

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH NORTHEAST IOWA RC&D

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Independence, Iowa, received a funding request from Northeast Iowa RC&D and

WHEREAS, the funds being requested are needed for grant identification, proposal development, and coordination of projects that achieve Watershed Management Authority's goals and strategies; and

WHEREAS, the Northeast Iowa RC&D provides coordination services for the Upper Wapsipinicon River Watershed Management Authority – an essential service in managing this watershed, and the City is a member of this organization via a 28E agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City must determine that certain expenditures are considered “for the public good” so public funds can be used on them; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Independence, Iowa, has agreed to pledge \$4,000.00 from funds in the Fiscal Year 2027 budget.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, BUCHANAN COUNTY, IOWA, that the City Council met on Monday, April 13, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall and by majority vote adopted a Resolution that approves the funding agreement with Northeast Iowa RC&D.

Resolution No. 2026- was passed and approved by a majority vote of the City Council of Independence, Iowa, on the 13th day of April 2026.

Record of Voting:

Ayes:

Nays:

Absent:

Resolution No. 2026- declared passed and adopted by the Mayor on this 13th day of April 2026.

Brad Bleichner, Mayor of the City of Independence, Iowa

ATTEST:

Susi Lampe, CMC, IaCMC, IaCFO,
Assistant City Manager/City Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Independence, Iowa