CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT

This Continuing Disclosure Agreement (the "**Disclosure Agreement**") is executed and delivered by and between the Napa Sanitation District (the "**District**") and U.S. Bank National Association in its capacity as dissemination agent (the "**Dissemination Agent**"), in connection with the issuance of the Napa Sanitation District Revenue Certificates of Participation, Series 2021A in an aggregate principal amount of \$_____ (the "**Certificates**"). The Certificates are being executed and delivered pursuant to the provisions of that certain Trust Agreement, dated as of February 1, 2021 (the "**Trust Agreement**"), by and between the District and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee (the "**Trustee**"). The District and the Dissemination Agent hereby certify, covenant and agree as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Purpose of the Disclosure Agreement</u>. This Disclosure Agreement is being executed and delivered by the parties hereto for the benefit of the holders and Beneficial Owners of the Certificates and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with the Rule.

<u>Section 2</u>. <u>Definitions</u>. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized terms used in this Disclosure Agreement, unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

"Annual Report" shall mean any Annual Report provided by the District pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Annual Report Date" shall mean each March 1 after the end of the District's fiscal year, the end of which, as of the date of this Disclosure Agreement, is June 30.

"Beneficial Owner" shall mean any person which: (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including persons holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries); or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bonds for federal income tax purposes.

"Dissemination Agent" shall mean, initially, U.S. Bank National Association, acting in its capacity as Dissemination Agent hereunder, or any successor Dissemination Agent that is so designated in writing by the District and has filed with the then-current Dissemination Agent a written acceptance of such designation.

"Financial Obligation" shall mean a: (A) debt obligation; (B) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (C) guarantee of (A) or (B). The term *"Financial Obligation"* shall not include municipal securities as to which a final official statement has been provided to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board consistent with the Rule.

"Listed Events" shall mean any of the events listed in Sections 5(a) and (b) of this Disclosure Agreement.

"MSRB" shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

"*Official Statement*" shall mean the Official Statement dated February ____, 2021, relating to the Certificates.

"Participating Underwriter" shall mean any of the original underwriters of the Certificates required to comply with the Rule in connection with offering of the Certificates.

"Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12 adopted by the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

"SEC" shall mean the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Section 3. <u>Provision of Annual Reports</u>.

(a) The District shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, not later than the Annual Report Date, commencing March 1, 2021 (provided that the first Annual Report shall consist solely of the Official Statement), provide to the MSRB an Annual Report that is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 of this Disclosure Agreement. Not later than 15 calendar days prior to such date, the District shall provide its Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent, if such Dissemination Agent is a different entity than the District. The Annual Report must be submitted in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, accompanied by such identifying information as is prescribed by the MSRB, and may include by reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Disclosure Agreement; provided that any audited financial statements of the District may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report, and not later than the date required above for the filings of the Annual Report. If the District's fiscal year changes, it shall give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(a). The District shall provide a written certification with each Annual Report furnished to the Dissemination Agent to the effect that such Annual Report constitutes the Annual Report required to be furnished hereunder. The Dissemination Agent may conclusively rely upon such certification of the District and shall have no duty or obligation to review such Annual Report.

(b) If the District is unable to provide to the MSRB an Annual Report by the date required in subsection (a), the District in a timely manner shall send to the MSRB a notice in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB, accompanied by such identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

- (c) The Dissemination Agent shall:
 - 1. provide any Annual Report received by it to the MSRB by the date required in subsection (a);
 - 2. file a report with the District and the Trustee (if the Dissemination Agent is other than the Trustee) certifying that the Annual Report has been provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Disclosure Agreement and stating the date it was provided; and
 - 3. take any other actions as are mutually agreed upon between the Dissemination Agent and the District.

<u>Section 4</u>. <u>Content of Annual Reports</u>. The Annual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following:

(a) Audited financial statements of the District for the prior fiscal year prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as promulgated to apply to governmental

entities from time to time by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. If such audited financial statements are not available at the time that the Annual Report is required to be filed pursuant to Section 3(a), the Annual Report shall contain unaudited financial statements, and the audited financial statements shall be filed in the same manner as the Annual Report when they become available.

(b) Principal amount of the Certificates outstanding.

(c) An update of the information for the prior fiscal year in substantially the form set forth in the following tables in the Official Statement under the caption "THE WASTEWATER SYSTEM OF THE DISTRICT":

- 1. Historical Wastewater System Connections;
- 2. Historical Wastewater System Usage;
- 3. Historical Water System Service Charge Revenues; and
- 4. Largest Wastewater System Customers;

(d) An update of the information for the prior fiscal year in substantially the form set forth in the following table in the Official Statement under the caption "FINANCIAL INFORMATION OF THE DISTRICT":

1. Historical Operating Results and Debt Service Coverage.

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the District or related public entities, that are available to the public on the MSRB's Internet website or filed with the SEC. If the document included by reference is a final official statement, it must be available from the MSRB. The District shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

Section 5. Reporting of Significant Events.

(a) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the District shall give, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to give, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Certificates in a timely manner not more than ten (10) Business Days after the event:

- 1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies.
- 2. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties.
- 3. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties.
- 4. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform.
- 5. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability or Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701 TEB).
- 6. Tender offers.

- 7. Defeasances.
- 8. Rating changes.
- 9. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar proceedings.

<u>Note</u>: For the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (9), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governmental body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person.

10. Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the District, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

(b) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the District shall give, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to give, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Certificates, if material, in a timely manner not more than ten (10) Business Days after occurrence:

- 1. Unless described in Section 5(a)(5), other notices or determinations by the Internal Revenue Service with respect to the tax status of the Certificates or other events affecting the tax status of the Certificates.
- 2. Modifications to the rights of Bondholders.
- 3. Bond calls.
- 4. Release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the Certificates.
- 5. Non-payment related defaults.
- 6. The consummation of a merger, consolidation or acquisition involving the District or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the District, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms.
- 7. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of the name of a trustee.
- 8. Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the District, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the District, any of which affect security holders.

(c) If the District determines that knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event under subsection (b) would be material under applicable federal securities laws, and if the Dissemination Agent is other than the District, the District shall promptly notify the Dissemination Agent in writing. Such notice shall instruct the Dissemination Agent to file a notice of such occurrence with the MSRB in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB in a timely manner not more than ten (10) Business Days after the event.

(d) If the District determines that a Listed Event under subsection (b) would not be material under applicable federal securities laws and if the Dissemination Agent is other than the District, the District shall so notify the Dissemination Agent in writing and instruct the Dissemination Agent not to report the occurrence.

(e) The District hereby agrees that the undertaking set forth in this Disclosure Agreement is the responsibility of the District and, if the Dissemination Agent is other than the District, the Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible for determining whether the District's instructions to the Dissemination Agent under this Section 5 comply with the requirements of the Rule.

<u>Section 6.</u> <u>Termination of Reporting Obligation</u>. The obligations of the District and the Dissemination Agent specified in this Disclosure Agreement shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Certificates. If such termination occurs prior to the final maturity of the Certificates, the District shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(a).

<u>Section 7.</u> <u>Dissemination Agent</u>. The District may from time to time appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Agreement, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. If at any time there is not any other designated Dissemination Agent, the District shall act as Dissemination Agent. The initial Dissemination Agent shall be U.S. Bank National Association.

<u>Section 8</u>. <u>Amendment; Waiver</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Agreement, the District may amend this Disclosure Agreement (and the Dissemination Agent shall agree to any amendment requested by the District, provided that the Dissemination Agent shall not be obligated to enter into any amendment increasing or affecting its duties or obligations), and any provision of this Disclosure Agreement may be waived, if the District has received an opinion of counsel knowledgeable in federal securities laws to the effect that such amendment or waiver would not, in and of itself, cause the undertakings herein to violate the Rule if such amendment or waiver had been effective on the date hereof but taking into account any subsequent change in or official interpretation of the Rule.

The District shall describe any amendment to this Disclosure Agreement in the next Annual Report filed after such amendment takes effect.

If the annual financial information or operating data to be provided in the Annual Report is amended pursuant to the provisions hereof, the annual financial information containing the amended operating data or financial information shall explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the amendment and the impact of the change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

If an amendment is made to the undertaking specifying the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements, the annual financial information for the year in which the change is made shall present a comparison between the financial statements or information prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles. The comparison shall include a qualitative discussion of the differences in the accounting principles and the impact of the change in the accounting principles on the presentation of the financial information, in order to provide information to investors to enable them to evaluate the ability of the District to meet its obligations. To the extent reasonably feasible, the comparison shall be quantitative. A notice of the change in the accounting principles shall be sent to the MSRB.

<u>Section 9.</u> <u>Additional Information</u>. Nothing in this Disclosure Agreement shall be deemed to prevent the District from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Agreement or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Agreement. If the District chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Agreement, the District shall have no obligation under this Disclosure Agreement to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

<u>Section 10</u>. <u>Default</u>. In the event of a failure of the District to comply with any provisions of this Disclosure Agreement, any Participating Underwriter or any holder or Beneficial Owner of the Certificates, or the Trustee on behalf of the holders of the Certificates (after receiving indemnification to its satisfaction), may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the District to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Agreement. A default under this Disclosure Agreement shall not be deemed to be a default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Agreement in the event of any failure of the District to comply with this Disclosure Agreement shall be an action to compel performance.

Section 11. <u>Duties, Immunities and Liabilities of Dissemination Agent</u>. The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Agreement, and the District agrees to indemnify and save the Dissemination Agent, its officers, directors, employees and agents, harmless against any loss, expense and liabilities that it may incur arising out of or in the exercise or performance of its duties as described hereunder, if any, including the costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) of defending against any claim of liability, but excluding liabilities due to the Dissemination Agent's negligence or willful misconduct. The obligations of the District under this Section shall survive resignation or removal of the Dissemination Agent and payment of the Certificates. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for the format or content of any notice or Annual Report prepared by the District pursuant to this Disclosure Agreement. The District shall pay the reasonable fees and expenses of the Dissemination Agent for its duties as described hereunder. The Dissemination Agent shall be entitled to the protections and limitations from liability afforded to the Trustee under Article VIII of the Trust Agreement.

Section 12. <u>Notices</u>. Any notices or communications to or among any of the parties to this Disclosure Agreement may be given to the Dissemination Agent (if other than the District) and to the District as follows:

District:

Napa Sanitation District 1515 Soscol Ferry Road Napa, California 94558 Attention: General Manager

Dissemination Agent: U.S. Bank National Association 1 California Street, Suite 1000 San Francisco, California 90071 Attention: Global Corporate Trust Reference: Napa Sanitation District 2021 Bonds

<u>Section 13</u>. <u>Beneficiaries</u>. This Disclosure Agreement shall inure solely to the benefit of the District, the Dissemination Agent, the Trustee, the Participating Underwriter and holders and Beneficial Owners from time to time of the Certificates, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

<u>Section 14</u>. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Disclosure Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument, and each of which shall be deemed to be an original.

Date: February __, 2021

NAPA SANITATION DISTRICT

By:

General Manager

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Dissemination Agent

By:

Authorized Signatory