RESOLUTION NO. 2025-

A RESOLUTION OF THE DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO AMEND THE DELAWARE COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE AS TO SOLAR FARMS AND BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS

WHEREAS, pursuant to I. C. 36-7-4-602(b)(1) the Delaware County Board of Commissioners (the "Commissioners") desires to offer an amendment to the current Delaware County Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners have conducted meetings and received information from various sources as to proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance of Delaware County concerning amendments to Article XXXI, Section 13 regarding solar facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners also would propose a new Section 14 of Article XXXI to address Commercial Battery Energy Storage Systems (CBESS) requirements; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners submit the proposed amendments to for the Plan Commission to consider and conduct a public hearing for input from the general public and pass back to the Board of Commissioners the plan commission's recommendations of the amendment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF DELAWARE COUNTY, INDIANA:

- 1. The Delaware County Board of Commissioners hereby adopt their recommendations for amendment to the Delaware County Zoning Ordinance as setforth in Exhibit 1 to this Resolution.
- 2. This Resolution shall be effective upon adoption.

DULY ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County at a regularly scheduled public meeting held on this, the 21 day of April, 2025.

DELAWARE COUNTY

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Shannon Henry, President

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ATTEST:

Edward Carroll, Auditor Delaware County, Indiana

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