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NOTICE TO JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF PROPOSED LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCING

Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government North Carolina General Assembly Legislative Building 16 West Jones Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 Attention: Committee Chairs and Committee Assistant

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Town of Clayton, North Carolina \$75,000,000 Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Section 120-157.2(a) of the General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, please be advised that the Town of Clayton, North Carolina (the "Town") intends to issue revenue bonds pursuant to The State and Local Government Revenue Bond Act, N.C.G.S. § 159-80 et seq. The Town Council for the Town (the "Town Council") has determined that it is necessary to make certain capital improvements to the Town's water and sewer system, including the design, engineering, acquisition, construction and equipping of a new Neuse River Water Reclamation Facility and related infrastructure (collectively, the "Project"). The Town Council is considering the issuance of \$75,000,000 in the aggregate principal amount of the Town's Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds (the "Bonds") to finance the Project. The Town has in place a bond order that pledges the revenue from the water and sewer system to the repayment of revenue bonds supported by the system. Therefore, repayment of the Bonds will come from the pledged revenues generated by the water and sewer system.

The Town intends to submit an application for approval of the Bonds to the North Carolina Local Government Commission (the "LGC") and expects that the LGC will consider for approval the Town's application at its meeting scheduled for May 3, 2022, or such later meeting as the Town and the Commission may determine.

The Town has retained McGuireWoods LLP, Raleigh, North Carolina, as bond counsel for the issuance and sale of the Bonds.

TOWN OF CLAYTON, NORTH CAROLINA

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