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BRANDY L. MACUMBER, RECORDER

Madison County, Iowa

Prepared By/Return to: James E. McCarthy, 666 Grand Avenue, Suite 2000, Des Moines, IA 50309, 515.242.2400

## INDIVIDUAL TRUSTEE'S AFFIDAVIT

RE: See Exhibit "A" (the "Real Estate")

The undersigned, being first duly sworn (or affirmed) under oath, state of our own personal knowledge that:

- 1. We are the Co-Trustees of the John M. and Shari J. Paule Trust u/a/d May 18, 2006, as Restated (the "Trust"), to which the Real Estate was conveyed by: (a) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on December 14, 2017, in Book 2017, at Page 3920; (b) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on December 10, 2007, in Book 2007, at Page 4371; (c) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on April 24, 2020, in Book 2020, at Page 1398; (d) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on December 2, 2014, in Book 2014, at Page 3043; (e) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on November 30, 2012, in Book 2012, at Page 3600; (f) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on June 1, 2021, in Book 2021, at Page 2248; and (g) Warranty Deed, filed of record in the Office of the Madison County Recorder on May 31, 2024, in Book 2024, at Page 1191.
- 2. As the Co-Trustees under the Trust, we are authorized to convey the Real Estate without any limitation or qualification whatsoever, or execution of any such conveyance by any other trustee.
- 3. The Trust is in existence and we, as the Co-Trustees, are authorized to transfer the interest in the Real Estate as described in paragraph 2, free and clear of any adverse claims.
  - 4. The grantors of the Trust are alive.
  - 5. The Trust is revocable and none of the beneficiaries of the trust are deceased.

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John	M. Pau	le, A	ffiant and	Co-Trus	tee
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Shari	J. Paul	e, Af	fant and	Co-Trust	ee

STATE OF IOWA	)
	) SS
COUNTY OF POLK	)

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on November 22, 2024, by John M. Paule and Shari J. Paule, as Co-Trustees of the John M. and Shari J. Paule Trust u/a/d May 18, 2006, as Restated.

James E. McCarthy
Commission Number 160808
My Commission Expires
October 1, 2027

# Exhibit A Legal Description of Real Estate

Parcel "D" located in the Northwest Quarter (1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Eight (8), Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa, containing 30.00 acres, as shown in Plat of Survey filed in Book 2017, Page 3704 on November 27, 2017, in the Office of the Recorder of Madison County, Iowa.

### AND

The SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 8, in Township 76 North, Range 26 West of the 5th P.M. Madison County. Iowa, except a tract of land described as follows, to-wit: Commencing as a point of reference at the W ¼ Corner of said Section 8, thence North 82°41'00" East 3,894 feet to the point of beginning on the South line of the NE ¼ of said Section 8, thence North 01°41'30" West 289.03 feet; thence North 86°40'40" East 69.73 feet, thence South 2°26'00" East 284.05 feet, thence South 82°41'00" West 73.71 feet to the point of beginning.

#### AND

A tract of land located in the South Half (1/2) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Eight (8), Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa, more particularly described as follows to-wit: Commencing as a point of reference at the West Quarter Corner of said Section Eight (8), thence North 82°42'00" East, 3894 feet to the point of beginning on the South line of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of said Section Eight (8), thence North 01°41'30" West, 289.03 feet, thence North 86°40'40" East, 69.73 feet, thence North 02°26'00" West 529.95 feet, thence South 54°19'20" East 1139.38 feet, thence South 37.27 feet to a point on the South line of said Northeast Quarter (1/4), thence South 82°52'00" West, along said South line 971.64 feet to the point of beginning, containing 9.228 acres, including road right of way.

#### AND

All that part of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Five (5), Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa, lying South of the South bank of North River.

## AND

The Northwest Quarter (NW ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section Eight (8), Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa.

#### AND

Parcel "A", located in the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 8 and in the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 9, Township 76 North, Range 26 West of the 5th P.M., Madison Iowa, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Ouarter of Section 9, Township 76 North, Range 26 West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa; thence South 85°57'42" West along the North line of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 9, 1320.46 feet to the Northwest corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 9; thence South 85°57'42" West along the North line of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 8, Township 76 North, Range 26 West of the 5th P.M., Madison County. Iowa, 1319.89 feet to the Northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of said Section 8; thence South 0°56'32" East along the West line of the Southeast Ouarter of the Northeast Ouarter of said Section 8, 497.69 feet; thence South 51°10'01" East along an existing fence line, 1139.36 feet; thence South 0°46'26" West, 4.16 feet to a point on the North right-of-way (R.O.W.) line of an unpaved County Road; thence North 86°02'31" East along said R.O.W. line, 1544.50 feet; thence North 62°39'55" East along, said R.O.W. line, 137.26 feet; thence North 24°06'23" East along said R.O.W. line, 149.20 feet; thence North 0°58'13" West along said R.O.W. line, 574.98 feet; thence North 5°46'48" East along said R.O.W. line, 280.77 feet to a point on the East line of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 9; thence North 0°58'13" West along the East line of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 9, 242.11 feet to the Point of Beginning. Said Parcel contains 68.599 acres.

## AND

Parcel "F", being that part of Parcel "C" recorded in Book 3, Page 223, lying South of the Centerline of North River being part of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (1/4) of Section Four (4), and part of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) and part of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Five (5), and all of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of Section Eight (8), and part of the Northwest Quarter (1/4) of the Northwest Quarter (1/4) and part of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the Northwest Quarter (1/4) of Section Nine (9), ALL IN Township Seventy-six (76) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 5th P.M., Madison County, Iowa, containing 94.05 acres, as shown in Plat of Survey filed in Book 2024, Page 393 on February 21, 2024, in the Office of the Recorder of Madison County, Iowa.