

CERTIFICATION OF MINUTES RELATING TO  
GENERAL OBLIGATION SCHOOL BUILDING REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2026A

Issuer: Independent School District No. 761 (Owatonna Public Schools), Minnesota

Governing Body: School Board

Kind, date, time and place of meeting: A regular meeting held on February 23, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. at the Charles S Crandall Center, 540 West Hills Circle, Owatonna.

Members present:

Members absent:

Documents attached:

Minutes of said meeting (including):

RESOLUTION RELATING TO GENERAL OBLIGATION SCHOOL BUILDING REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2026A; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE THEREOF AND PROVIDING FOR CREDIT ENHANCEMENT WITH RESPECT THERETO

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting recording officer of the public corporation issuing the bonds referred to in the title of this certificate, certify that the documents attached hereto, as described above, have been carefully compared with the original records of said corporation in my legal custody, from which they have been transcribed; that said documents are a correct and complete transcript of the minutes of a meeting of the governing body of said corporation, and correct and complete copies of all resolutions and other actions taken and of all documents approved by the governing body at said meeting, so far as they relate to said bonds; and that said meeting was duly held by the governing body at the time and place and was attended throughout by the members indicated above, pursuant to call and notice of such meeting given as required by law.

WITNESS my hand officially as such recording officer this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2026.

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School District Clerk

Member \_\_\_\_\_ introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion was seconded by Member \_\_\_\_\_:

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BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board (the Board) of Independent School District No. 761 (Owatonna Public Schools), Minnesota (the District), as follows:

SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION; PURPOSE. This Board hereby authorizes the issuance and sale of its General Obligation School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2026A in the approximate principal amount of \$31,920,000 (the Bonds). The proceeds of the Bonds will be used, together with any additional funds of the District which might be required, to refund in advance of maturity and prepay the 2027 through 2036 maturities of the District's outstanding \$65,385,000 General Obligation School Building Bonds, Series 2016A, dated originally as of February 23, 2016 (the Refunded Bonds). The purpose of the refunding of the Refunded Bonds is to achieve debt service savings.

SECTION 2. SALE. The District has retained Ehlers & Associates, Inc., in Roseville, Minnesota (Ehlers), as its independent municipal advisor in connection with the sale of the Bonds. Ehlers is authorized to solicit proposals for the Bonds in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.60, Subdivision 2, paragraph (9). The Board shall meet at the time and place specified in the Official Statement for the Bonds to receive and consider proposals for the purchase of the Bonds.

SECTION 3. OFFICIAL STATEMENT; PROPOSALS. Ehlers is authorized to prepare and distribute an Official Statement for the Bonds and to open, read, and tabulate the proposals for presentation to the Board.

SECTION 4. STATE CREDIT ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM. (a) The District hereby covenants and obligates itself to notify the Commissioner of the Department of Education of the State of Minnesota (the Commissioner) of a potential default in the payment of principal and interest on the Bonds and to use the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 126C.55 to guarantee payment of the principal and interest on the Bonds when due. The District further covenants to deposit with the Registrar or any successor paying agent three (3) days prior to the date on which a payment is due an amount sufficient to make that payment or to notify the Commissioner that it will be unable to make all or a portion of that payment. The Registrar for the Bonds is authorized and directed to notify the Commissioner if it becomes aware of a potential default in the payment of principal or interest on the Bonds or if, on the day two (2) business days prior to the date a payment is due on the Bonds, there are insufficient funds to make that payment on deposit with the Registrar. The District understands that as a result of its covenant to be bound by the provision of Minnesota Statutes, Section 126C.55, the provisions of that section shall be binding as long as any Bonds of this issue remain outstanding.

(b) The District further covenants to comply with all procedures now and hereafter established by the Departments of Management and Budget and Education of the State of Minnesota pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 126C.55, Subdivision 2(c) and otherwise to take such actions as necessary to comply with that section. The chair, clerk, superintendent or business manager is authorized to execute any applicable Minnesota Department of Education forms.

Upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

whereupon the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.