



## RESOLUTION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FUND

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENTRY INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT RELATING TO THE “WISCONSIN INVESTMENT SERIES COOPERATIVE” AND AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE INVESTMENT PROGRAMS OF THE FUND**

**WHEREAS**, Wisconsin school districts, technical college districts, cities, villages, counties and towns may invest their monies as authorized by Wisconsin Statutes, Section 66.0603 (1m); and

**WHEREAS**, Wisconsin Statutes, Section 66.0301 (the “Intergovernmental Cooperation Act”) provides, among other things, that municipalities may contract with other municipalities for the joint exercise of any power or duty required or authorized by law, including investment of their monies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Wisconsin Investment Series Cooperative (formerly known as the Wisconsin School District Liquid Asset Fund) (the “Fund”) was formed as of June 23, 1988 pursuant to the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act by the adoption of an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement relating to the Wisconsin School District Liquid Asset Fund by Oregon School District and Sheboygan Area School District, as the initial participants of the Fund, which Agreement was amended as of July 15, 1994 and July 12, 2002 (the “Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Fund is governed by the Wisconsin Investment Series Cooperative Commission (the “Commission”) in accordance with the terms of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement has been presented to this governing body (the “Governing Body”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement authorizes municipalities to adopt and enter into the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement and become participants of the Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body deems it to be advisable for this Municipality (the “Municipality”) to adopt and enter into the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement and become a participant of the Fund for the purpose of exercising jointly with other municipalities the power to invest their monies, so as to enhance the investment earnings accruing to each; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body deems it to be advisable for this Municipality to make use from time to time, in the discretion of the officials of the Municipality identified in Section 2 of this Resolution, of the Fixed Rate Investment Program available to participants of the Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body deems it advisable for this Municipality to make use of, from time to time, the services provided by PMA Financial Network, LLC, PMA Securities, LLC, BMO Bank, National Association, and/or their affiliates and successors, in connection with the Municipality’s utilization of the Fund.

#### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** This Municipality shall join with other Wisconsin municipalities in accordance with the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act by becoming a participant of the Fund and adopting and entering into the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement. A copy of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement shall be filed in the minutes of the meeting at which this Resolution was adopted. The President (Chairperson) (Mayor) and the Clerk (Secretary) are authorized to take such actions and execute any and all such documents as they may deem necessary and appropriate to effectuate the entry of this Municipality into the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement and to utilize Fund programs through PMA Financial Network, LLC, PMA Securities, LLC, BMO Bank, National Association, and/or their affiliates and successors.

**Section 2.** This Municipality is authorized to invest its available monies from time to time and to withdraw such monies from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement, including investment in the fixed-income program of the Fund through the intermediaries PMA Financial Network, LLC and PMA Securities, LLC. The following officers and officials of this Municipality and their respective successors in office each are designated as “Authorized Officials” with full power and authority to effectuate the investment and withdrawal of monies of this Municipality from time to time in accordance with the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement and pursuant to the Fixed Rate Investment Program available to participants of the Fund: (List the name(s) and title(s) of the officer(s) and official(s) who will be authorized to invest and withdraw monies in and from the Fund and pursuant to the Fixed Rate Investment Program. You may have any number of Authorized Officials; attach an additional list if necessary.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

***The Clerk (Secretary) shall advise the Commission of any changes in Authorized Officials in accordance with procedures established by the Commission.***

**Section 3.** Members of this Governing Body and officials of this Municipality are authorized to serve as Commissioners of the Commission from time to time if selected as such pursuant to the provisions of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement.

**Section 4.** This Municipality may open depository accounts, enter into wire transfer agreements, safekeeping agreements, and lockbox agreements, or other applicable or related documents with BMO Bank, National Association, and any other institutions participating in the Fund programs or programs of PMA Financial Network, LLC and PMA Securities, LLC, pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes, Section 34.05, Wisconsin Statutes, Section 120.12(7) (if applicable) and, when directed by one of the Authorized Officials, Wisconsin Statutes, Section 66.0603. PMA Financial Network, LLC and/or PMA Securities, LLC are authorized to act on behalf of this Municipality as its agent with respect to such accounts and agreements.

**Section 5.** Credit unions, banks, savings banks, trust companies and savings and loan associations authorized to transact business in the State of Wisconsin which qualify as depositories under Wisconsin law and are included on a list approved and maintained for such purpose by the Administrator of the Fund are designated as depositories of this Municipality pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes, Section 120.12(7) (if applicable) and Wisconsin Statutes, Section 34.05. Monies of this Municipality may be deposited in such depositories, from time to time in the discretion of the Authorized Officials, pursuant to the Fixed Rate Investment Program available to participants of the Fund through the intermediary PMA Financial Network, LLC.

It is hereby certified that *(insert name of the Municipality)*

\_\_\_\_\_ duly adopted the Model Resolution at a duly convened meeting of the Governing Body of the Municipality held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and that such Resolution is in full force and effect on this date, and that such Resolution has not been modified, amended, or rescinded since its adoption.

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**Signature of Clerk (Secretary)**

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**Date**

It is only necessary to adopt this resolution for the first account (master account) opened by your entity.

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Attach original signed Resolution to Master Account Application and mail to:  
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