IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

In re:	Chapter 11
BANGO OIL LLC,[1]	Case No. 24-90508 (CML)
Reorganized Debtor.	(Jointly Administered)

VERTEX GUC TRUST'S MOTION FOR AN ORDER FURTHER EXTENDING DEADLINE TO OBJECT TO GENERAL UNSECURED CLAIMS

IF YOU OBJECT TO THE RELIEF REQUESTED, YOU MUST RESPOND IN WRITING. UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COURT, YOU MUST FILE YOUR RESPONSE ELECTRONICALLY AT HTTPS://ECF.TXSB.USCOURTS.GOV/ WITHIN TWENTY-ONE DAYS FROM THE DATE THIS MOTION WAS FILED. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ELECTRONIC FILING PRIVILEGES, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN OBJECTION THAT IS ACTUALLY RECEIVED BY THE CLERK OF THE COURT WITHIN TWENTY-ONE DAYS FROM THE DATE THIS MOTION WAS FILED. OTHERWISE, THE COURT MAY TREAT THE MOTION AS UNOPPOSED AND GRANT THE RELIEF REQUESTED.

U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, not individually and solely in its capacity as the trustee (the "**GUC Trustee**") of the Vertex GUC Trust (the "**GUC Trust**"), on behalf of the GUC Trust and by and through its undersigned counsel, respectfully submits this motion (the "**Motion**") to extend the deadline to object to general unsecured claims (the "**Claim Objection Deadline**") in the above-captioned case by 180 days from July 15, 2026 through and including January 11, 2027. In support of the Motion, the GUC Trust submits the *Declaration of Peter Finkel in Support of the Vertex GUC Trust's*

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Motion for an Order Further Extending Deadline to Object to Claims, attached hereto as **Exhibit A** (the "**Finkel Declaration**"). A proposed form of order granting the relief requested in the Motion is attached as **Exhibit B** (the "**Proposed Order**"). In support of the Motion, the GUC Trust respectfully states:

Jurisdiction and Venue

1. This Court has jurisdiction over the Motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334 and Article XI of the *Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Vertex Energy, Inc. and its Debtor Affiliates* (as supplemented and otherwise amended, the "**Plan**").[2] The Motion is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157. Venue in this Court is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.

Basis for Relief

2. The GUC Trust seeks to extend the Claim Objection Deadline by 180 days, from July 15, 2026, through and including January 11, 2027, without prejudice to the GUC Trust's ability to seek a further extension of the Claims Objection Deadline.[3]

3. The relief requested in the Motion is justified under: (i) section 105(a) of chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "**Bankruptcy Code**"), Rule 9006(b)(1) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "**Bankruptcy Rules**"), Rule 9013-1 of the Bankruptcy Local Rules of this Court (the "**Local Bankruptcy Rules**"), Section K of the

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[2] Docket No. 564. Capitalized terms used but not defined in this Motion have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan.

[3] The current Claim Objection Deadline is July 15, 2026. Pursuant to section K of the Complex Case Procedures (defined below), "if a motion is filed that complies with these procedures to extend the time to take any action before the expiration of the period prescribed by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Local Bankruptcy Rules, or a confirmed plan, the time for taking the action is automatically extended until the Court rules on the motion." By filing this Motion prior to the expiration of the Claim Objection Deadline, the Claim Objection Deadline is automatically extended until the Court resolves the Motion.

Procedures for Complex Cases in the Southern District of Texas, effective October 18, 2023 (the "**Complex Case Procedures**"), and Section 4.I.2 of the Plan (defined below).

Background

4. On September 24, 2024 (the "**Petition Date**"), Vertex Energy, Inc. and certain of its affiliates (collectively, the "**Debtors**" and, from and after the Effective Date (defined below), the "**Reorganized Debtors**") filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. Until the Effective Date, the Debtors operated their businesses and managed their properties as debtors-in-possession pursuant to sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code.

5. On December 20, 2024, the Court entered an order confirming the Plan (the "**Confirmation Order**").[4] The Plan became effective on January 21, 2025 (the "**Effective Date**").[5]

6. The Plan and Confirmation Order established the GUC Trust on the Effective Date pursuant to the terms of the General Unsecured Clams Trust Agreement.[6] On the Effective Date, the GUC Trustee was appointed to administer the GUC Trust.

7. Article VII of the Plan provides that, "after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors and the GUC Trustee (solely with respect to general unsecured claims), as applicable, have the exclusive authority to (a) file, withdraw, or litigate to judgment any objections to Claims, (b) settle or compromise any such objections to Claims without further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, and (c) administer and adjust the Claims

[4] Docket No. 578.

[5] Docket No. 646.

[6] Docket No. 544.

Register to reflect such settlements or compromises without further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Court."[7]

8. The GUC Trust is primarily responsible for reconciling general unsecured claims, but the Debtors, Reorganized Debtors and Consenting Term Loan Lenders, in consultation with the GUC Trust, may also object to Claims that are not allowed under the Plan.[8]

9. On April 1, 2025, the Court entered the *Final Decree Closing Certain of the Chapter 11 Cases* (the "**Final Decree**"),[9] which closed all of the Debtors' chapter 11 cases except for Case No. 24-90508. Pursuant to the Final Decree, the Court retains jurisdiction and authority over, among other things, the claims reconciliation process. The Final Decree also directs that any actions or pleadings regarding the claims reconciliation process be adjudicated in Case No. 24-90508 (the "**Current Docket**").[10]

A. Bar Dates

10. On October 28, 2024, the Court entered the *Order (I) Establishing Deadlines for the Filing of Proofs of Claim, (II) Approving Form and Manner of Notice Thereof, (III) Approving the Form and Manner for Filing Proofs of Claim, and (IV) Granting Related Relief* (the "**Bar Date Order**").[11] Among other things, the Bar Date Order established (i) November 27, 2024 as the deadline for non-governmental creditors to file Proofs of Claim against the Debtors for claims that arose before the Petition Date (the "**General Bar Date**") and (ii) March 24, 2025 as the deadline for Governmental Units to file Proofs of Claim against the Debtors for claims that

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7 *See* Plan at Art. VII.B.

8 *See* Plan at Art. IV.I.2.

9 Docket No. 760.

10 Final Decree at ¶ 5.

11 Docket No. 312.

arose before the Petition Date (the "**Governmental Bar Date**"). The Bar Date Order also set the deadline to file a Proof of Claim for rejection damages as the later of (a) the General Bar Date or Governmental Bar Date, as applicable, and (b) thirty (30) days after the entry of the applicable rejection order (which may be the Confirmation Order).

11. On October 25-30, 2024, the Debtors filed their Schedules and Statements of Financial Affairs (collectively, the "**Schedules**").[12]

12. Pursuant to the Plan, the Claim Objection Deadline initially was 180 days after the Effective Date.[13] On July 17, 2025, the Court entered an order extending the Claim Objection Deadline to January 16, 2026,[14] and on January 20, 2026, the Court entered an order further extending the Claim Objection Deadline to July 15, 2026.[15]

13. This Motion is the GUC Trust's third request to extend the Claim Objection Deadline.

B. Claim Reconciliation Process

14. Approximately 530 Proofs of Claim have been filed in the chapter 11 cases asserting, in whole or in part, general unsecured claims, and approximately 635 general unsecured claims appear on the Schedules as non-contingent, liquidated and undisputed. Altogether, filed and scheduled claims assert approximately $914.7 million of general unsecured claims against the Debtors.

15. Following the Effective Date, the GUC Trust undertook its review of general unsecured claims, coordinated with the Reorganized Debtors to establish omnibus claim

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12 Docket Nos. 260-308, 336-341.

13 *See* Plan at § 4.I.2.

14 Current Docket No. 71.

15 Current Docket No. 95.

objection procedures ("**Omnibus Claim Objection Procedures**")[16] to streamline the claim reconciliation process, worked with the Reorganized Debtors to resolve certain claim issues consensually, and begun to assess the causes of action assigned to the GUC Trust. The Omnibus Claim Objection Procedures permit the GUC Trust to object on an omnibus basis to disputed claims on the grounds set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 3007(d) and on certain additional approved grounds.

16. On July 16, 2025, the GUC Trust filed two omnibus claim objections, seeking to expunge $46.4 million in disputed claims.[17]

17. On March 25, 2026, the GUC Trust filed a *Notice of General Unsecured Claims Previously Satisfied* which expunged approximately $3.6 million in general unsecured claims. [18]

18. On July 14, 2026, the GUC Trust filed the *Notice of Scheduled Claims Superseded by Filed Proofs of Claim Pursuant to FRBP 3003(c)(4)*, which seeks to expunge approximately $31.1 million of scheduled claims that were superseded by filed Proofs of Claim.[19] Shortly, the GUC Trust expects to file jointly with the Reorganized Debtors (i) a non-substantive objection to certain amended claims, late-filed claims and exact duplicate claims and (ii) a substantive omnibus objection to claims on multiple grounds including, but not limited to, that the identified claims have already been fully or partially satisfied (the "Fully and Partially Satisfied

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16 *Order (A) Approving Omnibus Claims Objection Procedures; (B) Waiving the Requirement of Bankruptcy Rule 3007(e)(6); and (C) Granting Related Relief*. Current Docket No. 8.

17 *See Vertex GUC Trust's First Omnibus Objection to Certain Claims Asserted on Account of Equity Interests* (Current Docket No. 68), and *Vertex GUC Trust's Second Omnibus Objection to Certain (a) Late-Filed Claims, and (b) Amended and Superseded Claims* [Docket No. 69] (Order entered at Docket No. 83).

18 Current Docket No. 110.

19 Current Docket No. 118.

Claim Objection"). The GUC Trust anticipates that the Fully and Partially Satisfied Claim Objection will further reduce the General Unsecured Creditor claims pool by an additional $20.4 million.

19. The GUC Trust's substantive review of claims is ongoing, and the GUC Trust expects to file additional claim objections to disputed claims the GUC Trust is unable to resolve consensually.

20. Although the GUC Trust has made progress reconciling general unsecured claims, additional work remains. The GUC Trust estimates that it will take at least another 180 days to complete its review and reconciliation of claims and, therefore, believes a further extension of the Claim Objection Deadline is necessary to maximize value for the GUC Trust's beneficiaries.

Support for Requested Relief

21. The Plan, Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules provide ample authority for the Court to grant the requested relief. Additionally, the facts and circumstances of this case demonstrate that cause exists to extend the Claim Objection Deadline.

22. First, the Plan contemplates that the Court may extend the Claim Objection Deadline.[20]

23. Second, section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code provides that "[t]he court may issue any order, process, or judgment that is necessary or appropriate to carry out the provisions of [the Bankruptcy Code]." 11 U.S.C. § 105(a); *see also In re Sanchez*, 372 B.R. 289, 309–10 (Bankr. S.D. Tex. 2007) (describing the scope of a bankruptcy court's authority under section 105(a)); *In re CEI Roofing, Inc.*, 315 B.R. 50, 55–56 (Bankr. N.D. Tex. 2004); *In re Cooper*

[20] Plan § 4.I.2 ("All objections to General Unsecured Claims and 2027 Convertible Notes Claims must be filed by the GUC Trustee within 180 days of the Effective Date, unless extended by order of the Bankruptcy Court.").

Props. Liquidating Trust, Inc., 61 B.R. 531, 537 (Bankr. W.D. Tenn. 1986) (noting that the bankruptcy court is "one of equity and as such it has a duty to protect whatever equities a debtor may have in property for the benefit of its creditors as long as that protection is implemented in a manner consistent with the bankruptcy laws.").

24. Furthermore, Bankruptcy Rule 9006(b)(1) provides, in pertinent part:

> This paragraph (1) applies when these rules, a notice given under these rules, or a court order requires or allows an act to be performed at or within a specified period. Except as provided in (2) and (3), the court may—at any time and for cause—extend the time to act if: (A) with or without a motion or notice, a request to extend is made before the period (or a previously extended period) expires . . . .

Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9006(b)(1).

25. Extensions of time to object to claims have been granted in other chapter 11 cases in this District where there are a substantial number of claims and complex issues. *See*, *e.g.*, *In re DRF Logistics, LLC.*, Case No. 24-90447 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. March 27, 2026) (Docket No. 790) (granting a fourth request to extend the deadline to object to claims by an additional 120 days); *In re Stage Stores Inc.*, Case No. 20-32564 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. June 17, 2026) (Docket No. 1342) (granting a twelfth request to extend the claims objection deadline by an additional 180 days); *In re Dreamwell, Ltd.*, Case No. 23-90024 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. January 13, 2026) (Docket No. 387) (granting a fifth request to extend the deadline to object to claims by 180 days); *In re Dean Foods Co*., Case No. 19-36314 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. October 29, 2025) (Docket No. 1412) (granting a twelfth request to extend the deadline to object to claims by an additional 93 days); *In re Griddy Energy, LLC*, Case No. 21-30923 (MI) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. May 30, 2023) (Docket No. 513) (granting a second request to extend the deadline to object to claims by an additional 18 months); *In re SpeedCast International Limited, et al.*, Case No. 20-32243 (MI)

(Bankr. S.D. Tex. Jan. 26, 2023) (Docket No. 2037) (granting a fifth request to extend the deadline to object to claims by an additional 181 days).

26. The GUC Trust submits that cause exists to extend the Claim Objection Deadline for an additional 180 days through and including January 11, 2027. As discussed above, although the GUC Trustee and its advisors have made progress, the GUC Trustee continues to review and assess general unsecured claims that have been filed against the Debtors and requires additional time to complete such review, coordinate with the Reorganized Debtors on resolution of Proofs of Claim that assert multiple priorities of claims, negotiate with claimants to try and avoid formal litigation over disputed issues, and to prepare and file objections to claims, as necessary.

27. The GUC Trust further submits that the requested extension is not sought for purposes of delay and will not prejudice claimants asserting general unsecured claims or other parties in interest. Absent the requested extension, general unsecured creditors will be harmed because the GUC Trust either (i) will not be able to fully address all general unsecured clams before the expiration of the Claim Objection Deadline, and invalid, satisfied or overstated claims may receive unwarranted distributions from the GUC Trust, thereby diluting recoveries on account of legitimate claims, or (ii) be constrained to file formal claim objections prematurely, thereby increasing the cost to reconcile claims that otherwise could be resolved consensually. The requested relief will prevent such inequitable results, is in the best interests of the GUC Trust and the Debtors' general unsecured creditors and is necessary and appropriate to ensure that general unsecured claims are reconciled in a comprehensive, accurate and cost-efficient manner.

28. Accordingly, the GUC Trust respectfully requests that the Court grant the Motion and extend the Claim Objection Deadline for an additional 180 days, from July 15, 2026

through and including, January 11, 2027 without prejudice to the GUC Trust's ability to seek further extensions.

Notice

29. Notice of this Motion will be served on any party entitled to notice pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 and any other party entitled to notice under to Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013-1(d).

WHEREFORE, the GUC Trust respectfully requests that the Court grant the relief requested and such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and appropriate.

Dated: July 14, 2026
New York, New York

/s/ James S. Carr

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that, on July 14, 2026, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served by the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas.

/s/ Philip A. Weintraub
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Exhibit A

Finkel Declaration

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
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In re:	Chapter 11
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DECLARATION OF PETER FINKEL
IN SUPPORT OF THE VERTEX GUC TRUST'S MOTION FOR AN
ORDER FURTHER EXTENDING DEADLINE TO OBJECT TO CLAIMS

I, Peter Finkel, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief:

1. I am a Vice President of U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association ("**U.S. Bank**") and an authorized representative of U.S. Bank in its capacity as the trustee (the "**GUC Trustee**") of the Vertex GUC Trust (the "**GUC Trust**") established in the above-captioned case. Under the *Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Vertex Energy, Inc. and its Debtor Affiliates* (the "**Plan**"),[2] the GUC Trust is responsible for reconciling and, as necessary, objecting to all general unsecured claims filed or scheduled against the Debtors' estates. In that capacity, I am familiar with, and am assisting in, the process of reviewing and reconciling the claims for which the GUC Trust is responsible.

2. Statements made in this Declaration are made to the best of my knowledge and belief and are based on the information and records available to me, including information,

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[2] Docket No. 564.

advice and analysis provided by professionals engaged by the GUC Trust. I am authorized to submit this declaration on behalf of the GUC Trust in support of the *Vertex GUC Trust*'s *Motion for an Order Further Extending Deadline to Object to Claims* (the "**Motion**"),[3] filed contemporaneously herewith. If I were called upon to testify, I could and would competently testify to the facts set forth herein.

3. On December 20, 2024, the Court entered an order confirming the Plan (the "**Confirmation Order**"). The Plan became effective on January 21, 2025 (the "**Effective Date**").

4. To date, approximately 650 Proofs of Claim have been filed in the chapter 11 cases asserting, in whole or in part, general unsecured claims, and approximately 635 general unsecured claims were scheduled by Debtors which were not marked as contingent, unliquidated or disputed. Filed and scheduled claims collectively assert approximately $914.7 million of general unsecured claims.

5. Following the Effective Date, the GUC Trust, among other things, undertook its review of general unsecured claims, coordinated with the Reorganized Debtors to establish omnibus claim objection procedures ("**Omnibus Claim Objection Procedures**")[4] to streamline the claim reconciliation process, worked with the Reorganized Debtors to resolve certain claim issues consensually, and begun to assess the causes of action assigned to the GUC Trust. The approved Omnibus Claim Objection Procedures permit the GUC Trust to object to disputed claims on an omnibus basis on the grounds set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 3007(d) and on certain additional approved grounds.

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[3] Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein in my declaration have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

[4] *See Order (A) Approving Omnibus Claims Objection Procedures; (B) Waiving the Requirement of Bankruptcy Rule 3007(e)(6); and (C) Granting Related Relief*. Case No 24-90508, Docket No. 8 ("**Current Docket**").

6. On July 16, 2025, the GUC Trust filed two omnibus claim objections, seeking to expunge $46.4 million in disputed claims.[5] Since the last extension of the Claim Objection Deadline, the GUC Trustee through its professionals have analyzed Debtors' books and records to ascertain which general unsecured claims were satisfied pursuant to Court-approved post-petition payments.[6]

7. Pursuant to the Plan, the Claim Objection Deadline initially was 180 days after the Effective Date.[7] On July 17, 2025, the Court entered an order extending the Claim Objection Deadline to January 16, 2026,[8] and on January 20, 2026, the Court entered an order further extending the Claim Objection Deadline to July 15, 2026.[9]

8. On March 25, 2026, the GUC Trust filed a *Notice of General Unsecured Claims Previously Satisfied* which listed a number of general unsecured claims which, upon review of the books and records of the Reorganized Debtors, had been satisfied in full.[10] This notice expunged approximately $3.6 million in general unsecured claims.

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5 *See Vertex GUC Trust's First Omnibus Objection to Certain Claims Asserted on Account of Equity Interests* (Current Docket No. 68), and *Vertex GUC Trust's Second Omnibus Objection to Certain (a) Late-Filed Claims, and (b) Amended and Superseded Claims* [Docket No. 69] (Order entered at Docket No. 83).

6 Such payments include amounts paid pursuant to the *Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Pay Certain Prepetition Claims of (A) 503(b)(9) Claimants, (B) Lien Claimants, (C) Critical Vendors, and (D) HSE Suppliers, (II) Confirming Administrative Expense Priority of Outstanding Orders, and (III) Granting Related Relief*, and the *Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Pay Certain Prepetition Claims of (A) 503(b)(9) Claimants, (B) Lien Claimants, (C) Critical Vendors, and (D) HSE Suppliers, (II) Confirming Administrative Expense Priority of Outstanding Orders, and (III) Granting Related Relief*. Docket Nos. 57 and 330.

7 *See* Plan at § 4.I.2.

8 Current Docket No. 71.

9 Current Docket No. 95.

10 Current Docket No. 110.

9. On July 14, 2026, the GUC Trust filed the *Notice of Scheduled Claims Superseded by Filed Proofs of Claim Pursuant to FRBP 3003(c)(4)*, which seeks to expunge approximately $31.1 million of scheduled claims that were superseded by filed Proofs of Claim.[11]

10. Shortly, the GUC Trust expects to file jointly with the Reorganized Debtors (i) a non-substantive objection to certain amended claims, late-filed claims and exact duplicate claims and (ii) a substantive omnibus objection to claims on multiple grounds including, but not limited to, that the identified claims have already been fully or partially satisfied (the "Fully and Partially Satisfied Claim Objection"). The GUC Trust anticipates that the Fully and Partially Satisfied Claim Objection will further reduce the General Unsecured Creditor claims pool by an additional $20.4 million.

11. Additionally, the GUC Trustee, through its professionals, is conducting a substantive review of material claims to determine whether such claims should be allowed as filed, reduced or disallowed.

12. Although the GUC Trust has made progress reconciling the general unsecured claims, additional work remains. The GUC Trustee estimates that it will take at least another 180 days to complete its review and reconciliation of its claims and, therefore, believes a further extension of the Claim Objection Deadline is necessary to maximize value for the GUC Trust's beneficiaries.

13. To the best of my knowledge and belief, and based on the information and records available to me, I believe that the requested extension of the Claim Objection Deadline is

[11] Current Docket No. 118.

reasonable and is not sought for the purposes of delay. I do not believe that the relief requested in the Motion will prejudice claimants asserting general unsecured claims or other parties in interest.

14. Further, absent a further extension, general unsecured creditors will be harmed because the GUC Trust either (i) will not be able to fully address all general unsecured clams before the expiration of the Claim Objection Deadline, and invalid, satisfied or overstated claims may receive unwarranted distributions from the GUC Trust, thereby diluting recoveries on account of legitimate claims, or (ii) be constrained to file formal claim objections prematurely, thereby increasing the cost to reconcile claims that otherwise could be resolved consensually.

15. In light of the foregoing, to the best of my knowledge and belief, and based on the information and records available to me, I believe that extending the Claim Objection Deadline is necessary and appropriate to ensure that the reconciliation of general unsecured claims, including the prosecution of any objections to claims, is accurate, comprehensive, and completed in a timely and efficient manner.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the facts set forth in the foregoing declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Dated: July 14, 2026

/s/ Peter Finkel
Peter Finkel
Default Relationship Manager
U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association

Exhibit B

Proposed Order

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
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Reorganized Debtor.	(Jointly Administered)

ORDER FURTHER EXTENDING DEADLINE TO OBJECT TO CLAIMS

Upon the motion (the "**Motion**")[2] of the Vertex GUC Trust, seeking entry of an order (this "**Order**") pursuant to section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 9006(b), Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013-1, Section K of the Complex Case Procedures, and Section 4.I.2 of the Plan, extending the Claim Objection Deadline from July 15, 2026 through and including January 11, 2027, all as more fully set forth in the Motion and the Finkel Declaration; and this Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334 and Article XI of the Plan; and the Motion being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and venue being proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and due and proper notice of the Motion having been provided; and such notice having been adequate and appropriate under the circumstances, and it appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Motion; and all objections, if any, to the Motion having been withdrawn, resolved, or overruled; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein;

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and it appearing that the relief requested in the Motion is in the best interests of the estates and all parties in interest; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Claim Objection Deadline is hereby extended through and including January 11, 2027.

2. The entry of this Order is without prejudice to the GUC Trust's ability to seek a further extension of the Claim Objection Deadline upon a motion by the GUC Trust filed on or before January 11, 2027, or to seek other appropriate relief.

3. This Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, or enforcement of this Order.

Dated: _____, 2026
Houston, Texas

CHRISTOPHER M. LOPEZ
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE