCRA, BRA and POSGCD agree to designate a person to represent them for purposes of carrying out the terms of this MOA and for continuity of communications throughout the course of the Project.

Designation for the TWDB:

Mark Wentzel, Ph.D. 1700 N. Congress Ave. Austin, TX 78704 (512) 463-8321 mark.wentzel@twdb.texas.gov

Designation for the BRA:

Aaron Able Water Services Manager 4600 Cobbs Drive Waco, TX 76710 (254) 761-2175 aaron.able@braxos.org Designation for the LCRA:

David Wheelock, P.E. 3700 Lake Austin Blvd. Austin, TX 78703 (512) 578-3200 david.wheelock@lcra.org

Designation for the POSGCD:

Gary Westbrook General Manager 310 East Avenue C Milano, TX 76556 (512) 455-9900 gwestbrook@posgcd.org The parties hereby agree to be bound by this MOA as indicated by their signatures below.

TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD BRAZOS RIVER AUTHORITY Jeff Walker David Collinsworth Executive Administrator General Manager, CEO Date: _____ Date: _____ POST OAK SAVANNAH LOWER COLORADO RIVER AUTHORITY **GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT** Gary Westbrook Monica Masters **General Manager** VP of Water Resources Date: _____ Date: _____