

## PROMISSORY NOTE

**\$500,000**  
**July 1, 2016**

**The Village of Ashville**  
**CQ39T**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned (the "Recipient") promises to pay to the order of the Ohio Public Works Commission (hereinafter the "Lender," which term shall include any holder hereof), at its office located at **65 E. State Street, Suite 312, Columbus, OH 43215**, or at such other place as the holder hereof may, from time to time, designate in writing, the principal sum of **Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (US\$500,000)**, or so much thereof as shall be advanced by Lender and remain unpaid, together with all costs herein provided and interest from the first day in January or July following project completion and thereon until said amounts have been paid in full at a rate equal to **Zero percent (0.00%)** per annum, or the "Default Rate" (as hereinafter defined), as the case may be.

Principal and interest due under this Note shall be payable as follows:

The first payment due hereunder shall be made on the last business day in January or the first day in July following the date of project completion, whichever date first occurs, which date shall be referred to herein as the "Initial Payment Date."

After the Initial Payment Date, principal and interest shall be due and payable in equal consecutive semi-annual installments commencing on the last business day in January or July 1 following the Initial Payment Date (the "Second Payment Date") and continuing on the last business day in January and July 1 thereafter until maturity. Subject to adjustment as provided herein, the amount of each such semi-annual installment of principal and interest shall be the amount which would fully amortize the unpaid principal balance of the indebtedness evidenced by this Note as of the Second Payment Date, such amortization to be based upon (i) an amortization period of **Thirty years (30)** commencing on the Second Payment date, except for a zero (0) percent loan which would commence on the Initial Payment Date and (ii) interest being calculated on the basis of thirty (30) day calendar months in a 360 day year; provided that in the event the Lender makes additional disbursements following the Second Payment Date, the amount of the semi-annual installments of principal and interest required hereunder shall be increased to the amount it would take to fully amortize this Note based upon (i) the new principal balance and (ii) the above-referenced amortization period, less the number of years (or parts thereof) which have elapsed since the Second Payment Date. The unpaid principal sum of this Note and all accrued and unpaid interest and other charges hereunder shall be payable in full on the Maturity Date which would be either the last business day in January or July 1 following the loan term. The Recipient acknowledges that if the semi-annual payments set forth above do not fully amortize this Note, the payment due on the Maturity Date will be a balloon payment, consisting of (i) all accrued and unpaid interest and other charges and (ii) the entire unpaid principal balance hereof.

If Recipient shall fail to make any payment hereunder when due, and the same is not corrected within thirty (30) days, then the amount of such default shall bear interest thereafter at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum (the "Default Rate") from the date of the default until the date of the payment thereof, and the entire principal hereof then remaining unpaid, together with all accrued interest and other charges, shall, at the Lender's option, become immediately due and payable and/or the Lender by and through its Director may, in the Director's sole and complete discretion and in accordance with Section 164.05 of the Ohio Revised Code, direct the county treasurer of the county in which the Recipient is located to pay the amount due hereunder from funds which would otherwise be appropriated to the Recipient from such county's undivided local government fund pursuant to Section 5747.51 to 5747.53 of the Revised Code. The Lender may exercise this option to direct the county treasurer to pay the amount due from the local government fund without any notice or demand during any default by Recipient regardless of any prior forbearance. The lender shall be entitled to collect all costs incurred by the Lender in curing such default, including, but not limited to court costs and reasonable attorney fees from a suit brought to collect this Note. In addition, if the Lender exercises its option to direct the county treasurer to pay the amount due from the local government fund, the Lender shall be entitled to collect all reasonable costs and expenses of any efforts by the Lender to collect the amount due from the local government fund, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees. Lender may, at its option, delay in or refrain from exercising some or all of its rights and remedies without prejudice thereto and regardless of any prior forbearance.

The Recipient and any endorser, guarantor and surety now or hereafter liable for the payment of the principal or interest due on this Note, or any part thereof, does hereby expressly agree that any renewal, extension or modification of the terms of the Project Agreement including the terms or the time for the payment of any part of this Note may be made or extended without notice and without releasing or otherwise affecting liability of said parties on this Note.

**NOTE: If a project completion report is not received within sixty (60) days from the estimated project completion date the project may be terminated at the sole discretion of the Director. Upon notification of termination a revised amortization schedule will be provided based on the actual amount of OPWC financial assistance borrowed. After project termination no further disbursement activity will be allowed.**

The waiver by Lender or failure to enforce any other term, covenant or condition of this Note, or the Project Agreement and all appendices thereto or to declare any default hereunder or thereunder, shall not operate as a waiver of any subsequent default or affect the right of Lender to exercise any right or remedy not expressly waived in writing by Lender. The unenforceability or invalidity of any one or more provisions of this Note shall not render any other provision herein contained unenforceable or invalid.

This Note and all of the Project Agreement and all Appendices thereto have been executed and delivered in the State of Ohio and shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio. Any notice to the Recipient provided for in this Note shall be given by mailing such notice by certified mail, addressed to the Recipient at the following address: **200 Station Street East , Ashville, OH 43103**. Any notice to the Lender shall be given by mailing such notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the Lender at the address of the Lender as may have been otherwise designated by notice to the Recipient.

This Note was executed in **Pickaway** County, Ohio. The Recipient represents that it has received all of the necessary approvals from its legislative or authorizing body to execute and deliver this Note to the Lender.

By:   
**April Grube/Fiscal Officer**  
**The Village of Ashville, Ohio**