

**TRUST INDENTURE**

**between**

**CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**

**as Issuer**

**and**

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**as Trustee**

**for**

**\$9,000,000**

**City of Jonesboro, Arkansas**

**Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds**

**(Colson Caster Project)**

**Series 2022C**

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## TRUST INDENTURE

THIS TRUST INDENTURE (this “**Indenture**”) executed as of the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, by and between the **CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**, a city of the first class and a political subdivision of the State of Arkansas (the “**Issuer**”), duly existing under the laws of the State of Arkansas, as party of the first part, and \_\_\_\_\_, an \_\_\_\_\_ with a corporate trust office in \_\_\_\_\_, Arkansas (the “**Trustee**”), as party of the second part;

### RECITALS:

A. The Issuer is authorized by the provisions of Amendment 65 to the Arkansas Constitution and Title 14, Chapter 164, Subchapter 2 of the Arkansas Code Annotated specifically Ark. Code Ann. §§ 14-164-201 *et seq.* and Ark. Code Ann. §§ 14-164-701 *et seq.*, each as amended from time to time (collectively, the “**Act**”) to issue the bonds herein authorized for the purpose of financing the costs of acquiring, constructing and equipping lands, buildings or facilities for industrial enterprises as defined in the Act; and

B. Pursuant to and in accordance with the Act, the Issuer proposes to issue its industrial development revenue bonds and to loan the proceeds thereof to Colson Caster, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the “**Company**” or the “**Borrower**”), for the purposes of financing or refinancing the costs of acquiring, constructing, and equipping certain industrial facilities located within the corporate boundaries of the City of Jonesboro, Arkansas, such loan to be upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Lease Agreement dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, by and between the Issuer and the Company (the “**Lease Agreement**”); and

C. A portion of the permanent financing of the Project costs, necessary costs and expenditures incidental thereto and the cost of the issuance of bonds, is being furnished by the Issuer issuing its Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022C under the provisions of the Act in a principal amount not to exceed Nine Million and No/100 Dollars (\$9,000,000.00) (the “**Bonds**”); and

D. The Bonds are to be sold and issued in the principal amount, dated, bearing interest, maturing and subject to redemption as hereinafter in this Indenture set forth in detail; and

E. The execution and delivery of this Indenture and the issuance of the Bonds have been in all respects duly and validly authorized by Ordinance \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council of the Issuer, adopted and approved on the \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_, 2022; and

F. All things necessary to make the Bonds, when authenticated by the Trustee and issued as in this Indenture provided, the valid, binding and legal obligations of the Issuer according to the import thereof, and to constitute this Indenture a valid pledge of revenues to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, in accordance with the creation, execution and delivery of this Indenture and the creation, execution and issuance of the Bonds, subject to the terms hereof, have in all respects been duly authorized; and

G. Simultaneously with the issuance of the Bonds, the Issuer is issuing its Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (ADFA/AEDC Guaranty Programs) (Colson Caster

Project), Series 2022A in the aggregate principal amount of \$11,000,000 and its Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022B in the aggregate principal amount of \$4,000,000 (collectively, the “**Senior Bonds**”).

NOW, THEREFORE, KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, THIS INDENTURE

**WITNESSETH:**

That the Issuer in consideration of the premises and the acceptance by the Trustee of the Trusts hereby created and of the purchase and acceptance of the Bonds by the owners thereof, and the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), lawful money of the United States of America, to it duly paid by the Trustee, at or before the execution and delivery of these presents, and for other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds according to their tenor and effect and the performance and observance by the Issuer of all the covenants expressed or implied herein and in the Bonds, subject to all of the provisions hereof, does hereby grant, bargain, sell, convey, mortgage, assign and pledge unto the Trustee, and unto its successor or successors in trust, and to them and their assigns forever, for the securing of the performance of the obligations of the Issuer hereinafter set forth:

I.

Subject to the superior rights of the holders of the Senior Bonds, all rights of the Issuer under the terms of the Lease Agreement between the Issuer and the Borrower (except the rights of the Issuer to indemnification and the payment of certain fees) and all Revenues (as herein defined) and the proceeds thereof;

II.

All the rights and interest of the Issuer in and to the Bond Fund and the Loan Fund (as hereinafter defined) and all moneys and investments therein, but subject to the provisions of this Indenture pertaining thereto, including the making of disbursements therefrom.

III.

Any other property hereinafter pledged to or coming into the possession of the Trustee.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD all the same with all privileges and appurtenances hereby conveyed and assigned, or agreed or intended so to be, to the Trustee and its successors in said trusts and to them and their assigns forever;

IN TRUST NEVERTHELESS, upon the terms and conditions herein set forth for the equal and proportionate benefit, security and protection of all owners of the Bonds issued under and secured by this Indenture with the privileges, priority or distinction as to lien of the Bonds as provided in the Bond form for the Bonds; provided, however, that if the Issuer, its successors or assigns, shall well and truly pay, or cause to be paid, the principal of the Bonds and the interest due thereon, at the times and in the manner provided in the Bonds, according to the true intent and

meaning thereof, and shall make the payments into the Bond Fund as required under Article V or shall provide, as permitted hereby, for the payment thereof by depositing or causing to be deposited with the Trustee the entire amount due or to become due thereon, and shall well and truly keep, perform and observe all the covenants and conditions pursuant to the terms of this Indenture to be kept, performed and observed by it, and shall pay to the Trustee all sums of money due or to become due to it in accordance with the terms and provisions hereof, then upon such final payments this Indenture and the rights hereby granted shall cease, determine and be void; otherwise, this Indenture to be and remain in full force and effect.

THIS INDENTURE FURTHER WITNESSETH, and it is expressly declared, that all Bonds issued and secured hereunder are to be issued, authenticated and delivered and all property hereby assigned and pledged and the income, revenues and receipts and other sums of money payable or receivable under the Lease Agreement, hereby assigned and pledged are to be dealt with and disposed of under, upon and subject to the terms, conditions, stipulations, covenants, agreement, trusts, uses and purposes as hereinafter expressed, and the Issuer does hereby agree and covenant, with the Trustee and the respective holders from time to time of the Bonds, as follows:

## **ARTICLE I. DEFINITIONS**

**Section 1.01. Definitions.** In addition to the words and terms elsewhere defined in this Indenture, the following words and terms as used in this Indenture shall have the following meanings:

**“Act”** – Collectively, the provisions of Amendment 65 to the Arkansas Constitution and the Municipalities and Counties Industrial Development Revenue Bond Law, Title 14, Chapter 164, Subchapter 2 of the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated, specifically Ark. Code Ann. §§ 14-164-201 *et seq.* and Ark. Code Ann. §§ 14-164-701 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

**“Advance”** – The advancement from time to time of the proceeds of the Bonds to the Borrower pursuant to requisitions submitted in accordance with Section 6.03 hereof.

**“Agreement”** or **“Lease Agreement”** – The Lease Agreement dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, between the Issuer and the Company providing for a loan to the Company for payment of a portion of the Project costs.

**“Bond Fund”** – The fund of the Issuer created by Section 5.01 of this Indenture into which the funds specified in Article V are to be deposited and out of which disbursements are to be made as expressly authorized and directed by this Indenture.

**“Bonds”** or **“bonds”** – City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022C issued under and secured by the Indenture, in the principal amount of not to exceed \$9,000,000.

**“Borrower”** or **“Company”** – Colson Caster, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company.

**“Borrower Representative”** – The person or persons at the time designated to act on behalf of the Borrower as evidenced by written certificate furnished to the Trustee containing the specimen signature of such person signed on behalf of the Borrower by its appropriate officer or officers.

**“City Clerk”** – The person holding the office and performing the duties of City Clerk of the Issuer.

**“Closing Date”** – The date on which the Bonds are issued and delivered to Purchaser.

**“Code”** – The Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, of the United States of America.

**“Completion Date”** – The date of completion of the acquisition, construction and equipping of the Project as that date shall be determined by the Borrower and certified in writing to the Trustee.

**“Costs of Issuance Fund”** – The Costs of Issuance Fund created pursuant to Section 5.01 of this Indenture.

**“Delivery Instructions”** – The written request and authorization given by the Issuer on the Closing Date directing the use and deposit of the proceeds of the Bonds or other funds deposited with the Trustee by the Borrower.

**“Government Securities”** – Direct or fully guaranteed obligations of the United States of America (including any such securities issued or held in book-entry form on the books of the Department of the Treasury of the United States of America).

**“Home Office Payment Agreement”** – The Home Office Payment Agreement among the Issuer, the Borrower, the Trustee, the Purchaser and any Bondholder evidencing the intent of the parties with respect to payment obligations under this Indenture, the Bond Purchase Agreement, and the Lease Agreement.

**“Indenture”** – This Trust Indenture with all indentures supplemental hereto.

**“Issuance Costs”** – All costs and expenses of issuance of the Bonds, including, but not limited to: (i) counsel fees, including bond counsel and Issuer’s counsel, as well as any other specialized counsel fees; (ii) trustee fees and trustee counsel fees; (iii) paying agent and certifying and authenticating agent fees related to issuance of the Bonds; (vi) accountant fees; (vii) printing costs of the Bonds; (viii) publication costs associated with the financing proceedings; and (ix) recording fees.

**“Issuer”** – City of Jonesboro, Arkansas, a city of the first class and a political subdivision of the State of Arkansas.

**“Loan”** – The loan from the Issuer to the Company evidenced and governed by the Lease Agreement.

**“Loan Fund”** – The fund created by Section 5.06 into which the portion of the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds specified in Section 6.02 is to be deposited and out of which disbursements are to be made in the manner and for the purposes specified in Article VI of the Indenture.

**“Mayor”** – The Mayor of the Issuer.

**“Outstanding hereunder”** – **“Bonds outstanding hereunder”** - All Bonds which have been authenticated and delivered under the Indenture, except:

(a) Bonds canceled because of payment or redemption prior to maturity;

(b) Bonds, for the payment or redemption of which, cash or investment securities in the amount required by Section 8.01 of the Indenture shall have been theretofore deposited with the Trustee (whether upon or prior to the maturity or redemption date of any such Bonds) provided that if such Bonds are to be redeemed prior to the maturity thereof, notice of such redemption shall have been given or satisfactory provision shall have been made therefor, or a waiver of such notice satisfactory in form to the Trustee shall have been filed with the Trustee; and

(c) Bonds in lieu of which others have been authenticated under Section 2.08.

**“Owner”** or **“Bondowner”** or **“owner of the bonds”** or **“Bondholder”** – The registered owner of any bond.

**“Paying Agent”** – The bank or trust company named by the Issuer as the place at which the principal of and interest on the Bonds is payable. The original Paying Agent is the Trustee. References to Paying Agent include any alternate Paying Agent.

**“Person”** – Includes natural persons, firms, associations, corporations, other legal entities and public bodies.

**“Pledged Property”** – The properties, interests and rights set forth in the granting clauses of this Indenture.

**“Project”** – The improvements, infrastructure, equipment and facilities being financed out of the proceeds of the Bonds, together with other expenses in connection therewith, including architectural and engineering fees, and the costs of the issuance of the Bonds.

**“Purchaser”** or **“Bondholder”** – [Affiliate of Borrower], a [state][entity]. The Purchaser is the original purchaser of the Bonds.

**“Record Date”** – The fifteenth calendar day of the month preceding the month in which the interest payment date occurs.

**“Revenues”** – The income, including penalties and interest, derived by the Issuer under the Lease Agreement.

“**Senior Bonds**” – Collectively, the Issuer’s Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (ADFA/AEDC Guaranty Programs) (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022A in the principal amount of \$11,000,000 and its Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022B in the principal amount of \$4,000,000 issued pursuant to a Trust Indenture of even date herewith between the Issuer and the Trustee.

“**State**” – The State of Arkansas.

“**Temporary Bonds**” – Bonds issued pursuant to Section 2.13 of the Indenture if definitive bonds are not available upon the initial delivery of the Bonds to the Purchaser.

“**Trust Estate**” – Property herein conveyed, also called the Pledged Property.

“**Trustee**” – The Trustee for the time being, whether original or successor, with the original Trustee being \_\_\_\_\_, an \_\_\_\_\_ authorized to exercise corporate trust powers in the State of Arkansas, and being duly qualified to accept and administer the trusts hereby created,. The Trustee is also a Paying Agent and Registrar.

“**Written Request**” – With reference to Issuer, a request in writing signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, and, with reference to the Borrower, a request in writing signed by a Borrower Representative.

**Section 1.02. Use of Words.** Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders. Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, the word “bond,” “owner,” “holder,” and “person” shall include the plural, as well as the singular, number.

## **ARTICLE II. THE BONDS**

**Section 2.01. Authorization.** In accordance with and subject to the terms, conditions and limitations established in this Indenture, an issue of economic development revenue bonds is hereby authorized in the aggregate principal amount of \$9,000,000. No Bonds may be issued under the provisions of this Indenture except in accordance with this Article.

**Section 2.02. Details of Bonds.** The Bonds shall be designated “City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project), Series 2022C,” in the principal amount of not to exceed \$9,000,000. The Bonds will be dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, and interest thereon shall be payable as set forth in the forms of Bond attached hereto as Exhibit A and Exhibit B. The Bonds shall be registered bonds, without coupons, in denominations of \$100,000 each or any integral multiple of \$5,000 in excess of \$100,000 and the principal amount shall be payable, unless sooner redeemed in the manner provided in this Indenture, as set forth in the form of Bond heretofore set forth in this Indenture.

The Bonds shall be initially issued in the form of one fully registered bond in the principal amount of not to exceed \$9,000,000, and may not be submitted in exchange for more than one fully registered bond until the Completion Date, at which time the Bond initially issued may, but shall not

be required to, be submitted to the Trustee pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.09 hereof in exchange for more than one fully registered bond. The proceeds of the Bonds shall be advanced from time to time upon the submission of draw requests or requisitions by the Borrower, to the Trustee pursuant to the provisions of Section 6.03 hereof and Article II and Section 8.01 of the Lease Agreement. Upon receipt of a Draw Certificate and Notice of Funding, substantially in the form of Exhibit C-2 attached to the Lease Agreement, the Bondholder shall pay to the Trustee the principal amount requisitioned by the Borrower, and the Trustee shall make a notation of such principal amount purchased on the Record of Advances and Principal Payments attached to the Bond. The amount shown on the Record of Advances and Principal Payments attached to the Bond shall be deemed to be conclusive evidence of the principal amount of the Bonds purchased by the Bondholder, absent manifest error. The principal amount of the Bonds so purchased shall be submitted by the Purchaser to the Trustee, and such amount shall be deposited by the Trustee into the Loan Fund. Any portion of the Bonds not sold to the Bondholder and any portion of the corresponding proceeds not delivered to the Borrower by the Completion Date shall not be issued or delivered thereafter. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, until the Completion Date, upon the request of the Bondholder, the Trustee may maintain custody of the Bond as agent of the Bondholder.

The Bond initially issued shall bear interest from its date; provided, that the date of each Advance under such Bond shall be the interest commencement date from which the principal amount of such Advance bears interest. Bonds issued on the Completion Date and prior to the next Interest Payment Date shall bear interest from the Completion Date, and the Bonds issued thereafter shall bear interest from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of authentication and delivery thereof by the Trustee, unless such date of authentication and delivery shall be an Interest Payment Date, in which case they shall bear interest from such date of authentication and delivery or unless such date of authentication and delivery shall be during the period from the Record Date to the next Interest Payment Date, in which case they shall bear interest from such Interest Payment Date; provided, however, that if, as shown by the records of the Trustee, interest on any Bonds surrendered for transfer or exchange shall be in default, the Bonds issued in exchange for Bonds surrendered for transfer or exchange shall bear interest from the date to which interest has been paid in full on the Bonds surrendered. Interest shall be computed on the basis of a year of three hundred sixty-five (365) or three hundred sixty-six (366) days, as applicable.

**Section 2.03. Maturity; Interest Payment Dates.** The Bonds shall mature on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ and bear interest payable annually on each \_\_\_\_\_ (each an “**Interest Payment Date**”), commencing \_\_\_\_\_, 2022 and continuing through \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ with the final principal payment due on maturity, \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, at the rate per annum of \_\_\_\_\_ percent (\_\_\_\_%).

**Section 2.04. Execution of Bonds.** The Bonds shall be executed on behalf of the Issuer by the Mayor (by his original or facsimile signature) and the City Clerk (by her original or facsimile signature) thereof and shall have impressed thereon the seal of the Issuer. The Mayor and the City Clerk shall file the certificates required by the Uniform Facsimile Signature Public Officials Act (Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated, Title 21, Chapter 10) and otherwise comply with the provisions of that Act, and the Mayor and the City Clerk's facsimile signatures shall have the same force and effect as if they had personally signed. The Bonds, together with interest thereon, shall be payable from the Bond Fund, as hereinafter set forth, and shall be a valid claim of the owners thereof only against such fund and the revenues pledged to such fund, which revenues are hereby pledged and mortgaged for the payment of the Bonds and shall be used for no other purpose than to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and the Trustee's, the Paying Agent's and Bond Registrar's fees, except as may be otherwise expressly authorized in this Indenture. In case any officer whose signature or facsimile of whose signature shall appear on the Bonds shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such Bonds, such signature or such facsimile shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if he had remained in office until delivery.

**Section 2.05. Authentication.** Only such Bonds as shall have endorsed thereon a Certificate of Authentication substantially in the form included in the bond forms attached hereto as Exhibit A and Exhibit B duly executed by the Trustee shall be entitled to any right or benefit under this Indenture. No Bond shall be valid and obligatory for any purpose unless and until such Certificate of Authentication shall have been duly executed by the Trustee, and such Certificate of the Trustee upon any such Bond shall be conclusive evidence that such Bond has been authenticated and delivered under this Indenture. The Trustee's Certificate of Authentication on any Bond shall be deemed to have been executed if signed by an authorized officer of the Trustee, but it shall not be necessary that the same officer sign the Certificate of Authentication on all of the Bonds issued hereunder.

**Section 2.06. Form of Bond.** The Bond originally issued and delivered shall be substantially in the form set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto, with appropriate variations, omissions and insertions as permitted or required by this Indenture. The Bonds exchanged for the originally issued Bonds and delivered on and after the Completion Date shall be substantially in the form set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto, with such appropriate variations, omissions and insertions as are permitted or required by the Indenture.

**Section 2.07. Delivery of Bonds.** Upon the execution and delivery of this Indenture, the Issuer shall execute and deliver to the Trustee and the Trustee shall authenticate the Bonds and, with the direction of the Purchaser, either deliver them to the Purchaser or maintain custody of the Bond as agent of the Purchaser upon payment of the initial Advance, and the Trustee shall be entitled to rely upon any certificate, ordinance or resolution as to the purchase price and the Purchaser. Prior to the Trustee's delivery of the Bonds to the Purchaser, the Trustee shall make appropriate notation on Schedule A attached to the Bond certificate of the amount and date of the initial draw thereunder and such amount shall be deemed to be conclusive evidence of the principal amount purchased by the Purchaser, absent manifest error.

**Section 2.08. Mutilated, Destroyed or Lost Bonds.** In case any Bond issued hereunder shall become mutilated or be destroyed or lost, the Issuer shall, if not then prohibited by law, cause

to be executed and the Trustee may authenticate and deliver a new Bond of like date, number, maturity and tenor in exchange and substitution for any such mutilated, destroyed or lost Bond, upon the owners paying the reasonable expenses and charges of the Issuer and the Trustee in connection therewith, and, in case of a Bond destroyed or lost, his filing with the Trustee of evidence satisfactory to it that such Bond was destroyed or lost, and of his ownership thereof and furnishing the Issuer and the Trustee with indemnity satisfactory to them. The Trustee is hereby authorized to authenticate any such new Bond. In the event any such Bonds shall have matured, instead of issuing a new Bond, the Issuer may pay the same without the surrender thereof.

**Section 2.09. Registration and Transfer of Bonds.** The Issuer shall cause books for the registration and for the transfer of the Bonds as provided in this Indenture to be kept by the Trustee as Bond Registrar. Any Bond may be transferred only upon an assignment duly executed by the registered owner or his, her or its attorney or legal representative in such form as shall be satisfactory to the Bond Registrar, such transfer to be made on such books and endorsed on the Bond by the Bond Registrar. The principal of any Bond shall be payable only to or upon the order of the registered owner or his legal representative. Interest shall be paid by check or draft by said Bond Registrar at the times provided therein to the registered owner by mail to the address shown on the registration books.

The person in whose name any Bond shall be registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes and payment of or on account of the principal of any such Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of the registered owner thereof, or his, her or its legal representative, and neither the Issuer, the Trustee, nor the Bond Registrar shall be affected by any such notice to the contrary, but such registration may be changed as herein provided. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

On and after the Completion Date, Bonds may be exchanged, and upon receipt of notice of the Completion Date as provided in Section 2.03 of the Lease Agreement, will be exchanged, at the principal corporate trust office of the Trustee for an equal aggregate principal amount of Bonds of any other authorized denomination or denominations. The Issuer shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver Bonds which the bondholder making the exchange is entitled to receive, bearing numbers not contemporaneously then outstanding. The execution by the Issuer of any Bond of any denomination shall constitute full and due authorization of such denomination and the Trustee shall thereby be authorized to authenticate and deliver such Bond.

**Section 2.10. Payment on Saturday, Sunday or Holiday.** In any case where the date of maturity of interest on or principal of the Bonds or the date fixed for redemption of any Bonds shall be a Saturday or Sunday or shall be in the State of Arkansas a legal holiday or a day on which banking institutions are authorized by law to close, then payment of interest or principal (and premium, if any) need not be made on such date but may be made on the next succeeding business day not a Saturday or Sunday or a legal holiday or a day upon which banking institutions are authorized by law to close with the same force and effect as if made on the date of maturity or the date fixed for redemption, and no interest shall accrue for the period from and after the date of maturity or date fixed for redemption.

**Section 2.11. Interest Commencement Date.** The Bond initially issued shall bear interest from its date; provided, that the date of each Advance under such Bond shall be the interest commencement date from which the principal amount of such Advance bears interest. Otherwise, each Bond, upon subsequent transfer, shall be dated as of the Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid. Payment of each installment of interest shall be made to the person in whose name the Bond is registered on the registration books of the Trustee as Bond Registrar at the close of business on the fifteenth calendar day of the month (whether or not a business day) next preceding each Interest Payment Date, irrespective of any transfer or change of any such Bond subsequent to such date. On or before each Interest Payment Date, the Borrower or the Bondholder shall provide written notice to the Trustee, substantially in the form of Exhibit D attached hereto and incorporated herein, evidencing the amount of principal outstanding and the interest that has accrued and is payable as of such Interest Payment Date (the “Interest Notice”). Upon delivery of the Interest Notice, Borrower shall remit the amount of interest payable to the Trustee for deposit in the Bond Fund, and the Trustee shall transmit interest due and payable to the Bondholder. Provided, however, that so long as a Home Office Payment Agreement (as defined in Section 2.16 hereof) is in effect, Trustee may presume that interest payments have been made directly to the Bondholder by the Borrower, and no further action shall be required of the Trustee after delivery of the Interest Notice.

**Section 2.12. Cancellation.** To the extent held by the Trustee, all Bonds which are paid, either at maturity or by redemption prior to maturity, shall be canceled and, at the option of the Trustee, either (i) cremated, shredded or otherwise disposed of or (ii) returned to the Issuer. In the case of cremating, shredding or other disposition pursuant to (i) above, the Trustee shall execute and forward to the Issuer, upon request, an appropriate certificate describing the Bonds involved and the manner of disposition.

**Section 2.13. Temporary Bonds.** The Issuer shall have the right to execute and deliver Temporary Bonds reflecting the indebtedness secured hereby, which Temporary Bonds, if issued and delivered, shall be entitled to the same security, rights and protection provided under this Indenture for Bonds in definitive form. Temporary Bonds of the Issuer, if executed, authenticated and delivered shall be replaced by Bonds in definitive form by the Trustee when the Temporary Bonds are returned to the Trustee for exchange. To the extent held by the Trustee, all Temporary Bonds, when returned to the Trustee and when exchanged for Bonds in definitive form shall then be canceled and at the option of the Trustee, either (i) cremated, shredded or otherwise disposed of and/or (ii) returned to the Issuer. In the case of cremating, shredding or other disposition pursuant to (i) above, the Trustee shall execute and forward to the Issuer, upon request, an appropriate certificate reflecting the Temporary Bonds involved and the manner of disposition.

**Section 2.14. Additional Bonds.** No additional bonds shall be issued under this Indenture.

**Section 2.15. Conversion of Bonds upon Completion Date.** Upon receipt of notice of the Completion Date as provided in Section 2.03 of the Lease Agreement, the Trustee shall give notice thereof to the registered owner of the Bonds. Such notice shall be given by mail or by other acceptable method, including facsimile or e-mail, and shall state that such registered owner must deliver his, her or its Bond to the Trustee for conversion. The Trustee shall cancel the Bond so delivered and issue a form of Bond in lieu thereof pursuant to the provisions hereof.

**Section 2.16. Home Office Payment Agreement.** Notwithstanding any provision of this Indenture or of any Bond to the contrary, the Trustee may enter into or accept the terms of a home office payment agreement with the Issuer, the Borrower and the owner of any Bond providing for the making to such owner of all payments of principal (whether at maturity or redemption) and interest on such Bond or any part thereof at a place and in a manner other than as provided in this Indenture and in the Bonds without presentation or surrender of such Bonds, upon such conditions as shall be satisfactory to the Trustee. The Trustee agrees to make payments of principal, and interest on the Bonds in accordance with the provisions thereof. Upon the transfer of any Bond being paid in accordance with the provisions of a home office payment agreement permitted by this Section, the Trustee, if the Trustee is the custodian of the Bond for the Bondholder, or the transferor, prior to the delivery of such Bond to the transferee, shall make a notation on such Bond of the date to which interest has been paid thereon and the amount of any prepayments or redemptions made on account of the principal thereof. Contemporaneous with the delivery of the Bonds and this Indenture, the appropriate parties will enter into the Home Office Payment Agreement. The Trustee may conclusively rely on the Issuer's, the Borrower's and the Bondholder's intent to comply with and make all payments pursuant to the Lease Agreement, this Trust Indenture and the Bonds in conformity and compliance with the Home Office Payment Agreement until notified in writing that the Home Office Payment Agreement has been terminated. The Borrower and Bondholder may terminate the Home Office Payment Agreement at any time in their sole and absolute discretion, and the Home Office Payment Agreement may not be terminated without the written consent of both Borrower and Bondholder.

### **ARTICLE III. REDEMPTION OF BONDS BEFORE MATURITY**

**Section 3.01. Redemption.** The Bonds shall be callable for redemption prior to maturity in accordance with the provisions pertaining thereto appearing in the form of Bond heretofore set forth in this Indenture.

**Section 3.02. Notice of Redemption.** Notice of the call for redemption shall be by first class mail or by other acceptable standard, including facsimile or e-mail, to the owner or owners of the Bonds not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption, or such shorter period of time as is acceptable to the owner or owners of the Bonds and the Trustee. Published notice of the call for redemption need not be given. Each notice shall specify the numbers and the maturities of the Bonds being called, and the date on which they shall be presented for payment.

Failure to give notice to the Owner of any Bond designated for redemption shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any other Bond.

**Section 3.03. Redemption Payments.** Prior to the date fixed for redemption, funds shall be deposited with the Trustee to pay, and the Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to apply such funds to the payment of, the Bonds called, together with accrued interest thereon to the redemption date. Upon the giving of notice and the deposit of funds for redemption, interest on the Bonds thus called shall cease to accrue after the date fixed for redemption until such Bond shall have been delivered for payment or cancellation or the Trustee shall have received the items required by Section 2.08 hereof with respect to any mutilated, lost, stolen or destroyed Bond.

**Section 3.04. Cancellation.** All Bonds which have been redeemed shall be canceled by the Trustee pursuant to Section 2.12.

#### **ARTICLE IV. GENERAL COVENANTS**

**Section 4.01. Payment of Principal and Interest.** The Issuer covenants that it will promptly pay the principal of and interest on every Bond issued under this Indenture at the place, on the dates and in the manner provided herein and in the Bonds according to the true intent and meaning thereof. The principal and interest (except interest, if any, paid from accrued interest) are payable solely from the Revenues subject to the superior rights of the holders of the Senior Bonds therein, which Revenues are hereby specifically pledged to the payment thereof in the manner and to the extent herein specified, and nothing in the Bonds or in this Indenture should be considered as pledging any other funds or assets of the Issuer (except the securing of the indebtedness evidenced by the Bonds by the provisions of the Lease Agreement). Anything in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, it is understood that whenever the Issuer makes any covenants involving financial commitments, including, without limitation, those in the various sections of this Article IV, it pledges no funds or revenues other than the Revenues and the right, title and interest of the Issuer in the Lease Agreement (except for the obligations of the Borrower to pay Issuer's expenses and to indemnify the Issuer) and the revenues derived from the avails of the Pledged Property, but nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting the Issuer from using any other funds and revenues.

**Section 4.02. Performance of Covenants.** The Issuer covenants that it will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations and provisions contained in this Indenture, in any and every Bond executed, authenticated and delivered hereunder and in all ordinances pertaining thereto. The Issuer covenants that it is duly authorized under the Constitution and laws of the State, including particularly and without limitation the Act, to issue the Bonds authorized hereby and to execute this Indenture and to make the pledge and covenants in the manner and to the extent herein set forth; that all action on its part for the issuance of the Bonds and the execution and delivery of this Indenture has been duly and effectively taken; and that the Bonds in the hands of the owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable obligations of the Issuer according to the import thereof.

**Section 4.03. Instruments of Further Assurance.** The Issuer covenants that it will do, execute, acknowledge and deliver or cause to be done, executed, acknowledged and delivered, such Indenture or Indentures supplemental hereto and such further acts, instruments and transfers as the Trustee may reasonably require for the better assuring, transferring, mortgaging, pledging, assigning and confirming to the Trustee the Trust Estate.

**Section 4.04. Payment of Taxes, Charges, etc.** The Issuer covenants that it will promptly cause to be paid all lawful taxes, charges, assessments, imposts and governmental charges at any time levied or assessed upon or against the Trust Estate, or any part thereof, which might impair or prejudice the lien and priority of this Indenture; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Section shall require the Issuer to cause to be paid any such taxes, assessments, imposts or charges so long as the validity thereof is being contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings. It is understood that the Issuer has made provisions in the Lease Agreement for such payment,

pursuant to the terms of which the Borrower is obligated to pay such taxes, charges, assessments, imposts and governmental charges as set forth in the Lease Agreement, and so long as the Lease Agreement is in force and effect the Issuer shall be deemed to be in compliance with its obligations under this Section 4.04.

**Section 4.05. Obligation to Maintain and Repair.** The Issuer covenants that it will at all times cause the Project to be maintained, preserved and kept in good condition, repair and working order, and that it will from time to time cause to be made all needed repairs so that the operation and business pertaining to the Project shall at all times be conducted properly and so that the Project shall be fully maintained, to the extent permitted by available funds. It is understood that the Issuer has made provisions in the Lease Agreement for such maintenance, pursuant to the terms of which the Borrower is obligated to maintain the Project as set forth in the Lease Agreement, and so long as the Lease Agreement is in force and effect the Issuer shall be deemed to be in compliance with its obligations under this Section 4.05.

**Section 4.06. Recordation of Trust Indenture.** The Issuer covenants that it will cause this Indenture, and all instruments supplemental thereto, to be kept, recorded and filed in such manner and in such places (if any) as may be required by law in order fully to preserve and protect the security of the bondowners and the rights of the Trustee hereunder. If any such filing is required to be made by the Issuer, the Issuer shall provide the Trustee with file-marked copies thereof.

**Section 4.07. Rights under Lease Agreement.** The Lease Agreement, duly executed counterparts of which have been filed with the Trustee, sets forth covenants and obligations of the Issuer and the Borrower. Issuer agrees that the Trustee in its name or in the name of the Issuer may enforce all rights of the Issuer and all obligations of the Borrower under and pursuant to the Lease Agreement, for and on behalf of the bondholder, whether or not the Issuer is in default hereunder.

**Section 4.08. List of Bondowners.** If the Trustee is directed in writing by the Issuer to so provide, the list of the names and addresses of the registered owners of the Bonds may be inspected and copied by owners (or a designated representative thereof) of ten percent (10%) or more in principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder, such ownership and the authority of any such designated representative to be evidenced to the satisfaction of the Trustee.

**Section 4.09. Lien of Trust Indenture; Enforcement of Obligations and Rights.** Other than in connection with the Senior Bonds, the Issuer covenants that so long as any Bonds authorized by and issued under this Indenture are outstanding, it will not convey or otherwise dispose of its interest in the Pledged Property, and that it will not encumber the same, or any part thereof, or its interest therein, or create or permit to be created any charge or lien on the Revenues derived therefrom, except as provided in this Indenture. Nothing contained herein shall prohibit the Issuer from issuing bonds the payment for which specified revenues of a particular project is pledged as provided in the Act, it being the purpose of this covenant to limit only a subsequent pledge of the Pledged Property and Revenues as defined in this Indenture.

**Section 4.10. Obligation to Insure.** The Issuer covenants that at all times while any Bonds are outstanding, it will keep or cause to be kept the Project insured against the perils and to the extent set forth in the Lease Agreement. It is understood that the Issuer has made provisions in the Lease Agreement for such insurance, pursuant to the terms of which the Borrower is obligated to

keep the property insured as set forth in the Lease Agreement, and so long as the Lease Agreement is in force and effect, the Issuer shall be deemed to be in compliance with its obligations under this Section 4.10.

## **ARTICLE V. REVENUE AND FUNDS**

**Section 5.01. Creation of Funds.** There are hereby created and established with the Trustee as trust funds and trust accounts the following:

- (a) Costs of Issuance Fund;
- (b) City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project) Bond Fund, Series 2022C (the “**Bond Fund**”); and
- (c) City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds (Colson Caster Project) Loan Fund, Series 2022C (the “**Loan Fund**”).

Trustee may also create such other Funds or Accounts as it deems necessary or desirable in the administration of this Indenture.

### **Section 5.02. Deposit of Bond Proceeds.**

There shall be deposited into the Bond Fund as and when received:

- (a) That portion of the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds as set forth in the Delivery Instructions;
- (b) The payments and other moneys paid by the Borrower, pursuant to the Lease Agreement;
- (c) Amounts transferred to the Bond Fund pursuant to the provisions of Sections 3.03 and 6.04 hereof; and
- (d) All other moneys received by the Trustee under and pursuant to any of the provisions of this Indenture which are not directed to be paid in a fund other than the Bond Fund.

Money in the Bond Fund shall be kept separate and apart from other funds or accounts and shall be pledged, appropriated, used and transferred to other funds for the purposes specified in this Article. Furthermore, the Issuer covenants and agrees that so long as any of the Bonds secured by this Indenture are outstanding, it will at all times deposit, or cause to be deposited, in the Bond Fund sufficient moneys from payments and other moneys paid by the Borrower pursuant to the Lease Agreement to promptly meet and pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due and payable. Nothing herein shall be construed as requiring the Issuer to use any funds or revenues from any source other than funds and revenues derived from the Lease Agreement for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds and discharging other obligations of the Issuer under this Trust Indenture, but nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting the Issuer from doing so.

Trustee may also hold such other documents or assets in the Bond Fund, including, but not limited to, documents held pursuant to the Option Agreement (as defined in the Lease Agreement).

### **Section 5.03. Use of Moneys in Bond Fund.**

The Bond Fund shall be in the name of the Issuer, and the Issuer hereby irrevocably authorizes and directs the Trustee to withdraw from the Bond Fund sufficient funds to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds at maturity and redemption or prepayment prior to maturity, and the Trustee's and Paying Agent's fees in connection therewith, and to remit the funds to the Paying Agent for the purpose of paying the principal and interest in accordance with the provisions hereof pertaining to payment, which authorization and direction the Trustee hereby accepts.

If a surplus shall exist in the Bond Fund over and above the amount necessary (together with reasonably projected revenue receipts in the event no default has occurred) to ensure the prompt payment of the principal of, and premium if any, in connection with the Bonds as the same become due, such surplus shall be applied to investments as permitted under Article VII herein.

Subject to the provisions of the Home Office Payment Agreement, the Trustee shall cause to be transferred from the Bond Fund an amount sufficient to pay the interest on the Bonds as the same become due at least one (1) day prior to the interest payment date for the Bonds and see to the deposit with the Paying Agent. It shall be the duty of the Trustee to see to the withdrawal from the Bond Fund at least one (1) day before the maturity or redemption date of any Bond issued hereunder and then outstanding and see to the deposit with the Paying Agent, whether or not a different institution, of an amount equal to the amount due for such Bonds for the sole purpose of paying the same.

**Section 5.04. Non-presentment of Bonds.** In the event any Bonds shall not be presented for payment when the principal thereof becomes due, either at maturity or otherwise, or at the date fixed for redemption thereof, if there shall have been deposited with the Paying Agent for that purpose, or left in trust if previously so deposited, funds sufficient to pay the principal thereof, together with all interest unpaid and due thereon, to the date of maturity thereof, for the benefit of the owner, all liability of the Issuer to the owner thereof for the payment of the principal thereof and interest thereon shall forthwith cease, terminate and be completely discharged, and thereon it shall be the duty of the Paying Agent to hold such fund or funds, without liability for interest thereon, for the benefit of the Owner of such Bond who shall thereafter be restricted exclusively to such fund or funds, for any claim of whatever nature on his part under this Indenture or on, or with respect to, the Bond.

### **Section 5.05. Costs of Issuance Fund.**

(a) Trustee shall deposit into the Costs of Issuance Fund (i) that portion of the proceeds of the Bonds required to be deposited therein pursuant to this Indenture or directed to be deposited therein pursuant to the Delivery Instructions or (ii) such moneys as are delivered to the Trustee by the Borrower. Moneys deposited into the Costs of Issuance Fund pursuant to this Indenture shall be expended to pay the Issuance Costs of said Bonds: (i) upon receipt by Trustee of requisitions signed by a Borrower Representative for any Issuance Costs not set forth in the Delivery

Instructions or (ii) in accordance with the directions contained in the Delivery Instructions. Any funds remaining in the Costs of Issuance Fund two (2) months after having been deposited therein shall be returned to the Borrower. At such time as there is a \$0 balance in the Costs of Issuance Fund, it may be closed.

(b) The Trustee shall use moneys in the Cost of Issuance Fund to pay Issuance Costs for the Bonds or to reimburse the Issuer to the extent of payments made for such Issuance Costs previously paid. Before any payment shall be made for Issuance Costs, there shall be filed with the Trustee a Written Request of the Issuer, stating:

- (i) The name of the person, firm or corporation to whom the payment is due;
- (ii) The amount to be paid;
- (iii) The purpose for which the Issuance Costs was incurred; and
- (iv) That such person, firm or corporation has not previously been paid for such Issuance Costs.

The Delivery Instructions executed contemporaneously with this Indenture shall constitute a “Written Request” of the Issuer in compliance with this section. The Trustee shall be fully protected in disbursing amounts in accordance with properly signed requisitions and the Delivery Instructions and has no duty or obligation to confirm that any such requested disbursements constitute Issuance Costs.

**Section 5.06. Loan Fund.** The Loan Fund shall be in the name of the Issuer, and the Issuer hereby irrevocably authorizes and directs the Trustee to issue and apply funds of the Loan Fund as specified in Sections 6.01 through 6.04. Issuer and Trustee agree that deposits to and withdrawals from the Loan Fund shall be evidenced in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement. Issuer and Trustee shall be fully protected in relying upon certifications of the Borrower and/or the Bondholder that deposits to and withdrawals from the Loan Fund were evidenced on the books and records of the Borrower and Bondholder in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement and have no duty or obligation to confirm such consistency and compliance.

**Section 5.07. Any Fees, Charges and Expenses of Trustee and Paying Agent.** It is understood and agreed that pursuant to the provisions of the Lease Agreement, the Borrower agrees to pay the reasonable fees, expenses and charges of the Trustee and Paying Agent as authorized and provided by this Indenture. The Borrower is to make payments on statements rendered by the Trustee. All such additional payments under the Lease Agreement which are received by the Trustee shall be paid into the Bond Fund to make payment therefrom for said purposes.

**Section 5.08. Moneys and Documents to be Held in Trust.** All moneys required to be deposited with or paid to the Trustee under any provision of this Indenture shall be held by the Trustee in trust, and except for moneys deposited with or paid to the Trustee for the redemption of Bonds, notice of which redemption has been duly given, shall, while held by the Trustee, constitute part of the trust estate and be subject to the lien hereof. Moneys received by or paid to the Trustee pursuant to any provisions of the Lease Agreement calling for the Trustee to hold, administer and

disburse the same in accordance with the specific provisions of the Lease Agreement shall be held, administered and disbursed pursuant to the provisions, and where required by the provisions of the Lease Agreement, the Trustee shall set the same aside in a separate account. If the Issuer shall receive any moneys pursuant to applicable provisions of the Lease Agreement, it will forthwith upon receipt thereof pay the same over to the Trustee to be held, administered and disbursed by the Trustee in accordance with the provisions of the Lease Agreement, pursuant to which the Issuer may have received the same. Furthermore, if for any reason the Lease Agreement ceases to be in force and effect while any Bonds are outstanding, and if the Issuer shall receive any moneys derived from the Pledged Property, it will forthwith upon receipt thereof pay the same over the Trustee to be held, administered and disbursed by the Trustee in accordance with provisions of the Lease Agreement that would be applicable if the Lease Agreement were then in force and effect, and if there be no such provisions which would be so applicable, then the Trustee shall hold, administer and disburse such moneys solely for the discharge of the Issuer's obligations under this Indenture. In addition, any documents or securities tendered to the Trustee to be held in trust or escrow shall be received by Trustee only upon receipt of written instructions from the Issuer or bondholder, as applicable, directing the Trustee as to the documents' or securities' custody and the mechanism for releasing any such documents and securities from escrow or Trustee's custody.

**Section 5.09. Refunds to Borrower.** Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, so long as an event of default has not occurred and is continuing under this Indenture or under the Lease Agreement, the Trustee is authorized to refund to the Borrower within two weeks after the principal payment date annually all excess amounts remaining in the Bond Fund after payment of all amounts due in the previous twelve months including the Trustee's and Issuer's fees. Such refund may be made as a credit on a loan payment. The foregoing notwithstanding, moneys in the Bond Fund being held pending redemption of the Bonds shall not be refunded to the Borrower.

## **ARTICLE VI. CUSTODY AND APPLICATION OF PROCEEDS OF BONDS**

**Section 6.01. Disbursement of Issuance Costs.** When the Bonds have been executed as provided in this Indenture, they shall be delivered to the Trustee which shall authenticate them and deliver them to the Purchaser as specified in the Delivery Instructions of the Issuer. On the Closing Date, the Trustee shall disburse the moneys received as proceeds of the Bonds in accordance with instructions as specified in the Delivery Instructions of the Issuer. Subsequent to the Closing Date and prior to the Completion Date, the Trustee shall disburse the moneys received as proceeds of the Bonds in accordance with Written Requests received by the Trustee in a manner consistent with Section 2.02 hereof.

**Section 6.02. Deposit in the Loan Fund.** After making the necessary use of funds as provided in Section 6.01 above, the Trustee shall then deposit the remainder of the proceeds in the Loan Fund. Issuer and Trustee agree that deposits to the Loan Fund shall be evidenced in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement. Issuer and Trustee shall be fully protected in relying upon certifications of the Borrower and/or the Bondholder that deposits to and withdrawals from the Loan Fund were evidenced on the books and records of the Borrower and Bondholder in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement and have no duty or obligation to confirm such consistency and compliance.

**Section 6.03. Disbursements from the Loan Fund.** Moneys in the Loan Fund shall be disbursed to the Borrower as a reimbursement of or paid directly to vendors to pay Project costs which shall include costs of acquisition, costs of construction, architect's and engineer's fees, payment of interim indebtedness of the Borrower incurred for Project costs, and all other necessary expenses incidental to the completion of the Project. Such expenditures shall be paid in accordance with and pursuant to written draw requests which shall be signed by the Authorized Lessee Representative and approved by the Issuer. In addition to the requirements of Section 8.01 of the Lease Agreement, draw requests shall be in substantially the form attached to the Lease Agreement as Exhibit C. Upon receipt of each draw request the Trustee shall issue its check upon the appropriate account in the Loan Fund payable to the person, firm or corporation designated in the draw request.

Upon receipt of each properly executed draw request and receipt of the Advance from the Purchaser, the Trustee shall issue its check upon the Loan Fund payable to the person, firm or corporation designated in the draw request. Issuer and Trustee agree that withdrawals from the Loan Fund shall be evidenced in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement. Issuer and Trustee shall be fully protected in relying upon certifications of the Borrower and/or the Bondholder that deposits to and withdrawals from the Loan Fund were evidenced on the books and records of the Borrower and Bondholder in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement and have no duty or obligation to confirm such consistency and compliance.

**Section 6.04. Transfer to Bond Fund.** Whenever the Issuer shall notify the Trustee in writing that any balance remaining in the Loan Fund will not be needed for completion of the Project, the remaining balance (if the balance is at least \$5,000) shall be deposited into the Bond Fund and used to redeem Bonds on the first Interest Payment Date following notification. If the balance is less than \$5,000, it shall be transferred to the Bond Fund, and applied as a credit against a subsequent payment.

## **ARTICLE VII. INVESTMENTS**

**Section 7.01. Investment of Moneys in Funds.** Moneys on deposit with the Trustee shall be invested at the direction of the Borrower.

## **ARTICLE VIII. DISCHARGE OF LIEN**

**Section 8.01. Discharge of Lien.** If the Issuer shall pay or cause to be paid to the owners of the Bonds the principal and interest to become due thereon at the times and in the manner stipulated therein, and if the Issuer shall keep, perform and observe all and singular the covenants and promises in the Bonds and in this Indenture expressed as to be kept, performed and observed by it on its part, then these presents and the estate and rights hereby granted shall cease, determine and be void, and thereupon the Trustee shall cancel and discharge the lien of this Indenture, and execute and deliver to the Issuer such instruments in writing as shall be requisite to satisfy the lien thereof, and reconvey to the Issuer the estate hereby conveyed, and assign and deliver to the Issuer the estate hereby conveyed, and assign and deliver to the Issuer and property at the time subject to the lien of this

Indenture which may then be in its possession, including trust funds, except funds held by it for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

Any Bond shall be deemed to be paid when payment of the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on such Bond (whether at maturity or upon redemption or otherwise), either (i) shall have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms of the Indenture, or (ii) shall have been provided for by irrevocably depositing with the Trustee, in trust and irrevocably setting aside exclusively for such payment, (1) moneys sufficient to make such payment or (2) Government Securities, maturing as to principal and interest in such amount and at such times as will provide sufficient moneys to make such payments, and all necessary and proper fees, compensation and expenses of the Trustee and any paying agent pertaining to the Bonds with respect to which such deposit is made and all other liabilities of the Borrower under the Lease Agreement shall have been paid or the payment thereof provided for to the satisfaction of the Trustee.

The Issuer may at any time surrender to the Trustee for cancellation by it any Bonds previously authenticated and delivered hereunder, which the Issuer may have acquired in any manner whatsoever, and such Bonds upon such surrender and cancellation, shall be deemed to be paid and retired.

## **ARTICLE IX. DEFAULT PROVISIONS AND REMEDIES OF TRUSTEE AND BONDOWNERS**

**Section 9.01. Events of Default.** If any of the following events occur, subject to the provisions of Section 9.12 hereof, it is hereby defined as and declared to be and to constitute an “event of default”;

(a) Default in the due and punctual payment of any interest on any Bond hereby secured and outstanding;

(b) Default in the due and punctual payment of the principal of, and premium, if any, on any Bond hereof secured and outstanding, whether at the stated maturity thereof, or upon proceedings for redemption thereof, or upon the maturity thereof by declaration;

(c) Default in the performance or observance of covenants, agreements or conditions on the Issuer’s part to be performed in this Indenture, or in the Bonds contained, and the continuance thereof for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice to the Issuer by the Trustee or by the owners of not less than ten percent (10%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder; or

(d) The occurrence of an “Event of Default” under the Lease Agreement.

The term “default” shall mean default by the Issuer in the performance or observance of any of the covenants, agreement or conditions on its part contained in this Indenture, or in the Bonds outstanding hereunder, exclusive of any period of grace required to constitute a default an “event of default” as hereinabove provided.

**Section 9.02. Acceleration.** Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the Trustee may, and upon the written request of the owners of twenty-five percent (25%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder, shall, by notice in writing delivered to the Issuer and the Borrower declare the principal of all Bonds hereby secured then outstanding and the interest accrued thereon immediately due and payable and such principal and interest shall thereupon become and be immediately due and payable.

**Section 9.03. Trustee's Right to Enter and Take Possession.** Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the Issuer, upon demand of the Trustee, shall forthwith surrender to it the actual possession of, and it shall be lawful for the Trustee, by such officer or agent as it may appoint, to take possession of, all or any part of the Pledged Property with the books, papers and accounts of the Issuer pertaining thereto and to hold, operate and manage the same, and from time to time to make all needful repairs and improvements as the Trustee shall deem wise; and the Trustee, with or without such permission, may collect, receive and sequester the rents, revenues, issues, earnings, income, products and profits therefrom (exclusive of any of the foregoing which may have been pledged to secure other obligations of the Issuer) and out of the same and any moneys received from any receiver of any part thereof pay, and/or set up proper reserves for the payment of, all proper costs and expenses of so taking, holding and managing the same, including reasonable compensation to the Trustee, its agents and counsel, and any charges of the Trustee hereunder and any taxes, assessments and other charges prior to the lien of this Indenture which the Trustee may deem it wise to pay, and all expenses of such repairs and improvements, and apply the remainder of the moneys so received by the Trustee in accordance with the provisions of Section 9.08 hereof. Whenever all that is due upon such Bonds and installments of interest under the terms of this Indenture shall have been paid and all defaults made good, the Trustee shall surrender possession to the Issuer, its successors or assigns; the same right of entry, however, to exist upon any subsequent event of default.

While in possession of such property the Trustee shall render annually to the owners of the Bonds, at their addresses as set forth on the bond registration book maintained by the Trustee, a summarized statement of income and expenditures in connection therewith.

**Section 9.04. Other Remedies; Rights and Obligations with Reference to Remedies.** Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the Trustee may, as an alternative, proceed either after entry or without entry, to pursue any available remedy by suit at law or in equity to enforce the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds then outstanding hereunder or to enforce compliance with any other covenant or obligation of the Issuer, including without limitation, foreclosure and mandamus.

Upon the occurrence of an event of default, the Trustee shall, if so requested in writing by sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66-2/3%) in value of the registered owners of the Bonds, assign to the registered owners of the Bonds all its right, title and interest in the Lease Agreement in exchange for the Bonds, which assignment shall be full and complete satisfaction and discharge of all liabilities and obligations of the Issuer on the Bonds and of the Trustee under this Indenture.

If an event of default shall have occurred, and if it shall have been requested in writing so to do by the owners of twenty-five percent (25%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder and shall have been indemnified as provided in Section 10.01 hereof, the Trustee shall be

obligated to exercise such one or more of the rights and power conferred upon it by this Section and by Section 9.03 as the Trustee, being advised by counsel, shall deem most expedient in the interests of the bondowners.

No remedy by the terms of this Indenture conferred upon or reserved to the Trustee (or to the bondowners) is intended to be exclusive of any other remedy, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to any other remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute.

No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default or event of default shall impair any such right or power or shall be construed to be a waiver of any such default or event of default or acquiescence therein; and every such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient.

No waiver of any default or event of default hereunder, whether by the Trustee or by the bondowners, shall extend to or shall affect any subsequent default or event of default or shall impair any rights or remedies consequent thereon.

**Section 9.05. Right of Majority of Bondowners to Take Charge.** Anything in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, the owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder shall have the right, at any time, by an instrument or instruments in writing executed and delivered to the Trustee, to direct the method and place of conducting all proceedings to be taken in connection with the enforcement of the terms and conditions of this Indenture, or for the appointment of a receiver or any other proceeding hereunder; provided that such direction shall not be otherwise than in accordance with the provision of law and of this Trust Indenture. Anything in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, so long as a single person or entity owns 100% of the outstanding Bonds, the Trustee shall not exercise any remedies except those that the Trustee is specifically directed to take in a writing by the sole Bondholder.

**Section 9.06. Appointment of Receiver.** Upon the occurrence of an event of default, and upon the filing of a suit or other commencement of judicial proceedings to enforce the rights of the Trustee and of the bondowners under this Indenture, the Trustee shall be entitled, as a matter of right, to the appointment of a receiver or receivers of the Pledged Property and of the rents, revenues, issues, earnings, income, products and profits thereof, pending such proceedings with such powers as the court making such appointment shall confer.

**Section 9.07. Waiver by Issuer of Benefit of Laws and Rights of Appraisal and Redemption.** In case of an event of default on its part, as aforesaid to the extent that such rights may then lawfully be waived, neither the Issuer nor anyone claiming through it or under it shall or will set up, claim or seek to take advantage of any appraisal, valuation, stay, extension or redemption as now or hereafter in force, in order to prevent or hinder the enforcement of this Indenture, but the Issuer, for itself and all who may claim through or under it, hereby waives, to the extent that it lawfully may do so, the benefit of all such laws and all right of appraisal and redemption to which it may be entitled under the laws of the State of Arkansas.

**Section 9.08. Application of Available Moneys.** Issuer and Trustee agree and anticipate that amounts due and payable pursuant to this Indenture (other than the annual Trustee's fees, any

expenses of the Trustee, and other amounts due and payable to independent third parties) shall be evidenced in a manner consistent with the Home Office Payment Agreement. Moneys remaining, if any, after payment of the annual Trustee's fees, any expenses of the Trustee, and other amounts due and payable to independent third parties shall be applied by the Trustee as follows:

(a) To the payment of the fees of the Trustee and the costs and expenses of suit, if any, and the reasonable compensation of the Trustee, its agents, attorneys and counsel, and of all proper expenses, liabilities and advances incurred or made hereunder by the Trustee or by any bondowner and the creation of a reasonable reserve for anticipated fees, costs and expenses.

(b) Unless the principal of all the Bonds all have become or shall have been declared due and payable, all such moneys shall be applied:

FIRST: To the payment to the persons entitled thereto of all installments of interest then due, in the order of the maturity of the installments of such interest, and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full any particular installment, then to the payment ratably, according to the amounts due on such installment, to the persons entitled thereto, without any discrimination or privilege;

SECOND: To the payment to persons entitled thereto of the unpaid principal of any of the Bonds which shall have become due (other than Bonds called for redemption for the payment of which moneys are held pursuant to the provisions of this Indenture), in the order of their due dates, with interest on such Bonds from the respective dates upon which they become due, and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full Bonds due on any particular date, together with such interest, then to the payment ratably, according to the amount of principal due on such date, to the persons entitled thereto without any discrimination or privilege; and

THIRD: To the payment of the interest on and the principal of the Bonds, and to the redemption of Bonds, all in accordance with the provisions of Article V of this Indenture.

(c) If the principal of all the Bonds shall have become due or shall have been declared due and payable, all such moneys shall be applied to the payment of the principal and interest then due and unpaid upon the Bonds, without preference or priority of principal over interest or of interest over principal, or of any bond over any other Bond, ratably, according to the amounts due respectively for principal and or privilege.

(d) If the principal of all the Bonds shall have been declared due and payable, and if such declaration shall thereafter have been rescinded and annulled under the provisions of this Article then, subject to the provisions of paragraph (c) of this Section, in the event that the principal of all the Bonds shall later become due or be declared due and payable, the moneys shall be applied in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (b) of this Section.

Whenever moneys are to be applied by the Trustee pursuant to the provisions of this Section, such moneys shall be applied by it at such times, and from time to time, as it shall determine, having due regard to the amount of such moneys available for application and the likelihood of additional moneys becoming available for such application in the future. Whenever the Trustee shall apply

such funds, it shall fix the date (which shall be an interest payment date unless it shall deem another date more suitable) upon which such date interest on the amounts of principal to be paid on such dates shall cease to accrue. The Trustee shall give such notice as it may deem appropriate of the deposit with it of any such moneys and of the fixing of any such date and shall not be required to make payment to the owner of any unpaid Bond until such Bond shall be presented to the Trustee for appropriate endorsement or for cancellation if fully paid.

**Section 9.09. Remedies Vested in Trustee.** All rights of action (including the right to file proof of claim) under this Indenture or under any of the Bonds may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Bonds or the production thereof in any trial or other proceeding relating thereto and any such suit or proceeding instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its name as Trustee, without the necessity of joining as plaintiffs or defendants any owners of the Bond hereby secured, and any recovery of judgment shall be for the equal benefit for the owners of the outstanding Bonds in the order herein provided.

**Section 9.10. Rights and Remedies of Bondowners.** No owner of any Bond shall have any right to institute any suit, action or proceeding in equity or at law for the enforcement of this Indenture or for the execution of any trust hereof or for the appointment of a receiver or any other remedy hereunder, unless a default has occurred of which the Trustee has been notified as provided in subsection (g) of Section 10.01, or of which by the subsection it is deemed to have notice, nor unless such default shall have become an event of default and the owners of twenty-five percent (25%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder shall have made written request to the Trustee and shall have offered it reasonable opportunity either to proceed to exercise the powers hereinbefore granted or to institute such action, suit or proceeding in its own name, nor unless also they have offered to the Trustee indemnity as provided in Section 10.01; nor unless the Trustee shall thereafter fail or refuse to exercise the powers hereinbefore granted, or to institute such action, suit or proceeding in its own name; and such notification request and offer of indemnity are hereby declared in every such case at the option of the Trustee to be conditions precedent to the execution of the powers and trusts of this Indenture, and to any action or cause of action for the enforcement of this Indenture or for the appointment of a receiver for any other remedy hereunder; it being understood and intended that not one or more owners of the Bonds shall have any right in any manner whatsoever to affect, disturb or prejudice the lien of this Indenture by his or their action or to enforce any right hereunder except in the manner herein provided, and that all proceedings at law or in equity shall be instituted, had and maintained in the manner herein provided for the equal benefit of the owners of all Bonds outstanding hereunder. Nothing in this Indenture contained shall, however, affect or impair the right of any bondowners to enforce the payment of the principal of and interest on any Bond at and after the maturity thereof, or to the obligation of the Issuer to pay the principal of and interest on each of the Bonds issued hereunder to the respective owners thereof at the time and place in the Bonds expressed.

**Section 9.11. Termination of Proceedings.** In case the Trustee shall have proceeded to enforce any right under this Indenture by the appointment of a receiver, by entry or otherwise, and such proceedings shall have been discontinued or abandoned for any reason, or shall have been determined adversely to the Trustee, then and in every such case the Issuer and the Trustee shall be restored to their former positions and rights hereunder with respect to the property herein conveyed,

and all rights, remedies and powers of the Trustee shall continue as if no such proceedings had been taken, except to the extent the Trustee is legally bound by such adverse determination.

**Section 9.12. Waivers of Events of Default.** The Trustee may in its discretion waive any event of default hereunder and its consequences and rescind any declaration of maturity of principal, and shall do so upon the written request of the owners of (i) 50% in aggregate principal amount of all the Bonds outstanding hereunder in respect of which default in the payment of principal and/or interest exists, or (ii) 50% in principal amount of all the Bonds outstanding hereunder in the case of any other default, provided, however, that there shall not be waived (a) any event of default in the payment of the principal of any Bonds issued hereunder and outstanding at the date of maturity specified therein or (b) any default in the payment of the interest or of Bond Fund moneys, unless prior to such waiver or rescission all arrears of interest, with interest at the rate borne by the Bonds in respect of which such default shall have occurred on overdue installments of interest or all arrears of Bond Fund payments, as the case may be, and all expenses of the Trustee and Paying Agent, shall have been paid or provided for, and in case of any such waiver or rescission or in case any proceeding taken by the Trustee on account of any such default shall have been discontinued or abandoned or determined adversely, then and in every such case the Issuer, Trustee and the bondowners shall be restored to their former positions and rights thereunder respectively; but no such waiver or rescission shall extend to any subsequent or other default, or impair any right consequent thereon.

## **ARTICLE X. THE TRUSTEE**

**Section 10.01. Acceptance of Trusts.** The Trustee hereby accepts the trusts imposed upon it by this Indenture, and agrees to perform the duties and obligations of the Trustee under this Indenture upon and subject to the following expressed terms and conditions:

(a) The Trustee may execute any of the trusts or powers hereof and perform any duties required of it by or through attorneys, agents, receivers or employees, and shall be entitled to advice of counsel concerning all matters of trusts hereof and its duties hereunder, and may in all cases pay reasonable compensation to all such attorneys, agents, receivers and employees as may reasonably be employed in connection with the trusts hereof. The Trustee may act upon the opinion or advice of any attorney, surveyor, engineer or accountant selected by it in the exercise of reasonable care, or, if selected or retained by the Issuer prior to the occurrence of a default of which the Trustee has been notified as provided in sub-section (g) of this Section, or of which by said sub-section the Trustee is deemed to have notice, approved by the Trustee in the exercise of such care. The Trustee shall not be responsible for any loss or damage resulting from an action or non-action in accordance with any such opinion or advice.

(b) The Trustee shall not be responsible for any recital herein, or in the Bonds (except in respect to the certificate of the Trustee endorsed on such Bonds), or for the recording or re-recording, filing or re-filing of this Indenture, or for insuring the property herein conveyed or collecting any insurance moneys, or for the validity of the execution by the Issuer of this Indenture or of any supplemental indentures or instruments of further assurance, or for the sufficiency of the security for the Bonds issued hereunder or intended to be secured herein, or for the value of the title of the property here conveyed or otherwise as to the maintenance of the security hereof; except that

in the event the Trustee enters into possession of a part or all of the property herein conveyed pursuant to any provision of this Indenture, it shall use due diligence in preserving such property; and the Trustee shall not be bound to ascertain or inquire as to the performance or observance of any covenants, conditions or agreements on the Issuer, except as hereinafter set forth; but the Trustee may require of the Issuer full information and advice as to the performance of the covenants, conditions and agreement aforesaid as to the condition of the property herein conveyed.

(c) The Trustee shall not be accountable for the use of any Bonds authenticated or delivered hereunder. The Trustee may become the owner of Bonds with the same rights which it would have if not Trustee. No merger of title shall occur if at any time the Trustee owns all of the Bonds.

(d) The Trustee shall be protected in acting upon any notice, request, consent, certificate, order, affidavit, letter, telegram or other paper or document believed by it, in the exercise of reasonable care, to be genuine and correct and to have been signed or sent by the proper person or persons. Any action taken by the Trustee pursuant to this Indenture upon the request or authority or consent of the owner of any Bond secured hereby, shall be conclusive and binding upon all future owners of the same Bond and upon Bonds issued in exchange therefor or in place thereof.

(e) As to the existence or non-existence of any fact or as to the sufficiency or validity of any instrument, paper or proceeding, the Trustee shall be entitled to rely upon a certificate of the Issuer signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk as sufficient evidence of the facts therein contained and prior to the occurrence of a default of which it has been notified as provided in sub-section (g) of this Section, or of which by said subsection it is deemed to have notice, and shall also be at liberty to accept a similar certificate to the effect that any particular dealing, transaction or action is necessary or expedient, but may at its discretion, at the reasonable expense of the Issuer, in every case secure such further evidence as it may think necessary or advisable, but shall in no case be bound to secure the same. The Trustee may accept a certificate of the City Clerk of the Issuer under its seal to the effect that a resolution or ordinance in the form therein set forth has been adopted by the Issuer as conclusive evidence that such resolution or ordinance has been duly adopted, and is in full force and effect.

(f) The permissive right of the Trustee to do things enumerated in this Indenture shall not be construed as a duty of the Trustee, and the Trustee shall be answerable only for its own gross negligence or willful misconduct.

(g) The Trustee shall not be required to take notice or be deemed to have notice of any default hereunder except failure by the Issuer to make or cause to be made any of the payments to the Trustee required to be made by Article IV unless the Trustee shall be specifically notified in writing of such default by the Issuer or by the owners of at least ten percent (10%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder and all notices or other instruments required by this Indenture to be delivered to the Trustee must, in order to be effective, be delivered to the office of the Trustee, and in the absence of such notice so delivered, the Trustee may conclusively assume there is no default except as aforesaid; provided, however, if there is a Home Office Payment Agreement in effect the Trustee shall only be deemed to have notice of the failure by the Issuer to make or cause to be made any of the payments required to be made under Article IV hereof if the

Trustee is specifically notified in writing of such default by the Issuer or by the owners of at least ten percent (10%) in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder.

(h) The Trustee shall not be personally liable for any debts contracted or for damages to persons or to personal property injured or damaged, or for salaries or nonfulfillment of contracts during any period in which it may be in the possession of or managing the real and tangible personal property as in this Indenture provided.

(i) At any and all reasonable times the Trustee, and its duly authorized agents, attorneys, experts, engineers, accountants and representatives, shall have the right (but no duty or obligation) fully to inspect all of the property herein conveyed, including all books, papers and records of the Issuer pertaining to the Project and the Bonds, and to take such memoranda from and in regard thereto as may be desired.

(j) The Trustee shall not be required to give any bond or surety in respect of the execution of the said trusts and powers or otherwise in respect of the premises.

(k) Notwithstanding anything elsewhere in this Indenture contained, the Trustee shall have the right, but shall not be required, to demand, in respect of the authentication of any Bonds, the withdrawal of any cash, the release of any property, or any action whatsoever within the purview of this Indenture, any showings, certificate, opinions, appraisals, or the information, or corporate action or evidence thereof, in addition to that by the terms hereof required as a condition of such action by the Trustee, deemed desirable for the purpose of establishing the right of the Issuer to the authentication of any Bonds, the withdrawal of any cash, the release of any property, or the taking of any other action by the Trustee.

(l) Before taking such action hereunder, the Trustee may require that it be furnished an indemnity bond satisfactory to it for the reimbursement to it of all expenses to which it may be put and to protect it against all liability, except liability which is adjudicated to have resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Trustee, by reason of any action so taken by the Trustee.

(m) The Trustee shall have no duty to risk, advance or expend its own funds in the performance of the duties and obligations of the Trustee hereunder.

(n) The Trustee, before the occurrence of an Event of Default and after the curing of all Events of Default which may have occurred, undertakes to perform such duties and only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Indenture. In case an Event of Default has occurred (which has not been cured or waived) the Trustee shall exercise such of the rights and powers vested in it by this Indenture, and use the same degree of care and skill in its exercise as a reasonable and prudent person would exercise or use under the circumstances in the conduct of his or her own affairs.

**Section 10.02. Fees, Charges and Expenses of Trustee.** The Trustee shall be entitled to payment and/or reimbursement for its reasonable fees for services rendered hereunder and all advances, counsel fees and other expenses reasonably and necessarily made or incurred by the Trustee in and about the execution of the trusts created by this Indenture and in and about the exercise and performance by the Trustee of the powers and duties of the Trustee hereunder, and for

all reasonable and necessary costs and expenses incurred in defending any liability in the premises of any character whatsoever (unless such liability is adjudicated to have resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Trustee). In this regard, it is understood that the Issuer pledges no funds or revenues other than those provided for in the Lease Agreement and the Revenues derived from and the avails of the Pledged Property to the payment of any obligation of the Issuer set forth in this Indenture, including the obligations set forth in this Section, but nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting the Issuer from using any other funds and revenues for the payment of any of its obligations under this Indenture. Upon default by the Issuer but only upon default, pursuant to the provisions of this Indenture pertaining to default, the Trustee shall have a first lien with right of payment prior to payment on account of principal or interest of a Bond issued hereunder upon the Trust Estate for the reasonable and necessary advances, fees, costs and expenses incurred by the Trustee.

**Section 10.03. Notice to Bondowners of Default.** If a default occurs of which the Trustee is by Section 10.01(g) deemed to have notice, is notified by the Issuer or by the owners of at least 10% in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then outstanding, then the Trustee shall give written notice by mail or by other acceptable standard, including facsimile, to each owner of Bonds then outstanding and to such other person or entity any owner directs the Trustee to notify.

**Section 10.04. Intervention by Trustee.** In any judicial proceeding to which the Issuer is a party and which in the opinion of the Trustee and its counsel has a substantial bearing on the interests of owners of Bonds issued hereunder, the Trustee may intervene on behalf of the bondowners and shall do so if requested in writing by the owners of at least ten percent (10%) of the aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder, solely to the extent indemnified to the satisfaction of the Trustee from and against any losses, costs, claims, liabilities or expenses, including fees and expenses of its attorneys and agent incurred by the Trustee related to or arising from such action by the Trustee. The rights and obligations of the Trustee under this Section are subject to the approval of the court having jurisdiction in the premises.

**Section 10.05. Successor Trustee.** Any bank or trust company into which the Trustee may be merged, or with which it may be consolidated or any bank or trust company resulting from any such merger or consolidation, ipso facto, shall be and become successor trustee hereunder and vested with all of the title to the whole property or trust estate and all the trusts, powers, discretions, immunities, privileges, and all other matters as was its predecessor, without the execution or filing of any instrument or any further act, deed or conveyance on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding; provided, however, that such successor trustee shall have capital and surplus of at least \$75,000,000, and provided that the Issuer approves the successor trustee.

**Section 10.06. Resignation by Trustee.** The Trustee and any successor trustee may at any time resign from the trusts hereby created by giving thirty (30) days written notice to the Issuer and the registered owners of the Bonds, and such resignation shall take effect at the end of such thirty (30) days, or upon the earlier appointment of a successor trustee by the bondowners or by the Issuer. Such notice may be served personally or sent by registered mail or other acceptable standard, including facsimile.

**Section 10.07. Removal of Trustee; Sale of Trust Business.** The Trustee may be removed at any time by an instrument or concurrent instruments in writing delivered to the Trustee and to the Issuer and signed by the owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of Bonds outstanding hereunder. The Trustee may be removed by the Issuer at any time if a successor trustee has been appointed.

In the case of the sale of all or substantially all of the Trustee's trust business to another bank or trust company, the Issuer shall have the absolute right, at its sole discretion, to appoint a successor trustee pursuant to Section 10.08 hereof.

**Section 10.08. Appointment of Successor Trustee.** In case the Trustee hereunder shall resign or be removed, or be dissolved, or shall be in course of dissolution or liquidation, or otherwise become incapable of acting hereunder, or in case it shall be taken under the control of any public officer or officers, or of a receiver appointed by the court, a successor may be appointed by the Issuer by an instrument executed and signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk under its seal. Every such successor trustee shall be a trust company or bank in good standing, having capital and surplus of not less than \$75,000,000.

**Section 10.09. Successor Trustee Qualifications.** Every successor appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to its predecessor and also to the Issuer an instrument in writing accepting such appointment hereunder, and thereupon such successor trustee, without any further act or conveyance, shall become fully vested with all the estates, properties, rights, powers, trusts, duties and obligations of its predecessor; but such predecessor shall nevertheless, on the written request of the Issuer or of its successor trustee, execute and deliver an instrument transferring to such successor all the estate, properties, rights, powers and trusts of such predecessor hereunder; and every predecessor trustee shall deliver all securities, moneys and any other property held by it as trustee hereunder to its successor. Should any instrument in writing from the Issuer be required by a successor trustee for more fully and certainly vesting in such successor the estates, rights, powers and duties hereby vested or intended to be vested in the predecessor trustee, any and all such instruments in writing shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the Issuer. The resignation of any trustee and the instrument or instruments removing any trustee and appointing a successor hereunder, together with all other instruments provided for in this Article shall, at the expense of the Issuer, be forthwith filed and/or recorded by the successor trustee in each recording office where the Indenture shall have been filed and/or recorded.

**Section 10.10. Right of Trustee to Pay Taxes and Other Charges.** In case the Issuer shall fail seasonably to pay or to cause to be paid any tax, assessment or governmental or other charge upon any part of the property herein conveyed, to the extent, if any, that the Issuer may be liable for same, the Trustee may pay such tax, assessment or governmental charge, without prejudice, however, to any rights of the Trustee or the bondowners hereunder arising in consequence of such failure; and any amount at any time so paid under this Section, with interest thereon from the date of payment at the rate of ten percent (10%) per annum, shall be repaid by the Issuer upon demand, and shall become so much additional indebtedness secured by this Indenture, and the same shall be given a preference in payment over any of the Bonds and shall be paid out of the proceeds of revenues collected from the property herein conveyed, if not otherwise caused to be paid by the Issuer, but the Trustee shall not be under obligations to make any such payment unless it shall have been requested to do so by the owners of at least ten percent (10%) of the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds outstanding hereunder and shall have been provided with adequate funds for the purpose of such payment.

**Section 10.11. Trustee Protected in Relying Upon Resolutions, etc.** The resolutions, opinions, certificates and other instruments provided for in this Indenture may be accepted and relied upon by the Trustee as conclusive evidence of the facts and conclusions stated therein and shall be full warrant, protection and authority to the Trustee for the payment and withdrawal of cash hereunder.

**Section 10.12. Trustee Which Has Resigned or Been Removed Ceases to be Paying Agent.** In the event of a change in the office of Trustee, if the Trustee is the Paying Agent, the former Trustee which has resigned or been removed shall cease to be Paying Agent.

**Section 10.13. Paying Agent's Fees and Charges.** There shall be paid reasonable Paying Agent's fees and charges of the Paying Agent for handling the payment of the principal of, premium (if any) and interest on the Bonds, and funds sufficient to pay the same shall be deposited with the Paying Agent prior to the dates on which payments are required to be made on principal and interest.

**Section 10.14. Appointment of Co-Trustee or Separate Trustee.** The Issuer and the Trustee shall have power to appoint and upon the request of the Trustee the Issuer shall for such purpose join with the Trustee in the execution of all instruments necessary or proper to appoint another corporation or one or more persons approved by the Trustee, either to act as co-trustee or trustees jointly with the Trustee of all or any of the property subject to the lien hereof, or to act as separate trustee or trustees of all or any such property, with such powers as may be provided in the instrument of appointment and to vest in such corporation or person or persons as such separate trustee or co-trustee any property, title, right or power deemed necessary or desirable. In the event that the Issuer shall not have joined in such appointment within fifteen days after the receipt by it of a request so to do the Trustee alone shall have the power to make such appointment. Should any deed, conveyance or instrument in writing from the Issuer be required by the separate trustee or co-trustee so appointed for more fully and certainly vesting in and confirming to him or to it such properties, rights powers, trusts, duties and obligations, any and all such deeds, conveyances and instruments in writing shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the Issuer. Every such co-trustee and separate trustee shall, to the extent permitted by law, be appointed subject to the following provisions and conditions, namely:

(1) The Bonds shall be authenticated and delivered, and all powers, duties, obligations and rights conferred upon the Trustee in respect of the custody of all money and securities pledged or deposited hereunder, shall be exercised solely by the Trustee; and

(2) The Trustee, at any time by an instrument in writing, may remove any such separate trustee or co-trustee.

Every instrument, other than this Indenture, appointing any such co-trustee or separate trustee, shall refer to this Indenture and the conditions of this Article X expressed, and upon the acceptance in writing by such separate trustee or co-trustee, it shall be vested with the estate or property specified in such instrument, jointly with the Trustee (except insofar as local law makes it necessary for any separate trustee to act alone), subject to all the trusts, conditions and provisions of this Indenture. Any such separate trustee or co-trustee may at any time, by an instrument in writing, constitute the Trustee as its agent or attorney, to the extent authorized by law, to do all acts and things and exercise all discretion authorized or permitted by it, for and on behalf of it and its name. In case any separate trustee or co-trustee shall die, become incapable of acting, resign or be removed, all the estates properties, rights, powers, trusts, duties and obligations of the separate trustee or co-trustee shall vest in and be exercised by the Trustee until the appointment of a new trustee or a successor to such separate trustee or co-trustee.

**Section 10.15. Borrower and Bondholder Rights.** Notwithstanding any provision hereof to the contrary, Borrower and Bondholder may hire a successor Trustee to replace any existing Trustee. Further, upon the written direction of the Borrower and the owners of one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount of the Bonds at the time outstanding and evidence that written notice of such direction has been provided to the Issuer, the Trustee may conclusively rely on such written notice and may take such action as is thereby directed; provided, however, that such action is not in the reasonable judgment of the Trustee to the prejudice of the Trustee.

## **ARTICLE XI. SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURES AND AMENDMENTS TO THE LEASE AGREEMENT**

**Section 11.01. Supplemental Indentures Not Requiring Consent of Bondowners.** The Issuer and the Trustee may, from time to time, without the consent of or notice to the bondholders, and upon the written direction of the Borrower, enter into such indentures supplemental hereto as shall not be inconsistent with the terms and provisions hereof (which supplemental indenture shall hereafter form a part hereof) (a) to cure any ambiguity or formal defect or omission in this Indenture or in any supplemental indenture; or (b) to grant to or confer or impose upon the Trustee for the benefit of the bondowners any additional rights, remedies, powers, authority, security, liabilities or duties which may lawfully be granted, conferred, or imposed; (c) to add to the covenants and agreements of, and limitations and restrictions upon, the Issuer in this Indenture other covenants, agreements, limitations and restrictions to be observed by the Issuer which are not contrary to or inconsistent with this Indenture as theretofore in effect; (d) to confirm, as further assurance, any pledge under, and the subjection to any claim, lien or pledge created or to be created by, this Indenture, of the Revenues of the Issuer from the Lease Agreement or of any other moneys, securities or funds; (e) to comply with the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as from time to time amended; or (f) to modify, alter, amend or supplement this Indenture in any other

respect which, in the opinion of bond counsel, is not materially adverse to the bondholders and which does not involve a change described in clause (a), (b), (c), (d) or (e) of Section 11.02 hereof.

**Section 11.02. Supplemental Indentures Requiring Consent of Bondowners.** Subject to the terms and provisions contained in this Section, and not otherwise, with the written consent of the Borrower, the owners of one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding shall have the right, from time to time, anything contained in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, to consent to and approve the execution by the Issuer and the Trustee of such indenture or indentures supplemental hereto as shall be deemed necessary and desirable by the Bondholder for the purpose of modifying, altering, amending, adding to or rescinding, in any particular, any of the terms or provisions contained in this Indenture or in any supplemental indenture; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall permit or be construed as permitting (a) an extension of the maturity of the principal of or the interest on any Bond issued hereunder, or (b) a reduction in the principal amount of any Bond or redemption premium or the rate of interest thereon, or (c) the creation of any lien ranking prior to or on a parity with the lien of this Indenture on the Trust Estate, except as expressly permitted herein, or (d) a privilege or priority of any Bond or Bonds over any other Bond or Bonds or (e) a reduction in the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds required for consent to such supplemental indenture. Nothing herein contained, however, shall be construed as making necessary the approval of bondowners of the execution of any supplemental indenture as provided in Section 11.01 of this Article.

If at any time the Bondholder or the Borrower shall request the Trustee to enter into any supplemental indenture for any of the purposes of this Section, the Trustee shall, at the expense of the Borrower cause notice of the proposed execution of such supplemental indenture to be mailed by first class mail or sent by other acceptable standard, including facsimile or e-mail, to each owner at his, her or its address on the Bond registration book maintained by the Trustee. Such notice shall be prepared by the Issuer, Bondholder or Borrower and shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed supplemental indenture and shall state that copies thereof are on file at the principal office of the Trustee for inspection by bondowners. The Trustee shall not, however, be subject to any liability to any bondowner by reason of its failure to disseminate such notice, and any such failure shall not affect the validity of such supplemental indenture consented to and approved as provided in this Section. Upon the execution of any such supplemental indenture, this Indenture shall be and be deemed to be modified and amended in accordance therewith.

**Section 11.03. Amendments to the Lease Agreement.** Upon the written request of the Borrower, with written notice to the Issuer in conformity with the Lease Agreement, the Trustee may from time to time, and at any time, consent to any amendment, change or modification of the Lease Agreement for the purpose of curing any ambiguity or formal defect or omission or making any other change therein, which in the reasonable judgment of the Trustee, in reliance on an opinion of bond counsel, is not to the prejudice of the Trustee or the holders of the Bonds. The Trustee shall not consent to any other amendment, change or modification of the Lease Agreement without the approval or consent of the owners of one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount of the Bonds at the time outstanding.

**Section 11.04. Procedure for Amendments.** If at any time the Issuer or the Borrower shall request the Trustee's consent to a proposed amendment, change or modification requiring

bondholder approval under Section 11.03 hereof, the Trustee, shall, at the expense of the requesting party, cause notice of such proposed amendment, change or modification to be sent in the same manner as provided by Section 11.02 hereof with respect to supplemental indentures. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of such proposed amendment, change or modification and shall state that copies of the instrument embodying the same are on file in the principal office of the Trustee for inspection by any interested bondholder. The Trustee shall not, however, be subject to any liability to any bondholder by reason of its failure to mail such notice, and any such failure shall not affect the validity of such amendment, change or modification when consented to by the Trustee in the manner hereinabove provided.

## **ARTICLE XII. MISCELLANEOUS**

**Section 12.01. Consents, etc., of Bondowners.** Any request, direction, objection or other instrument required by this Indenture to be signed and executed by the bondowners may be in any number of concurrent writings of similar tenor and may be signed or executed by such bondowners in person or by agent appointed in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request, direction, objection or other instrument or of the writing appointing any such agent and of the ownership of Bonds, if made in the following manner, shall be sufficient for any of the purposes of this Indenture and shall be conclusive if in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by it under such request or other instrument, namely:

The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such writing may be proved by the certificate of any officer in any jurisdiction that the person signing such writing acknowledged before him the execution thereof, or by any affidavit of any witness to such execution.

**Section 12.02. Limitation of Rights.** With the exception of rights herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or mentioned in or to be implied from this Indenture, or the Bonds issued hereunder, is intended or shall be construed to give to any person other than the parties hereto, and the owners of the Bonds secured by this Indenture, any legal or equitable rights, remedy or claim under or in respect to this Indenture or any covenants, conditions and provisions hereof being intended to be and being for the sole exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and the owners of the Bonds secured as herein provided.

**Section 12.03. Severability.** If any provisions of this Indenture shall be held or deemed to be or shall, in fact, be inoperative or unenforceable as applied in any particular case in any jurisdiction or jurisdictions or in all jurisdictions or in all cases because it conflicts with any provisions of any constitution or statute or rule of public policy, or for any other reason, such circumstances shall not have the effect of rendering the provision in question inoperative or unenforceable in any other case or circumstance, or of rendering any other provision or provisions herein contained invalid, inoperative or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

The invalidity of any one or more phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs in this Indenture contained shall not affect the remaining portions of this Indenture or any part thereof.

**Section 12.04. Notice.** Notices as required in this Indenture shall be considered delivered when posted in United States mail, postage prepaid and addressed as set forth below (or at such other address as may have been provided by the party to all other parties hereto by proper notice):

If intended for the Issuer: CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS  
300 South Church Street  
Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401  
Attention: Mayor

With a copy to: Carol Duncan  
City Attorney  
401 W. Washington Ave.  
Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401  
E-mail: cduncan@jonesboro.org

If intended for the Trustee: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Attn: Corporate Trust Department

If intended for Company: COLSON CASTER, LLC  
2121 Barnhill Road  
Jonesboro, Arkansas 72401  
Attention: \_\_\_\_\_

If intended for the Bondholder: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Attention: \_\_\_\_\_

With a copy to: Such other persons and entities as the  
Bondholder may identify in writing.

**Section 12.05. Arkansas Substantive Law Governs.** This Indenture shall be considered to have been executed in the State and it is the intention of the parties that the substantive law of the State governs as to all questions of interpretation, validity and effect.

**Section 12.06. Uniform Commercial Code.** This Indenture is also a security agreement under the Uniform Commercial Code of the State. The Issuer shall file one or more financing statements and renewals thereof with respect to the security interest granted by this Indenture and file such statements or renewals thereof in the appropriate public office.

**Section 12.07. Counterparts.** This Indenture may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

**Section 12.08. Limitation on Liability.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Indenture to the contrary:

(a) the obligations of the Issuer with respect to the Bonds are not general obligations of the Issuer but are special, limited obligations of the Issuer payable by the Issuer solely from the security for the Bonds;

(b) nothing contained in the Bonds or in this Indenture shall be considered as assigning or pledging any funds or assets of the Issuer other than the Trust Estate;

(c) except with respect to their status as special, limited obligations of the Issuer, payable by the Issuer solely from the security for the Bonds, the Bonds shall not be a debt of the State or of any other political subdivision of the State, and neither the State nor any other political subdivision of the State shall be liable for the payment of the Bonds;

(d) neither the faith and credit of the Issuer, the State nor any other political subdivision of the State are pledged to the payment of the principal or of interest on the Bonds;

(e) neither the revenues nor the property of the Issuer, the State or any other political subdivision of the State are pledged to the payment of the principal or of interest on or as security for the Bonds except as specifically set forth in this Indenture;

(f) no failure of the Issuer to comply with any term, condition, covenant or agreement in this Indenture or in any document executed by the Issuer in connection with the Pledged Property, or the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds shall subject the Issuer to liability for any claim for damages, costs or other charge except to the extent that the same can be paid or recovered from the Trust Estate; and

(g) the Issuer shall not be required to advance any moneys derived from any source other than the Trust Estate for any of the purposes of this Indenture, any of the other bond documents or any of the loan documents, whether for the payment of the principal or redemption price of, or interest on, the Bonds, the payment of any fees or administrative expenses or otherwise.

**Section 12.09. No Personal Liability; No Recourse.** No recourse under or upon any obligation, covenant, warranty or agreement contained in this Indenture or in any Bond, or under any judgment obtained against the Issuer, or the enforcement of any assessment, or any legal or equitable proceedings by virtue of any constitution or statute or otherwise, or under any circumstances under or independent of this Indenture, shall be had against the members of the Issuer's City Council or any of the members, officers, agents or employees of the Issuer, as such, past, present or future of the Issuer, either directly or through the Issuer or otherwise, for the payment for or to the Issuer or any receiver of the Issuer, or for or to the owner of any Bond, or otherwise, of any sum that may be due and unpaid by the Issuer upon any such Bond. Any and all personal liability of every nature whether at common law or in equity or by statute or by constitution or otherwise of the members of the Issuer's City Council or of any such member, officer, agent or employee, as such, by reason of any act or omission on his or her part or otherwise, for the payment for or to the owner of any Bond or otherwise of any sum that may remain due and unpaid upon the Bonds secured by this Indenture of any of them is, by the acceptance of such Bond, expressly waived and released as a condition of

and in consideration for the execution of this Indenture and the issuance of the Bonds. Anything in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, it is expressly understood by the parties to this Indenture that (a) the Issuer may rely exclusively on the truth and accuracy of any certificate, opinion, notice or other instrument furnished to the Issuer by the Trustee or any Bondholder as to the existence of any fact or state of affairs, (b) the Issuer shall not be under any obligation under this Indenture to perform any record keeping or to provide any legal services, it being understood that such services shall be performed or caused to be performed by the Trustee (with respect to record keeping only, and not with respect to any legal services) or by the Bondholders and (c) none of the provisions of this Indenture shall require the Issuer to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise to incur financial liability in the performance of any of its duties or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers under this Indenture, unless it shall first have been adequately indemnified to its satisfaction against any costs, expenses and liability which it may incur as a result of taking such action. No recourse for the payment of any part of the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds or for the satisfaction of any liability arising from, founded upon or existing by reason of the issuance, purchase or ownership of the Bonds shall be had against the members of the Issuer's board of directors or any officer, member, agent or employee of the Issuer, as such, all such liability being expressly released and waived as a condition of and as a part of the consideration for the execution of this Indenture and the issuance of the Bonds. No covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement of the Issuer contained in this Indenture shall be deemed to be a covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement of any present or future member, officer, agent or employee of the Issuer or the members of the Issuer's board of directors in other than that person's official capacity. No member, officer, agent or employee of the Issuer shall be individually or personally liable for the payment of the principal or redemption price of or interest on the Bonds or be subject to any personal liability or accountability by reason of the issuance of the Bonds.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Issuer has caused these presents to be signed in its name and behalf by its Mayor, and, to further evidence its acceptance of the trust hereby created, Issuer has caused these presents to be signed in its name and behalf by its duly appointed officers all as of the day and year first above written.

**CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Harold Copenhaver, Mayor**

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
**April Leggett, City Clerk**

(S E A L)

\_\_\_\_\_, as Trustee

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF ARKANSAS            )  
  ) ss.            **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**  
COUNTY OF CRAIGHEAD    )

On this day, before me, a Notary Public, duly commissioned, qualified and acting, within and for said County and State, appeared in person the within named **HAROLD COPENHAVER** and **APRIL LEGGETT**, being the persons authorized by said municipality to execute such instrument stating their respective capacities in that behalf, to me well known, who stated that they are the Mayor and City Clerk, respectively, of **CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**, an Arkansas municipality, and were duly authorized in their respective capacities to execute the foregoing instrument for and in the name and on behalf of said municipality, and further stated and acknowledged they had so signed, executed and delivered said foregoing instrument for the consideration, uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

\_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public

My commission expires:

\_\_\_\_\_

( S E A L )

STATE OF ARKANSAS     )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF PULASKI    )

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

On this day before me, a Notary Public, duly commissioned, qualified and acting, within and for the State and County aforesaid, appeared in person the within named \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, a banking corporation, to me personally known, who stated that she was duly authorized in her capacity to execute the foregoing instrument for and in the name of \_\_\_\_\_ and further stated and acknowledged that she had signed, executed and delivered the foregoing instrument for the consideration, uses and purposes therein mentioned and set forth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(S E A L)

**Exhibit A**

Form of Initial Bond

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**\$9,000,000**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF ARKANSAS  
\$9,000,000  
CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS  
TAXABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS  
(COLSON CASTER PROJECT)  
SERIES 2022C**

**INTEREST RATE                      MATURITY DATE:                      ISSUE DATE**

\_\_\_\_\_ %                      \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_, 2022

**REGISTERED OWNER:**            [AFFILIATE OF COMPANY]

**PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:**            **NINE MILLION AND No/100 DOLLARS  
(OR THE TOTAL AMOUNT OUTSTANDING AS REFLECTED BY THE  
RECORD OF ADVANCES AND PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ATTACHED  
HERETO)**

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**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That City of Jonesboro, Arkansas, a city of the first class and a political subdivision under the laws of the State of Arkansas (the “**Issuer**”) for value received, promises to pay to the Registered Owner stated above, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, the Principal Amount (stated above) on the Maturity Date (stated above), and to pay in like coin or currency, interest on said Principal Amount from the Issue Date (stated above) until paid as follows:

Interest on the unpaid Principal Amount (i) shall be payable annually on \_\_\_\_\_ of each year, beginning on \_\_\_\_\_, 2022 with the final principal and interest payment due on the maturity date, \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, and (ii) shall accrue from the Issue Date (stated above) at the Interest Rate (stated above) until the Issuer’s obligation with respect to payment of such Principal Amount shall be discharged; provided that, the date of each Advance hereunder shall be the interest commencement date from which the principal amount of such Advance bears interest. Payment of interest shall be by check or draft of \_\_\_\_\_, as Trustee and Paying Agent (the “**Trustee**”), to the Registered Owner as shown on the bond registration book of the Issuer maintained by the Trustee on the fifteenth calendar day of the month preceding the month in which the interest payment date occurs. Payment of principal shall be made at the principal office of the Trustee in Little Rock, Arkansas, upon due surrender of this Bond on the Maturity Date (stated above) if not sooner called for redemption.

This Bond is one of an authorized issue of bonds of the Issuer in the Principal Amount of not to exceed Nine Million and No/100 Dollars (\$9,000,000.00) (the “**Bonds**”) which are issued for the

purpose of providing funds for the making of loans to Colson Caster, LLC (the “**Borrower**”) to finance certain industrial enterprise within the State of Arkansas (the “**Project**”). The Bonds are all issued under and are all equally and ratably secured and entitled to the protection given by a Trust Indenture (the “**Indenture**”), dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, duly executed and delivered by the Issuer to the Trustee. Reference is hereby made to the Indenture and all indentures supplemental thereto for the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security, the issuance of additional series on a parity of security with the Bonds, the rights, duties and obligations of the Issuer, the Trustee and the Registered Owners of the Bonds, and the terms upon which the Bonds are issued and secured. The Bonds are secured by payments to be made by the Borrower pursuant to a Lease Agreement between the Borrower and the Issuer.

This Bond is issued with the intent that the laws of the State of Arkansas will govern its construction.

**THESE BONDS ARE ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 14, CHAPTER 164, SUBCHAPTER 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), AND CONSTITUTE SPECIAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE ISSUER ONLY. IN NO EVENT SHALL THEY CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, OR AN INDEBTEDNESS FOR WHICH THE FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS OR ANY OF ITS REVENUES ARE PLEDGED OR AN INDEBTEDNESS SECURED BY A LIEN OR SECURITY INTEREST IN ANY PROPERTY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS. THE BONDS ARE NOT SECURED BY A PLEDGE OF THE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE ISSUER, NOR THE PLEDGE OF ANY OF ITS REVENUES EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH IN THE INDENTURE.**

This Bond shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any security or benefit under the Indenture until the Certificate of Authentication hereon shall have been signed by the Trustee.

The Issuer hereby covenants that it has been duly organized in accordance with law; and that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond have existed, have happened, and have been performed as required by law.

The Bonds are not general obligations of the Issuer, but are special obligations payable solely from revenues derived from the Project. The Project consists of certain land, buildings, improvements, equipment and facilities which have been leased by the Issuer to the Borrower under the terms of a Lease Agreement which provides for the loan and repayment of moneys in such amounts as shall be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due. Provision has been made in the Lease Agreement for the loan repayments or rental payments to be made directly to the Trustee and deposited in special accounts of the Issuer designated “City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Economic Development Revenue Bond Fund” (the “**Bond Fund**”). Certain Project revenues (including particularly repayments of the loans under the Lease Agreement) have been duly pledged by the Indenture to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds. The Bonds do not constitute an indebtedness of the Issuer within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory limitation.

The owner of this Bond shall have no right to enforce the provisions of the Indenture or to institute action to enforce the covenants therein, or to take any action with respect to any event of default under the Indenture, or to institute, appear in and defend any suit or other proceeding with

respect thereto, except as provided in the Indenture. In certain events, on the conditions, in the manner and with the effect set forth in the Indenture, the principal of all the Bonds issued under the Indenture and then outstanding may be declared and may become due and payable before the stated maturity thereof, together with accrued interest thereon.

Modifications or alterations of the Indenture, or of any indenture supplemental thereto, may be made only to the extent and in the circumstances permitted by the Indenture.

The Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity as follows:

(1) At any time, the Bonds may be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer at the direction of the Borrower, from the proceeds of insurance in the event of major damage or destruction of the Project pursuant to the provisions of the Lease Agreement, or from legal curtailment of the use and occupancy of all or substantially all of such Project for any reason other than condemnation. If called for redemption upon the occurrence of any of the events described in the preceding sentence, this Bond shall be redeemed in whole or in part, in the manner provided in this Bond and the Indenture, at one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

(2) At any time, upon the written direction of the Borrower, the Bond will be redeemed in whole or in part from the proceeds of condemnation of all or substantially all of the Project at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(3) At any time, the Bonds shall be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer with the written consent of the Borrower, from Bond proceeds not needed for construction of the Project, upon written notice to the Trustee at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(4) At any time, the Bonds shall be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer, if the Issuer notifies the Trustee in writing that an event of default has occurred under the Lease Agreement and that it requests a redemption of such Bonds at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(5) The Bonds (or any portion thereof in \$5,000 multiples) will be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Borrower, in whole or in part, on any date, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

Notice of redemption shall be mailed by first class mail or by other acceptable standard, including facsimile or e-mail, to the registered owner of the Bonds addressed to such registered owner at his, her or its registered address and placed in the mails or otherwise sent not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption or such shorter period of time as is acceptable to the Trustee and the owner hereof. Each notice shall specify the numbers and the maturities of the Bonds being called and the date on which they shall be presented for payment. After the date specified in such call, the Bond or Bonds so called will cease to bear interest provided funds for their payment have been deposited with the Trustee, and, except for the purpose of payment, shall no

longer be protected by the Indenture and shall not be deemed to be outstanding under the provisions of the Indenture.

In the event of a partial redemption of this Bond, the Owner hereof, or the Trustee if the Bond is in the Trustee's possession, is authorized to effect a reduction in the face amount of this Bond by making a notation on the payment grid attached hereto in lieu of surrendering this Bond to the Trustee for cancellation and the issuance of a new Bond or Bonds in the amount of the unredeemed portion hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Issuer has caused this Bond to be executed in its name by its Mayor and City Clerk, thereunto duly authorized, with the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor and the manual or facsimile signature of the City Clerk, and the corporate seal to be impressed or imprinted, all as of the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

**CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION**

This Bond is one of the Bonds issued under the provisions of the within mentioned Indenture.

\_\_\_\_\_, as Trustee

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2022

**ASSIGNMENT**

**FOR VALUE RECEIVED** the undersigned hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto

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(Social Security or Federal Taxpayer Identification Number)

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(Please print or typewrite Name and Address, including Zip Code, of Assignee)

the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints the Registrar under the Indenture as Attorney to register the transfer of the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature guaranteed by:

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**NOTICE:**

**SIGNATURE GUARANTEE SHOULD BE MADE BY A GUARANTOR INSTITUTION PARTICIPATING IN THE SECURITIES TRANSFER AGENTS MEDALLION PROGRAM OR IN SUCH OTHER GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCEPTABLE TO THE TRUSTEE.**

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**NOTICE:**

**THE SIGNATURE OF THE REGISTERED OWNER TO THIS ASSIGNMENT MUST CORRESPOND WITH THE NAME AS IT APPEARS ON THE FACE OF THE WITHIN BOND IN EVERY PARTICULAR, WITHOUT ALTERATION OR ENLARGEMENT OR ANY CHANGE WHATSOEVER.**



**Exhibit B**

Form of Bond After Completion Date

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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF ARKANSAS  
CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS  
TAXABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS  
(COLSON CASTER PROJECT)  
SERIES 2022C**

**INTEREST RATE                      MATURITY DATE:                      ISSUE DATE**

\_\_\_\_\_%                      \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_                      \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

**REGISTERED OWNER:**      [AFFILIATE OF COMPANY]

**PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:**      \_\_\_\_\_ AND 00/100 DOLLARS

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**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That City of Jonesboro, Arkansas, a city of the first class and a political subdivision under the laws of the State of Arkansas (the "Issuer") for value received, promises to pay to the Registered Owner stated above, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, the Principal Amount (stated above) on the Maturity Date (stated above), and to pay in like coin or currency, interest on asaid Principal Amount from the Issue Date (stated above) until paid as follows:

Interest on the unpaid Principal Amount (i) shall be payable annually on \_\_\_\_\_ of each year, beginning on \_\_\_\_\_, 2022 with the final principal and interest payment due on the maturity date, \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, and (ii) shall accrue from the Issue Date (stated above) at the Interest Rate (stated above) until the Issuer's obligation with respect to payment of such Principal Amount shall be discharged. Payment of interest shall be by check or draft of \_\_\_\_\_, as Trustee and Paying Agent (the "Trustee"), to the Registered Owner as shown on the bond registration book of the Issuer maintained by the Trustee on the fifteenth calendar day of the month preceding the month in which the interest payment date occurs. Payment of principal shall be made at the principal office of the Trustee in Little Rock, Arkansas, upon due surrender of this Bond on the Maturity Date (stated above) if not sooner called for redemption.

This Bond is one of an authorized issue of bonds of the Issuer in the Principal Amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Bonds") which are issued for the purpose of providing funds for the making of loans to Colson Caster, LLC (the "Borrower") to finance certain industrial enterprise within the State of Arkansas (the "Project"). The Bonds are all issued under and are all equally and ratably secured and entitled to the protection given by a Trust Indenture (the "Indenture"), dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022, duly executed and delivered by the Issuer to the Trustee. Reference is hereby made to the

Indenture and all indentures supplemental thereto for the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security, the issuance of additional series on a parity of security with the Bonds, the rights, duties and obligations of the Issuer, the Trustee and the Registered Owners of the Bonds, and the terms upon which the Bonds are issued and secured. The Bonds are secured by payments to be made by the Borrower pursuant to a Lease Agreement between the Borrower and the Issuer.

This Bond is issued with the intent that the laws of the State of Arkansas will govern its construction.

**THESE BONDS ARE ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 14, CHAPTER 164, SUBCHAPTER 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), AND CONSTITUTE SPECIAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE ISSUER ONLY. IN NO EVENT SHALL THEY CONSTITUTE AN INDEBTEDNESS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, OR AN INDEBTEDNESS FOR WHICH THE FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS OR ANY OF ITS REVENUES ARE PLEDGED OR AN INDEBTEDNESS SECURED BY A LIEN OR SECURITY INTEREST IN ANY PROPERTY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS. THE BONDS ARE NOT SECURED BY A PLEDGE OF THE FULL FAITH AND CREDIT OF THE ISSUER, NOR THE PLEDGE OF ANY OF ITS REVENUES EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH IN THE INDENTURE.**

This Bond shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any security or benefit under the Indenture until the Certificate of Authentication hereon shall have been signed by the Trustee.

The Issuer hereby covenants that it has been duly organized in accordance with law; and that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this Bond have existed, have happened, and have been performed as required by law.

The Bonds are not general obligations of the Issuer, but are special obligations payable solely from revenues derived from the Project. The Project consists of certain land, buildings, improvements, equipment and facilities which have been leased by the Issuer to the Borrower under the terms of a Lease Agreement which provides for the loan and repayment of moneys in such amounts as shall be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due. Provision has been made in the Lease Agreement for the loan repayments or rental payments to be made directly to the Trustee and deposited in special accounts of the Issuer designated “City of Jonesboro, Arkansas Economic Development Revenue Bond Fund” (the “Bond Fund”). Certain Project revenues (including particularly repayments of the loans under the Lease Agreement) have been duly pledged by the Indenture to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds. The Bonds do not constitute an indebtedness of the Issuer within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory limitation.

The owner of this Bond shall have no right to enforce the provisions of the Indenture or to institute action to enforce the covenants therein, or to take any action with respect to any event of default under the Indenture, or to institute, appear in and defend any suit or other proceeding with respect thereto, except as provided in the Indenture. In certain events, on the conditions, in the manner and with the effect set forth in the Indenture, the principal of all the Bonds issued under the Indenture and then outstanding may be declared and may become due and payable before the stated maturity thereof, together with accrued interest thereon.

Modifications or alterations of the Indenture, or of any indenture supplemental thereto, may be made only to the extent and in the circumstances permitted by the Indenture.

The Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity as follows:

(1) At any time, the Bonds may be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer at the direction of the Borrower, from the proceeds of insurance in the event of major damage or destruction of the Project pursuant to the provisions of the Lease Agreement, or from legal curtailment of the use and occupancy of all or substantially all of such Project for any reason other than condemnation. If called for redemption upon the occurrence of any of the events described in the preceding sentence, this Bond shall be redeemed in whole or in part, in the manner provided in this Bond and the Indenture, at one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount thereof, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

(2) At any time, upon the written direction of the Borrower, the Bond will be redeemed in whole or in part from the proceeds of condemnation of all or substantially all of the Project at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(3) At any time, the Bonds shall be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer with the written consent of the Borrower, from Bond proceeds not needed for construction of the Project, upon written notice to the Trustee at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(4) At any time, the Bonds shall be redeemed in whole or in part, at the option of the Issuer, if the Issuer notifies the Trustee in writing that an event of default has occurred under the Lease Agreement and that it requests a redemption of such Bonds at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

(5) The Bonds (or any portion thereof in \$5,000 multiples) will be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Borrower, in whole or in part, on any date, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount being redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

Notice of redemption shall be mailed by first class mail or by other acceptable standard, including facsimile or e-mail, to the registered owner of the Bonds addressed to such registered owner at his, her or its registered address and placed in the mails or otherwise sent not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption or such shorter period of time as is acceptable to the Trustee and the owner hereof. Each notice shall specify the numbers and the maturities of the Bonds being called and the date on which they shall be presented for payment. After the date specified in such call, the Bond or Bonds so called will cease to bear interest provided funds for their payment have been deposited with the Trustee, and, except for the purpose of payment, shall no longer be protected by the Indenture and shall not be deemed to be outstanding under the provisions of the Indenture.

In the event of a partial redemption of this Bond, the Owner hereof, or the Trustee if the Bond is in the Trustee's possession, is authorized to effect a reduction in the face amount of this

Bond by making a notation on the payment grid attached hereto in lieu of surrendering this Bond to the Trustee for cancellation and the issuance of a new Bond or Bonds in the amount of the unredeemed portion hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Issuer has caused this Bond to be executed in its name by its Mayor and City Clerk, thereunto duly authorized, with the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor and the manual or facsimile signature of the City Clerk, and the corporate seal to be impressed or imprinted, all as of the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

**CITY OF JONESBORO, ARKANSAS**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

**CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION**

This Bond is one of the Bonds issued under the provisions of the within mentioned Indenture.

\_\_\_\_\_, as Trustee

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**ASSIGNMENT**

**FOR VALUE RECEIVED** the undersigned hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto

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(Social Security or Federal Taxpayer Identification Number)

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(Please print or typewrite Name and Address, including Zip Code, of Assignee)

the within Bond and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints the Registrar under the Indenture as Attorney to register the transfer of the within Bond on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature guaranteed by:

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**NOTICE:**

**SIGNATURE GUARANTEE SHOULD BE MADE BY A GUARANTOR INSTITUTION PARTICIPATING IN THE SECURITIES TRANSFER AGENTS MEDALLION PROGRAM OR IN SUCH OTHER GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCEPTABLE TO THE TRUSTEE.**

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**NOTICE:**

**THE SIGNATURE OF THE REGISTERED OWNER TO THIS ASSIGNMENT MUST CORRESPOND WITH THE NAME AS IT APPEARS ON THE FACE OF THE WITHIN BOND IN EVERY PARTICULAR, WITHOUT ALTERATION OR ENLARGEMENT OR ANY CHANGE WHATSOEVER.**



Exhibit D

ANNUAL PAYMENT CONFIRMATION

Not to Exceed  
\$9,000,000  
City of Jonesboro, Arkansas  
Taxable Economic Development Revenue Bonds  
(Colson Caster Project)  
Series 2022C

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attn: Corporate Trust  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Pursuant to the Home Office Payment Agreement between the City of Jonesboro, Arkansas (“Issuer”), [Bondholder] (“Bondholder”) and Colson Caster, LLC (“Borrower”), Borrower confirms that the following payments were made and documented in accordance with the referenced documents on the books and records of the Borrower and Bondholder as of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_:

<b><u>Applicable Document</u></b>	<b><u>Type of Payment</u></b>	<b><u>Amount</u></b>
Bond	Accrued Interest	\$ _____ <sup>1</sup>
Lease Agreement	Rent	\$ _____ <sup>2</sup>

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

COLSON CASTER, LLC  
As Borrower

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
<sup>1</sup> Borrower may provide back-up documentation to the Trustee regarding the calculation of the Accrued Interest amount, but it is not required. Interest is calculated at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_% on the outstanding principal balance.

<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to the Lease Agreement, rental payments are equivalent to amounts due with respect to the Bond.