RESOLUTION NO. 105-25

A RESOLUTION TO MAKE ALL RESIDENTS INDIVIDUAL CUSTOMERS OF KINGBROOK RURAL WATER SYSTEM, INC.

WHEREAS, the Town of Ramona currently purchases bulk water from Kingbrook Rural Water System, Inc. and is transitioning to an arrangement where Kingbrook will provide direct water service to individual customers, including billing and maintenance responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, the Town engaged DGR Engineering to complete a Preliminary Water Study Report, dated March 2025, which evaluated the Town's options for long-term water supply and recommended that residents become individual customers of Kingbrook Rural Water; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has formally accepted the Preliminary Water Study Report and selected Water Source Alternative #2 - The Town Becomes Individual Customers of Kingbrook; and

WHEREAS, inclusion of the project in the State Water Plan is required to be eligible for potential funding assistance, regulatory approvals, and coordination with state agencies for water storage improvement Alternative 2 Repair and Maintain Existing Facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to authorize representatives to work with DGR Engineering and the First District Association of Local Governments to prepare and submit the State Water Plan application on behalf of the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Ramona, South Dakota, that:

- The Town of Ramona hereby approves and accepts the Preliminary Water Study Report prepared by DGR Engineering dated March 2025.
- The Town of Ramona hereby authorizes the preparation and submission of a State Water Plan
 application to support the transition to individual customer water service through Kingbrook Rural
 Water System, Inc., consistent with recommendations of Alternative #2 of the accepted Preliminary
 Water Study Report.
- Representatives of the Town shall coordinate with DGR Engineering and the First District Association of Local Governments to complete and submit the application.
- 4. The Mayor and Finance Officer are authorized to sign all necessary documents related to the application process.

Dated this 14th day of October 2025.

TOWN OF RAMONA, SOUTH DAKOTA

Anthony (Tony) Fischer, Board President

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