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RESOLUTION NO. 2025-18

WHEREAS, a request has been made by the Chariton Township Trustees through the County Engineer to vacate a county road as shown in Exhibit A and described as follows:

That portion of North Street in Iconium with a Right-of-Way width of 40 feet, beginning 305 feet north of the Center of Section 5, Township 70N, Range 18W at the intersection of said North Street and State Street (175th Avenue) and west 30 feet to the west Right-of-Way line of State Street to the point of beginning; thence 20 feet each side of the centerline of North Street west 251 feet to the end of existing Right-of-Way, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Center of Section 5, Township 70 North, Range 18 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Appanoose County, Iowa, and proceeding thence North 01°03'33" West along the East line of said Northwest Quarter a distance of 285.00; thence South 88°56'27" West a distance of 30.00 feet to the Point of Beginning lying on the West Right of Way line of State Street (175th Avenue); thence South 88°56'27" West a distance of 251.00 feet; thence North 01°03'33" West a distance of 40.00 feet; thence North 88°56'27" East a distance of 251.00 feet; thence South 01°03'33" East a distance of 40.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, said tract containing 0.23 acres, more or less.

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of April 2025 notice of said hearing was sent by certified mail to the affected property owners, all utility companies whose facilities are on the road right-of-way and the Iowa Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, on the 16th day of April 2025 a Notice of Public Hearing for the proposed road vacation was published in the Moravia Union and Appanoose Weekly, newspapers of general circulation in the County where said road is located; and

WHEREAS, a hearing was held by the Appanoose County Board of Supervisors on the 21st of April 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Appanoose County Board of Supervisors have determined that provisions of Chapter 306 of the Iowa Code have been met; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined to in the best interest of the County and the affected property owners that the County not purchase the vacated road, but instead transfer said road to the adjoining property owners by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the adjoining property owners are:

Michael and Renea Thompkins Dan and Deanna Blackford Iconium Cemetery

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Appanoose County Board of Supervisors the above-described road is hereby vacated and ownership of same is transferred to the adjoining property owners.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 21st day of April 2025.

Signed Appanoose County Board of Supervisors

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Dustin Harvey, Member

Scott Buban, Member

ATTEST:

Kelly Howard, County Auditor

Exhibit A

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