## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors (the "Governing Body") of Jefferson County RWD #13, Kansas (the "District") will conduct a public hearing on November 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the following location (and be conducted on GoToMeeting: call 785-842-1502 by 6:00 p.m. for instructions)

District Office: 1951 Wellman Road, Lawrence, KS 66044

regarding a proposed loan in an amount not to exceed \$4,444,000.00 (the "Loan") to be taken by the District from the Kansas Public Water Supply Loan Fund (the "Fund") administered by the Kansas Department of Health and Environment ("KDHE") pursuant to K.S.A. 65-163c *et seq*. The District has made preliminary application to KDHE for the Loan, the proceeds of which will be used by the District to finance certain modifications and improvements (the "Project") to the District's water supply and distribution system (the "System"), and to pay interest during construction of the Project. Further information regarding the nature and scope of the Project, the source of revenues pledged to secure the Loan, the District's financial information, the District's water conservation plan, environmental impact information which could qualify for a categorical exclusion, the proposed Loan documents, and the schedule of rates proposed by the Governing Body to enable the District to meet its financial obligations for the Loan are available for public inspection and copying at any time during normal business hours at the address set forth below.

The Governing Body will not adopt a resolution authorizing the completion of the Loan application and the execution and delivery of the Loan documents until after the conclusion of the public hearing described in this Notice.

All persons having an interest in this matter will be given an opportunity to be heard at the time and place herein specified.

Dated: October 1, 2021

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Jefferson County RWD #13, Kansas

Gordon A. Brest
Board Chairman