

Extract of Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioner of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina held at 200 College Street, Suite 326, Asheville, North Carolina, at 5:00 p.m. on February 7, 2023.

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The following members were present:

The following members were absent:

Also present:

* * *

Commissioner _____ moved that the following resolution (the “*Resolution*”), a copy of which was available with the Board and which was read by title:

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA TO REIMBURSE ITSELF FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURES INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH VARIOUS SCHOOL AND COUNTY PROJECTS FROM THE PROCEEDS OF CERTAIN TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS TO BE EXECUTED AND DELIVERED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2023

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina (“*County*”) intends to finance construction or improvements to certain County facilities, including, among others, emergency management facilities and placement of solar appliances on certain schools and other public buildings and, pursuant to requests from the Buncombe County Board of Education and Asheville City Board of Education, has determined that it is in the best interests of the County to finance improvements to various school facilities located in the County;

WHEREAS, the County presently intends, at one time or from time to time, to finance all or a portion of the costs of the Project with proceeds of tax-exempt obligations and reasonably expects to execute and deliver its tax-exempt obligations (the “*Obligations*”) to finance, or to reimburse itself for, all or a portion of the costs of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to proceed with the Project and will incur and pay certain expenditures in connection with the Project prior to the date of execution and delivery of the Obligations (the “*Original Expenditures*”), such Original Expenditures to be paid for originally from a source other than the proceeds of the Obligations, and the County intends, and reasonably expects, to be reimbursed for such Original Expenditures from a portion of the proceeds of the Obligations to be executed and delivered at a date occurring after the dates of such Original Expenditures;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina as follows:

Section 1. **Official Declaration of Intent.** The County presently intends, and reasonably expects, to reimburse itself for the Original Expenditures incurred and paid by the County on or after the date occurring 60 days prior to the date of adoption of this Resolution from a portion of the proceeds of the Obligations. The County reasonably expects to execute and deliver the Obligations to finance all or a

portion of the costs of the Project and the maximum principal amount of Obligations expected to be executed and delivered by the County to pay for all or a portion of the costs of the Project is \$47,000,000.

Section 2. ***Compliance with Regulations.*** The County adopts this Resolution as a declaration of official intent under Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations promulgated under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, to evidence the County's intent to reimburse itself for the Original Expenditures from proceeds of the Obligations.

Section 3. ***Itemization of Capital Expenditures.*** The Finance Director of the County, with advice from special counsel, is hereby authorized, directed and designated to act on behalf of the County in determining and itemizing all of the Original Expenditures incurred and paid by the County in connection with the Project during the period commencing on the date occurring 60 days prior to the date of adoption of this Resolution and ending on the date of execution and delivery of the Obligations.

Section 4. ***Effective Date.*** This Resolution is effective immediately on the date of its adoption.

On motion of Commissioner _____, seconded by Commissioner _____, the foregoing resolution entitled **“RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA, DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA TO REIMBURSE ITSELF FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURES INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH VARIOUS SCHOOL AND COUNTY PROJECTS FROM THE PROCEEDS OF CERTAIN TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS TO BE EXECUTED AND DELIVERED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2023”** was duly adopted by the following vote:

AYES:

NAYS:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE) ss:

I, *Lamar Joyner*, Clerk to the Board of Commissioners of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina, ***DO HEREBY CERTIFY*** that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of a resolution entitled “**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA, DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE, NORTH CAROLINA TO REIMBURSE ITSELF FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURES INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH VARIOUS SCHOOL AND COUNTY PROJECTS FROM THE PROCEEDS OF CERTAIN TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS TO BE EXECUTED AND DELIVERED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2023**” adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina, at a meeting held on the 15th day of February, 2022.

WITNESS my hand and the corporate seal of the County of Buncombe, North Carolina, this the 7th day of February, 2022.

Lamar Joyner
Clerk to the Board
County of Buncombe, North Carolina