EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 273 (EDINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS) HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a special meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota, was duly held in the School District on October 22, 2024, commencing at 5:00 o'clock p.m.

Member	introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:
and the following were absent:	
The following members were presen	nt:

RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF GENERALOBLIGATION FACILITIES MAINTENANCE, CAPITAL NOTES, AND ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES AND SCHOOL BUILDING REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2024A, IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$99,545,000; FIXING THEIR FORM AND SPECIFICATIONS; DIRECTING THEIR EXECUTION AND DELIVERY; PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT; PROVIDING FOR THE ESCROWING AND INVESTMENT OF THE PROCEEDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR THE REFUNDING OF BONDS REFUNDED THEREBY

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board (the "Board") of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "District"), as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings, Determinations; Sale of Bonds.</u>

1.01 <u>Background</u>. The Board is proposing to issue general obligation facilities maintenance bonds, capital notes and refunding bonds. In connection therewith, it is hereby determined that:

(a) Facilities Maintenance Bonds.

- (i) The District is authorized under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, as amended (the "Act"), and Minnesota Statutes, Section 123B.595, as amended ("Section 123B.595"), to issue general obligation facilities maintenance bonds for the purpose of financing certain facilities and site maintenance projects approved by the Commissioner of Education.
- (ii) On September 9, 2024, the Board adopted a resolution (the "Parameters Resolution") stating the intention of the District, in part, to issue its general obligation facilities maintenance bonds (the "Facilities Maintenance Portion"), in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$5,930,000, pursuant to the Act and Section 123B.595, to finance the costs of certain facilities and site maintenance projects of the District which are included in the District's ten-year facilities plan for Fiscal Year 2026 and related financing costs (the "Facilities Maintenance Project").

(b) Capital Notes.

- (i) The District is authorized under the provisions of the Act and Minnesota Statutes, Section 123B.61, as amended ("Section 123B.61"), to issue general obligation capital notes for the purpose of financing capital equipment purchases.
- (ii) Within the Parameters Resolution, the Board also stated its intention to issue its general obligation capital notes (the "Capital Notes Portion"), in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,525,000, pursuant to the Act and Section 123B.61, to finance the acquisition of school buses and related financing costs (the "Capital Notes Project").

(c) <u>Refunding Bonds</u>.

(i) On December 30, 2014, the District issued its General Obligation Alternative Facilities Bonds, Series 2014A (the "Series 2014A Bonds"), in the original aggregate

principal amount of \$6,050,000 pursuant to the Act and Minnesota Statutes, Section 123B.59 (2014), to finance certain facilities maintenance projects (the "2014 Facilities Maintenance Project"). The Series 2014A Bonds are currently outstanding in the principal amount of \$6,050,000 of which \$6,050,000 is subject to optional redemption and prepayment on or after February 1, 2024.

- (ii) On July 22, 2015, the District issued its General Obligation School Building Bonds, Series 2015A (the "Series 2015A Bonds"), in the original aggregate principal amount of \$113,385,000 pursuant to the Act and a special election held May 5, 2015, to finance the acquisition and betterment of school sites and facilities (the "2015 School Building Project"). The Series 2015A Bonds are currently outstanding in the principal amount of \$95,810,000 of which \$93,475,000 is subject to optional redemption and prepayment on or after February 1, 2025.
- (iii) The District is authorized by Section 475.67 of the Act to issue and sell its general obligation bonds to refund outstanding bonds when determined by the Board to be necessary and desirable for the reduction of debt service costs of the District.
- (iv) Within the Parameters Resolution, the Board also stated its intention to issue its general obligation refunding bonds in the aggregate principal amount of approximately \$100,360,000, pursuant to the Act, including Section 475.67, to optionally redeem and prepay all or a portion of the Series 2014A Bonds (the "2014A Refunding Portion"), and to optionally redeem and prepay all or a portion of the Series 2015A Bonds (the "2015A Refunding Portion"). The 2014A Refunding Portion and the 2015A Refunding Portion are collectively referred to as the "Refunding Portion" or the "Refunded Bonds."
- (d) Pursuant to the Parameters Resolution, the Board found and determined that the Facilities Maintenance Portion, the Capital Notes Portion and the Refunding Portion shall be issued together in a single series and designated as the "General Obligation Facilities Maintenance, Capital Notes, and Alternative Facilities and School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A" (the "Bonds"). The Facilities Maintenance Project and the Capital Notes Project are hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Project."
- (e) Pursuant to the Parameters Resolution, the Superintendent or Director of Finance and Operations and any School Board member were authorized and directed, with the advice of the District's municipal advisor, Ehlers and Associates, Inc., (the 'Municipal Advisor'), to review proposals for the purchase of the Bonds and award the sale of the Bonds to the prospective purchaser based on the recommendation of the Municipal Advisor and the following parameter: the true interest cost of the Bonds shall not exceed 3.46 percent (3.46%).
- (f) Pursuant to the Parameters Resolution, the District has covenanted and obligated itself to be bound by the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 126C.55, as amended, which provides for payment by the State of Minnesota of the debt service on the Bonds in the event the District notifies the State of Minnesota of a potential default by the District in the timely payment of the debt service on the Bonds. The District understands that as a result of its covenant to be bound by said provisions, these provisions shall be binding as long as the Bonds remain outstanding.
- (g) The District is authorized by Section 475.60, subdivision 2(9), of the Act to sell the Bonds other than pursuant to a competitive sale because the District has retained the Municipal Advisor to serve as its independent municipal advisor in connection with the sale of the Bonds.

The actions of the District staff and the Municipal Advisor in negotiating the sale of the Bonds are ratified and confirmed in all aspects.

1.02. Ratification of Sale to the Purchaser and Interest Rates. The proposal of Piper Sandler & Co. (the "Purchaser"), to purchase the Bonds of the District is hereby found and determined to be a reasonable offer and the sale of the Bonds to the Purchaser is hereby ratified and confirmed, the proposal being to purchase the Bonds at a price of \$106,884,921.44 (par amount of the Bonds of \$99,545,000, plus original issue premium of \$8,502,311.75, less original issue discount of \$853,278.50, less an underwriter's discount of \$309,111.81), plus accrued interest, if any, to date of delivery for Bonds bearing interest as follows:

Year Interest Rate		Year	Interest Rate		
2026	5.000%	2032	5.000%		
2027	5.000%	2033	5.000%		
2028	5.000%	2034	5.000%		
2029	5.000%	2035	3.000%		
2030	5.000%	2036	3.000%		
2031	5.000%	2037	3.250%		

True interest cost: 3.0722726%

1.03. <u>Purchase Contract</u>. The execution and delivery of a Proposal Form, dated as of October 9, 2024 (the "Purchase Agreement"), between the District and the Purchaser, is hereby ratified and confirmed in the form set forth in EXHIBIT A to this resolution (the "Resolution"). The Bonds shall be issued and delivered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement and this Resolution. The amount proposed by the Purchaser in excess of the minimum bid shall be credited to the Debt Service Fund hereinafter created or (with respect to the Facilities Portion and the Capital Notes Portion) deposited in the Construction Fund hereinafter created, as determined by the Treasurer in consultation with the Municipal Advisor. The Municipal Advisor is directed to receive and retain the good faith payment of the Purchaser in accordance with the terms of the Purchase Agreement, pending completion of the sale of the Bonds.

1.04. <u>Terms and Principal Amounts of the Bonds</u>. The District shall forthwith issue and sell the Bonds pursuant to the Act, Section 123B.595 and Section 123B.61 in the total principal amount of \$99,545,000, originally dated November 6, 2024, in the denomination of \$5,000 each or any integral multiple thereof, numbered No. R-1 upward, bearing interest as above set forth, and maturing serially on February 1 in the years and amounts as follows:

Amount	Year	Amount		
\$1,950,000	2032	\$9,725,000		
\$6,880,000	2033	\$10,055,000		
\$7,550,000	2034	\$9,300,000		
\$8,765,000	2035	\$9,770,000		
\$9,005,000	2036	\$8,585,000		
\$9,180,000	2037	\$8,780,000		
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(a) \$5,930,000 of the principal amount of the Bonds, constituting the Facilities Maintenance Portion, maturing on February 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth below, are being used to finance the Facilities Maintenance Project:

Year	Amount	Amount Year	
2026		2032	\$1,010,000
2027		2033	\$985,000
2028	\$465,000	2034	
2029	\$1,325,000	2035	
2030	\$1,125,000	2036	
2031	\$1,020,000	2037	

(b) \$1,365,000 of the principal amount of the Bonds, constituting the Capital Notes Portion, maturing on February 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth below, are being used to finance the Capital Notes Project:

Year	Amount	Year	Amount
2026	\$180,000	2032	\$300,000
2027	\$215,000	2033	\$225,000
2028	\$70,000	2034	
2029	\$75,000	2035	
2030	\$145,000	2036	
2031	\$155,000	2037	

(c) \$5,460,000 of the principal amount of the Bonds, constituting the Series 2014A Refunding Portion, maturing on February 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth below, are being used to optionally redeem and prepay the Series 2014A Bond and refinance the 2014 Facilities Maintenance Project:

Year	Amount	Year	Amount	
2026		2032	\$1,025,000	
2027		2033	\$1,090,000	
2028		2034	\$1,155,000	
2029		2035	\$1,220,000	
2030		2036		
2031	\$970,000	2037		

(d) \$86,790,000 of the principal amount of the Bonds, constituting the Series 2015A Refunding Portion, maturing on February 1 in the years and in the amounts set forth below, are being used to optionally redeem and prepay the Series 2015A Bonds and refinance the 2015 School Building Project:

Year	Amount	Year	Amount
2026	\$1,770,000	2032	\$7,390,000
2027	\$6,665,000	2033	\$7,755,000
2028	\$7,015,000	2034	\$8,145,000
2029	\$7,365,000	2035	\$8,550,000
2030	\$7,735,000	2036	\$8,585,000
2031	\$7,035,000	2037	\$8,780,000

- 1.05. <u>Schedule of Maturities</u>. The schedule of maturities satisfies the requirements of Section 475.54, subdivision 1 of the Act.
- 1.06. Optional Redemption. The District may elect on February 1, 2032, and on any day thereafter to prepay Bonds due on or after February 1, 2033. Redemption may be in whole or in part and if in part, at the option of the District and in such manner as the District shall determine. If less than all Bonds of a maturity are called for optional redemption, the District shall notify DTC (as defined in Section 8 hereof) of the particular amount of such maturity to be prepaid. DTC shall determine by lot the amount of each participant's interest in such maturity to be redeemed and each participant will then select by lot the beneficial ownership interests in such maturity to be redeemed. Prepayments shall be at a price of par plus accrued interest to the date of optional redemption.

Section 2. Registration and Payment.

- 2.01. <u>Registered Form.</u> The Bonds shall be issued only in fully registered form. The interest thereon and, upon surrender of each Bond, the principal amount thereof, is payable by check or draft issued by the Registrar described herein.
- 2.02. Dates; Interest Payment Dates. Each Bond shall be dated as of the last interest payment date preceding the date of authentication to which interest on the Bond has been paid or made available for payment, unless (i) the date of authentication is an interest payment date to which interest has been paid or made available for payment, in which case the Bond shall be dated as of the date of authentication, or (ii) the date of authentication is prior to the first interest payment date, in which case the Bond shall be dated as of the date of original issue. The interest on the Bonds is payable on February 1 and August 1 of each year, commencing August 1, 2025, to the registered owners of record thereof as of the close of business on the fifteenth day immediately preceding each interest payment date, whether or not such day is a business day.
- 2.03. <u>Registration</u>. The District shall appoint a bond registrar (the "Registrar"), authenticating agent (the "Authenticating Agent"), and paying agent (the "Paying Agent"). Except as specifically provided otherwise in Section 8 hereof, the effect of registration and the rights and duties of the District and the Registrar with respect thereto are as follows:

- (a) <u>Register</u>. The Registrar must keep at its principal corporate trust office a bond register (the "Bond Register") in which the Registrar provides for the registration of ownership of Bonds and the registration of transfers and exchanges of Bonds entitled to be registered, transferred, or exchanged.
- (b) Transfer of Bonds. Upon surrender for transfer of a Bond duly endorsed by the registered owner thereof or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, in form satisfactory to the Registrar, duly executed by the registered owner thereof or by an attorney duly authorized by the registered owner in writing, the Registrar shall authenticate and deliver, in the name of the designated transferee or transferees, one or more new Bonds of a like aggregate principal amount and maturity, as requested by the transferor. The Registrar may, however, close the books for registration of any transfer after the fifteenth day of the month preceding each interest payment date and until that interest payment date.
- (c) <u>Exchange of Bonds</u>. When Bonds are surrendered by the registered owner for exchange the Registrar shall authenticate and deliver one or more new Bonds of a like aggregate principal amount and maturity as requested by the registered owner or the owner's attorney in writing.
- (d) <u>Cancellation</u>. Bonds surrendered upon transfer or exchange shall be promptly cancelled by the Registrar and thereafter disposed of as directed by the District.
- (e) <u>Improper or Unauthorized Transfer</u>. When a Bond is presented to the Registrar for transfer, the Registrar may refuse to transfer the Bond until the Registrar is satisfied that the endorsement on the Bond or separate instrument of transfer is valid and genuine and that the requested transfer is legally authorized. The Registrar shall incur no liability for the refusal, in good faith, to make transfers which it, in its judgment, deems improper or unauthorized.
- (f) Persons Deemed Owners. The District and the Registrar may treat the person in whose name a Bond is registered in the Bond Register as the absolute owner of the Bond, whether the Bond is overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment of, or on account of, the principal of and interest on the Bond and for all other purposes, and payments so made to a registered owner or upon the owner's order shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon the Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.
- (g) <u>Taxes, Fees, and Charges</u>. The Registrar may impose a charge upon the owner thereof for a transfer or exchange of Bonds sufficient to reimburse the Registrar for any tax, fee, or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to the transfer or exchange.
- (h) <u>Mutilated, Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed Bonds</u>. If a Bond becomes mutilated or is destroyed, stolen, or lost the Registrar shall deliver a new Bond of like amount, number, maturity date, and tenor in exchange and substitution for and upon cancellation of the mutilated Bond or in lieu of and in substitution for any Bond destroyed, stolen, or lost upon the payment of the reasonable expenses and charges of the Registrar in connection therewith; and, in the case of a Bond destroyed, stolen, or lost, upon filing with the Registrar evidence satisfactory to it that the Bond was destroyed, stolen, or lost, and of the ownership thereof, and upon furnishing to the Registrar an appropriate bond or indemnity in form, substance, and amount satisfactory to it and as provided by law, in which both the District and the Registrar must be named as obligees. Bonds so surrendered to the Registrar shall be cancelled by the Registrar and evidence of such cancellation must be given to the District. If the mutilated, destroyed, stolen, or lost Bond has already matured or been called for redemption in whole in accordance with its terms it is not necessary to issue a new Bond prior to payment.

- (i) <u>Redemption</u>. In the event any of the Bonds are called for redemption, notice thereof identifying the Bonds to be redeemed shall be given by the Registrar by mailing a copy of the redemption notice by first class mail (postage prepaid) to the registered owner of each Bond to be redeemed at the address shown on the Bond Register and, if publication of the notice of redemption is required by law, by publishing the notice of redemption as required by law. Failure to give notice by publication or by mail to any registered owner, or any defect therein, shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of Bonds. Bonds so called for redemption shall cease to bear interest after the specified redemption date, provided that the funds for the redemption are on deposit with the place of payment at that time.
- Appointment of Initial Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent. The District appoints Bond Trust Services Corporation, Roseville, Minnesota, as the initial Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent with respect to the Bonds. The Board Chair and the Clerk are authorized to execute and deliver, on behalf of the District, a contract with Bond Trust Services Corporation, as the initial Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent with respect to the Bonds. Upon merger or consolidation of the Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent with another corporation, if the resulting corporation is a bank or trust company authorized by law to conduct such business, the resulting corporation is authorized to act as successor Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent. The District agrees to pay the reasonable and customary charges of the Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent for the services performed. The District reserves the right to remove the Registrar, Paying Agent, or Authenticating Agent upon thirty (30) days' notice and upon the appointment of a successor Registrar, Paying Agent, or Authenticating Agent, in which event the predecessor Registrar, Paying Agent, or Authenticating Agent must deliver all cash and Bonds in its possession to the successor Registrar, Paying Agent, or Authenticating Agent and the Registrar must deliver the Bond Register to the successor Registrar. On or before each principal or interest due date, without further order of the Board, the Treasurer must transmit to the Paying Agent money sufficient for the payment of all principal and interest then due.
- 2.05. Execution, Authentication, and Delivery. The Bonds shall be prepared under the direction of the Clerk and executed on behalf of the District by the signatures of the Board Chair and the Clerk, provided that those signatures may be printed, engraved, or lithographed facsimiles of the originals. If an officer whose signature or a facsimile of whose signature appears on the Bonds ceases to be such officer before the delivery of a Bond, that signature or facsimile shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if the officer had remained in office until delivery. Notwithstanding such execution, a Bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose or entitled to any security or benefit under this Resolution unless and until a certificate of authentication on the Bond has been duly executed by the manual signature of an authorized representative of the Authenticating Agent. Certificates of authentication on different Bonds need not be signed by the same representative of the Authenticating Agent. The executed certificate of authentication on a Bond is conclusive evidence that it has been authenticated and delivered under this Resolution. When the Bonds have been so prepared, executed, and authenticated the Clerk shall deliver the same to the Purchaser upon payment of the purchase price in accordance with the contract of sale heretofore made and executed, and the Purchaser is not obligated to see to the application of the purchase price.

Section 3. Form of Bond.

- 3.01. <u>Execution of the Bonds.</u> The Bonds shall be printed or typewritten in substantially the form attached hereto as EXHIBIT B.
- 3.02. <u>Approving Legal Opinion</u>. The Clerk is authorized and directed to obtain a copy of the proposed approving legal opinion of Kennedy & Graven, Chartered, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and cause the opinion to accompany each Bond.

Section 4. Payment; Security; Funds; Pledges and Covenants.

- 4.01. <u>Debt Service Fund</u>. The Bonds shall be payable from the General Obligation Facilities Maintenance, Capital Notes, and Alternative Facilities and School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A Debt Service Fund (the "Debt Service Fund") hereby created. The District will maintain the following accounts in the Debt Service Fund: The "Facilities Maintenance Project Account," the "Capital Notes Project Account" and the "Refunding Account." The Refunding Account shall contain the following subaccounts: the "Series 2014A Refunding Subaccount," and the "Series 2015A Refunding Subaccount." Amounts in the Facilities Maintenance Project Account are irrevocably pledged to the Facilities Maintenance Portion of the Bonds and amounts in the Capital Notes Project Account are irrevocably pledged to the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds. Amounts in the Refunding Account are irrevocably pledged to the 2014A Refunding Portion and 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds.
 - (a) Facilities Maintenance Project Account. Proceeds of ad valorem taxes hereinafter levied for the payment of the debt service on the Facilities Maintenance Portion of the Bonds are hereby pledged to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund. The amounts to be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Facilities Maintenance Portion of the Bonds shall be deposited in the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund at least three (3) business days prior to each respective interest payment date and principal payment date. There is appropriated to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund amounts over the minimum purchase price of the Bonds paid by the Purchaser to the extent designated for deposit in the Debt Service Fund in accordance with Section 1.03 hereof. There is also appropriated to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund: (a) amounts, if any, transferred from the general fund account for long-term facilities maintenance to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund, pursuant to Section 123B.595, subdivision 10(a)(5); (b) any longterm facilities maintenance equalized aid receivable under Section 123B.595, subdivision 9; and (c) all other moneys as shall be appropriated by the Board to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund from time to time.
 - (b) <u>Capital Notes Project Account</u>. Proceeds of ad valorem taxes hereinafter levied for the payment of the debt service on the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds are hereby pledged to the Capital Notes Project Account of the Debt Service Fund. The amounts to be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds shall be deposited in the Capital Notes Project Account of the Debt Service Fund at least three (3) business days prior to each respective interest payment date and principal payment date. There is appropriated to the Capital Notes Project Account of the Debt Service Fund amounts over the minimum purchase price of the Bonds paid by the Purchaser to the extent designated for deposit in the Capital Notes Project Account of the Debt Service Fund in accordance with Section 1.03 hereof.

(c) Refunding Account.

(i) 2014A Refunding Subaccount. Proceeds of ad valorem taxes hereinafter levied for the payment of the debt service on the 2014A Refunding Portion of the Bonds are hereby pledged to the 2014A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. The amounts to be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the 2014A Refunding Portion of the Bonds shall be deposited in the 2014A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund at least three (3) business days prior to each respective interest payment date and principal payment date. There is appropriated to the 2014A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund amounts over the minimum purchase price of the 2014A Refunding Portion of the Bonds paid by the Purchaser to the extent designated for deposit in the Debt Service Fund in accordance with Section 1.03 hereof.

- (ii) 2015A Refunding Subaccount. Proceeds of ad valorem taxes hereinafter levied for the payment of the debt service on the 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds are hereby pledged to the 2015A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund. The amounts to be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds shall be deposited in the 2015A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund at least three (3) business days prior to each respective interest payment date and principal payment date. There is appropriated to the 2015A Refunding Subaccount of the Debt Service Fund amounts over the minimum purchase price of the 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds paid by the Purchaser to the extent designated for deposit in the Debt Service Fund in accordance with Section 1.03 hereof.
- 4.02. <u>Construction Fund</u>. The District hereby creates the General Obligation Facilities Maintenance, Capital Notes, and Alternative Facilities and School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A Construction Fund (the "Construction Fund"). The District will maintain the following accounts in the Construction Fund: The "Facilities Maintenance Project Account" and the "Capital Notes Project Account."
 - Portion of the Bonds (reduced by the appropriation made in accordance with Section 6.04 to pay costs of issuance and the appropriation, if any, of any portion of the Facilities Maintenance Portion of the Bonds made in accordance with Section 4.01 hereof) shall be deposited in the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Construction Fund and used solely to pay costs of the Facilities Maintenance Project. Any balance remaining in the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Construction Fund after completion of the Facilities Maintenance Project may be used for any other public use authorized by law and approved by resolution adopted or vote taken in the manner required to authorize the application of the proceeds of the Facilities Maintenance Portion of Bonds for such new use and purpose, or credited to the Facilities Maintenance Project Account of the Debt Service Fund or other District debt service fund, all in accordance with Section 475.65 of the Act.
 - (b) <u>Capital Notes Project Account.</u> Proceeds of the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds (reduced by the appropriation made in accordance with Section 6.04 to pay costs of issuance and the appropriation, if any, of any portion of the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds made in accordance with Section 4.01 hereof) shall be deposited in the Capital Notes Project Account of the Construction Fund and used solely to pay costs of the Capital Notes Project. Any balance remaining in the Capital Notes Project Account of the Construction Fund after completion of the Capital Notes Project may be used for any other public use authorized by law and approved by resolution adopted or vote taken in the manner required to authorize the application of the proceeds of the Capital Notes Portion of the Bonds for such new use and purpose, or credited to the Capital Notes Project Account of the Debt Service Fund or other District debt service fund, all in accordance with Section 475.65 of the Act.
- 4.03. <u>Escrow Fund</u>. Proceeds of the Refunding Portion of the Bonds in the amount of \$98,407,576.82, plus a District contribution of \$97,093.75 transferred from the debt service fund of the Series 2014A Bonds (the "Transferred Funds"), and any securities purchased with such funds, shall be deposited in and are hereby irrevocably pledged and appropriated to a separate fund (the "Escrow Fund") maintained by Zions Bancorporation, National Association, acting as escrow agent (the "Escrow Agent"). Such funds, and any securities purchased with such funds, shall be received by the Escrow Agent and applied to fund the Escrow Fund. The money and securities on deposit in the Escrow Fund shall be in an amount sufficient to pay on:

- (a) December 11, 2024 (the "Series 2014A Redemption Date"), the outstanding principal amount of the Series 2014A Bonds maturing after February 1, 2024, and called for optional redemption and prepayment on the Series 2014A Redemption Date; and
- (b) February 1, 2025 (the "Series 2015A Redemption Date"), the outstanding principal amount of the Series 2015A Bonds maturing after February 1, 2025, and called for optional redemption and prepayment on the Series 2015A Redemption Date.

The money in the Escrow Fund shall be used solely for the purposes herein set forth and for no other purpose, except that any surplus in the Escrow Fund after payment in full of all principal of and interest on the Refunded Bonds may be remitted to the District, all in accordance with a Refunding Escrow Agreement, dated November 6, 2024 (the "Escrow Agreement"), between the District and the Escrow Agent. Under the terms of the Escrow Agreement, the Escrow Agent shall acknowledge receipt of the cash and securities transferred to the Escrow Agent for deposit in the Escrow Fund and shall agree to hold the cash and securities, and all earnings from the investments of the securities in the Escrow Fund, for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Refunded Bonds on the Redemption Date with respect to the Refunded Bonds. Any money remitted to the District upon termination of the Escrow Agreement shall be deposited to the Debt Service Fund.

- 4.04. <u>General Obligation Pledge</u>. For the prompt and full payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, as the same respectively become due, the full faith and credit and taxing powers of the District are hereby irrevocably pledged. If a payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds becomes due when there is not sufficient money in the Debt Service Fund to pay the same, the Treasurer must pay such principal or interest from the general fund of the District, and the general fund shall be reimbursed for those advances out of the proceeds of the Taxes (as hereinafter defined) levied herein, when collected.
- 4.05. Pledge of Taxes. For the purpose of paying the principal of and interest on the Bonds, there are levied direct, annual, irrepealable, ad valorem taxes upon all of the taxable property in the District (the "Taxes"), to be spread upon the tax rolls and collected with and as part of other general taxes of the District. The Taxes shall be credited to the applicable project accounts of the Debt Service Fund above provided and shall be levied in the years and amounts set forth in EXHIBIT C attached to this Resolution and, in the event the Taxes so levied are ever insufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, additional taxes are hereby authorized to be levied without limitation as to rate or amount. Said tax levies shall be irrevocable as long as any of the Bonds are outstanding and unpaid, provided that the District reserves the right and power to reduce the levies in the manner and to the extent permitted by the Act (specifically, Section 475.61 of the Act).
- 4.06. <u>Debt Service Coverage</u>. It is determined that the estimated collection of Taxes levied in accordance with Section 4.04 hereof shall produce at least five percent (5%) in excess of the amount needed to meet when due the principal and interest payments on the Bonds. The tax levies herein provided shall be irrepealable until all of the Bonds are paid, provided that at the time the District makes its annual tax levies the Treasurer may certify to the County Auditor/Treasurer of Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "County Auditor") that the District made an irrevocable appropriation of a specified amount to the Debt Service Fund of money actually on hand or if there is on hand any excess amount in the Debt Service Fund and the County Auditor shall reduce by the amount so certified the amount otherwise to be included in the rolls next thereafter prepared.
- 4.07. <u>Registration of Resolution</u>. The Clerk is authorized and directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution with the County Auditor and to obtain the certificate required by Section 475.63 of the Act.
- 4.08 <u>Cancellation of Prior Levy After Redemption Date</u>. Following the payment in full of all outstanding principal of and interest due on the Series 2014A Bonds on the Series 2014A Redemption Date,

the Treasurer is hereby directed to certify such fact to and request the County Auditor to cancel any and all tax levies made with respect to the Series 2014A Bonds. Following the payment in full of all outstanding principal of and interest due on the Series 2015A Bonds on the Series 2015A Redemption Date, the Treasurer is further directed to certify such fact to and request the County Auditor to cancel any and all tax levies made with respect to the Series 2015A Bonds.

Section 5. Refunding of Refunded Bonds; Findings; Redemption of Refunded Bonds.

- 5.01. Purpose of Refunding. The Series 2014A Bonds shall be called for redemption on the Series 2014A Redemption Date in the principal amount of \$6,050,000. It is hereby found and determined that based upon information presently available from the Municipal Advisor, the issuance of the 2014A Refunding Portion of the Bond which will be used, along with the Transferred Funds, to redeem and prepay the Series 2014A Bonds, is consistent with covenants made with the holders of the Series 2014A Bonds and is necessary and desirable for the reduction of debt service costs to the District. The Series 2015A Bonds shall be called for redemption on the Series 2015A Redemption Date in the principal amount of \$93,475,000. It is hereby found and determined that based upon information presently available from the Municipal Advisor, the issuance of the 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds, which will be used to redeem and prepay the Series 2015A Bonds, is consistent with covenants made with the holders of the Series 2015A Bonds and is necessary and desirable for the reduction of debt service costs to the District.
- 5.02. Application of Proceeds of Bonds. It is hereby found and determined that the proceeds of the 2014A Refunding Portion of the Bonds deposited in the Escrow Fund, along with the Transferred Funds, will be sufficient to pay and prepay all of the principal and redemption premium (if any) of and the interest on the Series 2014A Bonds on the Series 2014A Redemption Date. It is also hereby found and determined that the proceeds of the 2015A Refunding Portion of the Bonds, deposited in the Escrow Fund, along with any other funds on hand in the debt service fund established with respect to the issuance of the Series 2015A Bonds, will be sufficient to pay and prepay all of the principal and redemption premium (if any) of and the interest on the Series 2015 Bonds on the Series 2015A Redemption Date.
- 5.03 <u>Securities to Fund Escrow Fund</u>. Securities purchased from the moneys in the Escrow Fund will be limited to securities specified in the Act, specifically Section 475.67, subdivision 8. The Escrow Agent, as agent for the District, is hereby authorized and directed to purchase for and on behalf of the District and in its name, appropriate securities to fund the Escrow Fund. Upon the issuance and delivery of the Refunding Portion of the Bonds, the securities so purchased shall be deposited with the Escrow Agent and held pursuant to the terms of the Escrow Agreement and this Resolution.
- 5.04. Redemption; Dates of Redemption; Notices of Call for Redemption. The Series 2014A Bonds shall be redeemed and prepaid on the Series 2014A Redemption Date. The Series 2014A Bonds shall be redeemed and prepaid in accordance with their terms and in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the form of Notice of Call for Redemption attached hereto as EXHIBIT D-1, which terms and conditions are hereby approved and incorporated herein by reference. The registrar for the Series 2014A Bonds is authorized and directed to send a copy of the Notice of Call for Redemption to each registered holder of the Series 2014A Bonds at least thirty (30) days prior to the Series 2014A Redemption Date. The Series 2015A Bonds shall be redeemed and prepaid on the Series 2015A Redemption Date. The Series 2015A Bonds shall be redeemed and prepaid in accordance with their terms and in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the form of Notice of Call for Redemption attached hereto as EXHIBIT D-2, which terms and conditions are hereby approved and incorporated herein by reference. The registrar for the Series 2015A Bonds is authorized and directed to send a copy of the Notice of Call for Redemption to each registered holder of the Series 2015A Bonds at least thirty (30) days prior to the Series 2015A Redemption Date.

5.05 <u>Escrow Agreement</u>. On or prior to the delivery of the Bonds, the Board Chair and the Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the District the Escrow Agreement with the Escrow Agent in substantially the form now on file with the Clerk. All essential terms and conditions of the Escrow Agreement, including payment by the District of reasonable charges for the services of the Escrow Agent, are hereby approved and adopted and made a part of this Resolution, and the District covenants that it will promptly enforce all provisions thereof in the event of default thereunder by the Escrow Agent.

Section 6. <u>Authentication of Transcript.</u>

- 6.01. <u>District Proceedings and Records</u>. The officers of the District are authorized and directed to prepare and furnish to the Purchaser and to the attorneys approving the Bonds certified copies of proceedings and records of the District relating to the Bonds and to the financial condition and affairs of the District, and such other certificates, affidavits, and transcripts as may be required to show the facts within their knowledge or as shown by the books and records in their custody and under their control, relating to the validity and marketability of the Bonds, and such instruments, including any heretofore furnished, shall be deemed representations of the District as to the facts stated therein.
- 6.02. <u>Certification as to Official Statement</u>. The Board Chair, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, or any of their authorized designees, are authorized and directed to certify that they have examined the final Official Statement prepared and circulated in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds and that to the best of their knowledge and belief the final Official Statement is a complete and accurate representation of the facts and representations made therein as of the date of the final Official Statement and further that said final Official Statement did not (as of the date of the final Official Statement) and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact which should be included therein for the purpose for which the final Official Statement is to be used, or which is necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.
- 6.03. Other Certificates. The Board Chair, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, or any of their authorized designees, are hereby authorized and directed to furnish to the Purchaser at the closing such certificates as are required as a condition of sale. Unless litigation shall have been commenced and be pending questioning the Bonds or the organization of the District or incumbency of its officers, at the closing the Board Chair, the Clerk, and the Treasurer shall also execute and deliver to the Purchaser a suitable certificate as to absence of material litigation, and the Treasurer shall also execute and deliver a certificate as to payment for and delivery of the Bonds.
- 6.04. <u>Payment of Costs of Issuance</u>. The District authorizes the Purchaser to forward the amount of Bond proceeds allocable to the payment of issuance expenses to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association on the closing date for further distribution as directed by the Municipal Advisor.
- 6.05. <u>Electronic Signatures</u>. The electronic signatures of the Board Chair, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, or any of their authorized designees, to this Resolution and any document or certificate authorized to be executed hereunder shall be as valid as an original signature of such party and shall be effective to bind the District thereto. For purposes hereof, (i) "electronic signature" means a manually signed original signature that is then transmitted by electronic means; and (ii) "transmitted by electronic means" means sent in the form of a facsimile or sent via the internet as a portable document format ("pdf") or other replicating image attached to an electronic mail or internet message.

Section 7. Tax Covenants.

- 7.01. Tax-Exempt Bonds. The District shall comply with all the necessary requirements and take all necessary actions (or decline to take prohibited actions) to ensure that interest on the Bonds shall not be includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 and Sections 141 through 150 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and applicable Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder (the "Regulations"). The District covenants and agrees with the holders from time to time of the Bonds that it shall not take or permit to be taken by any of its officers, employees, or agents any action which would cause the interest on the Bonds to become subject to federal income taxation under the Code and the Regulations, in effect at the time of such actions, and that it shall take or cause its officers, employees, or agents to take all affirmative action within their powers that may be necessary to ensure that such interest shall not become includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes under the Code and applicable Regulations, as presently existing or as hereafter amended and made applicable to the Bonds.
- Continuing Requirements. The District shall comply with all requirements necessary under the Code and Regulations to establish and maintain the exclusion from gross income of the interest on the Bonds under Sections 103 and 141-150 of the Code and applicable Regulations including, without limitation, requirements relating to temporary periods for investments, limitations on amounts invested at a yield greater than the yield on the Bonds, and the rebate of excess investment earnings to the United States. The Board Chair, the Clerk, and the Treasurer, being officers of the District charged with the responsibility for issuing the Bonds pursuant to this Resolution, are authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Purchaser a certificate in accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Code and applicable Regulations stating the facts, estimates, and circumstances in existence on the date of issue and delivery of the Bonds which make it reasonable to expect that the "gross proceeds" of the Bonds will not be used in a manner that would cause the Bonds to be "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of the Code and the Regulations. The District covenants and agrees to retain such records, make such determinations, file such reports and documents, and pay such amounts at such times as are required under Section 148(f) and applicable Regulations to preserve the exclusion of interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes, unless the Bonds qualify for an exception from the rebate requirement in accordance with one of the spending exceptions set forth in Section 1.148-7 or Section 1-148-8 of the Regulations. The District shall use its best efforts to comply with any federal procedural requirements which may apply in order to effectuate the designations and covenants made by this section.
- 7.03. <u>Rebate</u>. The District will comply with requirements necessary under the Code to establish and maintain the exclusion from gross income under Section 103 of the Code of the interest on the Bonds, including without limitation requirements relating to temporary periods for investments, limitations on amounts invested at a yield greater than the yield on the Bonds, and the rebate of excess investment earnings to the United States.
- 7.04. Not Private Activity Bonds. The District further covenants not to use the proceeds of the Bonds or to cause or permit them or any of them to be used, in such a manner as to cause the Bonds to be determined to constitute "private activity bonds," within the meaning of Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code and the applicable Regulations promulgated thereunder.
- 7.05. <u>Not Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations</u>. The District shall not designate the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code

Section 8. Book-Entry System; Limited Obligation of District.

8.01. <u>DTC</u>. The Bonds shall be initially issued in the form of a separate single typewritten or printed fully registered Bond for each of the maturities set forth in Section 1.04 hereof. Upon initial issuance, the

ownership of each Bond shall be registered in the registration books kept by the Registrar in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, and its successors and assigns ("DTC"). Except as provided in this section, all of the outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the Bond Register in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

- Participants. With respect to Bonds registered in the Bond Register in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, the District, the Registrar, and the Paying Agent shall have no responsibility or obligation to any broker-dealers, banks, and other financial institutions from time to time for which DTC holds Bonds as securities depository (the "Participants") or to any other person on behalf of which a Participant holds an interest in the Bonds, including but not limited to any responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC, Cede & Co. or any Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds; (ii) the delivery to any Participant or any other person (other than a registered owner of Bonds, as shown by the registration books kept by the Registrar), of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any notice of redemption; or (iii) the payment to any Participant or any other person, other than a registered owner of Bonds, of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds. The District, the Registrar, and the Paying Agent may treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Bond Register as the holder and absolute owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal, premium and interest with respect to such Bond, for the purpose of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes. The Paying Agent shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or on the order of the respective registered owners, as shown in the registration books kept by the Registrar, and all such payments shall be valid and effectual to fully satisfy and discharge the District's obligations with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than a registered owner of Bonds, as shown in the Bond Register, shall receive a certificated Bond evidencing the obligation of this Resolution. Upon delivery by DTC to the Clerk of a written notice to the effect that DTC has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of Cede & Co., the words "Cede & Co." shall refer to such new nominee of DTC; and upon receipt of such a notice, the Clerk shall promptly deliver a copy of the same to the Registrar and Paying Agent.
- 8.03. Representation Letter. The District has heretofore executed and delivered to DTC a Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations (the "Representation Letter") which shall govern payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds and notices with respect to the Bonds. Any Paying Agent or Registrar subsequently appointed by the District with respect to the Bonds shall agree to take all action necessary for all representations of the District in the Representation Letter with respect to the Registrar and Paying Agent, respectively, to be complied with at all times.
- 8.04. Transfers Outside Book-Entry System. In the event the District, by resolution of the Board, determines that it is in the best interests of the persons having beneficial interests in the Bonds that they be able to obtain Bond certificates, the District shall notify DTC, whereupon DTC shall notify the Participants, of the availability through DTC of Bond certificates. In such event the District shall issue, transfer, and exchange Bond certificates as requested by DTC and any other registered owners in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution. DTC may determine to discontinue providing its services with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving notice to the District and discharging its responsibilities with respect thereto under applicable law. In such event, if no successor securities depository is appointed, the District shall issue and the Registrar shall authenticate Bond certificates in accordance with this resolution and the provisions hereof shall apply to the transfer, exchange, and method of payment thereof.
- 8.05. Payments to Cede & Co. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as a Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC, payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bond and all notices with respect to the Bond shall be made and given, respectively in the manner provided in DTC's Operational Arrangements, as set forth in the Representation Letter.

Section 9. Continuing Disclosure.

- 9.01. <u>Execution of Continuing Disclosure Certificate</u>. For purposes of this Section, "Continuing Disclosure Certificate" means that certain Continuing Disclosure Certificate executed by the Board Chair and Clerk and dated the date of issuance and delivery of the Bonds, as originally executed and as it may be amended from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof.
- 9.02. <u>District Compliance with Provisions of Continuing Disclosure Certificate</u>. The District hereby covenants and agrees to comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate. Notwithstanding any other provision of this resolution, failure of the District to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Certificate is not to be considered an event of default with respect to the Bonds; however, any Bondholder may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the District to comply with its obligations under this section.
- Section 10. <u>Defeasance</u>. When all of the Bonds and all interest thereon have been discharged as provided in this section, all pledges, covenants, and other rights granted by this resolution to the holders of the Bonds shall cease, except that the pledge of the full faith and credit of the District for the prompt and full payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall remain in full force and effect. The District may discharge all Bonds which are due on any date by depositing with the Registrar on or before that date a sum sufficient for the payment thereof in full. If any Bond should not be paid when due, it may nevertheless be discharged by depositing with the Registrar a sum sufficient for the payment thereof in full with interest accrued to the date of such deposit.

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EXHIBIT A

PURCHASE AGREEMENT

PROPOSAL FORM

The School Board October 9, 2024 Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Minnesota (the "District") \$97,965,000* General Obligation Facilities Maintenance, Capital Notes, and Alternative Facilities and School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A (the "Bonds") DATED: November 6, 2024 For all or none of the above Bonds, in accordance with the Terms of Proposal and terms of the Global Book-Entry System (unless otherwise specified by the Purchaser) as stated in this Official Statement, we will pay you \$ 105,170,280.78 (not less than \$97,965,000) plus accrued. interest to date of delivery for fully registered Bonds bearing interest rates and maturing in the stated years as follows: 5.00 5.00 5.00 % due % due 5.00 5.00 3.00 % due 2027 % due 2031 % due 2035 5.00 5.00 3.00 2028 % due 2032 % due % due 2036 5.00 5.00 3.25 % due 2029 % due 2033 % due 2037 The District reserves the right to increase or decrease the principal amount of the Bonds on the day of sale, in increments of \$5,000 each. Increases or decreases may be made in any maturity. If any principal amounts are adjusted, the purchase price proposed will be adjusted to maintain the same gross spread per \$1,000. The rate for any maturity may not be more than 2.00% less than the rate for any preceding maturity. (For example, if a rate of 4.50% is proposed for the 2026 maturity, then the lowest rate that may be proposed for any later maturity is 2.50%.) All Bonds of the same maturity must bear interest from date of issue until paid at a single, uniform rate. Each rate must be expressed in an integral multiple of 5/100 A good faith deposit ("Deposit") in the amount of \$1,959,300 shall be made by the winning bidder by wire transfer of funds. Such Deposit shall be received by Ehlers no later than two hours after the proposal opening time. Wire transfer instructions will be provided to the winning bidder by Ehlers after the tabulation of proposals. The District reserves the right to award the Bonds to a winning bidder whose wire transfer is initiated but not received by such time provided that such winning bidder's federal wire reference number has been received by such time. In the event the Deposit is not received as provided above, the District may award the Bonds to the bidder submitting the next best proposal provided such bidder agrees to such award. The Deposit will be retained by the District as liquidated damages if the proposal is accepted and the Purchaser fails to comply therewith. We agree to the conditions and duties of Ehlers and Associates, Inc., as escrow holder of the Deposit, pursuant to the Terms of Proposal. This proposal is for prompt acceptance and is conditional upon delivery of said Bonds to The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, in accordance with the Terms of Proposal. Delivery is anticipated to be on or about This proposal is subject to the District's agreement to enter into a written undertaking to provide continuing disclosure under Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as described in the Preliminary Official Statement for the Bonds We have received and reviewed the Official Statement, and any addenda thereto, and have submitted our requests for additional information or corrections to the Final Official Statement. As Underwriter (Syndicate Manager), we agree to provide the District with the reoffering price of the Bonds within 24 hours of the proposal acceptance. This proposal is a firm offer for the purchase of the Bonds identified in the Terms of Proposal, on the terms set forth in this proposal form and the Terms of Proposal, and is not subject to any conditions, except as permitted by the Terms of Proposal. By submitting this proposal, we confirm that we are an underwriter and have an established industry reputation for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds. YES: X NO: ____. If the competitive sale requirements are not met, we elect to use either the: _____10% test, or the _____hold-the-offering-price rule to determine the issue price of the Bonds. Br. Darci L. Doneff Piper Sandler & Co Account Members: Alone Award will be on a true interest cost basis. According to our computations (the correct computation being controlling in the award), the total dollar interest cost (including any discount or less any premium) computed from November 6, 2024 of the above proposal is \$ 22,964,564.36 and the true interest cost (TIC) is 3.074670 %. The foregoing offer is hereby accepted by and on behalf of the School Board of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Minnesota, on October 9, 2024. By: ALMIR By: Mottibules Title: Board Director - Treasurer Title:Director, Finance & Operations

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Adjusted Price: \$106,884,921.44

Subsequent to bid opening the issue size was increased to \$99,545,000.

Adjusted Net Interest Cost: \$23,187,557.72

Adjusted TIC: 3 0722%

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF BOND

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF HENNEPIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 273 (EDINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS)

GENERAL OBLIGATION FACILITIES MAINTENANCE, CAPITAL NOTES, AND ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES AND SCHOOL BUILDING REFUNDING BONDS SERIES 2024A

No. R			\$
Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Date of Original Issue	CUSIP
0.000%	February 1, 20	November, 2024	
REGISTERED OWNER:	CEDE & CO.		
PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:			

Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), a duly organized and existing school district in Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "District"), acknowledges itself to be indebted and for value received hereby promises to pay to the Registered Owner specified above or registered assigns, the Principal Amount specified above, on the Maturity Date specified above, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the annual rate specified above (calculated on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months), payable February 1 and August 1 in each year, commencing August 1, 2025, to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on the fifteenth day (whether or not a business day) of the immediately preceding month. The interest hereon and, upon presentation and surrender hereof, the principal hereof are payable in lawful money of the United States of America by check or draft by Bond Trust Services Corporation, Roseville, Minnesota, as Registrar, Paying Agent, and Authenticating Agent, or its designated successor under the Resolution described herein. For the prompt and full payment of such principal and interest as the same respectively become due, the full faith and credit and taxing powers of the District have been and are hereby irrevocably pledged.

The District may elect on February 1, 2032, and on any date thereafter to prepay Bonds due on or after February 1, 2033. Redemption may be in whole or in part and if in part, at the option of the District and in such order as the District shall determine. If less than all Bonds of a maturity are called for redemption, the District shall notify The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") of the particular amount of such maturity to be prepaid. DTC shall determine by lot the amount of each participant's interest in such maturity to be redeemed and each participant shall then select by lot the beneficial ownership interests in such maturity to be redeemed. Prepayments shall be at a price of par plus accrued interest to the optional redemption date.

This Bond is one of an issue in the aggregate principal amount of \$99,545,000 all of like original issue date and tenor, except as to number, maturity date, redemption privilege, and interest rate, all issued pursuant to a resolution adopted by the School Board of the District (the "Board") on October 22, 2024 (the "Resolution"), for the purpose of providing funds to: (i) aid in financing certain facility maintenance projects of the District; (ii) aid in financing the acquisition of school buses; and (iii) redeem and prepay certain outstanding general obligation bonds of the District, pursuant to and in full conformity with the Constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota, including Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, as amended, including Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.67, as amended, Minnesota Statutes, Section 123B.595, as amended, and Minnesota Statutes, Section 123B.61, as amended. The principal hereof and interest hereon are payable from ad valorem taxes, as set forth in the Resolution to which reference is made for a full statement of rights and powers thereby conferred. The full faith and credit of the District are irrevocably pledged for payment of this Bond and the Board has obligated itself to levy additional ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the District in the event of any deficiency of ad valorem taxes pledged, which additional taxes may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount. The Bonds of this series are issued only as fully registered Bonds in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof of single maturities.

The Board has not designated the issue of Bonds of which this Bond forms a part as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), relating to the disallowance of interest expense for financial institutions and within the \$10 million limit allowed by the Code for the calendar year of issue.

The District has covenanted and obligated itself to be bound by the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 126C.55, as amended, and to guarantee the payments of the principal of and interest on this Bond when due, pursuant to said statute.

As provided in the Resolution and subject to certain limitations set forth therein, this Bond is transferable upon the books of the District at the principal office of the Registrar, by the registered owner hereof in person or by the owner's attorney duly authorized in writing, upon surrender hereof together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Registrar, duly executed by the registered owner or the owner's attorney; and may also be surrendered in exchange for Bonds of other authorized denominations. Upon such transfer or exchange the District shall cause a new Bond or Bonds to be issued in the name of the transferee or registered owner, of the same aggregate principal amount, bearing interest at the same rate and maturing on the same date, subject to reimbursement for any tax, fee, or governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such transfer or exchange.

The District and the Registrar may deem and treat the person in whose name this Bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof, whether this Bond is overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment and for all other purposes, and neither the District nor the Registrar shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED, COVENANTED, AND AGREED that all acts, conditions, and things required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota to be done, to exist, to happen, and to be performed preliminary to and in the issuance of this Bond in order to make this Bond a valid and binding general obligation of the District in accordance with its terms, have been done, do exist, have happened, and have been performed as so required, and that the issuance of this Bond does not cause the indebtedness of the District to exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation of indebtedness.

This Bond is not valid or obligatory for any purpose or entitled to any security or benefit under the Resolution until the Certificate of Authentication hereon has been executed by the Registrar by manual signature of one of its authorized representatives.

	sed this Bond to be executed on its behalf by the facsimile or and has caused this Bond to be dated as of the date set forth
Dated: November, 2024	
	INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 273 (EDINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS), HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA
(Facsimile) Board Chair	(<u>Facsimile</u>) Clerk
CERTIFICATE	OF AUTHENTICATION
This is one of the Bonds delivered pursua	BOND TRUST SERVICES CORPORATION
	By Its Authorized Representative

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin

ASSIGNMENT

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PROVISIONS AS TO REGISTRATION

The ownership of the principal of and interest on the within Bond has been registered on the books of the Registrar in the name of the person last noted below.

Date of Registration	Registered Owner	Signature of Officer of Registrar
	Cede & Co.	
November, 2024	Federal ID #13-2555119	

EXHIBIT C

TAX LEVY SCHEDULES

I.S.D. No. 273 (Edina), MN

\$5,930,000 G.O. FM, Cap Notes & Sch Bld Ref Bonds, Series 2024 Facilities Maintenance Portion
Purpose 1 of 4

Tax Levy Calculation

Tax Levy	Tax Collect	Bond Pay								
Year	Year	Year	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	CIF	Net New D/S	105% of Total	Net Levy
2023	2024	2025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2024	2025	2026	-	-	366,506.94	366,506.94	(43,321.94)	323,185.00	339,344.25	339,344.25
2025	2026	2027	-	-	296,500.00	296,500.00	-	296,500.00	311,325.00	311,325.00
2026	2027	2028	465,000.00	5.000%	296,500.00	761,500.00	-	761,500.00	799,575.00	799,575.00
2027	2028	2029	1,325,000.00	5.000%	273,250.00	1,598,250.00	-	1,598,250.00	1,678,162.50	1,678,162.50
2028	2029	2030	1,125,000.00	5.000%	207,000.00	1,332,000.00	-	1,332,000.00	1,398,600.00	1,398,600.00
2029	2030	2031	1,020,000.00	5.000%	150,750.00	1,170,750.00	-	1,170,750.00	1,229,287.50	1,229,287.50
2030	2031	2032	1,010,000.00	5.000%	99,750.00	1,109,750.00	-	1,109,750.00	1,165,237.50	1,165,237.50
2031	2032	2033	985,000.00	5.000%	49,250.00	1,034,250.00	-	1,034,250.00	1,085,962.50	1,085,962.50
2032	2033	2034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2033	2034	2035	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2034	2035	2036	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2035	2036	2037	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	\$5,930,000.00	-	\$1,739,506.94	\$7,669,506.94	(43,321.94)	\$7,626,185.00	\$8,007,494.25	\$8,007,494.25

I.S.D. No. 273 (Edina), MN

\$1,365,000 G.O. FM, Cap Notes & Sch Bld Ref Bonds, Series 2024 Capital Notes Portion
Purpose 2 of 4

Tax Levy Calculation

Tax Levy Year	Tax Collect Year	Bond Pay Year	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Net New D/S	105% of Total	Net Levy
2023	2024	2025	-	_		-	-	_	
2024	2025	2026	180,000.00	5.000%	84,364.58	264,364.58	264,364.58	277,582.81	277,582.81
2025	2026	2027	215,000.00	5.000%	59,250.00	274,250.00	274,250.00	287,962.50	287,962.50
2026	2027	2028	70,000.00	5.000%	48,500.00	118,500.00	118,500.00	124,425.00	124,425.00
2027	2028	2029	75,000.00	5.000%	45,000.00	120,000.00	120,000.00	126,000.00	126,000.00
2028	2029	2030	145,000.00	5.000%	41,250.00	186,250.00	186,250.00	195,562.50	195,562.50
2029	2030	2031	155,000.00	5.000%	34,000.00	189,000.00	189,000.00	198,450.00	198,450.00
2030	2031	2032	300,000.00	5.000%	26,250.00	326,250.00	326,250.00	342,562.50	342,562.50
2031	2032	2033	225,000.00	5.000%	11,250.00	236,250.00	236,250.00	248,062.50	248,062.50
2032	2033	2034	-	_	_	_	-	_	_
2033	2034	2035	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2034	2035	2036	-	_	-	-	-	-	-
2035	2036	2037	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	\$1,365,000.00		\$349,864.58	\$1,714,864.58	\$1,714,864.58	\$1,800,607.81	\$1,800,607.81

I.S.D. No. 273 (Edina), MN

\$86,790,000 G.O. FM, Cap Notes & Sch Bld Ref Bonds, Series 2024 Current Refund 2015A School Building Bonds Purpose 3 of 4

Tax Levy Calculation

Tax Levy	Tax Collect	Bond Pav								
Year	Year	Year	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Existing D/S	Net New D/S	105% of Total	Net Levy
2023	2024	2025	-	-	-	-	4,429,950.00	4,429,950.00	4,651,447.50	4,651,447.50
2024	2025	2026	1,770,000.00	5.000%	4,750,560.42	6,520,560.42	-	6,520,560.42	6,846,588.44	6,846,588.44
2025	2026	2027	6,665,000.00	5.000%	3,754,650.00	10,419,650.00	-	10,419,650.00	10,940,632.50	10,940,632.50
2026	2027	2028	7,015,000.00	5.000%	3,421,400.00	10,436,400.00	-	10,436,400.00	10,958,220.00	10,958,220.00
2027	2028	2029	7,365,000.00	5.000%	3,070,650.00	10,435,650.00	-	10,435,650.00	10,957,432.50	10,957,432.50
2028	2029	2030	7,735,000.00	5.000%	2,702,400.00	10,437,400.00	_	10,437,400.00	10,959,270.00	10,959,270.00
2029	2030	2031	7,035,000.00	5.000%	2,315,650.00	9,350,650.00	-	9,350,650.00	9,818,182.50	9,818,182.50
2030	2031	2032	7,390,000.00	5.000%	1,963,900.00	9,353,900.00	-	9,353,900.00	9,821,595.00	9,821,595.00
2031	2032	2033	7,755,000.00	5.000%	1,594,400.00	9,349,400.00	-	9,349,400.00	9,816,870.00	9,816,870.00
2032	2033	2034	8,145,000.00	5.000%	1,206,650.00	9,351,650.00		9,351,650.00	9,819,232.50	9,819,232.50
2033	2034	2035	8,550,000.00	3.000%	799,400.00	9,349,400.00	-	9,349,400.00	9,816,870.00	9,816,870.00
2034	2035	2036	8,585,000.00	3.000%	542,900.00	9,127,900.00	-	9,127,900.00	9,584,295.00	9,584,295.00
2035	2036	2037	8,780,000.00	3.250%	285,350.00	9,065,350.00	-	9,065,350.00	9,518,617.50	9,518,617.50
Total	-	-	\$86,790,000.00	-	\$26,407,910.42	\$113,197,910.42	\$4,429,950.00	\$117,627,860.42	\$123,509,253.44	\$123,509,253.44

I.S.D. No. 273 (Edina), MN

\$5,460,000 G.O. FM, Cap Notes & Sch Bld Ref Bonds, Series 2024 Current Refund 2014A Alternative Facilities Bonds Purpose 4 of 4

Tax Levy Calculation

Tax Levy	Tax Collect	Bond Pay							
Year	Year	Year	Principal	Coupon	Interest	Total P+I	Net New D/S	105% of Total	Net Levy
2023	2024	2025	-	_	_	-	-	-	-
2024	2025	2026	-	-	307,297.22	307,297.22	307,297.22	322,662.08	322,662.08
2025	2026	2027	-	-	248,600.00	248,600.00	248,600.00	261,030.00	261,030.00
2026	2027	2028	-	-	248,600.00	248,600.00	248,600.00	261,030.00	261,030.00
2027	2028	2029	-	-	248,600.00	248,600.00	248,600.00	261,030.00	261,030.00
2028	2029	2030	-	-	248,600.00	248,600.00	248,600.00	261,030.00	261,030.00
2029	2030	2031	970,000.00	5.000%	248,600.00	1,218,600.00	1,218,600.00	1,279,530.00	1,279,530.00
2030	2031	2032	1,025,000.00	5.000%	200,100.00	1,225,100.00	1,225,100.00	1,286,355.00	1,286,355.00
2031	2032	2033	1,090,000.00	5.000%	148,850.00	1,238,850.00	1,238,850.00	1,300,792.50	1,300,792.50
2032	2033	2034	1,155,000.00	5.000%	94,350.00	1,249,350.00	1,249,350.00	1,311,817.50	1,311,817.50
2033	2034	2035	1,220,000.00	3.000%	36,600.00	1,256,600.00	1,256,600.00	1,319,430.00	1,319,430.00
2034	2035	2036	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2035	2036	2037	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-		\$5,460,000.00		\$2,030,197.22	\$7,490,197.22	\$7,490,197.22	\$7,864,707.08	\$7,864,707.08

EXHIBIT D-1

NOTICE OF CALL FOR REDEMPTION

\$6,050,000
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 273
(EDINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS)
HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA
GENERAL OBLIGATION ALTERNATIVE FACILITIES BONDS
SERIES 2014A

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, by order of the School Board of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "District"), there have been called for redemption and prepayment on

December 11, 2024

all outstanding bonds of the District designated as General Obligation Alternative Facilities Bonds, Series 2014A, dated December 30, 2014, having stated maturity dates of February 1 in the years 2031 through 2035, both inclusive, totaling \$6,050,000 in principal amount, and with the following CUSIP numbers:

Year of Maturity	Amount	CUSIP Number		
2031	\$1,120,000	280659 SZ7		
2032	\$1,160,000	280659 TA1		
2034 (Term)	\$2,465,000	280659 TB9		
3035	\$1,305,000	280659 TC7		

The bonds are being called at a price of par plus accrued interest to December 11, 2024, on which date all interest on said bonds will cease to accrue. Holders of the bonds hereby called for redemption are requested to present their bonds for payment at the main office of Bond Trust Services Corporation, 3060 Centre Pointe Drive, Roseville, Minnesota 55113, on or before December 11, 2024.

Important Notice: In compliance with the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003, federal backup withholding tax will be withheld at the applicable backup withholding rate in effect at the time the payment by the redeeming institutions if they are not provided with your social security number or federal employer identification number, properly certified. This requirement is fulfilled by submitting a W-9 Form, which may be obtained at a bank or other financial institution.

Dated: November 6, 2024

BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

By <u>/s/</u>
Clerk of the School Board
Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota

EXHIBIT D-2

NOTICE OF CALL FOR REDEMPTION

\$113,385,000
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 273
(EDINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS)
HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA
GENERAL OBLIGATION SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS
SERIES 2015A

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, by order of the School Board of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "District"), there have been called for redemption and prepayment on

February 1, 2025

all outstanding bonds of the District designated as General Obligation School Building Bonds, Series 2015A, dated July 22, 2015, having stated maturity dates of February 1 in the years 2026 through 2037, both inclusive, totaling \$93,475,000 in principal amount, and with the following CUSIP numbers:

Year of Maturity	Amount	CUSIP Number	Year of Maturity	Amount	CUSIP Number
2026	\$2,560,000	280659 TP8	2032	\$7,980,000	280659 TV5
2027	\$7,015,000	280659 TQ6	2033	\$8,295,000	280659 TW3
2028	\$7,560,000	280659 TR4	2034	\$8,625,000	280659 TX1
2029	\$7,940,000	280659 TS2	2035	\$8,970,000	280659 TY9
2030	\$8,340,000	280659 TT0	2036	\$9,110,000	280659 TZ6
2031	\$7,670,000	280659 TU7	2037	\$9,410,000	280659 UA9

The bonds are being called at a price of par plus accrued interest to February 1, 2025, on which date all interest on said bonds will cease to accrue. Holders of the bonds hereby called for redemption are requested to present their bonds for payment at the main office of Bond Trust Services Corporation, 3060 Centre Pointe Drive, Roseville, Minnesota 55113, on or before February 1, 2025.

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Dated: November 6, 2024

BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

By <u>/s/</u>
Clerk of the School Board

Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota

STATE OF MINNESOTA)

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN) ss.)

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL)

DISTRICT NO. 273)

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified Clerk of Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota (the "District"), do hereby certify that I have carefully compared the attached and foregoing extract of minutes of a special meeting of the School Board of the District held on October 22, 2024, with the original minutes on file in my office, and the extract is a full, true, and correct copy of the minutes insofar as they relate to the issuance and sale of the District's General Obligation Facilities Maintenance, Capital Notes, and Alternative Facilities and School Building Refunding Bonds, Series 2024A, in the original aggregate principal amount of \$99,545,000.

WITNESS My hand officially as such Clerk this 22nd day of October, 2024.

Clerk of the School Board Independent School District No. 273 (Edina Public Schools), Hennepin County, Minnesota