State of Iowa
Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship
DIVISION OF SOIL CONSERVATION AND WATER QUALITY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, _____

of _____ as **PRINCIPAL,**

and _____

of _____ as **SURETY(S),**

are hereby held and firmly bound unto the State of Iowa in the penal sum of

_____ _____ /100 Dollars ($_____.____)

for the payment, whereof, the said **PRINCIPAL** and **SURETY(S)** bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of this obligation are such that whereas the **PRINCIPAL** is herewith submitting to the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship, Division of Soil Conservation and Water Quality, hereinafter called the **DIVISION** its sealed contract for the following:

Nutrient Reduction Wetland Project
Section 36, Township 84 North, Range 24 West, Story County, Iowa
Project ID: Sto842436B
Bid No. 26-18

NOW THEREFORE,
the conditions of this obligation are such that, if said proposal is rejected by the **DIVISION**, or if said proposal is accepted by the **DIVISION** and the **PRINCIPAL** shall enter into a contract in the form specified by the **DIVISION** in accordance with the terms of the Proposal and Schedule of Prices (Document CC) and shall furnish a bond for the faithful performance of said contract in the form specified by the **DIVISION**, this obligation shall be null and void. Otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect.

In the event that the said proposal is accepted by the **DIVISION** and the **PRINCIPAL** fails to enter into the contract as defined herein or fails to furnish the performance bond as noted above, within fourteen (14) days of the approval of the award, the **PRINCIPAL** and **SURETY(S)** agree to forfeit to the **DIVISION** the penal sum herein mentioned, it being understood that the liability of the SURETY(S) shall in no event exceed the penal sum or this obligation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
the above bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this _____ day of _____, 20_____, the name and corporate seal of each party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative pursuant to authority of its governing body.

PRINCIPAL	**SURETY**
By_____	By _____
_____	_____
	Print Name:
_____	

If a partnership, all partners must sign.

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