## JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA SEWER REVENUE WARRANTS

Series Designations and CUSIP Numbers on Attached Schedule A

## MATERIAL EVENT NOTICE December 8, 2008

The following information is provided by Jefferson County, Alabama (the "County") pursuant to certain Continuing Disclosure Agreements executed and delivered by the County in connection with the issuance of certain of the warrants set forth on the attached Schedule A (the "Warrants"), in compliance with Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12. Certain of the Warrants were issued at fixed interest rates (the "Fixed Rate Warrants" shown on Schedule A), others were issued as variable rate demand warrants (the "Variable Rate Demand Warrants" shown on Schedule A) and others were issued as auction rate warrants (the "Auction Rate Warrants" shown on Schedule A). Although the County has no Continuing Disclosure Agreement with regard to the Series 2002-A Warrants described in Schedule A (due to their exemption from the continuing disclosure obligations of SEC Rule 15c2-12), the County has nonetheless determined to include such Warrants in this Notice in order to provide a more thorough description of the events reflected herein.

The County filed material event notices dated February 20, 2008, February 27, 2008, March 4, 2008, March 11, 2008, March 31, 2008, April 1, 2008, June 2, 2008, June 9, 2008, June 30, 2008, August 1, 2008, August 13, 2008, September 10, 2008, September 22, 2008, October 6, 2008, October 9, 2008, October 24, 2008, October 28, 2008 and November 10, 2008 with regard to the Warrants (collectively, the "Prior Notices"). This material event notice describes certain events that have occurred subsequent to the filing of the Prior Notices.

The Warrants were issued and are outstanding under a Trust Indenture dated as of February 1, 1997, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "Trust Indenture") between the County and The Bank of New York Mellon (the "Trustee").

### **Ratings Downgrade**

At the time of their issuance, the various series of Warrants were insured either by Financial Security Assurance Inc. ("FSA"), Financial Guaranty Insurance Company ("FGIC") or Syncora Guarantee (formerly XL Capital Assurance) ("Syncora"), as reflected on Schedule A, and were assigned ratings by Standard & Poor's Ratings Services ("S&P"), Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's") and Fitch Ratings Ltd. ("Fitch"). The ratings on the Warrants have been previously downgraded as described in the Prior Notices.

On November 18, 2008, the long-term insured ratings assigned to those Warrants insured by Syncora were further reduced from "BBB-" to "B" by S&P in conjunction with the corresponding reduction in such rating agency's financial strength and financial enhancement ratings of Syncora. The current reduced ratings of the Syncora insured Warrants are classified as "Credit Watch Developing" by S&P. In addition, the current "Caa1" long-term insured ratings

assigned to the Syncora insured Warrants by Moody's are listed as "On Review with Direction Uncertain". Fitch withdrew its long-term insured ratings assigned to the Syncora insured Warrants on September 5, 2008.

On November 21, 2008, the long-term insured ratings assigned to those Warrants insured by FSA were reduced from "Aaa" to "Aa3" by Moody's in conjunction with the corresponding reduction in such rating agency's financial strength and financial enhancement ratings of FSA. The current reduced ratings of the FSA insured Warrants are classified as "Outlook Developing" by Moody's. In addition, the current "AAA" long-term insured ratings assigned to the FSA insured Warrants by S&P are listed as "Credit Watch Negative" and the current "AAA" long-term insured ratings assigned to the FSA insured Warrants by Fitch are classified as "Rating Watch Negative".

Similarly, on November 24, 2008, the long-term insured ratings assigned to those Warrants insured by FGIC were further reduced from "BB" to "CCC" by S&P in conjunction with the corresponding reduction in such rating agency's financial strength and financial enhancement ratings of FGIC. The current reduced ratings of the FGIC insured Warrants are classified as "Negative Outlook" by S&P. In addition, the current "B1" long-term insured ratings assigned to the FGIC insured Warrants by Moody's are listed as "Credit Watch Negative". Fitch withdrew its long-term insured ratings assigned to the FGIC insured Warrants on November 24, 2008.

A rating reflects only the view of the agency assigning such rating and is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold the Warrants. Such rating may be changed at any time, and no assurance can be given that it will not be subject to further revision or withdrawn entirely by the rating agency if, in its judgment, the circumstances so warrant. Any further reduction or withdrawal of the ratings on the Warrants may have an adverse effect on the market price of the affected Warrants.

# **SCHEDULE A**

Fixed Rate War	rants		Bond Insurance
Series 1997 A			
	CUSIP	_	
4	72682NV1		FGIC
	72682NW9		FGIC
	72682NX7		FGIC
	72682MC4		FGIC
4	72682MD2		FGIC
Series 2001 A			
	CUSIP	<b>_</b>	
	472682JB0		FGIC
4	472682JC8		FGIC
4	472682JD6		FGIC
4	472682JE4		FGIC
	472682JF1		FGIC
	472682JG9		FGIC
	472682JH7		FGIC
	472682JJ3		FGIC
	472682JL8		FGIC
	172682JM6		FGIC
2	472682JN4		FGIC
Series 2003-B-8		_	
	CUSIP	_	
	72682ML4		FSA
	72682MM2		FSA
	72682MN0		FSA
	72682MP5		FSA
	72682MQ3		FSA
	72682MR1		FSA
4	72682MS9		FSA
Variable Rate D	emand Wa	rrants	
Series 2002 A			
	CUSIP	Subseries	
4	172682JW4	2002 A	FGIC
Series 2002 C			
	CUSIP	Subseries	
	172682KE2	2002 C-2	Syncora
	172682KF9	2002 C-3	Syncora
	172682KG7	2002 C-4	Syncora
	472682KJ1	2002 C-6	Syncora
4	172682KK8	2002 C-7	Syncora
Series 2003 B			
	CUSIP	Subseries	
	172682LN1	2003 B-2	Syncora
2	472682LP6	2003 B-3	Syncora
4	472682LP6 472682LQ4	2003 B-4	Syncora Syncora
4 4	472682LP6 472682LQ4 472682LR2	2003 B-4 2003 B-5	Syncora Syncora Syncora
4 4 4	472682LP6 472682LQ4	2003 B-4	Syncora Syncora

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#### Bond **Auction Rate Warrants Insurance** Series 2002 C CUSIP Subseries 472682KA0 2002 C-1-A Syncora 2002 C-1-B Syncora 472682KB8 2002 C-1-C 472682KC6 Syncora Syncora Syncora 472682KD4 2002 C-1-D 472682KH5 2002 C-5 Series 2003 B CUSIP Subseries 472682LH4 2003 B-1-A **FGIC** FGIC FGIC 472682LJ0 2003 B-1-B 2003 B-1-C 472682LK7 472682LL5 2003 B-1-D **FGIC** 472682LM3 2003 B-1-E **FGIC** Series 2003 C CUSIP Subseries 472682NA7 472682NB5 2003 C-1 2003 C-2 FGIC FGIC 472682NC3 2003 C-3 **FGIC** 472682ND1 2003 C-4 FGIC 2003 C-5 472682NE9 **FGIC** 472682NF6 2003 C-6 **FGIC** FGIC 472682NG4 2003 C-7 2003 C-8 472682NH2 **FGIC** 472682NJ8 2003 C-9 FSA 472682NK5 2003 C-10

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