CONSENT TO RENEW MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR PARTICIPATION IN REGIONAL WATER PLANNING

BETWEEN LOWER FLINT – OCHLOCKONEE WATER PLANNING COUNCIL AND GEORGIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION AND GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

FOR COOPERATION RELATING TO THE PREPARATION OF A REGIONAL WATER DEVELOPMENT AND CONSERVATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the above-named parties entered into a Memorandum of Agreement on September 15, 2009 to establish procedures for the parties relative to development of the Water Development and Conservation Plan (WDCP) by the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee Water Planning Council (WPC);

WHEREAS, the 2009 Memorandum of Agreement set forth responsibilities for the parties, and adopted through Attachment the Operating Procedures and Rules for Meetings of the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC;

WHEREAS, the Operating Procedures include a provision whereby the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC may review and amend the Operating Procedures, after EPD review and comment, by a vote of the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC members;

WHEREAS, the parties now acknowledge that the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC will be undertaking a review and revision of the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WDCP, as called for by Section 14 of the State Water Plan;

WHEREAS, the Memorandum of Agreement has a minimum three-year term and can be renewed and amended upon written approval of all parties; and

WHEREAS, the responsibilities of the parties relative to the review and revision of the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WDCP will remain unchanged, and DCA will continue to work with the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC beyond the 2011 timeframe noted under paragraph 3.D.

NOW, THEREFORE, EPD, DCA and the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee WPC consent to renew the Memorandum of Agreement for an additional three-year term.

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Camila Knowles, Commissioner

LOWER FLINT - OCHLOCKONEE WATER PLANNING COUNCIL

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A. Richard Royal, Council Chair, on behalf of the Lower Flint – Ochlockonee Water Planning Council

Date: