GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

State of Louisiana Parish of Rapides

Before the undersigned, an officer duly commissioned by the laws of The State of Louisiana, on this 19th day of August 2025, personally appeared Jeff Staples, of Cenla Environmental Science, Alexandria, LA, in Rapides Parish, Louisiana, who having first duly sworn depose and say:

I attest to several conversations that took place between April 2025 and July 2025 with Jerry Burnaman, Board of Directors – Pendleton Water Association. Prior to execution of the operating contract between Pendleton Water Association and Cenla Environmental Science, Jerry Burnaman inquired about Pendleton Water Association having their own general manager and showed interest in serving in that role. When it became clear that PWA would not have a direct manager, he inquired about what items were and were not in the contract. Mr. Burnaman also requested if he could be considered for items that were not included in the contract.

Signature:

Date: August 19, 2025

Witness:

Name: DIANE FRANCIS

Signature: Dane FRANCIS

Sworn and subscribed before me this 19th of August 2025.

Notary: Signature: 8/19/2025

