

# EXHIBIT A

## De Lage Landen Public Finance LLC

1111 Old Eagle School Road  
Wayne, PA 19087

## Equipment Lease Purchase Agreement

DATED: DECEMBER 1, 20 15

LESSEE	Full Legal Name <b>CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA</b>	Phone Number <b>218-730-5055</b>
	DBA Name (if any)	
	Billing Address <b>411 WEST FURST STREET STE 105</b>	City <b>DULUTH</b>
		Zip <b>55802</b>

EQUIPMENT INFORMATION	Quantity	Model No.	Serial Number	Description (Attach Separate Schedule If Necessary)
				PLEASE SEE ATTACHED EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION AS "EXHIBIT B"
	Equipment Location (if not same as above)			City State Zip

VENDOR	Vendor Name <b>CLUB CAR LLC</b>	Rental Payment Periods: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly <input type="checkbox"/> Semiannually <input type="checkbox"/> Annually	Rental Payments shall be made in accordance with Section 4.01 and the Schedule of Rental Payments attached hereto as Exhibit A.
	Address <b>4125 WASHINGTON RD</b>		
	City <b>EVANS</b>	State <b>GA</b>	Zip <b>30809</b>

### TERMS & CONDITIONS

THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT SET FORTH ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES, INCLUDING ANY EXHIBITS ATTACHED HERETO, SHALL FOR ALL PURPOSES HAVE THE SAME EFFECT AS IF SET FORTH HERE. IN WITNESS OF, Lessor and Lessee have caused this Agreement to be executed in their name by their duly authorized representatives as of the date written above.

LESSOR	Lessor <b>DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC</b>	LESSEE SIGNATURE Lessee <b>CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA</b> Signature _____ Title _____ (Seal) _____ Attest _____ Title _____
	Signature _____	
	Title _____	
	Lease Number <b>100-10094999</b>	

(Terms and Conditions continued on the reverse side of this Agreement.)

### CERTIFICATE OF CLERK OR SECRETARY OF LESSEE

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the officer of Lessee who execute the foregoing Agreement on behalf of Lessee and whose genuine signature appears thereon, is the duly qualified and acting officer of Lessee as stated beneath his or her signature and has been authorized to execute the foregoing Agreement on behalf of Lessee.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

OPINION OF COUNSEL	As legal counsel of Lessee, I have examined (a) the Agreement, which, among other things provides for the sale to and purchase by the Lessee of the Equipment, (b) an executed counterpart of the ordinance or resolution of Lessee which, among other things, authorizes Lessee to execute the Agreement and (c) such other opinions, documents and matters of law as I have deemed necessary in connection with the following opinions. Based on the foregoing, I am of the following opinions: (1) Lessee is a public body corporate and politic, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State, and has a substantial amount of one or more of the following sovereign powers: (a) the power to tax, (b) the power of eminent domain, and (c) police power; (2) Lessee has the requisite power and authority to purchase the Equipment and to execute and deliver the Agreement and to perform its obligations under the Agreement; (3) the Agreement and the other documents either attached thereto or required therein have been duly authorized, approved and executed by and on behalf of Lessee, and the Agreement is a valid and binding obligation of Lessee enforceable in accordance with its terms, except to the extent limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other laws affecting creditor's rights generally; (4) the authorization, approval and execution of the Agreement and all other proceedings of Lessee relating to the transactions contemplated thereby have been performed in accordance with all open meeting laws, public bidding laws and all other applicable state and federal laws; and (5) there is no proceeding pending or threatened in any court or before any governmental authority or arbitration board or tribunal that, if adversely determined, would adversely affect the transactions contemplated by the Agreement or the security interest of Lessor or its assigns, as the case may be, in the Equipment. All capitalized terms herein shall have the same meanings as in the Agreement. Lessor, its successors and assigns, and any counsel rendering an opinion on the tax-exempt status of the interest components of Rental Payments are entitled to rely on this opinion.			
	Signature	Date		
	Name	Phone Number		
	Address	City	State	Zip

## ARTICLE I

**Section 1.01. Definitions.** The following terms will have the meanings indicated below unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

**"Agreement"** means this Equipment Lease Purchase Agreement and any other schedule, exhibit or escrow agreement made a part hereof by the parties hereto, together with any amendments to the Agreement.

**"Code"** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

**"Commencement Date"** is the date when the term of this Agreement and Lessee's obligation to pay rent commence, which date shall be the earlier of (i) the date on which the Equipment is accepted by Lessee in the manner described in Section 5.01, or (ii) the date on which sufficient moneys to purchase the Equipment are deposited by Lessor for that purpose with an escrow agent.

**"Equipment"** means the property described on the front of this Agreement, and all replacements, substitutions, repairs, restorations, modifications, attachments, accessions, additions and improvements thereof or thereto.

**"Event of Default"** means an Event of Default described in Section 12.01.

**"Issuance Year"** is the calendar year in which the Commencement Date occurs.

**"Lease Term"** means the Original Term and all Renewal Terms, but ending on the occurrence of the earliest event specified in Section 3.02.

**"Lessee"** means the entity described as such on the front of this Agreement, its successors and its assigns.

**"Lessor"** means the entity described as such on the front of this Agreement, its successors and its assigns.

**"Maximum Lease Term"** means the Original Term and all Renewal Terms through the Renewal Term including the last Rental Payment date set forth on the Payment Schedule.

**"Net Proceeds"** means the amount remaining from the gross proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award after deducting all expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred in the collection of such claim or award.

**"Original Term"** means the period from the Commencement Date until the end of the fiscal year of Lessee in effect at the Commencement Date.

**"Payment Schedule"** means the schedule of Rental Payments and Purchase Price set forth on Exhibit A.

**"Purchase Price"** means the amount set forth on the Payment Schedule as the Purchase Price for the Equipment.

**"Renewal Terms"** means the optional renewal terms of this Agreement, each having a duration of one year and a term co-extensive with Lessee's fiscal year.

**"Rental Payment Period"** means the period beginning on the day a Rental Payment is due and ending the day before the next Rental Payment is due. The first Rental Payment Period shall begin on the Commencement Date in all cases. If Rental Payment Periods are monthly, subsequent Rental Payment Periods shall begin on the same day of each month after the Commencement Date. If Rental Payment Periods are quarterly, subsequent Rental Payment Periods shall begin on the same day of each third month after the Commencement Date. If Rental Payment Periods are semiannual, subsequent Rental Payment Periods shall begin on the same day of each sixth month after the Commencement Date. If Rental Payment Periods are annual, subsequent Rental Payment Periods shall begin on the anniversary of the Commencement Date in each year. If the Commencement Date is the 29th, 30th, or 31st day of a month, any subsequent Rental Payment Period that would otherwise begin on the 29th, 30th or 31st of a month that does not include such a date shall begin on the last day of the month.

**"Rental Payments"** means the basic rental payments payable by Lessee pursuant to Section 4.01.

**"State"** means the state in which Lessee is located.

**"Vendor"** means the manufacturer of the Equipment as well as the agents or dealers of the manufacturer from whom Lessor purchased or is purchasing the Equipment, as listed on the front of this Agreement.

## ARTICLE II

**Section 2.01. Representations and Covenants of Lessee.** Lessee represents, warrants and covenants for the benefit of Lessor as follows:

(a) Lessee is a municipal corporation and political subdivision duly organized and existing under the constitution and laws of the State. Lessee will do or cause to be done all things to preserve and keep in full force and effect its existence as a body corporate and politic. Lessee is a political subdivision of the State within the meaning of Section 103(a) of the Code or a constituted authority authorized to issue obligations on behalf of a state or local governmental unit within the meaning of the regulations promulgated pursuant to said Section of the Code.

(b) Lessee is authorized under the constitution and laws of the State to enter into this Agreement and the transaction contemplated hereby and to perform all of its obligations hereunder.

(c) Lessee has been duly authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement by proper action and approval of its governing body at a meeting duly called, regularly convened and attended throughout by a requisite majority of the members thereof or by other appropriate official approval.

(d) This Agreement constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Lessee enforceable in accordance with its terms, except to the extent limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other laws affecting creditors' rights generally.

(e) No event or condition that constitutes, or with the giving of notice or the lapse of time or both would constitute, an Event of Default exists at the Commencement Date.

(f) Lessee has, in accordance with the requirements of law, fully budgeted and appropriated sufficient funds for the current fiscal year to make the Rental Payments scheduled to come due during the Original Term and to meet its other obligations for the Original Term, and such funds have not been expended for other purposes.

(g) Lessee will do or cause to be done all things necessary to preserve and keep in full force and effect its existence as a body corporate and politic.

(h) Lessee has complied with such public bidding requirements as may be applicable to this Agreement and the acquisition by Lessee of the Equipment hereunder.

(i) There is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, public board or body, pending or threatened against or affecting the Lessee, nor to the best knowledge of the Lessee is there any basis therefor, wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would materially adversely affect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement

or any other document, agreement or certificate which is used or contemplated for use in the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or materially adversely affect the financial condition or properties of Lessee.

(j) All authorizations, consents and approvals of governmental bodies or agencies required in connection with the execution and delivery by the Lessee of this Agreement or in connection with the carrying out by the Lessee of its obligations hereunder have been obtained.

(k) The entering into and performance of this Agreement or any other document or agreement contemplated hereby to which the Lessee is or is to be a party will not violate any judgment, order, law or regulation applicable to the Lessee or result in any breach of, or constitute a default under, or result in the creation of any lien, charge, security interest of other encumbrance on any assets of the Lessee or the Equipment pursuant to any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, bank loan or credit agreement or other instrument to which the Lessee is a party or by which it or its assets may be bound, except as herein provided.

(l) The Equipment described in this Agreement is essential to the function of the Lessee or to the service Lessee provides to its citizens. The Lessee has an immediate need for, and expects to make immediate use of, substantially all the Equipment, which need is not temporary or expected to diminish in the foreseeable future. The Equipment will be used by Lessee only for the purpose of performing one or more of Lessee's governmental or proprietary functions consistent with the permissible scope of Lessee's authority and will not be used in the trade or business of any other entity or person.

(m) Lessee will comply with all applicable provisions of the Code, including without limitation Sections 103 and 148 thereof, and the applicable regulations of the Treasury Department to maintain the exclusion of the interest components of Rental Payments from gross income for purposes of federal income taxation.

(n) Lessee has never failed to appropriate or otherwise make available funds sufficient to pay rental or other payments coming due under any lease purchase, installment sale or other similar agreement.

**Section 2.02. Certification as to Arbitrage.** Lessee hereby represents as follows:

(a) The estimated total costs of the Equipment will not be less than the total principal portion of the Rental Payments.

(b) The Equipment has been ordered or is expected to be ordered within six months of the Commencement Date, and the Equipment is expected to be delivered and installed, and the Vendor fully paid, within one year of the Commencement Date.

(c) Lessee has not created or established, and does not expect to create or establish, any sinking fund or other similar fund (i) that is reasonably expected to be used to pay the Rental Payments, or (ii) that may be used solely to prevent a default in the payment of the Rental Payments.

(d) The Equipment has not been and is not expected to be sold or otherwise disposed of by Lessee, either in whole or in major part, prior to the last maturity of the Rental Payments.

(e) To the best of our knowledge, information and belief, the above expectations are reasonable.

## ARTICLE III

**Section 3.01. Lease of Equipment.** Lessor hereby demises, leases and lets the Equipment to Lessee, and Lessee rents, leases and hires the Equipment from Lessor, in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, for the Lease Term. The Original Term of this Agreement shall commence on the Commencement Date and shall terminate on the last day of Lessee's current fiscal year. The Lease Term may be continued at the end of the Original Term or any Renewal Term for an additional Renewal Term up to the Maximum Lease Term; provided, however, that at the end of the Original Term and at the end of each Renewal Term until the Maximum Lease Term has been completed, Lessee shall be deemed to have continued this Agreement for the next Renewal Term unless Lessee shall have terminated this Agreement pursuant to Section 3.04 or Section 10.01. The terms and conditions during any Renewal Term shall be the same as the terms and conditions during the Original Term, except that the Rental Payments shall be as provided in the Payment Schedule.

**Section 3.02. Termination of Lease Term.** The Lease Term shall terminate upon the earliest of any of the following events:

(a) the expiration of the Original Term or any Renewal Term and the nonrenewal of this Agreement in the event of nonappropriation of funds pursuant to Section 3.04;

(b) the exercise by Lessee of the option to purchase the Equipment under Article X and payment of the Purchase Price and all amounts payable in connection therewith;

(c) a default by Lessee and Lessor's election to terminate this Agreement under Article XII; or

(d) the payment by Lessee of all Rental Payments authorized or required to be paid by Lessee hereunder during the Maximum Lease Term.

**Section 3.03. Continuation of Lease Term.** Lessee currently intends, subject to Section 3.04, to continue the Lease Term through the Original Term and all of the Renewal Terms and to pay the Rental Payments hereunder. Lessee reasonably believes that legally available funds in an amount sufficient to make all Rental Payments during the Original Term and each of the Renewal Terms can be obtained. The responsible financial officer of Lessee shall do all things lawfully within his or her power to obtain and maintain funds from which the Rental Payments may be made, including making provision for such Rental Payments to the extent necessary in each proposed annual budget submitted for approval in accordance with applicable procedures of Lessee and to exhaust all available reviews and appeals in the event such portion of the budget is not approved. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the decision whether or not to budget or appropriate funds or to extend this Agreement for any Renewal Term is solely within the discretion of the then current governing body of Lessee.

**Section 3.04. Nonappropriation.** Lessee is obligated only to pay such Rental Payments under this Agreement as may lawfully be made from funds budgeted and appropriated for that purpose during Lessee's then current fiscal year. In the event sufficient funds shall not be appropriated or are not otherwise legally available to pay the Rental Payments required to be paid in the next occurring Renewal Term, as set forth in the Payment Schedule, this Agreement shall be deemed to be terminated at the end of the then current Original Term or Renewal Term. Lessee agrees to deliver written notice to Lessor of such termination at least 90 days prior to the end of the then current Original Term or Renewal Term, but failure to give such notice shall not extend the Lease Term beyond such Original Term or Renewal Term. If this Agreement is terminated in accordance with this Section, Lessee agrees, at Lessee's cost and expense, to peaceably deliver the Equipment to Lessor at the location or locations specified by Lessor.

#### ARTICLE IV

**Section 4.01. Rental Payments.** Lessee shall pay Rental Payments, exclusively from legally available funds, in lawful money of the United States of America to Lessor on the dates and in the amounts set forth on the Payment Schedule. Any Rental Payment not received on or before its due date shall bear interest at the rate of 18% per annum or the maximum amount permitted by law, whichever is less, from its due date. As set forth on the Payment Schedule, a portion of each Rental Payment is paid as, and represents payment of, interest.

**Section 4.02. Rental Payments to Constitute a Current Expense of Lessee.** The obligation of Lessee to pay Rental Payments hereunder shall constitute a current expense of Lessee, and do not constitute a mandatory payment obligation of Lessee in any fiscal year beyond the then current fiscal year of Lessee. Lessee's obligation hereunder shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of Lessee in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitation or requirement concerning the creation of indebtedness by Lessee, nor shall anything contained herein constitute a pledge of the general credit, tax revenues, funds or moneys of Lessee.

**Section 4.03. Rental Payments To Be Unconditional. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 3.04, THE OBLIGATIONS OF LESSEE TO MAKE RENTAL PAYMENTS AND TO PERFORM AND OBSERVE THE OTHER COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN SHALL BE ABSOLUTE AND UNCONDITIONAL IN ALL EVENTS WITHOUT ABATEMENT, DIMINUTION, DEDUCTION, SET-OFF OR DEFENSE, FOR ANY REASON, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION ANY FAILURE OF THE EQUIPMENT TO BE DELIVERED OR INSTALLED, ANY DEFECTS, MALFUNCTIONS, BREAKDOWNS OR INFIRMITIES IN THE EQUIPMENT OR ANY ACCIDENT, CONDEMNATION OR UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES.**

#### ARTICLE V

**Section 5.01. Delivery, Installation and Acceptance of the Equipment.** Lessee shall order the Equipment, cause the Equipment to be delivered and installed at the location specified on the front of this Agreement and pay any and all delivery and installation costs in connection therewith. When the Equipment has been delivered and installed, Lessee shall immediately accept the Equipment and evidence said acceptance by executing and delivering to Lessor an acceptance certificate acceptable to Lessor. After it has been installed, the Equipment will not be moved from the location specified on the front of this Agreement without Lessor's consent, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

**Section 5.02. Enjoyment of Equipment.** Lessee shall peaceably and quietly have and hold and enjoy the Equipment during the Lease Term, without suit, trouble or hindrance from Lessor, except as otherwise expressly set forth in this Agreement.

**Section 5.03. Right of Inspection.** Lessor shall have the right at all reasonable times during regular business hours to enter into and upon the property of Lessee for the purpose of inspecting the Equipment.

**Section 5.04. Use and Maintenance of the Equipment.** Lessee will not install, use, operate or maintain the Equipment improperly, carelessly, in violation of any applicable law or in a manner contrary to that contemplated by this Agreement. Lessee shall obtain all permits and licenses, if any, necessary for the installation and operation of the Equipment. In addition, Lessee shall comply in all respects with all applicable laws, regulations and rulings of any legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body; provided that Lessee may contest in good faith the validity or application of any such law, regulation or ruling in any reasonable manner that does not, in the opinion of Lessor, adversely affect the interest of Lessor in and to the Equipment or its interest or rights under this Agreement. Lessee agrees that it will, at Lessee's own cost and expense, maintain, preserve and keep the Equipment in good repair, working order and condition. If requested to do so by Lessor, Lessee will enter into a maintenance contract for the Equipment with Vendor. LESSOR SHALL HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY TO SERVICE, MAINTAIN, REPAIR OR MAKE IMPROVEMENTS OR ADDITIONS TO THE EQUIPMENT. LESSEE SHALL MAKE ALL CLAIMS FOR SERVICE OR MAINTENANCE SOLELY TO THE VENDOR AND SUCH CLAIMS WILL NOT AFFECT LESSEE'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE ALL REQUIRED RENTAL PAYMENTS.

#### ARTICLE VI

**Section 6.01. Title to the Equipment.** During the Lease Term, title to the Equipment shall vest in Lessee, subject to the rights of Lessor under this Agreement; provided that title shall thereafter immediately and without any action by Lessee vest in Lessor, and Lessee shall immediately surrender possession of the Equipment to Lessor upon (a) any termination of this Agreement other than termination pursuant to Section 10.01, or (b) the occurrence of an Event of Default. It is the intent of the parties hereto that any transfer of title to Lessor pursuant to this Section shall occur automatically without the necessity of any bill of sale, certificate of title or other instrument of conveyance. Lessee shall, nevertheless, execute and deliver any such instruments as Lessor may request to evidence such transfer. Lessee irrevocably designates, makes, constitutes and appoints Lessor and its assignee as Lessee's true and lawful attorney (and agent in-fact) with power, at such time of termination or times thereafter as Lessor in its sole and absolute discretion may determine, in Lessee's or Lessor's or such assignee's name, to endorse the name of Lessee upon any bill of sale, document, instrument, invoice, freight bill, bill of lading or similar document relating to the Equipment in order to vest title in Lessor and transfer possession to Lessor.

**Section 6.02. Security Interest.** To secure the payment of all of Lessee's obligations under this Agreement, Lessor retains a security interest constituting a first lien on the Equipment and proceeds therefrom. Lessee agrees to execute such additional documents, in form satisfactory to Lessor, that Lessor deems necessary or appropriate to establish and maintain its security interest. Lessee agrees that financing statements may be filed with respect to the security interest in the Equipment.

**Section 6.03. Personal Property.** Lessor and Lessee agree that the Equipment is and will remain personal property. The Equipment will not be deemed to be affixed to or a part of the real estate on which it may be situated, notwithstanding that the Equipment or any part thereof may be or hereafter become in any manner physically affixed or attached to such real estate or any building thereon. Upon the request of Lessor, Lessee will, at Lessee's expense, furnish a waiver of any interest in the Equipment from any party having an interest in any such real estate or building.

#### ARTICLE VII

**Section 7.01. Liens, Taxes, Other Governmental Charges and Utility Charges.** Lessee shall keep the Equipment free and clear of all liens, charges and encumbrances, except those created under this Agreement. The parties to this Agreement contemplate that the Equipment will be

used for a governmental or proprietary purpose of Lessee and, therefore, that the Equipment will be exempt from all taxes and other similar charges. If the use, possession or acquisition of the Equipment is found to be subject to taxation in any form, Lessee will pay all taxes and governmental charges lawfully assessed or levied against or with respect to the Equipment. Lessee shall pay all utility and other charges incurred in the use and maintenance of the Equipment. Lessee shall pay such taxes and charges as the same become due; provided that, with respect to any such taxes and charges that may lawfully be paid in installments over a period of years, Lessee shall be obligated to pay only such installments that accrue during the Lease Term.

**Section 7.02. Insurance.** At its own expense, Lessee shall maintain (a) casualty insurance insuring the Equipment against loss or damage by fire and all other risks covered by the standard extended coverage endorsement then in use in the State and any other risks reasonably required by Lessor in an amount at least equal to the then applicable Purchase Price of the Equipment, (b) liability insurance that protects Lessor from liability in all events in form and amount satisfactory to Lessor, and (c) workers' compensation coverage as required by the laws of the State; provided that, with Lessor's prior written consent, Lessee may self-insure against the risks described in clauses (a) and (b). All insurance proceeds from casualty losses shall be payable as hereinafter provided. Lessee shall furnish to Lessor certificates evidencing such coverage throughout the Lease Term. All such casualty and liability insurance shall be with insurers that are acceptable to Lessor, shall name Lessor as a loss payee and an additional insured, respectively, and shall contain a provision to the effect that such insurance shall not be cancelled or modified materially without first giving written notice thereof to Lessor at least ten days in advance of such cancellation or modification. All such casualty insurance shall contain a provision making any losses payable to Lessee and Lessor, as their respective interests may appear.

**Section 7.03. Advances.** In the event Lessee shall fail to either maintain the insurance required by this Agreement, pay the taxes or charges required to be paid by it under this Agreement or keep the Equipment in good repair and working order, Lessor may, but shall be under no obligation to, purchase the required policies of insurance and pay the cost of the premiums thereof, pay such taxes and charges and maintain and repair the Equipment and pay the cost thereof. All amounts so advanced by Lessor shall become additional rent for the then current Original Term or Renewal Term. Lessee agrees to pay such amounts with interest thereon from the date paid at the rate of 12% per annum or the maximum permitted by law, whichever is less.

**Section 7.04. Financial Information.** Lessee will annually provide Lessor with current financial statements, budgets, proofs of appropriation for the ensuing fiscal year and such other financial information relating to the ability of Lessee to continue this Agreement as may be requested by Lessor.

**Section 7.05. Release and Indemnification.** To the extent permitted by law, Lessee shall indemnify, protect and hold harmless Lessor from and against any and all liability, obligations, losses, claims and damages whatsoever, regardless of cause thereof, and expenses in connection therewith (including, without limitation, counsel fees and expenses and any federal income tax and interest and penalties connected therewith imposed on interest received) arising out of or as the result of (a) the entering into this Agreement, (b) the ownership of any item of the Equipment, (c) the manufacturing, ordering, acquisition, use, operation, condition, purchase, delivery, rejection, storage or return of any item of the Equipment, (d) any accident in connection with the operation, use, condition, possession, storage or return of any item of the Equipment resulting in damage to property or injury or death to any person or (e) the breach of any covenant herein or any material misrepresentation contained herein. The indemnification arising under this paragraph shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of all obligations under this Agreement or the termination of the Lease Term for any reason.

#### ARTICLE VIII

**Section 8.01. Risk of Loss.** Lessee assumes, from and including the Commencement Date, all risk of loss of or damage to the Equipment from any cause whatsoever. No such loss of or damage to the Equipment nor defect therein nor unfitness or obsolescence thereof shall relieve Lessee of the obligation to make Rental Payments or to perform any other obligation under this Agreement.

**Section 8.02. Damage, Destruction and Condemnation.** If (a) the Equipment or any portion thereof is destroyed, in whole or in part, or is damaged by fire or other casualty, or (b) title to, or the temporary use of, the Equipment or any part thereof or the interest of Lessee or Lessor in the Equipment or any part thereof shall be taken under the exercise of the power of eminent domain by any governmental body or by any person, firm or corporation acting under governmental authority, Lessee and Lessor will cause the Net Proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award to be applied to the prompt replacement, repair, restoration, modification or improvement of the Equipment, unless Lessee shall have exercised its option to purchase the Equipment pursuant to Section 10.01. Any balance of the Net Proceeds remaining after such work has been completed shall be paid to Lessee.

**Section 8.03. Insufficiency of Net Proceeds.** If the Net Proceeds are insufficient to pay in full the cost of any repair, restoration, modification or improvement referred to in Section 8.01, Lessee shall either (a) complete such replacement, repair, restoration, modification or improvement and pay any costs thereof in excess of the amount of the Net Proceeds, or (b) purchase Lessor's interest in the Equipment pursuant to Section 10.01. The amount of the Net Proceeds, if any, remaining after completing such repair, restoration, modification or improvement or after purchasing the Equipment shall be retained by Lessee. If Lessee shall make any payments pursuant to this Section, Lessee shall not be entitled to any reimbursement therefrom from Lessor nor shall Lessee be entitled to any diminution of the amounts payable under Article IV.

#### ARTICLE IX

**Section 9.01. Disclaimer of Warranties. LESSOR MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE VALUE, DESIGN, CONDITION, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PARTICULAR USE OR PURPOSE OF THE EQUIPMENT OR AGAINST INFRINGEMENT, OR ANY OTHER WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION WITH RESPECT THERETO. IN NO EVENT SHALL LESSOR BE LIABLE FOR ANY ACTUAL, INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGE IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT OR THE EXISTENCE, FURNISHING, FUNCTIONING OR LESSEE'S USE OR MAINTENANCE OF ANY EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES PROVIDED FOR IN THIS AGREEMENT.**

**Section 9.02. Vendor's Warranties.** Lessee may have rights under the contract evidencing the purchase of the Equipment; Lessee is advised to contact the Vendor for a description of any

such rights. Lessor hereby assigns to Lessee during the Lease Term all warranties running from Vendor to Lessor. Lessor hereby irrevocably appoints Lessee its agent and attorney-in-fact during the Lease Term, so long as Lessee shall not be in default hereunder, to assert from time to time whatever claims and rights (including without limitation warranties) related to the Equipment that Lessor may have against the Vendor. Lessee's sole remedy for the breach of any such warranty, indemnification or representation shall be against the Vendor, and not against Lessor. Any such matter shall not have any effect whatsoever on the rights and obligations of Lessor with respect to this Agreement, including the right to receive full and timely payments hereunder. Lessee expressly acknowledges that Lessor makes, and has made, no representations or warranties whatsoever as to the existence or availability of such warranties by any Vendor.

#### ARTICLE X

**Section 10.01. Purchase Option.** Lessee shall have the option to purchase Lessor's interest in all (but not less than all) of the Equipment, upon giving written notice to Lessor at least 60 (but not more than 180) days before the date of purchase, at the following times and upon the following terms:

(a) On any Rental Payment Date, upon payment in full of the Rental Payments and all other amounts then due hereunder plus the then applicable Purchase Price to Lessor; or

(b) In the event of substantial damage to or destruction or condemnation of substantially all of the Equipment, on the day Lessee specifies as the purchase date in Lessee's notice to Lessor of its exercise of the purchase option, upon payment in full of the Rental Payments and all other amounts then due hereunder plus (i) the Purchase Price designated on the Payment Schedule for such purchase date if such purchase date is a Rental Payment Date or the Purchase Price for the immediately preceding Rental Payment Date if such purchase date is not a Rental Payment Date, and (ii) if such day is not a Rental Payment Date, an amount equal to the portion of the interest component of the Rental Payment scheduled to come due on the following Rental Payment Date accrued from the immediately preceding Rental Payment Date to such purchase date, computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

Upon the exercise of the option to purchase set forth above, title to the Equipment shall be vested in Lessee, free and clear of any claim by or through Lessor.

**Section 10.02. Determination of Fair Purchase Price.** Lessee and Lessor hereby agree and determine that the Rental Payments hereunder during the Original Term and each Renewal Term represent the fair value of the use of the Equipment and that the amount required to exercise Lessee's option to purchase the Equipment pursuant to Section 10.01 represents, as of the end of the Original Term or any Renewal Term, the fair purchase price of the Equipment. Lessee hereby determines that the Rental Payments do not exceed a reasonable amount so as to place Lessee under a practical economic compulsion to renew this Agreement or to exercise its option to purchase the Equipment hereunder. In making such determinations, Lessee and Lessor have given consideration to (a) the costs of the Equipment, (b) the uses and purposes for which the Equipment will be employed by Lessee, (c) the benefit to Lessee by reason of the acquisition and installation of the Equipment and the use of the Equipment pursuant to the terms and provisions of this Agreement, and (d) Lessee's option to purchase the Equipment.

#### ARTICLE XI

**Section 11.01. Assignment by Lessor.** Lessor's interest in, to and under this Agreement and the Equipment may, without notice to or the consent of Lessee, be assigned and reassigned in whole or in part to one or more assignees by Lessor. Lessee hereby appoints Municipal Registrar Services (the "Registrar") as its agent for the purpose of maintaining a written record of each such assignment in form necessary to comply with Section 149(a) of the Code. No such assignment shall be binding on Lessee until the Registrar has received written notice from Lessor of the name and address of the assignee. Lessee agrees to execute all documents, including chattel mortgages or financing statements that may be reasonably requested by Lessor or any assignee to protect its interest in the Equipment and in this Agreement. Lessee shall not have the right to and shall not assert against any assignee any claim, counterclaim, defense, set-off or other right Lessee may from time to time have against Lessor.

**Section 11.02. Assignment and Subleasing by Lessee.** None of Lessee's right, title and interest in, to and under this Agreement and in the Equipment may be assigned or encumbered by Lessee for any reason, except that Lessee may sublease all or part of the Equipment if Lessee obtains the prior written consent of Lessor and an opinion of nationally recognized counsel in the area of tax exempt municipal obligations satisfactory to Lessor that such subleasing will not adversely affect the exclusion of the interest components of the Rental Payments from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Any such sublease of all or part of the Equipment shall be subject to this Agreement and the rights of the Lessor in, to and under this Agreement and the Equipment.

#### ARTICLE XII

**Section 12.01. Events of Default Defined.** Subject to the provisions of Section 3.04, any of the following shall be "Events of Default" under this Agreement:

(a) Failure by Lessee to pay any Rental Payment or other payment required to be paid hereunder at the time specified herein;

(b) Failure by Lessee to observe and perform any covenant, condition or agreement on its part to be observed or performed, other than as referred to in Section 12.01(a), for a period of 30 days after written notice, specifying such failure and requesting that it be remedied, is given to Lessee by Lessor, unless Lessor shall agree in writing to an extension of such time prior to its expiration; provided, however, if the failure stated in the notice cannot be corrected within the applicable period, Lessor will not unreasonably withhold its consent to an extension of such time if corrective action is instituted by Lessee within the applicable period and diligently pursued until the default is corrected;

(c) Any statement, representation or warranty made by Lessee in or pursuant to this Agreement or its execution, delivery or performance shall prove to have been false, incorrect, misleading or breached in any material respect on the date when made;

(d) Any provision of this Agreement shall at any time for any reason cease to be valid and binding on Lessee, or shall be declared to be null and void, or the validity or enforceability thereof shall be contested by Lessee or any governmental agency or authority if the loss of such provision would materially adversely affect the rights or security of Lessor, or Lessee shall deny that it has any further liability or obligation under this Agreement;

(e) Lessee shall (i) apply for or consent to the appointment of a receiver, trustee, custodian or liquidator of Lessee, or of all or a substantial part of the assets of Lessee, (ii) be unable, fail or admit in writing its inability generally to pay its debts as they become due, (iii) make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, (iv) have an order for relief entered against it under applicable federal bankruptcy law, or (v) file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy or a petition or an answer seeking reorganization or an arrangement with creditors or taking advantage of any insolvency law or any answer admitting the material allegations of a petition filed against Lessee in any bankruptcy, reorganization or insolvency proceeding; or

(f) An order, judgment or decree shall be entered by any court of competent jurisdiction, approving a petition or appointing a receiver, trustee, custodian or liquidator of Lessee or of all or a substantial part of the assets of Lessee, in each case without its application, approval or consent, and such order, judgment or decree shall continue unstayed and in effect for any period of 30 consecutive days.

**Section 12.02. Remedies on Default.** Whenever any Event of Default exists, Lessor shall have the right, at its sole option without any further demand or notice, to take one or any combination of the following remedial steps:

(a) By written notice to Lessee, Lessor may declare all Rental Payments and other amounts payable by Lessee hereunder to the end of the then current Original Term or Renewal Term to be due;

(b) With or without terminating this Agreement, Lessor may enter the premises where the Equipment is located and retake possession of the Equipment or require Lessee at Lessee's expense to promptly return any or all of the Equipment to the possession of Lessor at a place specified by Lessor, and sell or lease the Equipment or, for the account of Lessee, sublease the Equipment, holding Lessee liable for the difference between (i) the Rental Payments and other amounts payable by Lessee hereunder plus the then applicable Purchase Price, and (ii) the net proceeds of any such sale, lease or sublease (after deducting all expenses of Lessor in exercising its remedies under this Agreement, including without limitation, all expenses of taking possession, storing, reconditioning and selling or leasing the Equipment and all brokerage, auctioneers' and attorneys' fees); provided that the amount of Lessee's liability under this subparagraph (b) shall not exceed the Rental Payments and other amounts otherwise due hereunder plus the remaining Rental Payments and other amounts payable by Lessee hereunder to the end of the then current fiscal year of Lessee; and

(c) Lessor may take whatever other action at law or in equity may appear necessary or desirable to enforce its rights as the owner of the Equipment.

In addition, Lessee will remain liable for all covenants and indemnities under this Agreement and for all legal fees and other costs and expenses, including court costs, incurred by Lessor with respect to the enforcement of any of the remedies listed above or any other remedy available to Lessor. Lessor may charge interest on all amounts due to it at the rate of 18% per annum or the maximum amount permitted by law, whichever is less.

**Section 12.03. No Remedy Exclusive.** No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to Lessor is intended to be exclusive and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given under this Agreement or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default shall impair any such right or power or shall be construed to be a waiver thereof, but any such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient. In order to entitle Lessor to exercise any remedy reserved to it in this Article it shall not be necessary to give any notice, other than such notice as may be required in this Article.

#### ARTICLE XIII

**Section 13.01. Notices.** All notices, certificates or other communications hereunder shall be sufficiently given and shall be deemed given when delivered or mailed by registered mail, postage prepaid, to the parties at the addresses on the front of this Agreement (or at such other address as either party hereto shall designate in writing to the other for notices to such party), to any assignee at its address as it appears on the registration books maintained by Lessee.

**Section 13.02. Binding Effect.** This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon Lessor and Lessee and their respective successors and assigns.

**Section 13.03. Severability.** In the event any provision of this Agreement shall be held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision hereof.

**Section 13.04. Entire Agreement.** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between Lessor and Lessee.

**Section 13.05. Amendments.** This Agreement may be amended in writing by Lessor and Lessee.

**Section 13.06. Execution in Counterparts.** This Agreement may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

**Section 13.07. Usury.** The parties hereto agree that the charges in this Agreement shall not be a violation of usury or other law. Any such excess charge shall be applied in such order as to conform this Agreement to such applicable law.

**Section 13.08. Jury Trial Waiver. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, LESSEE AGREES TO WAIVE ITS RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY.**

**Section 13.09. Facsimile Documentation.** Lessee agrees that a facsimile copy of this Agreement with facsimile signatures may be treated as an original and will be admissible as evidence of this Agreement.

**Section 13.10. Captions.** The captions or headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and in no way define, limit or describe the scope or intent of any provisions or sections of this Agreement.

**Section 13.11. Applicable Law.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State.

# MINNESOTA ADDENDUM TO EQUIPMENT LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Addendum to that certain Equipment Lease Purchase Agreement (together with all Exhibits and this Addendum, the "Agreement") dated as of DECEMBER 1, 2015, between DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC (together with its successors and assigns, "Lessor"), and CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA (together with its successors and assigns, "Lessee"), is incorporated in and is hereby made a part of the Agreement.

Lessor and Lessee hereby agree that capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the terms assigned to such terms in the Agreement and that the following changes and additions shall be made to the Agreement:

1. **Section 6.01** of the Agreement is deleted and the following **Section 6.01** is inserted in lieu thereof:

**Section 6.01. Title to the Equipment in Lessor.** Upon acceptance of the Equipment by Lessee, title to the Equipment shall vest in Lessor subject to Lessee's rights under this Agreement. Lessee shall not have any right, title or interest in the Equipment except as expressly set forth in this Agreement. Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default or any termination of this Agreement other than termination pursuant to Section 10.01, Lessee will immediately surrender possession of the Equipment to Lessor. Upon the exercise of the purchase option by Lessee pursuant to Section 10.01 or continuation of this Agreement through the Maximum Lease Term and payment of all Rental Payments and other amounts payable under this Agreement through the end of the Maximum Lease Term, title to the Equipment shall immediately and without further action by Lessor vest in Lessee AS IS, WHERE IS, without warranty, express or implied, free and clear of any claim by or through Lessor. It is the intent of the parties hereto that any transfer of title to Lessee pursuant to this Section shall occur automatically without the necessity of any bill of sale, certificate of title or other instrument of conveyance. Lessor shall, nevertheless, execute and deliver any such instruments as Lessee may request to evidence such transfer.

2. **Section 6.02** of the Agreement is hereby deleted.

Except as specifically set forth in this Addendum, all terms and conditions contained in the Agreement remain in full force and effect and are hereby ratified and confirmed.

LESSEE SIGNATURE	Legal Name of Lessee <u>CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA</u>
	Signature _____ Date _____
	Print Name _____
	Title _____
	(Seal)
	Attest _____
	Title _____ Date _____
LESSOR SIGNATURE	Name of Lessor <u>DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC</u>
	Lessor Signature _____ Date _____
	Print Name _____
	Title _____
	Lease Number <u>100-10094999</u>

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## TAX DESIGNATIONS AND COVENANTS

1. The covenants and designations hereinafter set forth are intended to be, and hereby are, incorporated into the Equipment Lease Purchase Agreement, dated DECEMBER 1, 2015 (the "Agreement"), between De Lage Landen Public Finance LLC ("Lessor") and CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA ("Lessee"), and except as otherwise defined herein, all terms defined in the Agreement shall have the same meaning herein as in the Agreement. The Commencement Date of the Agreement is or will be in the calendar year 2015 (the "Issuance Year").

2. Bank Qualification. **Lessee initial here if this provision is applicable:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Lessee initial here if this provision is NOT applicable:** \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Lessee hereby designates the Agreement as a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" as defined in Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Code. The aggregate face amount of all tax-exempt obligations (excluding private activity bonds other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds) issued or to be issued by Lessee and all subordinate entities thereof during the Issuance Year, including the Agreement, is not reasonably expected to exceed \$10,000,000.

(b) Lessee hereby covenants that Lessee and all subordinate entities thereof will not issue in excess of \$10,000,000 of "qualified tax-exempt obligations" (including the Agreement but excluding private activity bonds other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds) during the Issuance Year without first obtaining an opinion of nationally recognized counsel in the area of tax-exempt obligations of state and local governments acceptable to Lessor that the designation of the Agreement as a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" will not be adversely affected.

3. Small Issue Arbitrage Rebate Exception. **Lessee initial here if this provision is applicable:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Lessee initial here if this provision is NOT applicable:** \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Lessee represents and warrants that it is a governmental unit under the laws of the State with general taxing powers; the Agreement is not a private activity bond as defined in Section 141 of the Code; 95% or more of the net proceeds of the Agreement will be used for local governmental activities of Lessee; and the aggregate face amount of all tax-exempt obligations (other than private activity bonds) issued by the Lessee and all subordinate entities thereof during the Issuance Year is not reasonably expected to exceed \$5,000,000.

(b) Lessee hereby covenants that Lessee and all subordinate entities thereof will not issue in excess of \$5,000,000 of tax-exempt bonds (including the Agreement but excluding private activity bonds) during the Issuance Year without first obtaining an opinion of nationally recognized counsel in the area of tax-exempt municipal obligations acceptable to Lessor that the excludability of the interest on the Agreement from gross income for federal tax purposes will not be adversely affected.

(SEAL)

<b>LESSEE</b>	Lessee Name <b>CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA</b>	
	Signature	Date
	Title	

### CERTIFICATE OF CLERK OR SECRETARY OF LESSEE

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that (i) the foregoing Tax Designations and Covenants were adopted and approved by action of the governing body of Lessee at a meeting duly called, regularly convened and attended throughout by the requisite majority of the members thereof, (ii) the officer of Lessee who executed the foregoing Tax Designation and Covenants on behalf of Lessee and whose genuine signature appears thereon is the duly qualified and acting officer of Lessee as stated beneath his or her signature, and (iii) said officer has been authorized to execute the foregoing Tax Designations and Covenants on behalf of Lessee.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A****EQUIPMENT LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT****Schedule of Rental Payments**LESSOR: **DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC**LESSEE: CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTALEASE NUMBER: 100-10094999LEASE DATE: DECEMBER 1, 20 15

Rental Payment Number	Date	Rental Payment Amount	Interest Portion	Principal Portion	Balance	Purchase Price
Loan	12/1/2015	0.00	0.00	0.00	625,659.76	0.00
1	1/1/2016	0.00	1,715.35	-1,715.35	627,375.11	639,922.61
2	2/1/2016	0.00	1,720.05	-1,720.05	629,095.16	641,677.06
3	3/1/2016	0.00	1,724.77	-1,724.77	630,819.93	643,436.33
4	4/1/2016	0.00	1,729.50	-1,729.50	632,549.43	645,200.42
5	5/1/2016	14,351.90	1,734.24	12,617.66	619,931.77	632,330.41
6	6/1/2016	14,351.90	1,699.65	12,652.25	607,279.52	619,425.11
7	7/1/2016	14,351.90	1,664.96	12,686.94	594,592.58	606,484.43
8	8/1/2016	14,351.90	1,630.17	12,721.73	581,870.85	593,508.27
9	9/1/2016	14,351.90	1,595.30	12,756.60	569,114.25	580,496.54
10	10/1/2016	14,351.90	1,560.32	12,791.58	556,322.67	567,449.12
11	11/1/2016	0.00	1,525.25	-1,525.25	557,847.92	569,004.88
12	12/1/2016	0.00	1,529.43	-1,529.43	559,377.35	570,564.90
13	1/1/2017	0.00	1,533.63	-1,533.63	560,910.98	572,129.20
14	2/1/2017	0.00	1,537.83	-1,537.83	562,448.81	573,697.79
15	3/1/2017	0.00	1,542.05	-1,542.05	563,990.86	575,270.68
16	4/1/2017	0.00	1,546.27	-1,546.27	565,537.13	576,847.87
17	5/1/2017	14,351.90	1,550.51	12,801.39	552,735.74	563,790.45
18	6/1/2017	14,351.90	1,515.42	12,836.48	539,899.26	550,697.25
19	7/1/2017	14,351.90	1,480.22	12,871.68	527,027.58	537,568.13
20	8/1/2017	14,351.90	1,444.93	12,906.97	514,120.61	524,403.02
21	9/1/2017	14,351.90	1,409.55	12,942.35	501,178.26	511,201.83
22	10/1/2017	14,351.90	1,374.06	12,977.84	488,200.42	497,964.43
23	11/1/2017	0.00	1,338.48	-1,338.48	489,538.90	499,329.68
24	12/1/2017	0.00	1,342.15	-1,342.15	490,881.05	500,698.67
25	1/1/2018	0.00	1,345.83	-1,345.83	492,226.88	502,071.42
26	2/1/2018	0.00	1,349.52	-1,349.52	493,576.40	503,447.93
27	3/1/2018	0.00	1,353.22	-1,353.22	494,929.62	504,828.21
28	4/1/2018	0.00	1,356.93	-1,356.93	496,286.55	506,212.28
29	5/1/2018	14,351.90	1,360.65	12,991.25	483,295.30	492,961.21
30	6/1/2018	14,351.90	1,325.03	13,026.87	470,268.43	479,673.80
31	7/1/2018	14,351.90	1,289.32	13,062.58	457,205.85	466,349.97
32	8/1/2018	14,351.90	1,253.51	13,098.39	444,107.46	452,989.61
33	9/1/2018	14,351.90	1,217.59	13,134.31	430,973.15	439,592.61
34	10/1/2018	14,351.90	1,181.58	13,170.32	417,802.83	426,158.89
35	11/1/2018	0.00	1,145.48	-1,145.48	418,948.31	427,327.28
36	12/1/2018	0.00	1,148.62	-1,148.62	420,096.93	428,498.87

Sales tax of \$0.00 is included in the financed amount shown above.

The dates, interest rate and resulting payments contained in the above amortization schedule are estimated based on the expected transaction funding timeframe. The Lessor will make every reasonable effort to maintain the payment terms presented above, however certain of these terms may need to be revised prior to closing. The interest rate offer made by Lessor to Lessee is subject to indexation and may need to be adjusted in the event financial market conditions change. If any such revisions are deemed necessary by Lessor (it its sole discretion), it is understood and agreed that a revised version of the amortization schedule reflecting these changes will be executed prior to closing.

Lessee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Rental Payment Number	Date	Rental Payment Amount	Interest Portion	Principal Portion	Balance	Purchase Price
37	1/1/2019	0.00	1,151.77	-1,151.77	421,248.70	429,673.67
38	2/1/2019	0.00	1,154.92	-1,154.92	422,403.62	430,851.69
39	3/1/2019	0.00	1,158.09	-1,158.09	423,561.71	432,032.94
40	4/1/2019	0.00	1,161.27	-1,161.27	424,722.98	433,217.44
41	5/1/2019	14,351.90	1,164.45	13,187.45	411,535.53	419,766.24
42	6/1/2019	14,351.90	1,128.29	13,223.61	398,311.92	406,278.16
43	7/1/2019	14,351.90	1,092.04	13,259.86	385,052.06	392,753.10
44	8/1/2019	14,351.90	1,055.68	13,296.22	371,755.84	379,190.96
45	9/1/2019	14,351.90	1,019.23	13,332.67	358,423.17	365,591.63
46	10/1/2019	14,351.90	982.68	13,369.22	345,053.95	351,955.03
47	11/1/2019	346,000.00	946.05	345,053.95	0.00	0.00
Grand Totals		690,445.60	64,785.84	625,659.76		0.00

Lessee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_



**EXHIBIT B****EQUIPMENT LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT  
EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION**LESSOR: **DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC**LESSEE: CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTALEASE NUMBER: 100-10094999LEASE DATE: DECEMBER 1, 2015

Quantity	Description/Serial No./Model No.	Location
140	2016 CLUB CAR PRECEDENT EFI GAS GOLF CARS	
10	2016 CLUB CAR CARRYALL 100 EFI GAS	

<b>LESSEE SIGNATURE</b>	Legal Name of Lessee <u>CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA</u>
	Signature _____ Date _____
	Print Name _____ Title _____
	(LEASE MUST BE SIGNED BY AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL OF LESSEE)

<b>LESSOR SIGNATURE</b>	Name of Lessor <u>DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC</u>
	Lessor Signature _____ Date _____
	Print Name _____ Title _____
	Lease Number <u>100-10094999</u>

# BILLING INFORMATION

## PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN WITH DOCUMENTS

In order for DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC to properly bill and credit your account and prepare the IRS Form 8038-G as required by the IRS, it is necessary that you complete this form and return it with the signed documents.

Billing Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Attention: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of individual who will process payments)

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**FEDERAL ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you require a P.O.# to be referenced on invoices you receive from us? YES ☐ NO ☐

P.O.#: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have multiple leases, and would like them all billed on one invoice (summary billing)? YES ☐ NO ☐

## CONTACT INFORMATION AND QUESTIONNAIRE FOR FORM 8038-G FILINGS

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Written Tax Compliance Procedures

The IRS Form 8038-G asks specific questions about whether written procedures exist with regard to compliance with the federal tax requirements for tax-exempt obligations. Please answer the following questions to help us complete the form correctly prior to your signature. **Please note that your answers to these questions will not impact the terms or conditions of the subject transaction:**

1. Has the Lessee established written procedures designed to monitor compliance with federal tax restrictions for the term of the lease? Among other matters, the written procedures should identify a particular individual within Lessee's organization to monitor compliance with the federal tax requirements related to use of the financed assets and describe actions to be taken in the event failure to comply with federal tax restrictions is contemplated or discovered.
- YES ☐ NO ☐ If Yes, please attach/provide a copy.

### Answer the following question only if proceeds of the current financing will be funded to an ESCROW Account.

The IRS Form 8038-G asks specific questions about written procedures to monitor the yield on the investment of gross proceeds of tax-exempt obligations and, as necessary, make payments of arbitrage rebate earned to the United States.

2. Has the Lessee established written procedures to monitor the yield on the investment of proceeds of the Lease on deposit in an escrow account or similar fund prior to being spent and to ensure that any positive arbitrage rebate earned is paid to the United States?
- YES ☐ NO ☐ If Yes, please attach/provide a copy.

***If you have further questions, please consult your regular bond or legal counsel.***

# Information Return for Tax-Exempt Governmental Obligations

► Under Internal Revenue Code section 149(e)  
► See separate instructions.  
**Caution:** If the issue price is under \$100,000, use Form 8038-GC.

OMB No. 1545-0720

## Part I Reporting Authority

If Amended Return, check here ☐

1 Issuer's name	2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)
3a Name of person (other than issuer) with whom the IRS may communicate about this return (see instructions)	3b Telephone number of other person shown on 3a
4 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite	5 Report number (For IRS Use Only) 3
6 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code	7 Date of issue
8 Name of issue	9 CUSIP number
10a Name and title of officer or other employee of the issuer whom the IRS may call for more information (see instructions)	10b Telephone number of officer or other employee shown on 10a

## Part II Type of Issue (enter the issue price). See the instructions and attach schedule.

11 Education	11 XXXXXX
12 Health and hospital	12 XXXXXX
13 Transportation	13 XXXXXX
14 Public safety	14 XXXXXX
15 Environment (including sewage bonds)	15 XXXXXX
16 Housing	16 XXXXXX
17 Utilities	17 XXXXXX
18 Other. Describe ►	18 XXXXXX
19 If obligations are TANs or RANs, check only box 19a	► <input type="checkbox"/>
If obligations are BANs, check only box 19b	► <input type="checkbox"/>
20 If obligations are in the form of a lease or installment sale, check box	► <input type="checkbox"/>

## Part III Description of Obligations. Complete for the entire issue for which this form is being filed.

	(a) Final maturity date	(b) Issue price	(c) Stated redemption price at maturity	(d) Weighted average maturity	(e) Yield
21	XXXXXX	\$ XXXXXX	\$ XXXXXX	XXXXXX years	XXXXXX %

## Part IV Uses of Proceeds of Bond Issue (including underwriters' discount)

22 Proceeds used for accrued interest	22 XXXXXX
23 Issue price of entire issue (enter amount from line 21, column (b))	23 XXXXXX
24 Proceeds used for bond issuance costs (including underwriters' discount)	24 XXXXXX
25 Proceeds used for credit enhancement	25 XXXXXX
26 Proceeds allocated to reasonably required reserve or replacement fund	26 XXXXXX
27 Proceeds used to currently refund prior issues	27 XXXXXX
28 Proceeds used to advance refund prior issues	28 XXXXXX
29 Total (add lines 24 through 28)	29 XXXXXX
30 Nonrefunding proceeds of the issue (subtract line 29 from line 23 and enter amount here)	30 XXXXXX

## Part V Description of Refunded Bonds. Complete this part only for refunding bonds.

31 Enter the remaining weighted average maturity of the bonds to be currently refunded	► XXXXXX years
32 Enter the remaining weighted average maturity of the bonds to be advance refunded	► XXXXXX years
33 Enter the last date on which the refunded bonds will be called (MM/DD/YYYY)	► XXXXXX
34 Enter the date(s) the refunded bonds were issued (MM/DD/YYYY)	XXXXXX

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see separate instructions.

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<b>35</b>	Enter the amount of the state volume cap allocated to the issue under section 141(b)(5) . . . . .	<b>35</b>	XXXXXX	
<b>36a</b>	Enter the amount of gross proceeds invested or to be invested in a guaranteed investment contract (GIC) (see instructions) . . . . .	<b>36a</b>	XXXXXX	
<b>b</b>	Enter the final maturity date of the GIC ▶ _____			
<b>c</b>	Enter the name of the GIC provider ▶ _____			
<b>37</b>	Pooled financings: Enter the amount of the proceeds of this issue that are to be used to make loans to other governmental units . . . . .	<b>37</b>	XXXXXX	
<b>38a</b>	If this issue is a loan made from the proceeds of another tax-exempt issue, check box <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the following information:			
<b>b</b>	Enter the date of the master pool obligation ▶ _____			
<b>c</b>	Enter the EIN of the issuer of the master pool obligation ▶ _____			
<b>d</b>	Enter the name of the issuer of the master pool obligation ▶ _____			
<b>39</b>	If the issuer has designated the issue under section 265(b)(3)(B)(i)(III) (small issuer exception), check box . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>40</b>	If the issuer has elected to pay a penalty in lieu of arbitrage rebate, check box . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>41a</b>	If the issuer has identified a hedge, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the following information:			
<b>b</b>	Name of hedge provider ▶ _____			
<b>c</b>	Type of hedge ▶ _____			
<b>d</b>	Term of hedge ▶ _____			
<b>42</b>	If the issuer has superintegrated the hedge, check box . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>43</b>	If the issuer has established written procedures to ensure that all nonqualified bonds of this issue are remediated according to the requirements under the Code and Regulations (see instructions), check box . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>44</b>	If the issuer has established written procedures to monitor the requirements of section 148, check box . . . . .			<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>45a</b>	If some portion of the proceeds was used to reimburse expenditures, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of reimbursement . . . . . ▶ _____			
<b>b</b>	Enter the date the official intent was adopted ▶ _____			

<b>Signature and Consent</b>	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that I consent to the IRS's disclosure of the issuer's return information, as necessary to process this return, to the person that I have authorized above.				
	XX			SAMPLE DOCUMENT	
	Signature of issuer's authorized representative		Date		Type or print name and title
<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name		Preparer's signature		Date
					Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed
	Firm's name ▶				Firm's EIN ▶
	Firm's address ▶				Phone no.

Form **8038-G** (Rev. 9-2011)

# Instructions for Form 8038-G

(Rev. September 2011)

## Information Return for Tax-Exempt Governmental Obligations



Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

### General Instructions

#### Purpose of Form

Form 8038-G is used by issuers of tax-exempt governmental obligations to provide the IRS with the information required by section 149(e) and to monitor the requirements of sections 141 through 150.

#### Who Must File

IF the issue price (line 21, column (b)) is...	THEN, for tax-exempt governmental obligations issued after December 31, 1986, issuers must file...
\$100,000 or more	A <b>separate</b> Form 8038-G for <b>each</b> issue
Less than \$100,000	Form 8038-GC, Information Return for Small Tax-Exempt Governmental Bond Issues, Leases, and Installment Sales



**For all build America bonds and recovery zone economic development bonds use Form 8038-B, Information Return for Build America Bonds and Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds. For tax credit bonds and specified tax credit bonds use Form 8038-TC, Information Return for Tax Credit Bonds and Specified Tax Credit Bonds.**

#### When To File

File Form 8038-G on or before the 15th day of the 2nd calendar month after the close of the calendar quarter in which the bond is issued. Form 8038-G may not be filed before the issue date and must be completed based on the facts as of the issue date.

**Late filing.** An issuer may be granted an extension of time to file Form 8038-G under Section 3 of Rev. Proc. 2002-48, 2002-37 I.R.B. 531, if it is determined that the failure to file timely is not due to willful neglect. Type or print at the top of the form "Request for Relief under section 3 of Rev. Proc. 2002-48" and attach a letter explaining why Form 8038-G was not submitted to the IRS on time. Also indicate whether the bond issue in question is under examination by the IRS. Do not submit copies of the trust

indenture or other bond documents. See *Where To File* next.

#### Where To File

File Form 8038-G, and any attachments, with the Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service Center, Ogden, UT 84201.

**Private delivery services.** You can use certain private delivery services designated by the IRS to meet the "timely mailing as timely filing/paying" rule for tax returns and payments. These private delivery services include only the following:

- DHL Express (DHL): DHL Same Day Service.
- Federal Express (FedEx): FedEx Priority Overnight, FedEx Standard Overnight, FedEx 2Day, FedEx International Priority, and FedEx International First.
- United Parcel Service (UPS): UPS Next Day Air, UPS Next Day Air Saver, UPS 2nd Day Air, UPS 2nd Day Air A.M., UPS Worldwide Express Plus, and UPS Worldwide Express.

The private delivery service can tell you how to get written proof of the mailing date.

#### Other Forms That May Be Required

For rebating arbitrage (or paying a penalty in lieu of arbitrage rebate) to the Federal government, use Form 8038-T, Arbitrage Rebate, Yield Reduction and Penalty in Lieu of Arbitrage Rebate.

For private activity bonds, use Form 8038, Information Return for Tax-Exempt Private Activity Bond Issues.

For build America bonds (Direct Pay), build America bonds (Tax Credit), and recovery zone economic development bonds, complete Form 8038-B, Information Return for Build America Bonds and Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds.

For qualified forestry conservation bonds, new clean renewable energy bonds, qualified energy conservation bonds, qualified zone academy bonds, qualified school construction bonds, clean renewable energy bonds, Midwestern tax credit bonds, and all other qualified tax credit bonds (except build America bonds), file Form 8038-TC, Information Return for Tax Credit Bonds and Specified Tax Credit Bonds.

#### Rounding to Whole Dollars

You may show amounts on this return as whole dollars. To do so, drop amounts less than 50 cents and increase amounts from 50 cents through 99 cents to the next higher dollar.

#### Questions on Filing Form 8038-G

For specific questions on how to file Form 8038-G, send an email to the IRS at [TaxExemptBondQuestions@irs.gov](mailto:TaxExemptBondQuestions@irs.gov) and put "Form 8038-G Question" in the subject line. In the email include a description of your question, a return email address, the name of a contact person, and a telephone number.

#### Definitions

**Tax-exempt obligation.** This is any obligation, including a bond, installment purchase agreement, or financial lease, on which the interest is excluded from income under section 103.

**Tax-exempt governmental obligation.** A tax-exempt obligation that is not a private activity bond (see below) is a tax-exempt governmental obligation. This includes a bond issued by a qualified volunteer fire department under section 150(e).

**Private activity bond.** This includes an obligation issued as part of an issue in which:

- More than 10% of the proceeds are to be used for any private activity business use, **and**
- More than 10% of the payment of principal or interest of the issue is **either (a)** secured by an interest in property to be used for a private business use (or payments for such property) **or (b)** to be derived from payments for property (or borrowed money) used for a private business use.

It also includes a bond, the proceeds of which **(a)** are to be used directly or indirectly to make or finance loans (other than loans described in section 141(c)(2)) to persons other than governmental units and **(b)** exceeds the lesser of 5% of the proceeds **or** \$5 million.

**Issue price.** The issue price of obligations is generally determined under Regulations section 1.148-1(b). Thus, when issued for cash, the issue price is the first price at which a substantial amount of the obligations are sold to the public. To determine the issue price of an obligation issued for property, see sections 1273 and 1274 and the related regulations.

**Issue.** Generally, obligations are treated as part of the same issue if they are issued by the same issuer, on the same date, and in a single transaction, or a series of related transactions. However, obligations issued during the same calendar year (a) under a loan agreement under which amounts are to be advanced periodically (a "draw-down loan") or (b) with a term not exceeding 270 days, may be treated as part of the same issue if the obligations are equally and ratably secured under a single indenture or loan agreement and are issued under a common financing arrangement (for example, under the same official statement periodically updated to reflect changing factual circumstances). Also, for obligations issued under a draw-down loan that meet the requirements of the preceding sentence, obligations issued during different calendar years may be treated as part of the same issue if all of the amounts to be advanced under the draw-down loan are reasonably expected to be advanced within 3 years of the date of issue of the first obligation. Likewise, obligations (other than private activity bonds) issued under a single agreement that is in the form of a lease or installment sale may be treated as part of the same issue if all of the property covered by that agreement is reasonably expected to be delivered within 3 years of the date of issue of the first obligation.

**Arbitrage rebate.** Generally, interest on a state or local bond is not tax-exempt unless the issuer of the bond rebates to the United States arbitrage profits earned from investing proceeds of the bond in higher yielding nonpurpose investments. See section 148(f).

**Construction issue.** This is an issue of tax-exempt bonds that meets both of the following conditions:

1. At least 75% of the available construction proceeds are to be used for construction expenditures with respect to property to be owned by a governmental unit or a section 501(c)(3) organization, and

2. All the bonds that are part of the issue are qualified 501(c)(3) bonds, bonds that are not private activity bonds, or private activity bonds issued to finance property to be owned by a governmental unit or a section 501(c)(3) organization.

In lieu of rebating any arbitrage that may be owed to the United States, the issuer of a construction issue may make an irrevocable election to pay a penalty. The penalty is equal to 1½% of the amount of construction proceeds that do not meet certain spending requirements. See section 148(f)(4)(C) and the Instructions for Form 8038-T.

## Specific Instructions

### Part I—Reporting Authority

**Amended return.** An issuer may file an amended return to change or add to the information reported on a previously filed

return for the same date of issue. If you are filing to correct errors or change a previously filed return, check the **Amended Return** box in the heading of the form.

The amended return must provide all the information reported on the original return, in addition to the new or corrected information. Attach an explanation of the reason for the amended return and write across the top, "Amended Return Explanation." Failure to attach an explanation may result in a delay in processing the form.

**Line 1.** The issuer's name is the name of the entity issuing the obligations, not the name of the entity receiving the benefit of the financing. For a lease or installment sale, the issuer is the lessee or the purchaser.

**Line 2.** An issuer that does not have an employer identification number (EIN) should apply for one on Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number. You can get this form on the IRS website at [irs.gov](http://irs.gov) or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676). You may receive an EIN by telephone by following the instructions for Form SS-4.

**Line 3a.** If the issuer wishes to authorize a person other than an officer or other employee of the issuer (including a legal representative or paid preparer) to communicate with the IRS and whom the IRS may contact about this return (including in writing or by telephone), enter the name of such person here. The person listed in line 3a must be an individual. Do not enter the name and title of an officer or other employee of the issuer here (see line 10a for that purpose).

**Note.** By authorizing a person other than an authorized officer or other employee of the issuer to communicate with the IRS and whom the IRS may contact about this return, the issuer authorizes the IRS to communicate directly with the individual entered on line 3a and consents to disclose the issuer's return information to that individual, as necessary, to process this return.

**Lines 4 and 6.** If you listed an individual on line 3a to communicate with the IRS and whom the IRS may contact about this return, enter the number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address), city, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code of that person. Otherwise, enter the issuer's number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address), city, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code.

**Note.** The address entered on lines 4 and 6 is the address the IRS will use for all written communications regarding the processing of this return, including any notices.

**Line 5.** This line is for IRS use only. Do not make any entries in this box.

**Line 7.** The date of issue is generally the date on which the issuer physically

exchanges the bonds that are part of the issue for the underwriter's (or other purchaser's) funds. For a lease or installment sale, enter the date interest starts to accrue in a MM/DD/YYYY format.

**Line 8.** If there is no name of the issue, please provide other identification of the issue.

**Line 9.** Enter the CUSIP (Committee on Uniform Securities Identification Procedures) number of the bond with the latest maturity. If the issue does not have a CUSIP number, write "None."

**Line 10a.** Enter the name and title of the officer or other employee of the issuer whom the IRS may call for more information. If the issuer wishes to designate a person other than an officer or other employee of the issuer (including a legal representative or paid preparer) whom the IRS may call for more information about the return, enter the name, title, and telephone number of such person on lines 3a and 3b.



Complete lines 10a and 10b even if you complete lines 3a and 3b.

### Part II—Type of Issue



Elections referred to in Part II are made on the original bond documents, not on this form.

Identify the type of obligations issued by entering the corresponding issue price (see *Issue price* under *Definitions* earlier). Attach a schedule listing names and EINs of organizations that are to use proceeds of these obligations, if different from those of the issuer, include a brief summary of the use and indicate whether or not such user is a governmental or nongovernmental entity.

**Line 18.** Enter a description of the issue in the space provided.

**Line 19.** If the obligations are short-term tax anticipation notes or warrants (TANs) or short-term revenue anticipation notes or warrants (RANs), check box 19a. If the obligations are short-term bond anticipation notes (BANs), issued with the expectation that they will be refunded with the proceeds of long-term bonds at some future date, check box 19b. Do not check both boxes.

**Line 20.** Check this box if property other than cash is exchanged for the obligation, for example, acquiring a police car, a fire truck, or telephone equipment through a series of monthly payments. (This type of obligation is sometimes referred to as a "municipal lease.") Also check this box if real property is directly acquired in exchange for an obligation to make periodic payments of interest and principal. **Do not** check this box if the proceeds of the obligation are received in the form of cash, even if the term "lease" is used in the title of the issue.

### Part III—Description of Obligations

**Line 21.** For column (a), the final maturity date is the last date the issuer must redeem the entire issue.

For column (b), see *Issue price* under *Definitions* earlier.

For column (c), the stated redemption price at maturity of the entire issue is the sum of the stated redemption prices at maturity of each bond issued as part of the issue. For a lease or installment sale, write "N/A" in column (c).

For column (d), the weighted average maturity is the sum of the products of the issue price of each maturity and the number of years to maturity (determined separately for each maturity and by taking into account mandatory redemptions), divided by the issue price of the entire issue (from line 21, column (b)). For a lease or installment sale, enter instead the total number of years the lease or installment sale will be outstanding.

For column (e), the yield, as defined in section 148(h), is the discount rate that, when used to compute the present value of all payments of principal and interest to be paid on the obligation, produces an amount equal to the purchase price, including accrued interest. See Regulations section 1.148-4 for specific rules to compute the yield on an issue. If the issue is a variable rate issue, write "VR" as the yield of the issue. For other than variable rate issues, carry the yield out to four decimal places (for example, 5.3125%). If the issue is a lease or installment sale, enter the effective rate of interest being paid.

### Part IV—Uses of Proceeds of Bond Issue

For a lease or installment sale, write "N/A" in the space to the right of the title for Part IV.

**Line 22.** Enter the amount of proceeds that will be used to pay interest from the date the bonds are dated to the date of issue.

**Line 24.** Enter the amount of the proceeds that will be used to pay bond issuance costs, including fees for trustees and bond counsel. If no bond proceeds will be used to pay bond issuance costs, enter zero. Do not leave this line blank.

**Line 25.** Enter the amount of the proceeds that will be used to pay fees for credit enhancement that are taken into account in determining the yield on the issue for purposes of section 148(h) (for example, bond insurance premiums and certain fees for letters of credit).

**Line 26.** Enter the amount of proceeds that will be allocated to such a fund.

**Line 27.** Enter the amount of the proceeds that will be used to pay principal, interest, or call premium on any other issue of bonds within 90 days of the date of issue.

**Line 28.** Enter the amount of the proceeds that will be used to pay

principal, interest, or call premium on any other issue of bonds after 90 days of the date of issue, including proceeds that will be used to fund an escrow account for this purpose.

### Part V—Description of Refunded Bonds

Complete this part only if the bonds are to be used to refund a prior issue of tax-exempt bonds. For a lease or installment sale, write "N/A" in the space to the right of the title for Part V.

**Lines 31 and 32.** The remaining weighted average maturity is determined without regard to the refunding. The weighted average maturity is determined in the same manner as on line 21, column (d).

**Line 34.** If more than a single issue of bonds will be refunded, enter the date of issue of each issue. Enter the date in an MM/DD/YYYY format.

### Part VI—Miscellaneous

**Line 35.** An allocation of volume cap is required if the nonqualified amount for the issue is more than \$15 million but is not more than the amount that would cause the issue to be private activity bonds.

**Line 36.** If any portion of the gross proceeds of the issue is or will be invested in a guaranteed investment contract (GIC), as defined in Regulations section 1.148-1(b), enter the amount of the gross proceeds so invested, as well as the final maturity date of the GIC and the name of the provider of such contract.

**Line 37.** Enter the amount of the proceeds of this issue used to make a loan to another governmental unit, the interest of which is tax-exempt.

**Line 38.** If the issue is a loan of proceeds from another tax-exempt issue, check the box and enter the date of issue, EIN, and name of issuer of the master pool obligation.

**Line 40.** Check this box if the issue is a construction issue and an irrevocable election to pay a penalty in lieu of arbitrage rebate has been made on or before the date the bonds were issued. The penalty is payable with a Form 8038-T for each 6-month period after the date the bonds are issued. Do not make any payment of penalty in lieu of arbitrage rebate with this form. See Rev. Proc. 92-22, 1992-1 C.B. 736 for rules regarding the "election document."

**Line 41a.** Check this box if the issuer has identified a hedge on its books and records according to Regulations sections 1.148-4(h)(2)(viii) and 1.148-4(h)(5) that permit an issuer of tax-exempt bonds to identify a hedge for it to be included in yield calculations for computing arbitrage.

**Line 42.** In determining if the issuer has super-integrated a hedge, apply the rules of Regulations section 1.148-4(h)(4). If the hedge is super-integrated, check the box.

**Line 43.** If the issuer takes a "deliberate action" after the issue date that causes

the conditions of the private business tests or the private loan financing test to be met, then such issue is also an issue of private activity bonds. Regulations section 1.141-2(d)(3) defines a deliberate action as any action taken by the issuer that is within its control regardless of whether there is intent to violate such tests. Regulations section 1.141-12 explains the conditions to taking remedial action that prevent an action that causes an issue to meet the private business tests or private loan financing test from being treated as a deliberate action. Check the box if the issuer has established written procedures to ensure timely remedial action for all nonqualified bonds according to Regulations section 1.141-12 or other remedial actions authorized by the Commissioner under Regulations section 1.141-12(h).

**Line 44.** Check the box if the issuer has established written procedures to monitor compliance with the arbitrage, yield restriction, and rebate requirements of section 148.

**Line 45a.** Check the box if some part of the proceeds was used to reimburse expenditures. Figure and then enter the amount of proceeds that are used to reimburse the issuer for amounts paid for a qualified purpose prior to the issuance of the bonds. See Regulations section 1.150-2.

**Line 45b.** An issuer must adopt an official intent to reimburse itself for preissuance expenditures within 60 days after payment of the original expenditure unless excepted by Regulations section 1.150-2(f). Enter the date the official intent was adopted. See Regulations section 1.150-2(e) for more information about official intent.

### Signature and Consent

An authorized representative of the issuer must sign Form 8038-G and any applicable certification. Also print the name and title of the person signing Form 8038-G. The authorized representative of the issuer signing this form must have the authority to consent to the disclosure of the issuer's return information, as necessary to process this return, to the person(s) that have been designated in Form 8038-G.

**Note.** If the issuer in Part 1, lines 3a and 3b authorizes the IRS to communicate (including in writing and by telephone) with a person other than an officer or other employee of the issuer, by signing this form, the issuer's authorized representative consents to the disclosure of the issuer's return information, as necessary to process this return, to such person.

### Paid Preparer

If an authorized officer of the issuer filled in this return, the paid preparer's space should remain blank. Anyone who prepares the return but does not charge the organization should not sign the return. Certain others who prepare the

return should not sign. For example, a regular, full-time employee of the issuer, such as a clerk, secretary, etc., should not sign.

Generally, anyone who is paid to prepare a return must sign it and fill in the other blanks in the *Paid Preparer Use Only* area of the return.

The paid preparer must:

- Sign the return in the space provided for the preparer's signature (a facsimile signature is acceptable),
- Enter the preparer information, and
- Give a copy of the return to the issuer.

**Paperwork Reduction Act Notice.** We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us

the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by section 6103.

The time needed to complete and file this form varies depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time is:

<b>Learning about the law or the form</b> . . . . .	2 hr., 41 min.
<b>Preparing, copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS</b> . . . . .	3 hr., 3 min.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can write to the Internal Revenue Service, Tax Products Coordinating Committee, SE:W:CAP:MP:T:M:S, 1111 Constitution Ave. NW, IR-6526, Washington, DC 20224. **Do not** send the form to this office. Instead, see *Where To File*.



## AMENDMENT TO EQUIPMENT LEASE-PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Amendment to that certain Equipment Lease-Purchase Agreement (together with all Exhibits and this Amendment, the "Agreement") dated as of **DECEMBER 1, 2015**, between **DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE LLC** (together with its successors and assigns, "Lessor"), and **CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA** (together with its successors and assigns, "Lessee"), is incorporated in and is hereby made a part of the Agreement.

Lessor and Lessee hereby agree that capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the terms assigned to such terms in the Agreement and that the following changes and additions are hereby made to the Agreement:

1. **ARTICLE IV: SECTION 4.01 RENTAL PAYMENTS** – is hereby amended as follows, the second sentence is deleted and replaced with the following:

Any Rental Payment not received on or before its due date shall be governed by Minnesota Statute 471.425

2. **ARTICLE VII: SECTION 7.02 INSURANCE** - Lessee shall have the right to self-insure for any risk required to be insured pursuant to the Lease. If the Lessee chooses to self-insure any such risk, such self-insurance shall extend coverage to Lessor to the same extent as insurance required by the Lease written in accordance with industry standards would have provided protection to Lessor.
3. **ARTICLE VII: SECTION 7.05 RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION** - The City of Duluth's liability under the Lease and its obligation to indemnify Lessor shall be limited in the manner and to the extent provided for in Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466 and nothing herein shall be deemed to abrogate or extend the City's liability in any way beyond the scope or in amounts in excess of that provided for in that statute.
4. **ARTICLE XII: SECTION 12.01 EVENTS OF DEFAULT DEFINED (D)** Deleted from Lease Agreement.

Except as specifically set forth in this Amendment, all terms and conditions contained in the Agreement remain in full force and effect and are hereby ratified and confirmed.

**CITY OF DULUTH, MINNESOTA**

**DE LAGE LANDEN PUBLIC FINANCE, LLC**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

Its: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title of Representative

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Countersigned:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Auditor

Approved as to form:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney