Dear MWRD Contractor, Consultant, or Vendor:

On January 21, 2022, the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago ("MWRD"), enacted a COVID-19 Vaccine Policy. A copy of this policy is attached for your reference.

Pursuant to this policy, effective February 8, 2022, personnel of MWRD contractors, consultants, and vendors entering MWRD facilities or MWRD construction sites must be fully vaccinated or undergo regular COVID-19 testing as outlined in the policy. The purpose of the policy is to safeguard the health of MWRD employees and their families, customers and visitors to our facilities, and the residents of Cook County.

Any contractor, consultant, or vendor employee entering MWRD facilities or an MWRD construction site that is not fully vaccinated by February 7, 2022, must undergo COVID-19 testing once per calendar week and provide proof of a negative COVID-19 test result beginning February 15, 2022, to the contractor or vendor.

Your employees must wear a mask or face covering on MWRD property or construction sites when in close contact with MWRD employees and when in common areas of MWRD’s workplace. Your employees should wear a mask or face covering on MWRD property or MWRD construction site in accordance with CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention) guidelines.

Any questions regarding this policy should be directed to the MWRD’s Employee Relations Section at InfoCovid19@mwrdd.org or (312) 751-5163. Thank you for your cooperation in working to help keep all our employees and their families safe from COVID-19.

Sincerely,

Brian A. Perkovich
Executive Director

February 10, 2022