

**TEXAS WATER CODE SECTION 15.005  
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

This is a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between **Jefferson County Drainage District No. 6 ("DD6")** and the governing body of **Polk County** (the "Polk County").

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Texas Water Code § 15.005 and 31 Texas Administrative Code § 363.408, if the Executive Administrator determines that an application has flood control as one of its purposes and that the watersheds in which the project is located are partially located outside the political subdivision making the application, the applicant must submit a written Memorandum of Understanding relating to the management of the watersheds in which the project is to be located, signed by all governing bodies of eligible political subdivisions located in the project watersheds; and

**WHEREAS**, DD6 has filed an application with the Texas Water Development Board for funding a project that has flood control as one of its purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, DD6 has determined that the watershed(s) in which the project is located is/are partially located within the jurisdiction of Polk County; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the benefits to the Taylor Bayou Watershed, Hillebrandt Bayou Watershed, and Pine Island Bayou Watershed, and the State of Texas, DD6 and Polk County agree to the following:

1. DD6 will provide quarterly progress updates to Polk County as the project develops and changes.
2. DD6 will notify Polk County of any potential change in impacts to Polk County within the quarter of the identified change.
3. Polk County will provide constructive input to DD6 as the project develops and changes.

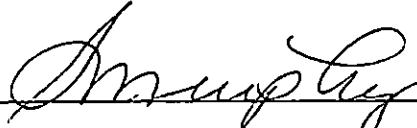
4. DD6 and Polk County will work cooperatively for the management of the Taylor Bayou Watershed, Hillebrandt Bayou Watershed, and Pine Island Bayou Watershed.

Responsible Official for  
**JEFFERSON COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 6**

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. JOSEPH G. MAJDALANI, PE, CFM  
General Manager

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Responsible Official for  
**POLK COUNTY**

BY:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name: Sydney Murphy

Title: Polk County Judge

Dated: October 27, 2020