

**RESOLUTION WAIVING CONFLICT OF INTERESTS RELATED TO AHLERS & COONEY, P.C.'S REPRESENTATION OF THE MARSHALLTOWN COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT RELATED TO A LEASE FOR ARNOLD PARK**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Marshalltown utilizes Ahlers & Cooney, P.C. for legal issues pertaining to collective bargaining and employment law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Marshalltown Community School District utilizes Ahlers & Cooney, P.C. for general representation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Marshalltown has presented the Marshalltown Community School District with an updated lease agreement for Arnold Park, which is owned by the District but utilized as a City park; and

**WHEREAS**, Ahlers & Cooney, P.C. has identified a potential conflict of interest by representing the Marshalltown Community School District due to the City of Marshalltown also being a client; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Marshalltown is using Lynch Dallas for this process and is not consulting or obtaining legal advice from Ahlers & Cooney P.C. for the real property exchange.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA**, hereby waives and consents to any actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest associated with Ahlers & Cooney, P.C.'s representation of Marshalltown Community School District and the City of Marshalltown with respect to the above-referenced transaction.

Passed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 2022, and signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of October 2022.

CITY OF MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

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Joel T.S. Greer, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Alicia Hunter, City Clerk