### DEED OF EASEMENT

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENT that **DANIEL A. WATTS AND DARLENE E. WATTS** (the "**Grantors**"), for One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, which Grantors acknowledges receipt and sufficiency, given by the **CITY OF GAHANNA**, **OHIO**, a municipal corporation, (the "**Grantee**"), whose tax mailing address is 200 South Hamilton Road, Gahanna, Ohio 43230, does forever grant to Grantee, its successors and assigns, a Drainage Easement over and through the following described real estate and shown on Exhibits "A and B" attached hereto and made a part hereof:

## Property: 1.000 Acres +/-

Property is situated in the State of Ohio, County of Franklin, City of Gahanna, and further being described in the attached, **Exhibit A**, which is fully incorporate and made a part hereof.

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

The Drainage Easement is granted for the purpose of constructing, using and maintaining a storm sewer and drainage works in any part of the above described parcel of land, including the right to clean, repair and care for the said storm sewer and drainage works, together with the right of access to the above-described parcel of land for the said purpose. The Drainage Easement shall be subject to the following conditions:

- The Drainage Easement will not limit or restrict the landowner's use of the property provided such use is compliant with the City's zoning and/or other applicable property ordinances and regulations.
- 2. The landowner will submit plans for any installation within the Drainage Easement that it desires to make to the City for approval.

- 3. The City will give the landowner reasonable notice of not less than three (3) days, if reasonably practicable, prior to commencement of any work on the storm sewer and drainage works.
- 4. That the storm sewer and drainage works subject to the Drainage Easement shall be kept in good order and condition by the City of Gahanna.
- 5. That during whatever construction, reconstruction, maintenance, or repair work is or becomes necessary with respect to said storm sewer and drainage works, so much of the surface or subsurface of the property as may be disturbed, will at the expense of the City be substantially replaced in the same condition as it was prior to such disturbance.
- 6. The City will hold harmless **DANIEL A. WATTS AND DARLENE E. WATTS** from any loss, damage, injury or liability resulting from the City's negligence in connection with any work involved in constructing, maintaining or caring for the storm sewer and drainage works.
- 7. No charges will be made against the property or landowner for the cost of construction, maintenance, repair or care for the storm sewer and drainage works in the Drainage Easement.
- 8. In the event all or any portion the property subject to this Drainage Easement becomes portion(s) of public streets, in the proceedings for acquisition of the property needed for such streets, whether by purchase, dedication, condemnation, etc., said property shall be considered the same as if this Drainage Easement had not been executed and/or as if any rights granted by the Drainage Easement had not been exercised.
- 9. This Deed of Drainage Easement and all of its provisions are covenants forever (i) burdening, benefitting and running with the land of the Property in its chain-of-title, and (ii) inuring and binding to the benefit and detriment of Grantors and Grantee and their respective, applicable beneficiaries, heirs, administrators, executors, successors, and assigns.
- 10. Grantors forever release and discharge Grantee from all just compensation claims under the Ohio Constitution, Article 1, Section 19, arising from granting the Property to Grantee. Grantors agree this section survives the termination of this Deed of Easement or any reversion of the Property.
- 11. Grantee (i) intends to immediately utilize the Property for storm sewer and drainage works purposes upon Grantors' execution of this Deed of Easement, and (ii) will subsequently accept, dedicate, and name the Property as a drainage easement.

## **GRANTORS' EXECUTION**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Grantor, who represents and warrants personally possessing legal authority and capacity to acknowledge this Deed of Easement, does voluntarily acknowledge this Deed of Easement on the effective date below.

DANIEL A. WATTS
By: Warriet a. Walls
Print Name: Dance La Walls
Print Title: home OWains
DARLENE E. WATTS  By: White E Watts  Print Name: Dar ene E Watts  Print Title: Watts
State of Ohio )
Be it remembered on <u>January 17</u> , 20 <u>3</u> I affixed my seal evidencing this instrument was acknowledged before me by <u>Danlere Watts</u> .
JILL A. WEBB Notary Public

Notary Public

Commission Expiration Date: 6-34-3035

Approved as to Form by:

Raymond Mularski – Gahanna City Attorney

State of Ohio

My Comm. Expires June 24, 2025

200 South Hamilton Road Gahanna, Ohio 43230

## DESCRIPTION OF A DRAINAGE EASEMENT NORTH SIDE OF E. JOHNSTOWN ROAD WATTS PROPERTY CITY OF GAHANNA, OHIO

Situated in the State of Ohio, County of Franklin, City of Gahanna, being a strip of land located within that 1-acre tract as described in a deed to Daniel A. and Darlene E. Watts, of record in Instrument Number 199710080114885, Recorder's Office, Franklin County, Ohio and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of said 1-acre tract and in the northerly right-of-way line of E. Johnstown Road, 30feet from centerline;

Thence along said right-of-way line with the arc of a curve to the right, having a radius of 543.50 feet, a central angle of 18°30'43", an arc length of 175.60 feet, the chord of which bears South 67°47'48" West, a chord distance of 174.84 feet to the southwesterly corner of said 1-acre tract;

Thence North 6°07'40" West, along the westerly line of said 1-acre tract, a distance of 10.07 feet to a point;

Thence through said 1-acre tract with the arc of a curve to the left, having a radius of 533.50 feet, a central angle of 18°41'51", an arc length of 174.10 feet, the chord of which bears of North 67°34'31" East, a chord distance of 173.33 feet to a point in the easterly line of said 1-acre tract;

Thence South 15°10'48" East, along said easterly line, a distance of 10.43 feet to the place of beginning.

This description was prepared by IBI Group, based on information obtained from an actual field survey of the premises performed in March 2021.

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# DRAINAGE EASEMENT EXHIBIT

DANIEL & DARLENE WATTS E. JOHNSTOWN ROAD GAHANNA, OHIO



