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## PARTIAL RELEASE

For valuable consideration, Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank of Manchester, Iowa, hereby releases from the lien of the mortgage executed by

Carl L. Steffen & Marilee A. Steffen, husband & wife, dated December 26, 2002 and filed for record on December 27, 2002 and recorded in Book 2002, Page 4944, of the Mortgage Records of Delaware County, State of Iowa, the following described property:

Lot Thirteen (13) of Steffen's First Addition, a Subdivision of Parcel E – Part of the NW¼-SE¼, Section 13, T87N, R6W OF THE FIFTH P.M., THE CITY OF RYAN, DELAWARE COUNTY, IOWA

Said mortgage(s) to remain in full force and effect as to all other property described therein. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank of Manchester has caused these presents to be executed on the date set out in the acknowledgment.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS SAVINGS BANK

By: _____
Eric C. Anderson, Executive Vice President

By: _____
Diane C. Hammell, Cashier & CFO

STATE OF IOWA, DELAWARE COUNTY, ss:

On this 30th day of May, 2008 before me, Rosemary Drees, a Notary Public in and for Delaware County, Iowa, appeared Eric C. Anderson and Diane C. Hammell to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, did say that Eric C. Anderson is the Executive Vice President and that Diane C. Hammell is the Cashier & Chief Financial Officer of Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank a corporation located at Manchester, Iowa, and that the seal affixed to the said instrument is the corporate seal of the said corporation, and that said instrument was by them signed and sealed in behalf of the said corporation, by authority of its Board of Directors, and said Eric C. Anderson and Diane C. Hammell acknowledged the execution of this instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of the said corporation, by them voluntarily executed.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal, the day and year last above written.

Rosemary Drees
COMMISSION NUMBER 144070
My Commission Expires
7/30/08

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Notary Public in and for Delaware County, Iowa