1	RESOLUTION NO			
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3	A RESOLUTION REQUESTING CENTRAL ARKANSAS WATER TO			
4	PARTICIPATE IN THE EXTENSION OF WATER SERVICE FOR			
5	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES AT THE PORT OF LITTLE			
6	ROCK, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.			
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8	WHEREAS, the Little Rock Port Authority recently purchased land for economic development			
9	purposes and has recently recruited an international industry to the site; and,			
10	WHEREAS, this property is currently without water service and the industry will need the service			
11	extended to the site in order to construct and operate the facility; and,			
12	WHEREAS, the Little Rock Port Authority owns lands adjacent to the property in question and will			
13	continue to attract manufacturing to the area; and.			
14	WHEREAS, the Consolidation Agreement that created Central Arkansas Water has two (2) provisions			
15	for extending water service to unserved areas of Little Rock and North Little Rock; and,			
16	WHEREAS, one provision for providing water service to unserved areas is Section 5.04 of the			
17	Consolidate Agreement that reads "the Commission may contribute an amount not to exceed 1% of the			
18	Consolidated Entity's annual revenues" for economic development purposes; and,			
19	WHEREAS, the other provision for providing water service to unserved areas is Section 5.07 of the			
20	Consolidated Agreement that reads "at the request of the Little Rock Board of Directors as appropriate			
21	make water service available to residents of newly annexed or unserved areas of Little Rock.'			
22	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE			
23	LITTLE ROCK PORT AUTHORITY:			
24	Section 1. The City of Little Rock Board of Directors authorizes the City Manager and the Mayor to			
25	formally request that Central Arkansas Water participate in the extension of water service to serve an			
26	economic development project at the Port of Little Rock.			
27	Section 2. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or			
28	word of this resolution is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or			
29	adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution which shall remain in full force and			
30	effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the			
31	resolution.			
32	Section 3. Repealer. All laws ordinances resolutions or parts of the same that are inconsistent with the			

provisions of this resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

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1	ADOPTED: June 6, 2023		
2	ATTEST:	APPROVED:	
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5	Susan Langley, City Clerk	Frank Scott, Jr., Mayor	
6	APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:		
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