

CONTRACT TO PURCHASE AGRICULTURAL LAND

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This agreement is ent Seller(s) Leonard L. V		Leonard T. Walds	chmidt and Kathryn J. Waldschn	nidt Grantor Irrevocable Trust
		Zip_	, and Buyer(s)	
Address			Zip	Mailing . who
Contract(s) to purchas Parcel Identification N attached) including an None	umber(s): —Part of 13-08-300-(y improvements, and the follow	001—and legally ving listed fixtures	known as: Farmland, Bell Plain T v described as: See Exhibit A located thereon:	ownship, Marshall County, Illinois, (or see legal description
(or see inventory attac	hed) which shall be left in and i	upon said premise	es, subject to reasonable wear a	nd tear. (the "Property")
1. CONTRACT SA	LES PRICE AND TERMS		X'O'	
Purchase Price			\$	
or <u>121.39</u> surveyed	acres at \$/acre	е	\$	
Earnest Money Depo	osit		\$	
Balance Due at Clos	ing subject to adjustments prov	rided herein	\$	
2. METHOD OF PA	YMENT: (Check Applicable S	Statements)		
X A. Cash				
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4.	REAL ESTATE TAXES	- Drainage T	axes and S	pecial Assessment
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- C. The Property **is** / **is not (strike one)** subject to a carbon credit program or carbon sequestration agreement which shall be assigned by Seller to Buyer at Closing.

14. TITLE EVIDENCE

Upon acceptance of this Contract, Seller shall within a reasonable period furnish at Seller's expense: (Check appropriate statement).

- An abstract of title continued within 30 days before final payment hereunder, showing merchantable title of record to said

 Property in the Seller or the party who will execute the transactional instrument on Seller's behalf, according to the Rules and standards of the Bar of the County in which said Property is located, or
- X A commitment and an Owners Title Guaranty Policy issued by a Company licensed to issue the same in the State of Illinois for the amount of the purchase price. Seller shall pay the initial title search charge and title insurance premium. Buyer shall pay the search charge as to Buyer, the cost of mortgagee's title insurance policy, if any, and the cost of all necessary endorsements to the title insurance policy. Buyer and Seller shall furnish immediately upon request all information legally required for financing or transfer of title.

Policy subject only to the following: (a) all taxes and special assessments now a lien, levied, or confirmed after the date hereof, (b) building, use and occupancy or restrictions, if any, which do not unreasonably interfere with Buyer's intended use of the property, (c) zoning laws and ordinances, (d) easements of record or in place affecting the Property, if any, which do not unreasonably interfere with Buyer's intended use of the property, (e) drainage ditches, feeders and laterals, if any, (f) conveyances or reservations of coal, minerals and mining rights, if any, of record, (g) mortgage or other lien that may be eliminated at closing by application of the purchase price, (h) rights of tenants in possession if any, and (i) matters which can only be discovered by a survey of the Property.

Buyer or his attorney shall within 10 business days after receiving such title evidence, deliver to Seller or his attorney, together with such evidence, a report in writing specifying any objections made to the title. In case such title evidence is not delivered to Buyer or his attorney within a reasonable time, or material objections made to the title in such report are not cured with sixty (60) days after such report is so delivered, this Contract shall, at Buyer's option, be void and all earnest money shall be returned to Buyer. Buyer may, nevertheless, elect to take such title as it then is, and may deduct from the purchase price the amounts of liens and encumbrances and, in such case, the Seller shall convey the Property as agreed.

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15. PERFORMANCE

In the event of default by either party under the terms of the Contract, the non-defaulting party shall have all rights and remedies available in law and equity. If either Buyer or Seller brings an action against the other with the respect to the Contact, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees, costs and expenses from the non-prevailing party.

16. COMMISSION

Seller shall be responsible for any real estate brokerage commission owed to a listing broker utilized by Seller.
17. EARNEST MONEY ESCROW:
The earnest money funds shall be held in escrow for the mutual benefit of the Parties by Sellers / Buyers (strike one) Broker / X_Other agreed to party, namely, Marshall County Title Company_, as "Escrowee". Initial Earnest Money of \$ shall be tendered to Escrowee on or before 3 (three)_ days after Date of Acceptance for the mutual benefit of the parties, and shall be disbursed according to the terms of this Contract.
18. INTEREST BEARING TRUST ACCOUNT (check if applicable)
Escrow Agent is directed to deposit trust funds hereunder in an interest bearing account with the interest thereon accruing for the benefit of the In the event of default by the Buyer, any accrued interest on funds so held shall be treated as an additional earnest money and shall be disbursed according to the terms of Paragraphs 16 and 20 of this agreement.
19. TAX DEFERRED EXCHANGE (check if applicable <u>X</u>)
Seller X and/or Buyer X may elect to perform an Internal Revenue code Section 1031 tax deferred exchange with respect to the transfer of the Property, and in such event, each party agrees to cooperate in such exchange and take all steps reasonably necessary to allow its completion; provided, however, the party electing such exchange shall hold the other party harmless from and against any and all claims, costs, liabilities, expense or delays in time resulting from such an exchange.
20. DUAL AGENCY CONFIRMATION (check if applicable)
The undersigned confirm that they have previously consented to("Licensee") acting as a Dual Agent in providing brokerage services on their behalf and specifically consent to Licensee acting as a Dual Agent in regard to the transaction referred to in this document.
Seller-Client initials: Seller-Client initials:
Buyer-Client initials: Buyer-Client initials:
21. RETURN OF EARNEST MONEY
In the event that the transaction does not close and the Escrowee is holding earnest money in its escrow account on behalf of the Buyer and Seller, said earnest money will be returned or held by Escrowee in accordance with the following terms:
 A. Escrowee holding the earnest money shall give 30 days written notice to the parties to the transaction as to the Escrowee's proposed distribution of the earnest money;
B. Written notice to the parties shall be given either by personal delivery or sent via U.S. Mail, first class with postage fully paid addressed to the parties at their respective addresses as appear above in this Contract. Notice sent by U.S. Mail shall be deemed to be delivered on the third business day after being deposited in the mail;
C. If the Escrowee does not receive an objection to its proposed distribution within said 30 day time frame, it shall be considered that the Buyer and Seller agree with the Escrowee's proposed distribution, and Escrowee shall distribute the proceeds in the manner set forth in the Escrowee's notice.
Buyer and Seller acknowledge that as long as Escrowee returns earnest money in accordance with the above written procedures and in accordance with the 30 day notice given by Escrowee, this Contract provision is considered as written consent to disburse said earnest money funds. In the event that the Buyer and the Seller fail to reach an agreement regarding dispersal of the earnest money, the escrow agent is authorized to file an interpleader action, and the parties agree that the escrow agent will be reimbursed from the earnest money for all costs including reasonable attorney's fees.

22. GENERAL CONDITIONS AND STIPULATIONS

- A. Time shall be considered to be of the essence of this Contract. The warranties and agreement herein contained shall extend to and be obligatory upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the parties hereto. If there be more than one Seller or Buyer, the word "Seller" or "Buyer" wherever used herein shall, respectively, be construed to mean Sellers and Buyers, and the necessary grammatical plural changes shall in all cases be assumed as though in each case fully expressed.
- B. All notices and demands herein required or given hereunder shall be in writing. The mailing of any such notice or demand by mail to the Seller or to the Buyer at their respective addresses hereinbefore set forth shall be considered sufficient service as of three (3) days after mailing. If there is more than one Seller or Buyer hereunder, the mailing of such notice or demand to any one Seller or Buyer at said respective addresses shall be considered to be sufficient service on all such Sellers and Buyers respectively. Notice may also be sent by facsimile to the Seller or Buyer at the facsimile number indicated on the signature page of this Contract.
- C. THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGE THAT IT IS ILLEGAL TO REFUSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, AGE, RELIGION, SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, CREED, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL HANDICAP, NATIONAL ORIGIN, ANCESTRY, MARITAL OR FAMILIAL STATUS, UNFAVORABLE MILITARY DISCHARGE OR DISCHARGE STATUS, ORDER OF PROTECTION STATUS, OR OTHER CLASS PROTECTED BY ARTICLE 3 OF THE ILLINOIS HUMAN RIGHTS ACT
- D. This Contract contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereof and supersedes all oral agreement regarding the subject matter of this Contract and may only be amended or altered in writing signed by all parties.
- E. Seller and Buyer agree to provide all information necessary to complete and execute all documents and perform all actions necessary to comply with the following: (a) Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974; (b) Internal Revenue Service Form 1099S; (c) Section 445 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended (which deals with the citizenship of the Seller; (d) a mutually agreeable summary of the closing transaction and (e) all laws, statutes, ordinances and regulations applicable to the transaction.
- F. Facsimile copies, Electronic copies and signatures on this Contract shall be as valid as an originally signed Contract.
- G. Counterpart Signatures: This Agreement may be signed in counterparts, which together shall constitute one agreement. If the Agreement is signed in counterparts, no signatory hereto shall be bound until all parties named below have duly executed, or caused to be duly executed, a counterpart of this Agreement.
- H. The parties intend this Contract to be governed by the laws of the State of Illinois.

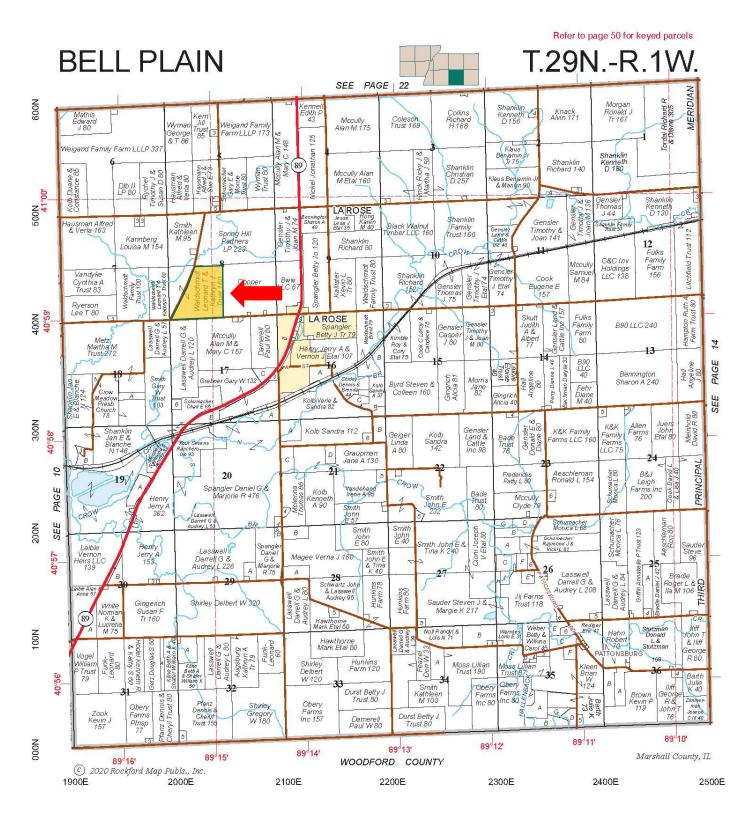
23. CONTRACT ACCEPTANCE PERIOD

This Offer shall be accepted by Selle become null and void at the option of t	_	am / pm on, 20	or this Offer shall
Seller does hereby accept the foregoin	ng Contract this	, 20	
Seller (initials) and/orappropriate disclosure is required to a		tly a licensed real estate broker in the state of Illinois and real estate transaction.	ıd understands
Buyer Signature	Date	Seller Signature – Leonard Waldschmidt, Trustee	Date
Buyer Signature	Date	Seller Signature	Date
Buyer Phone Number		Seller Phone Number	
Buyer Email Address	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Seller Email Address	

	Kyle M. Tompkins
Attorney Name	Attorney Name
	401 Main St., Suite 1400, Peoria, IL 61602-1258
Attorney Address	Attorney Address
Attorney Phone Number	309-637-1400 Attorney Phone Number
Attorney Email Address	ktompkins@hgsuw.com_ Attorney Email Address
	aforementioned earnest money and agrees that said funds shall be held an going Contract, and all parties shall receive copies of same.
Escrowee Acceptance of Earnest Money	
By Agent	
Address	16CNIC
Address	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Real Estate Brokers for this transaction are:	
Hertz Real Estate Services Listing Broker	Hertz Real Estate Services Listing Broker
By Agent - Spencer Smith	By Agent - <u>Brian Massey</u>
700 West Bridge St., PO Box 467 Address	Address
Monticello, IL 61856	Monticello, IL 61856
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217-762-9881 Phone ##5-0#	217-762-9881
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Exhibit A
Pin Number: Part of 13-08-300-001



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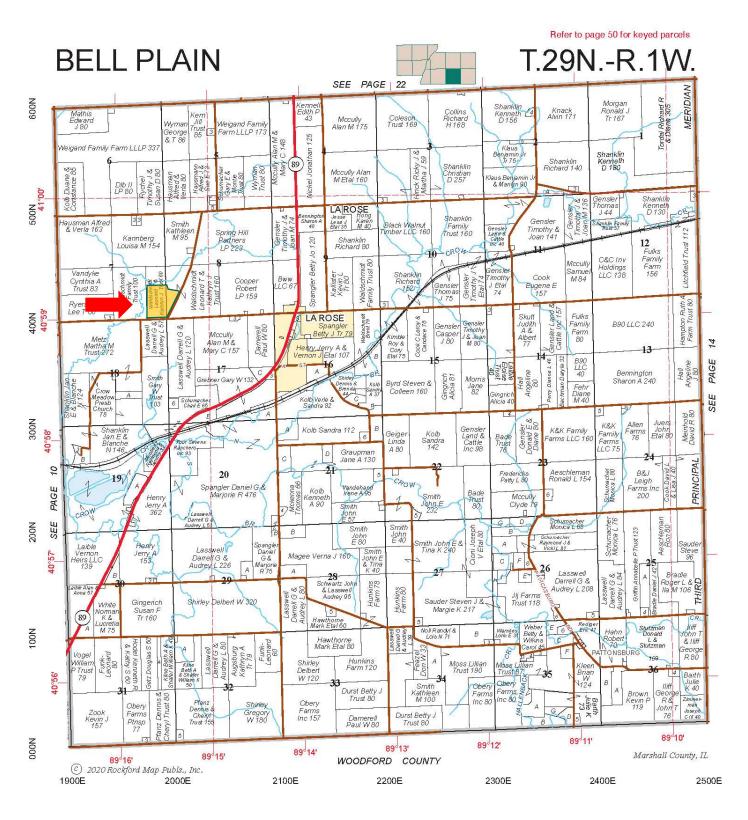
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Buyer Signature	Date	Seller Signature – Leonard Waldschmidt, Trustee	Date
Buyer Signature	Date	Seller Signature	Date
Buyer Phone Number		Seller Phone Number	
Buver Email Address		Seller Email Address	

	Kyle M. Tompkins
Attorney Name	Attorney Name
	401 Main St., Suite 1400, Peoria, IL 61602-1258
Attorney Address	Attorney Address
Attorney Phone Number	309-637-1400 Attorney Phone Number
	ktompkins@hgsuw.com
Attorney Email Address	Attorney Email Address
The undersigned Escrowee acknowledges receipt of the a disbursed by Escrowee according to the terms of the forego	forementioned earnest money and agrees that said funds shall be held and ing Contract, and all parties shall receive copies of same.
Escrowee Acceptance of Earnest Money	
By Agent	
Address	
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Email Address	
Real Estate Brokers for this transaction are:	
Hertz Real Estate Services	Hertz Real Estate Services
Listing Broker	Listing Broker
By Agent - Spencer Smith	By Agent - Brian Massey
700 West Bridge St., PO Box 467	700 West Bridge St., PO Box 467
Address	Address
Monticello, IL 61856	Monticello, IL 61856
Address	Address
217-762-9881	217-762-9881
Phone #/Fax #	Phone #/Fax #
SpencerS@Hert.ag	BrianM@Hertz.ag Email Address
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Exhibit A
Pin Number: Part of 13-07-400-002 and 13-08-300-001



Seller's Initials ______Buyer's Initials _____Buyer's Initials _____



CONTRACT TO PURCHASE AGRICULTURAL LAND

REALTORS® Land Institute Illinois Chapter

This is a legally binding contract. If you do not understand it, seek legal advice.

	nent is entered into between: eonard L. Waldschmidt, as Trus	stee of the Leonard T. Wald	schmidt and Kathryn J. Waldsc	hmidt Grantor Irrevocable Trust
	ress		, and Buyer(s)	_
Address			Zip	Mailing . who
Contract(s) Parcel Ident description a	to purchase the following descrification Number(s): —Part of 13 attached) including any improventory attached) which shall be leading.	3-07-400-02 & 13-08-300-00 ements, and the following lis	known as: Farmland, Bell Plain 1—and legally described asted fixtures located thereon:	Township, Marshall County, Illinois, See Exhibit A (or see legal
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The 2023 real estate taxes, special assessments due and payable in 2024 have been paid by Seller.

The 20<u>24</u> real estate taxes, special assessments due and payable in 20<u>25</u> shall be paid by <u>Seller</u>, unless agreed upon otherwise in writing. If payment is the responsibility of the Seller, Buyer shall promptly forward any tax bills received to Seller at 1992 County Road 400N, Varna, IL 61375.

If Buyer receives a credit at closing based upon the agreement of the parties, payment of said taxes shall be responsibility of the Buyer.

5. CROPS AND EXPENSES:

Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the Landowner share of the crop or 100 % of the total cash rent for the 2024 crop year. Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the Landowner share of the crop or 100 % of the total cash rent for the 2025 crop year. Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall pay 100 % of the Landowner's share of the 2024 crop expenses.

Seller / **Buyer** (strike one) shall pay 100 % or \$_---_ of the Landowner's share of the 2025 crop expenses, incurred prior to closing, which shall be applied as a credit to Seller at closing.

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- A. Buyer agrees to continue to honor any existing government agricultural program contracts affecting the **real estate described above**, and agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Seller for any damage Seller may sustain by reason of any failure of Buyer to keep or perform any of the covenants and obligations provided to be kept or performed under the terms and conditions of any such contracts by Seller.
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None		
None		

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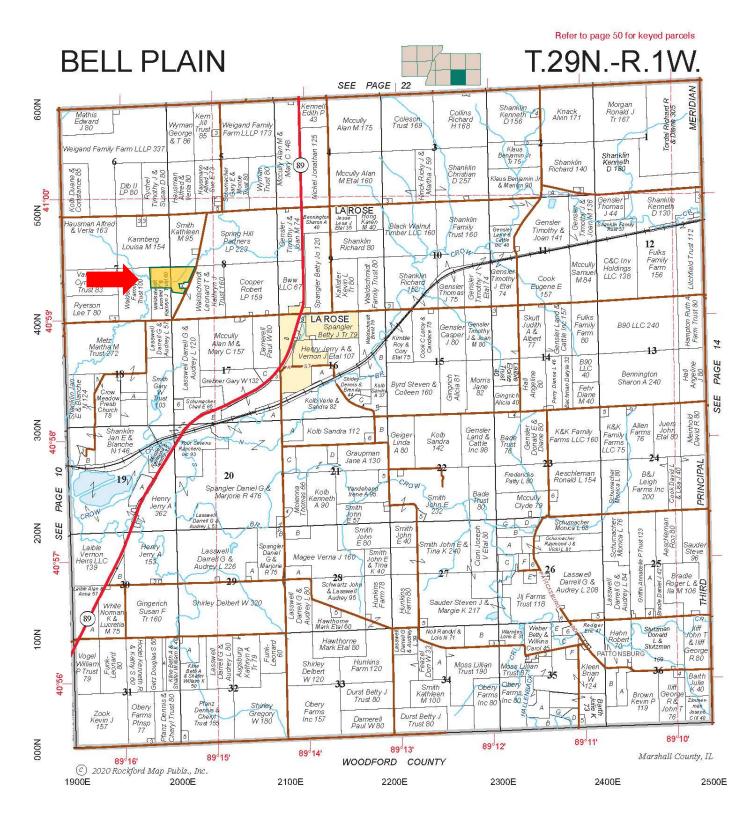
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Buyer Signature	Date	Seller Signature	Date
Buyer Phone Number		Seller Phone Number	
Buyer Email Address		Seller Email Address	

·	Kyle M. Tompkins
Attorney Name	Attorney Name
·	401 Main St., Suite 1400, Peoria, IL 61602-1258
Attorney Address	Attorney Address
Att. Di Ni I	309-637-1400
Attorney Phone Number	Attorney Phone Number
	ktompkins@hgsuw.com
Attorney Email Address	Attorney Email Address
The undersigned Escrowee acknowledges receipt of the disbursed by Escrowee according to the terms of the foregon	aforementioned earnest money and agrees that said funds shall be held and oing Contract, and all parties shall receive copies of same.
Escrowee Acceptance of Earnest Money	
By Agent	
	x '0
Address	
, 144, 155	
Address	18C/1
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Phone Number	
Email Address	
Real Estate Brokers for this transaction are:	▼
Hertz Real Estate Services	Hertz Real Estate Services
Listing Broker	Listing Broker
By Agent - Spencer Smith	By Agent - <u>Brian Massey</u>
	by Agent - <u>Bhan Massey</u>
700 West Bridge St., PO Box 467	700 West Bridge St., PO Box 467
Address	Address
Monticello, IL 61856	Monticello, IL 61856
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217-762-9881	217-762-9881
Phone #/Fax #	Phone #/Fax #
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SpencerS@Hert.ag Email Address	BrianM@Hertz.ag Email Address
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THIS IS A LEGALLY BINDING CONTRACT. IF NOT UNDERSTOOD, SEEK LEGAL ADVICE. IT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES AND MAY NOT BE CHANGED EXCEPT BY THEIR WRITTEN CONSENT BY BOTH PARTIES.

Exhibit A
Pin Number: 13-07-400-002 & 13-08-300-001



Seller's Initials Buyer's Initials Buyer's Initials



CONTRACT TO PURCHASE AGRICULTURAL LAND WITH IMPROVEMENTS REALTORS® Land Institute Illinois Chapter

(This is a legally binding contract. If you do not understand it, seek legal advice.)

This agreement is entered into between: Seller(s)_Leonard L. Waldschmidt, as Trustee of the Le	oonard T Waldsch	amidt and Kathryn I Waldschm	idt Grantor Irrovocabla Trust
Mailing Address	Zip	, and Buyer(s)	Mailing
Address		Zip	, who
Contract(s) to purchase the following described real es	tate commonly kn	own as: 433 Crow Rd., Varna	, IL_, Parcel Identification
Number(s): Part of 13-08-300-01 and legally d		<u>e Exhibit A</u> (or see legal de	escription attached) including
any improvements, and the following listed fixtures local	ated thereon:		
House, Grain Bins, and Outbuildings (or see inventory attached) which shall be left in and u	oon said promises	subject to reasonable wear an	d tear (the "Property")
(or see inventory attached) which shall be left in and di	Jon Salu premises	, subject to reasonable wear an	d tear. (the Troperty)
1. CONTRACT SALES PRICE AND TERMS		\$	
Purchase Price			
or <u>2.82</u> surveyed acres at \$/acre			
Earnest Money Deposit		\$	
Balance Due at Closing subject to adjustments provide	ded herein	\$	
2. METHOD OF PAYMENT: (Check Applicable St	atements)		
X A. Cash: (No financing required - cer	tified cashier's che	eck or wired funds)	
B. Financing:			
1. This Contract is contract.	ontingent upon the	e ability of the Buyer to obtain	a commitment for an ()
			_% of purchase price, for a term
not less thanyears	nd all carnest man	, 20 If such a	commitment is not so obtained, provided that Buyer has made
a diligent effort to obtain su	ch a mortgage loa	n within the time specified abov	a, provided that buyer has made
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2. This Contract is c	ontingent upon B	uyer and Seller signing a Cont	ract for Deed with the principal
balance of \$, ar	nd interest at the	rate of% for the term of	years, amortized over
years with in cash at time	payments of s	- \$ (or more) for pr	incipal and interest balance of
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C. Contingency Sale:			
This contract shall be	contingent u	oon the closing of the	sale of the Seller/Buyer's
If Calley/Division	<u> real estate </u>	to	on or before , and so notifies Seller/Buyer
thereof on or before such date in wr	IS UNADIC tO CIOS iting then this con	tract shall terminate and shall b	_, and so notifies Seller/Buyer
In such case the Seller /Buyer sh			or no farther force and effect.
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3. CLOSING AND POSSESSION			
This Contract shall be closed on or before October 30) 2024 or at such	other time as may be mutually	agrand in writing Passassion is
subject to the right of any tenants in possession. The			
before October 30 , 2024. Seller will / will not (strik			
following fall harvesting, to enter the farm Property for	the purpose of per		
fertilizer and lime, soil conservation practices and soil t	esting.		
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The writ	20 <u>2</u> ing. N, V	3 real estate taxes, special assessments due and payable in 2024 have been paid by <u>Seller</u> . 4 real estate taxes, special assessments due and payable in 2025 shall be paid by <u>Seller</u> , unless agreed upon otherwise in If payment is the responsibility of the Seller, Buyer shall promptly forward any tax bills received to Seller at 1992 County Road arna, IL 61375. receives a credit at closing based upon the agreement of the parties, payment of said taxes shall be responsibility of the Buyer.
	•	OPS AND EXPENSES
Sel Sel Sel	l er / l er /	Buyer (strike one) shall receive the Landowner share of the crop or% of the total cash rent for the 20 crop year. Buyer (strike one) shall receive the Landowner share of the crop or% of the total cash rent for the 20 crop year. Buyer (strike one) shall pay% of the Landowner's share of the 20 crop expenses. Buyer (strike one) shall pay% or \$ of the Landowner's share of the 20 crop expenses, incurred prior to
6.	GO	VERNMENT AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM PAYMENTS
	A	Buyer agrees to continue to honor any existing government agricultural program contracts affecting the real estate described above, and agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Seller for any damage Seller may sustain by reason of any failure of Buyer to keep or perform any of the covenants and obligations provided to be kept or performed under the terms and conditions of any such contracts by Seller.
	В.	Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the landowner share of ARC/PLC government program payments for the 20 crop-year.
_		Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the landowner share of ARC/PLC government program payments for the 20 crop-year.
	C.	Current Tenant/ shall receive the landowner share of ARC/PLC government program payments for the 20 crop yearSeller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the landowner share of government conservation program payments for the 20
		crop year. Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall receive the landowner share of government conservation program payments for the 20 crop year. Current Tenant / shall receive the landowner share of government conservation program payments for the 20 crop year.
	– D.	Other Government program payments: (If applicable note program name(s), recipient, and crop year below.):
7.	LE/	ASE ASSIGNMENT / TERMINATION
	A.	There is / is not (strike one) currently a tenant in possession of the Property. Seller shall / shall not (strike one) be responsible for the assignment of the current farm lease with the tenant in possession of the Property to the Buyer.
	B.	Seller shall / shall not (strike one) be responsible for the termination of the rights of any tenant in possession of the Property If Seller is responsible, then Buyer shall have the right to demand satisfactory evidence that the rights of all parties to possession have been terminated.
8.	AT	TORNEY REVIEW (check if applicable)
by pro terr refu	their pose ninat inde	ties shall have until 5:00 p.m. Central Time on
9.	СО	NVEYANCE
	A.	At closing Seller shall convey and transfer the Property to Buyer by Warranty Deed, Trustee's Deed, appropriate assignment, or other similar acceptable instrument of conveyance, which instrument shall be subject to the exceptions permitted herein, releasing homestead. At the same time the balance of the purchase price then due shall be paid and all documents relative to the transaction shall be signed and delivered. In the event the Buyer shall assume an existing indebtedness, cost of such assumption shall be borne by Buyer.
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REAL ESTATE TAXES - Drainage Taxes and Special Assessment

- B. At Closing Seller shall deliver to Buyer a completed Real Estate Transfer Declaration signed by Seller in the form required pursuant to the Real Estate Transfer Tax Act of the State of Illinois. Any transfer tax imposed by the Real Estate Transfer Declaration shall be paid by **Seller** / **Buyer** (strike one).
- C. Recording fees imposed on the recording of the deed shall be paid by Seller / Buyer (strike one).

10. ENVIRONMENTAL

Seller represents, to the best of Seller's knowledge, that during the period of Seller's ownership or control over the Property, Seller has no knowledge or, nor reason to suspect, that there has been any underground storage (or other) tank or any presence, disposal, release, or threatened release of hazardous substances or hazardous wastes on, from or under the Property, by or through Seller, or any other party whatsoever. Seller similarly represents that to the best of Seller's knowledge there was no underground storage (or other) tank, nor any presence, disposal, release or threatened release of hazardous substances or hazardous waste on, from or under the Property prior to Seller's acquisition or ownership or control of the Property. Seller similarly represents that to the best of Seller's knowledge the Property (including underlying soil and ground water conditions) is not in violation of any state, local, federal, municipal or other law, statute, regulation, code, ordinance, decree or order relating to hygienic or environmental conditions, and during Seller's ownership of the premises, no party has stored or disposed of any flammable explosives, radioactive materials, hazardous waste, toxic substances, or other released materials on, under or about the Property.

11. SURVEY (Check if applicable X)

Seller / Buyer (strike one) shall secure a boundary survey by a licensed land surveyor at 100 % Seller's 0 % Buyer's expense, dated within six (6) months prior to Closing. Final Purchase Price will / will not (strike one) be based upon surveyed acres. If the survey shows other than the permissible exceptions described in Paragraph 12, encroachments from adjacent Property, or that improvements are not located within the setback and lot lines, then these shall be considered defects in the title to the Property.

12. TITLE EVIDENCE

Upon acceptance of this Contract, Seller shall within a reasonable period furnish at Seller's expense: (Check appropriate statement).

An abstract of title continued within 30 days before final payment hereunder, showing merchantable title of record to said Property in the Seller or the party who will execute the transactional instrument on Seller's behalf, according to the Rules and standards of the Bar of the County in which said Property are located, or

X A commitment and Owners Title Guaranty Policy issued by a company licensed to issue the same in the State of Illinois for the amount of the purchase price. Buyer shall pay the search charge as to Buyer, the cost of mortgagee's title insurance policy, if any, and the cost of all necessary endorsements to the title insurance policy. Buyer and Seller shall furnish immediately upon request all information legally required for financing or transfer of title.

Policy subject only to the following: (a) all taxes and special assessments now a lien, levied, or confirmed after the date hereof, (b) building, use and occupancy or restrictions, if any, which do not unreasonably interfere with Buyer's intended use of the Property, (c) zoning laws and ordinances, (d) easements of record or in place affecting the Property, if any, which do not unreasonably interfere with Buyer's intended use of the Property, (e) drainage ditches, feeders and laterals, if any, (f) conveyances or reservations of coal, minerals and mining rights, if any, of record, (g) mortgage or other lien that may be eliminated at closing by application of the purchase price, (h) rights of tenants in possession if any, and (i) matters which can only be discovered by a survey of the Property.

Buyer or his attorney shall within 10 business days after receiving such title evidence, deliver to Seller or his attorney, together with such evidence, a report in writing specifying any objections made to the title. In case such title evidence is not delivered to Buyer or his attorney within a reasonable time, or material objections made to the title in such report are not cured with sixty (60) days after such report is so delivered, this Contract shall, at Buyer's option, be void and all earnest money shall be returned to Buyer. Buyer may, nevertheless, elect to take such title as it then is, and may deduct from the purchase price the amounts of liens and encumbrances and, in such case, the Seller shall convey the Property as agreed.

13. MINERAL RIGHTS (check if applicable X)

The Buyer will receive and Seller will convey all of Seller's water, oil, gas, coal and other mineral rights not conveyed of record, and shall execute an appropriate assignment of any existing leases or contracts relating to those rights.

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14. WIND/SOLAR/CARBON CONTRACTS

- A. The Property is / is not (strike one) subject to a wind energy contract, wind energy lease, wind energy option, wind energy easement or similar obligations which shall be assigned by Seller to the Buyer at Closing.
- B. The Property is / is not (strike one) subject to a solar energy contract, solar energy lease, solar energy option, solar energy easement or similar obligations which shall be assigned by the Seller to Buyer at Closing.
- C. The Property is / is not (strike one) subject to a carbon credit program or carbon sequestration agreement which shall be assigned by Seller to Buyer at Closing.

15. CONDITION OF PREMISES

Buyer acknowledges that Buyer is familiar with the Property. Buyer agrees to take the Property in "as is" condition and, except as provided herein, Seller makes no warranties whatsoever. NO WARRANTIES EXIST BEYOND THE DESCRIPTION ON THE FACE HEREOF.

16. RADO	N DISCLOSURE REPORT [Applies only if a residence is being sold].
	Buyer (initials) acknowledges Seller is exempt from providing the Disclosure of Information on Radon Hazards as a
fiduciary.	
17. LEAD-	BASED PAINT TESTING. [Applies only if residence that was constructed prior to January 1, 1978 is being sold]
	Buyer (initials) acknowledges that Seller is exempt from providing disclosures as required under the Residential Real
Property Dis	buyer (initials) acknowledges that Seller is exempt from providing disclosures as required under the Residential Real sclosure Act (765 ILCS 77/1, et seg) as a fiduciary.

18. RESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURE REPORT. [Applies only if a residence is being sold].

Seller shall comply with the Residential Real Property Disclosure Act (765 ILCS 77/1 et seq.), as amended, a copy of which is attached.

19. EQUIPMENT WARRANTY

It is expressly agreed by Buyer and Seller that other than as specifically set forth in this agreement there have been no representations, warranties or guarantees concerning the condition of the plumbing, electrical, heating, air conditioning, water supply, sewers, sewage drainage disposal system, or structural soundness of the Property which is the subject of this agreement. If any of the above described warranties, representations or guarantees are to be made, they may only be made in writing prior to the time set for closing.

20. INSURANCE (DAMAGE BY CASUALTY BEFORE CLOSING)

If prior to closing, the improvements on the Property shall be destroyed or materially damaged by fire or other casualty, Buyers shall have the option of declaring contract void and receiving a refund of the earnest money paid, or of accepting the Property as damaged or destroyed, together with the proceeds of any insurance payable as a result of such destruction or damage, including Seller's deductible, which proceeds the Seller agrees to assign to Buyer. Seller agrees to keep the building on said Property insured at present coverage or \$_____ until possession is given.

21. PERFORMANCE

In the event of default by either party under the terms of the Contract, the non-defaulting party shall have all rights and remedies available in law and equity. If either Buyer or Seller brings an action against the other with the respect to the Contact, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees, costs and expenses from the non-prevailing party.

22. COMMISSION

Seller shall be responsible for any real estate brokerage commission owed to a listing broker utilized by Seller.

23. EARNEST MONEY ESCROW

The earnest money funds shall be held in trust for the mutual benefit of the Parties by Sellers / Buyers (strike one) Broker / _X_ Other agreed to party, namely, _Marshall County Title Company_, as "Escrowee". Initial Earnest Money of \$ should be tendered to Escrowee on or before days after Date of acceptance for the mutual benefit of the parties, and shall disbursed according to the terms of this Contract.	hall I be
24. INTEREST BEARING TRUST ACCOUNT (check if applicable)	

Escrow Agent is directed to deposit trust funds hereunder in an interest bearing account with the interest thereon accruing for the benefit of the ______. In the event of default by the Buyer, any accrued interest on funds so held shall be treated as an additional earnest money and shall be disbursed according to the terms of Paragraphs 24 and 28 of this agreement.

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25.	TAX DEFERRED EXCHANGE (check if applicable)
transfer to allow	X and/or Buyer X may elect to perform an Internal Revenue code Section 1031 tax deferred exchange with respect to the of the Property, and in such event, each party agrees to cooperate in such exchange and take all steps reasonably necessary its completion; provided, however, the party electing such exchange shall hold the other party harmless from and against lall claims, costs, liabilities, expense or delays in time resulting from such an exchange.
26. DU	AL AGENCY CONFIRMATION (check if applicable)
acting a	dersigned confirm that they have previously consented to ("Licensee") as a Dual Agent in providing brokerage services on their behalf and specifically consent to licensee acting as a Dual Agent in to the transaction referred to in this document.
Seller-C	Client initials: Seller-Client initials:
Buyer-C	Client initials: Buyer-Client initials:
27. RE	TURN OF EARNEST MONEY
	vent that the transaction does not close and the Escowee is holding earnest money in its escrow account on behalf of the Buyer ler, said earnest money will be returned or held by the Escrowee in accordance with the following terms:
A.	Escrowee holding the earnest money shall give 30 days written notice to the parties to the transaction as to the Escrowee's proposed distribution of the earnest money;
В.	Written notice to the parties shall be given either by personal delivery or sent via U.S. Mail, first class with postage fully paid addressed to the parties at their respective addresses as appear above in this Contract. Notice sent by U.S. Mail shall be deemed to be delivered on the third business day after being deposited in the mail;
C.	If the Escrowee does not receive an objection to its proposed distribution within said 30 day time frame, it shall be considered that the Buyer and Seller agree with the Escrowee's proposed distribution, and the Escrowee shall distribute the proceeds in the manner set forth in the Broker's notice.
in accordance earnest money	and Seller acknowledge that as long as the Escrowee returns earnest money in accordance with the above written procedures and redance with the 30 day notice given by the Escrowee, this Contract provision is considered as written consent to disburse said money funds. In the event that the Buyer and the Seller fail to reach an agreement regarding dispersal of the earnest, the Escrow agent is authorized to file an interpleader action, and the parties agree that the Escrow agent will be resed from the earnest money for all costs including reasonable attorney's fees.
28. GE	NERAL CONDITIONS AND STIPULATIONS
1.	Time shall be considered to be of the essence of this Contract. The warranties and agreement herein contained shall extend to and be obligatory upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the parties hereto. If there be more than one Seller or Buyer, the word "Seller" or "Buyer" wherever used herein shall, respectively, be construed to mean Sellers and Buyers, and the necessary grammatical plural changes shall in all cases be assumed as though in each case fully expressed.
2.	All notices and demands herein required or given hereunder shall be in writing. The mailing of any such notice or demand by mail to the Seller or to the Buyer at their respective addresses hereinbefore set forth shall be considered sufficient service as of three (3) days after mailing. If there is more than one Seller or Buyer hereunder, the mailing of such notice or demand to any one Seller or Buyer at said respective addresses shall be considered to be sufficient service on all such Sellers and Buyers respectively. Notice may also be sent by facsimile to the Seller or Buyer at the facsimile number indicated on the signature page of this Contract.
3.	THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGE THAT IT IS ILLEGAL TO REFUSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, AGE, RELIGION, SEX, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, CREED, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL HANDICAP, NATIONAL ORIGIN, ANCESTRY, MARITAL OR FAMILIAL STATUS, UNFAVORABLE MILITARY DISCHARGE OR DISCHARGE STATUS, ORDER OF PROTECTION STATUS, OR OTHER CLASS PROTECTED BY ARTICLE 3 OF THE ILLINOIS HUMAN RIGHTS ACT.
4.	This Contract contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereof, and supersedes all oral agreements, regarding the subject matter of this Contract and may only be amended or altered in writing signed by all parties.
5.	Seller and Buyer agree to provide all information necessary to complete and execute all documents and perform all actions necessary to comply with the following: (a) Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974; (b) Internal Revenue Service Form 1099S; (c) Section 445 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended (which deals with the citizenship of the Seller; (d) a mutually agreeable summary of the closing transaction and (e) all laws, statutes, ordinances and regulations applicable to the transaction. The parties intend this Contract to be governed by the laws of the State of Illinois.
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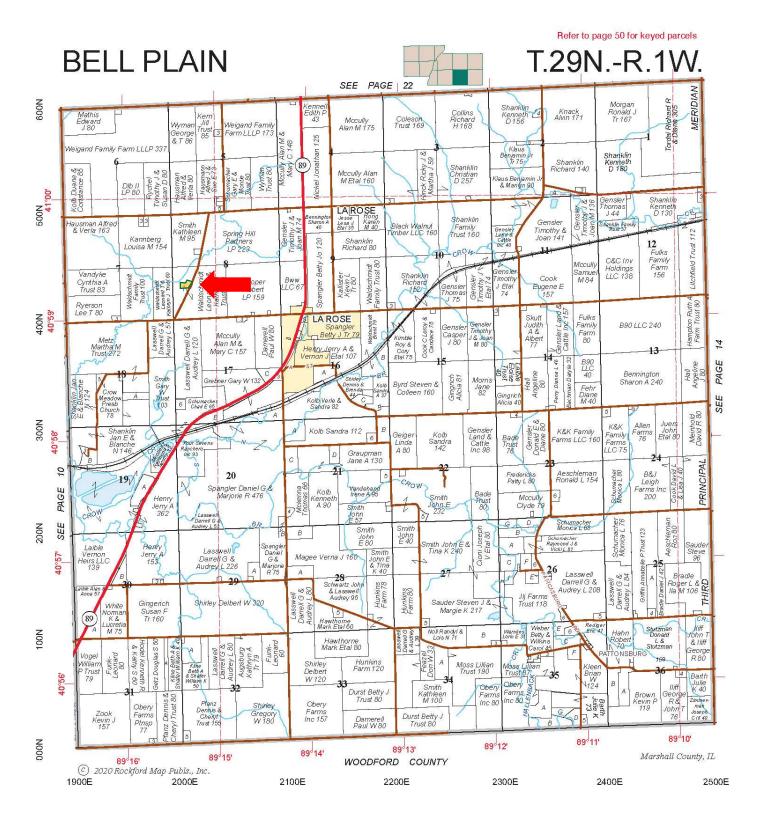
Seller's Initials ______Buyer's Initials _____Buyer's Initials _____

7.	Counterpart Signatures: This Agreement may be signed in counterparts, which together shall constitute one agreement. If this Agreement is signed in counterparts, no signatory hereto shall be bound until all parties named below have duly executed, or caused to be duly executed, a counterpart to this Agreement.						
8.	Illinois' Residential Real Property D previously occupied) to provide but changes since Seller executed the defects, of which Seller becomes	yers with a prescribed disclosure report. In a	disclosure re addition, Sell	eport. Seller ler shall prom	certifies that otly notify Bu	there have b yer in writing	een no material of any material
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Buyer P	hone Number	• 5	Seller Phone	Number			
Buyer E	mail Address		Seller Email	Address			
Attorney	v Name		Kyle M. Tom Attorney Nan				
				, Suite 1400, F	eoria, IL 616	02-1258	
Attorney	Address	F	Attorney Add	ress			
Attorney	Phone Number		309-637-140 Attorney Pho				
Attorney	/ Email Address		ktompkins@ Attorney Ema				

6. Facsimile copies, Electronic copies and signatures on this Contract shall be as valid as an originally signed Contract.

By Agent	
Address	
Address	
Phone Number	
Email Address	70,
Real Estate Brokers for the transaction are:	X'O'
Hertz Real Estate Services Selling Broker	Hertz Real Estate Services Listing Broker
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