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Carlos Quintero, P.E. General Manager Sweetwater Authority Office: 619-409-6701 Cell: 619-240-5643

Dear General Manager Carlos Quintero,

It has been a pleasure to work with the Sweetwater Authority team to bring healthy, clean, affordable and reliable water to the people of the South Bay. I share your commitment to these important goals and would be honored to be able to continue to work for the communities that I have had the pleasure to serve for over 20 years.

To this end, I would like to propose to continue to provide expanded services through a monthly retainer of \$6,250 that will include any travel and accommodation costs that are incurred in the delivery of services. For 2025, I agree to provide the following services:

- Legislative advocacy
- Legislative advice
- Seek support for Authority sponsored legislation
- Support in increasing access to State and North American Development Bank funding
- Represent the Authority at legislative events
- Attend monthly coordination meeting with staff
- Present quarterly reports to the Board
- Provide a monthly report

Thank you for allowing me this opportunity to join the Sweetwater Team and look forward to a very successful and productive 2025.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Hueso

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