## **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-08**

Resolution authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection with the sale of General Obligation Urban Renewal Bonds, Series 2023A

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors (the "Board") of Worth County, Iowa (the "County"), heretofore proposed to enter into a General Obligation Urban Renewal Loan Agreement (the "Loan Agreement") and to issue general obligation bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$6,000,000 pursuant to the provisions of Subsection 331.441(2)(b)(14), Section 331.402, Section 331.442, and Chapter 403 of the Code of Iowa, for the purpose of paying the cost, to that extent, of undertaking aspects of the Worth County Road, Bridge and Culvert Improvement Projects, an urban renewal program of the County which was authorized by action of the Board of Supervisors on October 17, 2022, and in lieu of calling an election upon such proposal, has published notice of the proposed action and has held a hearing thereon, and as of March 27, 2023, no petition had been filed with the County asking that the question of entering into the Loan Agreement be submitted to the registered voters of the County; and

WHEREAS, a Preliminary Official Statement (the "P.O.S.") has been prepared to facilitate the sale of General Obligation Urban Renewal Bonds, Series 2023A (the "Bonds") to be issued in evidence of the County's obligation under the Loan Agreement, and it is now necessary to make provision for the approval of the P.O.S. and to authorize its use by Northland Securities, Inc. (the "Underwriter") as the underwriter of the issuance of the Bonds;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Worth County, Iowa, as follows:

- Section 1. The County Auditor is hereby authorized to take such action as shall be deemed necessary and appropriate, with the assistance of the Underwriter, to prepare the P.O.S. describing the Bonds and providing for the terms and conditions of their sale, and all action heretofore taken in this regard is hereby ratified and approved.
- Section 2. The use by the Underwriter of the P.O.S. relating to the Bonds in substantially the form as has been presented to and considered by the Board of Supervisors is hereby approved, and the Underwriter is hereby authorized to prepare and use a final Official Statement for the Bonds substantially in the form of the P.O.S. but with such changes therein as are required to conform the same to the terms of the Bonds and the resolution, when adopted, providing for the sale and issuance of the Bonds, and the County Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to execute a final Official Statement for the Bonds, if requested. The P.O.S. as of its date is deemed final by the County within the meaning of Rule 15(c)(2)-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- Section 3. Further action with respect to the Loan Agreement and the Bonds is hereby adjourned to the meeting of the Board of Supervisors scheduled for May 1, 2023.
- Section 4. All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. This resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and approval, as provided by law.

Passed and approved April 3, 2023.

**Enos Loberg** 

Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

Jacki A. Backhaus County Auditor

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