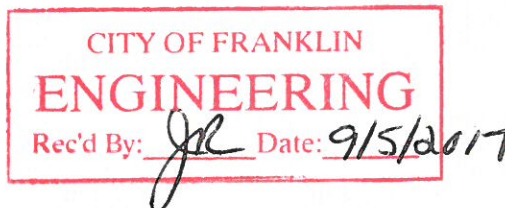




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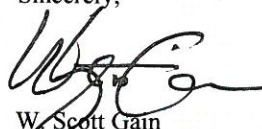
Dear Holzen,

Enclosed are two signed originals of our standard joint-funding agreement between the United States Geological Survey (USGS) and the City of Franklin. The agreement is to maintain in operation the maintenance of five continuous streamflow gaging station on the Harpeth near Franklin, TN. The agreement will run during the period of October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018 and is for a combined total of \$62,250. USGS contribution is for \$18,675 and the City of Franklin contribution is for \$43,575. Please sign and return one fully-executed original to **Desvin Jones at the address of 3535 S. Sherwood Forest Boulevard, Ste. 120 Baton Rouge, LA. 70816.**

This is a fixed cost agreement to be billed **quarterly** via Down Payment Request (automated Form DI-1040). Please allow 30-days from the end of the billing period for issuance of the bill. If you experience any problems with your invoice(s), please contact Desvin Jones at phone number (225) 298-5481 Ext 3114 or email at ddjones@usgs.gov. Also, you can contact Shannon Williams by phone number (615) 837-4755 or email swilliam@usgs.gov to make alternative arrangements.

The results of all work performed under this agreement will be available for publication by the U.S. Geological Survey. We look forward to continuing this and future cooperative efforts in these mutually beneficial water resources studies.

Sincerely,


W. Scott Gain
Director

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