STATE OF INDIANA )	BEFORE THE INDIANA DEPARTMENT
)	OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMEN
COUNTY OF MARION )	
IN THE MATTER OF:	)
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PETITION OF HAMILTON CO	DUNTY, INDIANA )
FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISH	ING THE HAMILTON )
<b>COUNTY REGIONAL UTILIT</b>	Y DISTRICT )
PUDGUANT TO IC 8 13.26	1

## ORDER ADOPTING THE FINDINGS OF FACT AND RECOMMENDED ORDER OF THE HEARING OFFICER FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY REGIONAL UTILITY DISTRICT

Upon the conclusion by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) that a sufficient Petition To Establish A Regional Water and Sewer District has been filed in accordance with IC § 13-26 *et seq.* for the establishment of the Hamilton County Regional Utility District (District) and after the holding of a public hearing by the department, the Commissioner has received the "FINDINGS OF FACT AND RECOMMENDED ORDER OF THE HEARING OFFICER", attached to this order and consisting of three (3) pages.

Having reviewed the "FINDINGS OF FACT AND RECOMMENDED ORDER OF THE HEARING OFFICER" regarding the establishment of the District, the Commissioner now determines that the establishment of the District complies with the conditions of IC § 13-26 et seq. for the establishment of a district and appears capable of accomplishing the purposes of the district in an economically feasible manner.

The Commissioner of IDEM hereby adopts and approves the "FINDINGS OF FACT AND RECOMMENDED ORDER OF THE HEARING OFFICER", which is attached to and incorporated into this order.

IT IS NOW ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONER that the Hamilton County Regional Utility District be established as an independent municipal corporation in Hamilton County, Indiana according to the findings and recommendations in the "FINDINGS OF FACT AND RECOMMENDED ORDER OF THE HEARING OFFICER"

Pursuant to IC § 13-26-2-11, this order is subject to judicial review as provided in IC § 4-21.5-5-5. Pursuant to IC § 4-21.5-5-5, a petition for judicial review of this order is timely only if it is filed with a civil court of competent jurisdiction within thirty (30) days after the date notice of the order is served.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 22 day of February 2023 in Indianapolis, IN

Brian Rockensuess, Commissioner

Indiana Department of Environmental Management