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RESOLUTION

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ETHICS COMMISSION

Whereas, Section 3 of Public Chapter No. 405 of the Tennessee Public Acts provides that a utility district has the power to adopt ethical standards for its officials and employees;

Whereas, Section 3 of Public Chapter No. 405 of the Tennessee Public Acts directed the Tennessee Association of Utility Districts (TAUD) to prepare a model of ethical standards for the employees of utility districts and water, wastewater and gas authorities in Tennessee and to submit such model of ethical standards to the Utility Management Review Board (UMRB) for its approval;

Whereas, a utility district or water, wastewater or gas authority cannot adopt the TAUD model of ethical standards until the TAUD model is approved by the UMRB;

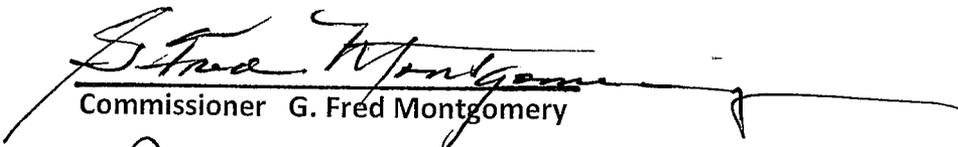
Whereas, the UMRB approved the TAUD model of ethical standards by Order dated August 2, 2007; and

Whereas, the Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County desires to adopt the TAUD model of ethical standards approved by the UMRB for the officials and employees of **The Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County**;

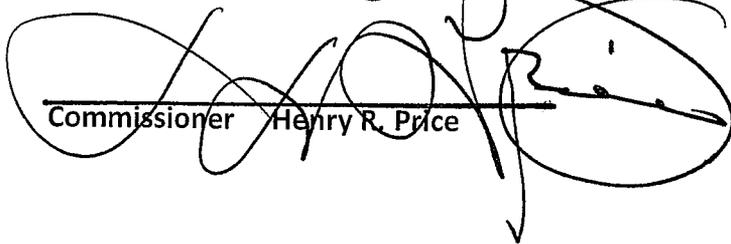
Wherefore, Premises Considered, Be It Hereby Resolved by the Board of Commissioners that **The Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County** adopts the TAUD model of ethical standards for officials and employees of utility districts and water, wastewater and gas authorities as the ethical standards for the officials and employees of **The Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County** effective immediately and that the Chairman of the Board is directed to write a letter to the Tennessee Ethics Commission to inform the Commission that **The Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County** has adopted the TAUD model ethical standards and shall enclose a copy of this Resolution with such letter showing the date of the adoption of the TAUD model of ethical standards.

Attached to this Resolution are the ethical standards adopted for **The Natural Gas Utility District of Hawkins County** using the TAUD model of ethical standards.

Dated this 28th Day August, 2007.


Commissioner G. Fred Montgomery


Commissioner Reed Matney


Commissioner Henry R. Price