RESOLUTION NO. 9-1123

Notice on Intent to Issue Financing Regarding the Purchase of Highway Equipment and Projects

WHEREAS, the County of Iowa, Wisconsin (the "Issuer") plans to purchase equipment (the "Project") for use by the Highway Department; and

WHEREAS, Iowa County adopts a capital improvement plan each year and the equipment and projects were included in the approved plan; and

WHEREAS, the Issuer expects to finance the Project on a short-term basis by issuing financing through the State Trust Fund Loan Program (STFL), promissory notes, or through a financial institution (collectively, the "Financing"); and

WHEREAS, because the financing will not be issued prior to commencement of the project, the Issuer must provide interim financing to cover costs for the Project incurred prior to receipt of the proceeds of the Financing; and

WHEREAS, the County of Iowa (the "Governing Body") of the Issuer deems it to be necessary, desirable, and in the best interests of the Issuer to advance moneys from its funds on hand on an interim basis to pay the costs of the Project until the Financing is issued;

WHEREAS, the Executive Committee recommends to the Iowa County Board to finance \$2,052,254 to purchase equipment and complete road construction projects in 2024 for the Highway Department for a time period of six months to one year; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Iowa County Board approves the recommendation of the Iowa County Executive Committee and authorizes the financing of \$2,052,254 for the purchase of equipment and complete road construction projects for the Highway Department; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Issuer that: **Section 1. Expenditure of Funds.** The Issuer shall make expenditures as needed from its funds on hand to pay the cost of the Project until proceeds of the Financing become available.

<u>Section 2. Declaration of Official Intent.</u> The Issuer hereby officially declares its intent under Treas. Reg. Section 1.150-2 to reimburse said expenditures with proceeds of the Financing, the principal amount of which is not expected to exceed \$2,052,254.

<u>Section 3. Unavailability of Long-Term Funds.</u> No funds for payment of the Project from sources other than the Financing are, or are reasonable expected to be, reserved, allocated on a long-term basis, or otherwise set aside by the Issuer pursuant to its budget or financial policies.

<u>Section 4. Public Availability of Official Intent Resolution.</u> The Resolution shall be made available for public inspection at the office of the Issuer's County Clerk within 30 days after its approval in compliance with applicable State law governing the availability of records of official acts including Subchapter II of Chapter 19, and shall remain available for public inspection until the Financing is issued.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective upon its adoption and approval.

Adopted this 14th day of November 2023.

John M. Meyers

Iowa County Chairman

ATTEST:

Kristy K. Spurley
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Iowa County Clerk