

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MARCH 20, 2024 OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF JERUSALEM, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING GENERAL OBLIGATION SERIAL BONDS TO FINANCE WATER SYSTEM CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN THE TOWN, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN CONTEMPLATION THEREOF, THE EXPENDITURE OF SUMS FOR SUCH PURPOSE, AND DETERMINING OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the Keuka Park Consolidated Water District is a Water District of the Town of Jerusalem, New York, duly established by the Town Board pursuant to the Town Law and, pursuant to a resolution adopted on March 20, 2024, the Town has duly authorized additional facilities therein pursuant to §202-b of the Town Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town, acting as lead agency under the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder ("SEQRA"), has completed its environmental review and, on February 21, 2024, has duly determined and found the purpose to be a type II action which will not have a significant impact on the environment and is not subject to any further environmental review under SEQRA; now therefor, be it

RESOLVED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF JERUSALEM, NEW YORK (hereinafter referred to as the "Town"), by the favorable vote of not less than two-thirds of all of the members of such Board, as follows:

Section 1. The Town of Jerusalem shall undertake certain capital improvements consisting of the acquisition and construction of water improvements for the Keuka Park Consolidated Water District, duly authorized pursuant to Section 202-b of the Town Law, consisting of water main replacement consisting of approximately 5100 feet of 8-inch high density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe, 1400 linear feet of new 12-inch HDPE pipe and 1300 linear feet of new 1-inch HDPE water service pipe, such replacements to take place on Assembly Avenue, Central Avenue, State Route 54A and Lake Avenue, including, without limitation, approximately 50 services to be disconnected from the old main and reconnected to the new water main in the same vicinity as the current services and also provided with a new curb stop and curb box, and the replacement of 8 existing fire hydrants with new hydrants and guard valves in approximately the same location and installation of 15 new valves at water main tee fittings allowing the Town to isolate branches of water main on either side of the tee fittings, and the acquisition of land or rights in land necessary therefor, if any, and the acquisition of original furnishings, equipment, machinery or apparatus, or the replacement of such equipment, machinery or apparatus, and other incidental improvements that may be required in connection therewith for such construction and district use (hereinafter referred to as "purpose"), and general obligation serial bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$1,300,000 of the Town are hereby authorized to be issued to finance said purpose, and bond anticipation notes in

anticipation thereof (and renewals thereof) of the Town are hereby authorized to be issued to finance said purpose.

Section 2. The estimated maximum aggregate cost to the Town of Jerusalem of said purpose, which may include preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and costs of the financing thereof, is estimated to be \$1,300,000, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor. The plan for financing of said purpose is to provide all of such maximum cost by issuance of bonds or bond anticipation notes as herein authorized, to be offset and reduced dollar for dollar by the amount of any grants received, if any.

Section 3. It is hereby determined and declared that (a) said purpose is one of the class of objects or purposes described in Subdivision 1 of Paragraph (a) of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law, and that the period of probable usefulness of said purpose is forty (40) years, (b) the proposed maximum maturity of said bonds authorized by this resolution will be in excess of five years, (c) current funds required to be provided prior to the issuance of the bonds or notes herein authorized, pursuant to Section 107.00 of the Local Finance Law, to the extent applicable, if any, will be provided, (d) the notes herein authorized are issued in anticipation of bonds for an assessable improvement, and (e) there are presently no outstanding bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds.

Section 4. The bonds and notes authorized by this resolution shall contain the recital of validity prescribed in Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and such bonds and notes shall be general obligations of the Town and all the taxable real property in the Town is subject to the levy of *ad valorem* taxes to pay the principal thereof, and interest thereon, without limitation as to rate or amount, subject to applicable statutory limitations, if any, sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 5. It is hereby determined and declared that the Town reasonably expects to reimburse the general fund, or such other fund as may be utilized, not to exceed the maximum amount authorized herein, from the proceeds of the obligations authorized hereby for expenditures, if any, from such fund that may be made for the purpose prior to the date of the issuance of such obligations. This is a declaration of official intent under Treasury Regulation §1.150-2.

Section 6. The power to further authorize the sale, issuance and delivery of said bonds and notes and to prescribe the terms, form and contents of said bonds and notes, including, without limitation, the consolidation with other issues, the determination to issue bonds with substantially level or declining annual debt service, all contracts for, and determinations with respect to, credit or liquidity enhancements, if any, and to sell and deliver said bonds and notes, subject to the provisions of this resolution and the provisions of the Local Finance Law, including without limitation, the authority to determine whether to accept bids electronically to the extent allowed by the Local Finance Law, is hereby delegated to the Town Supervisor, the Town's chief fiscal officer. The Town Supervisor and the Town Clerk or Deputy Clerk are hereby authorized to sign

by manual or facsimile signature and attest any bonds and notes issued pursuant to this resolution, and are hereby authorized to affix to such bonds and notes the corporate seal of the Town of Jerusalem.

Section 7. The faith and credit of the Town of Jerusalem, New York, are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds and notes as the same respectively become due and payable. Such bonds and notes shall be payable from a levy on real property in such district benefitted or user charges therefor, in the manner provided by law, but if not paid from such source, all the taxable real property in the Town is subject to the levy of *ad valorem* taxes to pay the principal thereof, and interest thereon, without limitation as to rate or amount, subject to applicable statutory limitations, if any, sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes. An annual appropriation shall be made in each year sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such obligations becoming due and payable in such year.

Section 8. This resolution, or a summary hereof, shall be published in full by the Town Clerk of the Town of Jerusalem together with a notice in substantially the form prescribed by Section 81.00 of said Local Finance Law, and such publication shall be in each official newspaper of the Town, in the manner prescribed by law. The validity of said bonds or of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds may be contested only if such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which said Town is not authorized to expend money, or the provisions of law which should be complied with, at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or if said obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 9. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.