

DeSoto County

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Richard T. Anderson Executive Director Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority 9415 Town Center Parkway Lakewood Ranch, FL 34202

Re: DeSoto County 20-Year Demand Report (2025 – 2045)

Mr. Anderson,

DeSoto County has received your request for projected water demand and is pleased to submit the following responses to the required items.

- Projected Water Demand: Please refer to the attached exhibit showing projected water demand for the next 20 years.
- Portion required to be fulfilled by the Authority: 100%.
- Basis for the projection: The attached projections were developed by the County's utility department based on the past 10 years water usage history, population projections from the University of Florida's Bureau of Economic and Business Research and review of pending development applications on file in the County's development department.

If you required additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Greg Harris, Utilities Director at g.harris@desotobocc.com or Mandy Hines, County Administrator at m.hines@desotobocc.com.

Respectfully,

J.C. Deriso DeSoto County Commission Chairman

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