MINUTES of a regular public meeting of the Board of Education of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois, held at the Administration Building, 2000 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Rock Island, Illinois, in said School District at 6:00 o'clock P.M., on the 10th day of December, 2024.

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The President called the meeting to order and directed the Clerk to call the roll.

Upon the roll being called, the following members were physically present at said location:

The following members were allowed by a majority of the members of the Board of Education in accordance with and to the extent allowed by rules adopted by the Board of Education to attend the meeting by video or audio conference:

No member was not permitted to attend the meeting by video or audio conference.

The following members were absent and did not participate in the meeting in any manner or to any extent whatsoever:

The President announced that the next item of business before the Board of Education was the consideration of a resolution abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2024 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, of the District.

Whereupon Member \_\_\_\_\_\_ presented and the Clerk read by title a resolution as follows, copies of which were available to everyone in attendance at said meeting who requested a copy:

RESOLUTION abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2024 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois.

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WHEREAS, the Board of Education (the "*Board*") of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois (the "*District*"), by resolution adopted on the 12th day of May, 2020, as supplemented by a notification of sale (together, the "*Resolution*"), did provide for the issue of \$14,700,000 General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, of the District (the "*Bonds*"), and the levy of direct annual taxes sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds (the "*Pledged Taxes*"); and

WHEREAS, the Resolution established a special fund of the District known as the "Alternate Bond Fund of 2020" (the "*Bond Fund*") for the repayment of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, the Board hereby determines that Pledged Revenues (as defined in the Resolution) or other lawfully available funds are available and on deposit in the Pledged Revenues Account of the Bond Fund in an amount sufficient to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds when due, so as to enable the abatement of all of the Pledged Taxes levied for the year 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Board hereby further determines that it is necessary and in the best interests of the District that the Pledged Taxes levied for the year 2024 to pay the Bonds be abated in their entirety:

Now, THEREFORE, Be It and It is Hereby Resolved by the Board of Education of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois, as follows:

*Section 1. Abatement of Tax.* The Pledged Taxes levied for the year 2024 in the Resolution are hereby abated in their entirety.

*Section 2. Filing of Resolution.* Forthwith upon the adoption of this Resolution, the Clerk of the Board shall file a certified copy hereof with the County Clerk of Rock Island County, Illinois, and it shall be the duty of said County Clerk to abate the Pledged Taxes levied for the year 2024 in accordance with the provisions hereof.

*Section 3. Effective Date.* This Resolution shall be in full force and effect forthwith upon its adoption.

Adopted December 10, 2024.

President, Board of Education

Clerk, Board of Education

Member \_\_\_\_\_ moved and Member \_\_\_\_\_ seconded the motion that said resolution as presented and read by title be adopted.

After a full discussion thereof, the President directed that the roll be called for a vote upon the motion to adopt said resolution.

Upon the roll being called, the following members voted AYE:

## NAY:

Whereupon the President declared the motion carried and said resolution adopted, approved and signed the same in open meeting and directed the Clerk to record the same in the records of the Board of Education of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois, which was done.

Other business not pertinent to the adoption of said resolution was duly transacted at the meeting.

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, the meeting was adjourned.

Clerk, Board of Education

STATE OF ILLINOIS	)
	) SS
COUNTY OF ROCK ISLAND	)

## CERTIFICATION OF RESOLUTION AND MINUTES

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Clerk of the Board of Education (the "*Board*") of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois (the "*District*"), and as such official I am the keeper of the records and files of the District and the Board.

I do further certify that the foregoing constitutes a full, true and complete transcript of the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on the 10th day of December, 2024, insofar as same relates to the adoption of a resolution entitled:

RESOLUTION abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2024 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois.

a true, correct and complete copy of which said resolution as adopted at said meeting appears in the foregoing transcript of the minutes of said meeting.

I do further certify that the deliberations of the Board on the adoption of said resolution were conducted openly, that the vote on the adoption of said resolution was taken openly, that said meeting was held at a specified time and place convenient to the public, that notice of said meeting was duly given to all of the news media requesting such notice, that an agenda for said meeting was posted at the location where said meeting was held and at the principal office of the Board on a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of Illinois and at least 48 hours in advance of the holding of said meeting, that a true, correct and complete copy of said agenda as so posted is attached hereto as *Exhibit A*, that at least one copy of said agenda was continuously available for public review from the time of such posting until said meeting, that said meeting was called and held in strict compliance with the provisions of the Open Meetings Act of the State of Illinois, as amended, and with the provisions of the School Code of the State of Illinois, as amended, and that the Board has complied with all of the provisions of said Act and said Code and with all of the procedural rules of the Board in the conduct of said meeting and in the adoption of said resolution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official signature, this 10th day of December, 2024.

Clerk, Board of Education

STATE OF ILLINOIS ) ) SS County of Rock Island )

## FILING CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting County Clerk of The County of Rock Island, Illinois, and as such official I do further certify that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, there was filed in my office a duly certified copy of a resolution entitled:

RESOLUTION abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2024 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, of Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois.

duly adopted by the Board of Education of the Rock Island School District Number 41, Rock Island County, Illinois, on the 10th day of December, 2024, and that the same has been deposited in the official files and records of my office.

I do further certify that the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2024 for the payment of General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2020, as described in said resolution be abated in its entirety as provided in said resolution.

IN WITNESS WHERETO, I hereunto affix my official signature and the seal of said County, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_.

County Clerk of The County of Rock Island, Illinois

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