STATEMENT OF INVESTMENT POLICY FOR

SKYLINE IMPROVEMENT AND SERVICE DISTRICT (Adopted: November 29, 2018)

It is the policy of the Skyline Improvement and Service District that all District funds be invested in Bank Deposits, Money Market Accounts, Certificates of Deposit and/or Commingled Funds as authorized by the Wyoming Statute § 9-4-831; and no other investment is allowed. The following shall be deemed to comply with this policy:

<u>Bank Deposits</u>: In accordance with W.S. § 9-4-817, deposits in financial institutions located within the state of Wyoming which offer federal deposit insurance corporation insurance on deposits in the institutions. (W.S. § 9-4-831(a)(iv).)

Money Market Accounts: Investments in shares of a diversified money market fund are authorized except that no entity of Wyoming government shall at any time own more than ten percent (10%) of the fund's net assets or shares outstanding. Investments under this subsection are limited to a diversified money market fund which seeks to maintain a stable share value of one dollar (\$1.00), is registered under the Securities Act of 1933 and Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, and has qualified under state registration requirements, if any, to sell shares in the state and which:

- (i) Invests its assets:
- (A) Solely in securities or instruments that have a remaining maturity of three hundred ninety-seven (397) days or less at the time of purchase of shares;
- (B) Solely in securities issued by the United States treasury, obligations or securities issued by or guaranteed by any federal government agency or instrumentality, and repurchase agreements collateralized by such instruments at not less than the repurchase price including accrued interest;
- (C) So that an average dollar weighted maturity of ninety (90) days or less is maintained at all times: and
- (D) Under limitations such that the fund may borrow funds for temporary purposes only by entering into repurchase agreements and only to the extent permitted by federal law.
- (ii) Does not impose a sales charge;
- (iii) Maintains the highest quality rating from at least one (1) of the nationally recognized rating organizations, such as Standard & Poor's Corporation or Moody's Investor Services;
 - (iv) Has an operating history of not less than five (5) consecutive years;
- (v) Requires submission of sixty (60) days advance notice of any investment policy change, in the case where such policy changes may be approved without approval of the fund's shareholders or requires approval by shareholders entitled to vote a majority, as the term is defined under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, of the fund's shares;

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- (vi) Is purchased from a person licensed to sell securities in Wyoming through or for an account with an entity which, at the time the investment is made by the state or local government:
 - (A) Has been continuously engaged in the business of selling securities in Wyoming for the preceding two (2) years or a financial institution authorized to do business in Wyoming and qualified by law to act as a depository of public funds in this state; and
 - (B) Currently, and during the preceding two (2) years, continuously had at least one (1) established place of business in this state. As used in this subparagraph, "established place of business" means a place in this state which is actually occupied either continuously or at regular periods by employees or agents of the entity who are licensed to sell securities in this state and where a large share of the entity's business in this state is actually conducted. (W.S. § 9-4-831(a)(xii) and (g).)

<u>Certificates of Deposit</u>: Interest bearing deposits of a bank authorized to do business in this state to the extent that they are fully insured by the federal deposit insurance corporation or:

- (A) Secured by a pledge of assets and the bank is otherwise authorized as a depository as prescribed by law; or
 - (B) The bank is otherwise authorized as a depository as prescribed by law and:
 - (I) In lieu of a pledge of assets securing an interest bearing deposit, a selected bank shall arrange for the deposit of the public funds in interest bearing deposits in one (1) or more banks or savings and loan associations or federal savings banks wherever located in the United States, for the account of the public funds depositor;
 - (II) At the same time the public funds are deposited pursuant to this subparagraph, the selected bank shall receive an amount of deposits from customers of other financial institutions equal to the amount of the public funds initially placed by the public funds depositor;
 - (III) Each interest bearing deposit shall be insured by the federal deposit insurance corporation; and
 - (IV) The selected bank shall act as custodian for the public funds depositor with respect to the interest bearing deposits placed in the public funds depositor's account. (W.S. \S 9-4-831(a)(x).)

Commingled Funds. A commingled fund of eligible securities listed in W.S. § 9-4-831 if the securities are held through a trust department of a bank authorized to do business in this state or through a trust company authorized to do business in this state with total capital of at least ten million dollars (\$10,000,000.00) or which has an unconditional guarantee with respect to those securities from an entity with total capital of at least one hundred million dollars (\$100,000,000); including but not limited to the Wyoming Government Investment Fund. (W.S. § 9-4-831(a)(viii).)

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This Statement of Investment Policy is adopted pursuant to the requirements of W.S. § 9-4-831(h).

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