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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA WITH RESPECT TO NOT TO EXCEED \$40,000,000 OF PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY REVENUE BONDS (RESEARCH TRIANGLE INSTITUTE), SERIES 2024

Notice is hereby given that on June 24, 2024, a public hearing as required by Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), will be held by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Durham, North Carolina (the "Board of Commissioners") with respect to the proposed issuance by the Public Finance Authority (the "Authority") of its Revenue Bonds (Research Triangle Institute), Series 2024, in one or more series (the "2024 Bonds"), in an amount not to exceed \$40,000,000. The hearing will commence at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, and will be held in the Board of Commissioners' Chambers located on the second floor of the Administration Building, 200 East Main Street, Durham, North Carolina 27701.

The 2024 Bonds are expected to be issued pursuant to Section 66.0304 of the Wisconsin Statutes, as amended, by the Authority, a commission organized under and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 66.0301, 66.0303 and 66.0304 of the Wisconsin Statutes, as amended, and the proceeds from the sale of the 2024 Bonds will be loaned to Research Triangle Institute, a North Carolina non-profit corporation (the "Borrower"), and used to (1) finance, including through reimbursement, the acquisition and installation of cloud-based enterprise resource planning software (the "Project") and (2) pay certain costs incurred in connection with the issuance of the 2024 Bonds.

The Project is or will be owned and operated by the Borrower. The Project is or will be accessed through the principal office of the Borrower, which is located at 3040 Cornwallis Road, Durham, North Carolina 27709.

The 2024 Bonds will be special limited obligations of the Authority payable solely from the funds paid by the Borrower to the Authority and are secured by collateral furnished or caused to be furnished by the Borrower.

The public hearing will provide an opportunity for all interested persons to express their views, both orally and in writing, on the proposed issuance of the 2024 Bonds and the financing of the Project. Any person interested in the issuance of the 2024 Bonds may appear and be heard or submit written comments. Any person wishing to submit written comments regarding the proposed issuance of the 2024 Bonds, the Project or any matter related thereto should do so prior to June 20, 2024, by mailing such written comments to the Clerk to the Board of Commissioners, 200 East Main Street, 2nd Floor, Historic Courthouse, Durham, North Carolina 27701. This notice is given pursuant to the provisions of Section 147(f) of the Code and Section 66.0304(11)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes and Section 4 of the Amended and Restated Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement Relating to the Authority. Additional information concerning the Project may be obtained from the Borrower at its mailing address of 3040 Cornwallis Road, Durham, North Carolina 27709. Dated: June 12, 2024 /s/ Monica W. Wallace Clerk to the Board of Commissioners County of Durham, North Carolina IPL0177843 Jun 12 2024

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
 COUNTY OF WAKE, COUNTY OF DURHAM**

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of Dallas County, Texas, duly commissioned and authorized to administer oaths, affirmations, etc., personally appeared Tara Pennington, who being duly sworn or affirmed, according to law, doth depose and say that he or she is Accounts Receivable Specialist of the News & Observer Publishing Company, a corporation organized and doing business under the Laws of the State of North Carolina, and publishing a newspaper known as The News & Observer, Wake and State aforesaid, the said newspaper in which such notice, paper, document, or legal advertisement was published was, at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all of the requirements and qualifications of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and that as such he or she makes this affidavit; and is familiar with the books, files and business of said corporation and by reference to the files of said publication the attached advertisement for Sonna J Greene was inserted in the aforesaid newspaper on dates as follows:

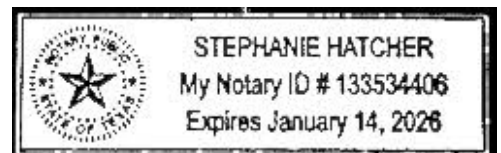
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Tara Pennington

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Stephanie Hatcher

Notary Public in and for the state of Texas, residing in Dallas County



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