

LOAN AND DISBURSEMENT AGREEMENT
\$495,192 SEWER REVENUE BONDS

This Loan and Disbursement Agreement (the “Agreement”) is made and entered into as of February 27, 2026, by and between the City of Oelwein, Iowa (the “Participant”) and the Iowa Finance Authority, an agency and public instrumentality of the State of Iowa (the “Issuer”).

WHEREAS, the Issuer, in cooperation with the Iowa Department of Natural Resources (the “Department”), is authorized to undertake the creation, administration and financing of the Iowa Water Pollution Control Works Financing Program (the “Program”) established in the Code of Iowa, Sections 16.131 through 16.135 and Sections 455B.291 through 455B.299, including, among other things, the making of loans to Iowa municipalities for purposes of the Program; and

WHEREAS, the Participant has participated in the Program as a means of financing all or part of the construction of certain wastewater treatment facilities serving the Participant and its residents; and

WHEREAS, to assist in financing the Project (defined herein), the Issuer made a loan to the Participant in the amount of \$1,138,000 (the “Original Loan”) pursuant to a Loan and Disbursement Agreement dated as of December 22, 2023, between the Issuer and the Participant (the “Original Loan and Disbursement Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to federal requirements applicable to the capitalization grants, the Issuer made a portion of such Original Loan to the Participant forgivable, pending satisfaction of Program requirements; and

WHEREAS, as the Participant has completed the Project and the Issuer has received a certificate of completion from the Participant, the Issuer has determined that a portion of the Original Loan shall be forgiven. The Issuer has provided written notification to the Participant of the applicable principal forgiveness; and

WHEREAS, in order to provide for the Project in light of the principal forgiveness, the Issuer desires to enter into this Loan and Disbursement Agreement with the Participant and make a Loan (defined herein) to the Participant in the amount set forth in Section 2 hereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

Section 1. Definitions. In addition to other definitions set forth herein, the following terms as used in this Agreement shall, unless the context clearly requires otherwise, have the following meanings:

(a) “Bonds” shall mean any State Revolving Fund Revenue Bonds that were or in the future are issued by the Issuer for the purpose of providing moneys to finance the Loan to the Participant.

(b) “Code” shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and all lawfully promulgated regulations thereunder.

(c) “Project” shall mean the particular construction activities approved by the Department and completed by the Participant with respect to its Wastewater Treatment System, as described in the Resolution.

(d) “Regulations” shall mean the administrative rules of the Department relating to the Program, set forth in Title 567, Chapter 92 of the Iowa Administrative Code, and the administrative rules of the Issuer relating to the Program set forth in Title 265, Chapter 26 of the Iowa Administrative Code and the federal requirements described in Section 16 of this Agreement and set forth on Exhibit C attached hereto.

(e) “Resolution” shall mean the resolution of the City Council of the Participant providing for the authorization and issuance of the Revenue Bond (defined herein), attached hereto as Exhibit B, adopted on February 9, 2026, approving and authorizing the execution of this Agreement and the issuance of the Revenue Bond.

(f) “Wastewater Treatment System” shall mean the wastewater treatment system of the Participant, all facilities being used in conjunction therewith and all appurtenances and extensions thereto, including but not limited to the wastewater treatment system project which the Participant is financing under this Agreement.

Section 2. Loan; Purchase of Revenue Bond. The Issuer agrees to purchase a duly authorized and issued sewer revenue bond or capital loan note of the Participant (the “Revenue Bond”) in order to make the Loan to the Participant in the principal amount of \$495,192 (the “Loan”).

The Participant shall have used the proceeds of the Loan strictly (a) to finance a portion of the costs of construction of the Project and (b), where applicable, to reimburse the Participant for a portion of the costs of the Project, which portion was paid or incurred in anticipation of reimbursement through the Program and which is eligible for such reimbursement under and pursuant to the Regulations and the Code.

Section 3. Completion of Project. The Participant represents, warrants and covenants that it has completed the Project.

Section 4. Repayment of Loan; Issuance of Revenue Bonds. The Participant’s obligation to repay the Loan and interest thereon shall be evidenced by the Revenue Bond in the principal amount of the Loan, complying in all material respects with the Regulations and being in substantially the form set forth in the Resolution, which Resolution is attached hereto as Exhibit B. The Revenue Bond shall be delivered to the Issuer as the original purchaser and registered holder thereof at the closing of the Loan. The Revenue Bond shall be accompanied by a no

adverse effect legal opinion of bond counsel, in form satisfactory to the Issuer, to evidence the legality, security position and tax-exempt status of interest on the Revenue Bond. The parties agree that a payment of principal of or interest on the Revenue Bond shall be deemed to be a payment of the same on the Loan and a payment of principal of or interest on the Loan shall be deemed to be a payment of the same on the Revenue Bond. Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Issuer, all payments of principal and interest due under the Loan shall be made via automated clearinghouse transfer, from an account specified by the Participant.

The Revenue Bond shall be dated the date of delivery to the Issuer, with interest and the Servicing Fee (together, the “Interest Rate” as set forth in Section 5 hereof) payable semiannually on June 1 and December 1 of each year (unless the resolution authorizing a previous series of outstanding bonds on a parity with the Revenue Bond requires interest to be paid on other interest payment dates, in which case such other dates shall apply) from the date hereof as set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein. Payments of principal, interest and the Servicing Fee shall continue until the Loan is paid in full.

The Revenue Bond shall be subject to optional redemption by the Participant at a price of par plus accrued interest (i) on any date upon receipt of written consent by the Issuer, or (ii) in the event that all or substantially all of the Project is damaged or destroyed. Any such optional redemption of the Revenue Bond by the Participant may be made from any funds regardless of source, in whole or from time to time in part, upon not less than thirty (30) days’ notice of redemption by e-mail, facsimile or by certified or registered mail to the Issuer (or any other registered owner of the Revenue Bond).

The Revenue Bond and the interest thereon and any additional obligations as may be hereafter issued and outstanding from time to time under the conditions set forth in the Resolution shall be payable solely and only from the Net Revenues (as defined in the Resolution) of the Wastewater Treatment System of the Participant, a sufficient portion of which has been and shall be ordered set aside and pledged for such purpose under the provisions of the Resolution. Neither this Agreement nor the Revenue Bond is a general obligation of the Participant, and under no circumstance shall the Participant be in any manner liable by reason of the failure of the aforesaid Net Revenues to be sufficient to pay the Revenue Bond and the interest thereon or to otherwise discharge the Participant’s obligation hereunder.

Section 5. Interest Rate and Servicing Fees.

(a) The Participant agrees to pay a Loan servicing fee (the “Servicing Fee”) to the Issuer in an amount equal to 0.25% per annum of the principal amount of the Loan outstanding. The Servicing Fee shall be paid as described in Section 4 and Section 5(b) hereof.

(b) The Loan shall bear interest at 1.75% per annum (the “Rate”). As described in Section 4, payments hereunder shall be calculated based on the Rate plus the Servicing Fee (such 2.00%, the “Interest Rate”).

Section 6. Compliance with Applicable Laws; Performance Under Loan Agreement; Rates. The Participant covenants and agrees (i) to comply with all applicable State of Iowa and federal laws, rules and regulations (including but not limited to the Regulations), judicial decisions, and executive orders in the performance of the Agreement and in the financing, operation, maintenance and use of the Project and the Wastewater Treatment System; (ii) to maintain its Wastewater Treatment System in good repair, working order and operating condition; (iii) to cooperate with the Issuer in the observance and performance of their respective duties, covenants, obligations and agreements under the Agreement; (iv) to comply with all terms and conditions of the Resolution; and (v) to establish, levy and collect rents, rates and other charges for the products and services provided by its Wastewater Treatment System, which rents, rates and other charges shall be at least sufficient (A) to meet the operation and maintenance expenses of such Wastewater Treatment System, (B) to produce and maintain Net Revenues at a level not less than 110% of the amount of principal and interest on the Revenue Bond and any other obligations secured by a pledge of the Net Revenues falling due in the same year, (C) to comply with all covenants pertaining thereto contained in, and all other provisions of, any bond resolution, trust indenture or other security agreement, if any, relating to any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness issued or to be issued by the Participant, (D) to pay the debt service requirements on any bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness, whether now outstanding or incurred in the future, secured by such revenues or other receipts and issued to finance improvements to the Wastewater Treatment System and to make any other payments required by the laws of the State of Iowa, (E) to generate funds sufficient to fulfill the terms of all other contracts and agreements made by the Participant, including, without limitation, the Agreement and the Revenue Bond and (F) to pay all other amounts payable from or constituting a lien or charge on the operating revenues of its Wastewater Treatment System.

Section 7. Exclusion of Interest from Gross Income. Unless otherwise agreed to by the Issuer in writing, the Participant covenants and agrees as follows:

(a) The Participant shall not take any action or omit to take any action which would result in a loss of the exclusion of the interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income taxation as that status is governed by Section 103(a) of the Code.

(b) The Participant shall not take any action or omit to take any action, which action or omission would cause its Revenue Bond or the Bonds (assuming solely for this purpose that the proceeds of the Bonds loaned to the Participant represent all of the proceeds of the Bonds) to be “private activity bonds” within the meaning of Section 141(a) of the Code. Accordingly, unless the Participant receives the prior written approval of the Issuer, the Participant shall not (A) permit any of the proceeds of the Bonds loaned to the Participant or the Project financed with such proceeds to be used, either directly or indirectly, in any manner that would constitute “private business use” within the meaning of Section 141(b)(6) of the Code, taking into account for this purpose all such use by persons other than governmental units on an aggregate basis, (B) use, either directly or indirectly, any of the proceeds of the Bonds loaned to the Participant to make or finance loans to persons other than governmental units (as such term is used in Section 141(c) of the Code) or (C) use, either directly or indirectly, any of the proceeds of

the Bonds loaned to the Participant to acquire any “non-governmental output property” within the meaning of Section 141(d)(2) of the Code.

(c) The Participant shall not directly or indirectly use or permit the use of any proceeds of the Bonds (or amounts replaced with such proceeds) or any other funds or take any action or omit to take any action, which use or action or omission would (assuming solely for this purpose that the proceeds of the Bonds loaned to the Participant represent all of the proceeds of the Bonds) cause the Bonds to be “arbitrage bonds” within the meaning of Section 148(a) of the Code.

(d) The Participant shall not directly or indirectly use or permit the use of any proceeds of the Bonds to pay the principal of or interest on any issue of State or local governmental obligations (“refinancing of indebtedness”) unless the Participant shall establish to the satisfaction of the Issuer that such refinancing of indebtedness will not adversely affect the exclusion from gross income of interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes and the Participant delivers an opinion to such effect of bond counsel acceptable to the Issuer.

(e) The Participant shall not directly or indirectly use or permit the use of any proceeds of the Bonds to reimburse the Participant for any portion of the cost of the Project unless such cost was paid or incurred by the Participant in anticipation of reimbursement from the proceeds of the Bonds or other State or local governmental borrowing in accordance with the Code, published rulings of the Internal Revenue Service and the Regulations.

(f) The Participant shall not use the proceeds of the Bonds (assuming solely for this purpose that the proceeds of the Bonds loaned to the Participant represent all of the proceeds of the Bonds) in any manner which would cause the Bonds to be “federally guaranteed” within the meaning of Section 149(b) of the Code or “hedge bonds” within the meaning of Section 149(g) of the Code.

(g) The Participant shall comply with all provisions of the Code relating to the rebate of any profits from arbitrage attributable to the Participant, and shall indemnify and hold the Issuer harmless therefrom.

Section 8. Insurance; Audits; Disposal of Property. The Participant covenants and agrees (a) to maintain insurance on, or to self-insure, the insurable portions of the Wastewater Treatment System of a kind and in an amount which normally would be carried by private companies engaged in a similar type of business, (b) to keep proper books and accounts adapted to the Wastewater Treatment System, showing the complete and correct entry of all transactions relating thereto, and to cause said books and accounts to be audited or examined by an independent auditor or the State Auditor (i) at such times and for such periods as may be required by the federal Single Audit Act of 1984, OMB Circular A-133 or State law, and (ii) at such other times and for such other periods as may be requested at any time and from time to time by the Issuer (which requests may require an audit to be performed for a period that would not otherwise be required to be audited under State law), and (c) unless the Participant has

received a waiver and consent from the Issuer, it shall not sell, lease or in any manner dispose of the Wastewater Treatment System, or any capital part thereof, including any and all extensions and additions which may be made thereto, until the Revenue Bond shall have been paid in full or otherwise discharged as provided in the Resolution; provided, however, that the Participant may dispose of any property which in the judgment of its governing body is no longer useful or profitable to use in connection with the operation of the Wastewater Treatment System or essential to the continued operation thereof.

Section 9. Maintenance of Documents; Access. The Participant agrees to maintain its project accounts in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”) as issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (“GASB”) pronouncements, including GASB Statement No. 34 relating to the reporting of infrastructure assets.

The Participant agrees to permit the Issuer or its duly authorized representative access to all files and documents relating to the Project for purposes of conducting audits and reviews in accordance with any of the Regulations.

Section 10. Continuing Disclosure. As a means of enabling the Issuer to comply with the “continuing disclosure” requirements set forth in Rule 15c2-12 (the “Rule”) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Participant agrees, during the term of the Loan, but only upon written notification from the Issuer to the Participant that this Section 10 applies to such Participant for a particular fiscal year, to provide the Issuer with (i) the comprehensive audit report of the Participant, prepared and certified by an independent auditor or the State Auditor, or unaudited financial information if the audit is not available, not later than 180 days after the end of each fiscal year for which this section applies and (ii) such other information and operating data as the Issuer may reasonably request from time to time with respect to the Wastewater Treatment System, the Project or the Participant.

The Participant hereby consents to the inclusion of all or any portion of the foregoing information and materials in a public filing made by the Issuer under the Rule. The Participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Issuer, and its officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, liabilities, reasonable costs and expenses whatsoever (including attorney fees) which such indemnified party may incur by reason of or in connection with the disclosure of information permitted under this Section; provided that no such indemnification shall be required for any claims, damages, losses, liabilities, costs or expenses to the extent, but only to the extent, caused by the willful misconduct or gross negligence of the Issuer in the disclosure of such information.

Section 11. Events of Default. If any one or more of the following events occur, it is hereby defined as and declared to constitute an “Event of Default” under this Agreement:

- (a) Failure by the Participant to pay, or cause to be paid, any Loan repayment required to be paid under this Agreement when due, which failure shall continue for a period of fifteen (15) days.

(b) Failure by the Participant to make, or cause to be made, any required payments of principal, redemption premium, if any, and interest on any bonds, notes or other obligations of the Participant (other than the Loan and the Revenue Bond), the payment of which are secured by operating revenues of the Wastewater Treatment System.

(c) Failure by the Participant to observe and perform any duty, covenant, obligation or agreement on its part to be observed or performed under the Agreement or the Resolution, other than the obligation to make Loan repayments, which failure shall continue for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice, specifying such failure and requesting that it be remedied, is given to the Participant by the Issuer, unless the Issuer shall agree in writing to an extension of such time prior to its expiration or the failure stated in such notice is correctable but cannot be corrected in the applicable period, in which case the Issuer may not unreasonably withhold its consent to an extension of such time up to one hundred twenty (120) days from the delivery of the written notice referred to above if corrective action is commenced by the Participant within the applicable period and diligently pursued until the Event of Default is corrected.

Section 12. Remedies on Default. Whenever an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Issuer shall have the right to take any action authorized under the Regulations, the Revenue Bond or this Agreement and to take whatever other action at law or equity may appear necessary or desirable to collect the amounts then due and thereafter to become due under the Agreement or to enforce the performance and observance of any duty, covenant, obligation or agreement of the Participant under the Agreement or the Resolution.

Section 13. Amendments. This Agreement may not be amended, supplemented or modified except by a writing executed by all of the parties hereto.

Section 14. Rule of Construction. This Agreement is executed pursuant to the provisions of Section 384.24A of the Code of Iowa and shall be read and construed as conforming to all provisions and requirements of that statute.

In the event of any inconsistency or conflict between the terms and conditions of the Revenue Bond and this Agreement or the Regulations, the parties acknowledge and agree that the terms of this Agreement or the Regulations, as the case may be, shall take precedence over any such terms of the Revenue Bond and shall be controlling, and that the payment of principal and interest on the Loan shall at all times conform to the schedule set forth on Exhibit A, as adjusted, and the Regulations.

Section 15. Federal Requirements. The Participant agrees to comply with all applicable federal requirements including, but not limited to, those described on Exhibit C attached hereto.

Section 16. Application of Uniform Electronic Transactions Act.

The Issuer and the Participant agree this Agreement and all documents related thereto and referenced herein may be entered into and provided for pursuant to and in accordance with Chapter 554D of the Code of Iowa.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto affixed our signatures all as of the date first above written.

CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA

By: _____
Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature all as of the date first above written.

IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY

By: _____
Its: _____

EXHIBIT A

DEBT SERVICE REPAYMENT SCHEDULE

EXHIBIT B

AUTHORIZATION/ISSUANCE RESOLUTION OF PARTICIPANT

EXHIBIT C

FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. The Participant has complied with the federal Davis-Bacon and Related Acts, codified at 40 U.S.C. Sections 3140 through 3148.
2. The Project complied with the “American Iron and Steel” provisions of Section 436 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2014 (P.L. 113-76), as amended (the “2014 Act”), and all iron and steel products used in the Project were produced in the United States in compliance with and within the meaning of the 2014 Act, as those provisions are further interpreted by applicable Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) guidance, except to the extent waivers to the American Iron and Steel requirements of the 2014 Act were granted by the EPA.
3. The Participant complied with the Federal Single Audit Act (SAA) of 1984, as amended by the Federal Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 (see 2 CFR 200 Subpart F) and had an audit of their use of federal financial assistance. The Participant agrees to provide the Authority with a copy of the SAA audit within 9 months of the audit period.