JOINT APPROVED FORM, WINNEBAGO COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION "WCBA" 1 2 AND ROCKFORD AREA ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® "RAAR" 3 CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE AND SALE 4 For Use With Farms and Farmland 5 (Complete All Blanks And Delete Inapplicable Language) 6 7 LISTING OFFICE:_____Phone:_____ Listing Broker:______ Broker #:_____ 8 Listing Office Address: Listing Office License #:_____ Listing Broker License #:_____ 9 10 Email: Phone: Fax: 11 Seller's Attorney: _____ Phone: _____ Email: ____ Fax: _____ 12 13 14 SELLING OFFICE:_____Phone:_____ 15 Selling Broker:______ Broker #:_____ 16 Selling Office Address: ______ Selling Office License #:_____ Selling Broker License #:_____ 17 18 Email:______ Phone: ______ Fax: _____ 19 Buyer's Attorney: _____ Phone: _____ Email: ____ Fax: ____ 20 21 22 23 24 Designated agents of the Listing Broker are agents of the Seller. Designated agents of the 25 Selling Broker are agents of the Buyer unless a dual agency agreement is signed. 26 27 28 Licensee, acting as a Dual Agent in providing brokerage services on their behalf and specifically 29 consent to Licensee acting as a Dual Agent in regard to the transaction referred to in this 30 document. Seller's Initials: _____/___ Buyer's Initials: _____/___ 31 1. Seller. To: (SELLER) 32 33 34 35 36 37 3. Premises. Offers to purchase the following described real estate situated in (Winnebago) 38 39 _____Property I.D. #.:_____and legally described as: _____ 40 41 42 being (a single-family residence) (farm buildings) (and approximately _____ acres of land). 43

44	4.	Purchase Price. And to pay you (\$
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46		to be adjusted by survey if survey is required under this Contract with acreage to be
47		computed to the center of roadway if included in legal description) OR
48		(\$total purchase price with no adjustments for
49		variance of acreage) with \$ as earnest money (a minimum of 5%
50		of the purchase price is recommended) to be tendered by Buyer no later than one business
51		day following the date of the accepted Contract (which earnest money shall be increased to a
52		total of \$ within one business day following the expiration of the
53		Attorney Approval period as set forth in Paragraph 6 herein) to be applied to the purchase
54		price; (if Contract is not subject to 5B financing contingency, Buyer will furnish written
55		verification of funds to close from a financial institution within business days of
56		acceptance of this Contract).
57	5	<u>Contingencies.</u> Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Contract are contingent upon the
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59		following: A. Inspection. Buyer's inspection, which may include, but shall not be limited to any,
60		radon, mold, pest, mechanical, or structural inspections, at Buyer's expense. Seller shall
61		arrange for all utilities to be on at the time of inspection. Buyer may inspect personal
62		property and farming equipment and systems to be transferred pursuant to this contract. The
63		real estate inspection shall cover only major components, including but not limited to,
64		heating and cooling systems, plumbing and well system, electrical system, roof, walls,
65		windows, ceilings, floors, appliances and foundation. If Buyer notifies Seller within seven
66		(7) business days of the final acceptance of this Contract that the results of the inspection are
67		unacceptable to Buyer, this Contract shall be void. If Buyer does not notify Seller by said
68		date that the results of the inspection are unacceptable to Buyer, this provision shall be
69		deemed waived and this Contract shall remain in effect.
70		B. <u>Financing</u> . Obtain by, a written mortgage loan commitment
71		containing the following terms: loan amount not less than% of the purchase price due in
72		not less than years amortized over years with (Fixed) (Adjustable) interest at not
73		more than% per year and lender required flood insurance premiums not to exceed
74		\$ per year, or containing other terms acceptable to Buyer. Buyer shall provide to
75		Seller by the above date a copy of the Lender's loan commitment or upon Seller's request
76		will provide a denial letter if available from Buyer's lender. The issuance of a commitment
77		containing the above-specified terms or Buyer's written acceptance of a commitment
78		containing other terms shall satisfy this contingency. Seller agrees to pay Buyer's closing
79		costs not exceeding \$ (to include all costs paid to third parties in connection with
80		the closing, prepaid mortgage interest, insurance and tax reserve deposits).
81		C. Appraisal. Obtain by, an appraisal prepared by an Illinois
82		licensed appraiser indicating the value of the premises to be equal to or greater than the
83		purchase price.
84		D. Sale of Property. (Enter into a contract for the sale of property for not less than
85		\$ or a lesser amount as is accepted by and) complete the sale
86		of property in which Buyer now has an interest located at
87		on or before Seller reserves the right to
88		accept another bona fide offer subject to the rights of Buyer under this Contract. In the event
89		Seller accepts another bona fide offer, Seller shall deliver a notice to eliminate contingency
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90		to Buyer. Within 72 hours of receipt of such notice, Buyer shall deliver written notice to				
91		Seller of removal of this contingency and all other Buyer contingencies AND (a) provide a				
92		written commitment for a non-contingent bridge loan, OR (b) provide evidence of available				
93		funds sufficient to allow Buyer to complete the transaction, or this Contract shall be void.				
94		E. <u>Document Review</u> . Review the following documents to be delivered by Seller by the				
95		date below: (insert date if applicable)				
96		Copy of written leases/rental agreements, terms of any oral leases, or options				
97		to renew/options to purchase;				
98		List of personal property located on the premises belonging to Seller to be				
99		transferred to Buyer.				
100		Estoppel certificates from lessee(s) of the premises confirming the terms of				
101		the lease and the status thereof;				
102		Written confirmation from zoning authority that the premises are presently				
103		zoned and present use is (conforming) (legally non-conforming);				
104		Copy of any other subsidy, government, cell tower, windmill, or CRP				
105		contracts to which the premises are subject.				
106		Unless Buyer gives written notice within five business days of the date listed above that the				
107		information furnished is not acceptable to Buyer, this Contract shall remain in effect.				
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109		environmental site assessment report conducted pursuant to current U.S. EPA, Illinois EPA				
110		and ASTM standards, at (Seller's)(Buyer's) expense and unless such assessment report is				
H 1		disapproved by Buyer in writing by, this Contract shall remain in effect.				
112		See Notice Regarding Environmental Liability Immediately Above Signature Lines.				
113	6.	Attorney's Approval. This Contract is subject to Buyer's and Seller's attorney's written				
114	•	disapproval of this Contract within seven (7) business days of the final acceptance of this				
115		Contract. In the absence of notice within the time specified, this provision shall be deemed				
116		waived and this Contract shall remain in effect.				
117	7.	Failure of Contingency. Except as otherwise provided, if any contingency cannot in good				
118	, .	faith be carried out, this Contract shall become void and the carnest money shall be returned				
119		to Buyer pursuant to the provisions of Paragraphs 10 and 17 hereof.				
120	8.	Closing. This transaction shall be closed on or on such date as mutually				
121	•	agreed by the parties in writing, and Seller shall deliver possession of the premises in broom-				
122		clean condition and free of debris, both interior and exterior, at time of closing . If by no				
123		fault of either party this transaction cannot close by the closing date due to any government				
124		regulations or lender requirement, the date of closing shall be extended for the period				
125		necessary to satisfy these requirements, not to exceed 7 business days. The premises shall be				
126		vacant at closing, unless it is (check if applicable):				
127		Subject to tenant's lease terms submitted by Seller pursuant to Paragraph 5E; or				
128		Subject to Occupancy Rider.				
129		A final inspection of the real estate, fixtures, and personal property may be made by Buyer				
130		within 48 hours prior to closing to determine whether the premises is in the same condition as				
131		of the time Buyer entered into the Contract.				

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132	9.	<u>Prorations and Credits.</u> Rents, utilities, pre-paid service contracts, property taxes, association					
133		dues, and other similar items shall be prorated and credited along with security deposits and					
134		prepaid items through date of closing. Seller shall pay at closing all special assessments,					
135		special service area taxes, or fees or other similar items charged against the premises					
136		approved, enacted or confirmed prior to date of final acceptance of contract by a public body,					
137		private association or a Court.					
138		Tax prorations shall be final as of closing and based upon the actual tax bill if known for a					
139		specific tax year; otherwise shall be calculated at 105% of the most recent tax rate times the					
140	40 assessment and exemption information published on the county assessor's website wi						
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142		final acceptance evidence of changes in the assessment and exemption information. Seller					
143		warrants that it has submitted or will submit in a timely manner all necessary documentation					
144		to preserve the exemptions through closing and shall provide evidence of the same within 7					
business days of final acceptance; otherwise, the tax prorations shall be prorated							
146		exemptions.					
147		(Seller represents that as of final acceptance, (Condo) (Homeowner) Association fees are					
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149		(check one) has not / has been levied).					
150	10	10. <u>Earnest Money</u> . The earnest money shall be held by, referred to					
151		as "Escrowee," for the mutual benefit of the parties in a non-interest bearing account. If an					
152		earnest money dispute arises, Escrowee shall be authorized to release the earnest money					
153	ONLY upon written direction executed by all parties or order of Court; provided, however, in the event the premises is being sold through a RAAR listing and a dispute solely						
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155	involving earnest money arises, the parties agree to submit the dispute to binding						
156		arbitration if available through RAAR under arbitration rules and procedures					
157		approved by RAAR and WCBA.					
158	11	. <u>Personal Property</u> . Seller warrants that Seller owns and agrees to transfer to Buyer, all					
159		heating, plumbing, electrical systems and fixtures; water heater; existing storms and screens;					
160		attached and built-in cabinets and shelves; attached carpet; attached mirrors; all landscaping,					
161		fences, gates, permanent or temporary buildings and farm building equipment and systems attached to the premises; and the following: (Check or enumerate applicable items)					
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163		Ceiling Fan(s)Stove/Range/Oven Sump Pump(s) Window Treatments					
164		Refrigerator Water Softener Outdoor Shed(s) Garage Dr. Opener					
165		Dishwasher Security System Satellite System Remote Control(s)					
166		Microwave Disposal Outdoor Playsets Water filtration system					
167		Washer Dryer Central Air Fpl screen(s) door(s)					
168		Keys Window Air Unit(s) Grate(s)/Gas log(s)					
169		Other items included:					
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171		Other items excluded:					
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173		Seller warrants there are no rented fixtures or equipment except:					
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12. Seller Warranty. Seller agrees to deliver possession of the premises and personal property in 176 the same condition as it is at the date of this Contract, ordinary wear and tear excepted. Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has inspected the premises and personal property and is 177 178 acquainted with its condition, and accepts the same in "AS IS" condition as of the time Buyer executed this Contract, except Seller warrants the heating (and air conditioning) equipment 179 180 and systems, water heater, (water softener), plumbing and electrical equipment and systems, 181 kitchen appliances, and where applicable (septic system), (well), (swimming pool and 182 equipment), and (sprinkling system), to be in normal operating condition as of possession 183 transfer. A system shall be deemed to be in normal operating condition if it performs the 184 function for which it is intended regardless of age and does not constitute a threat to health or safety. Unless written notice of breach of warranty is delivered by Buyer to Seller prior to 185 possession transfer, this warranty will be conclusively deemed to have been satisfied; 186 187 provided, however, that Buyer shall have six (6) months after possession transfer to provide written notice to Seller of any defect existing as of possession transfer in the heating (and air 188 conditioning) equipment and systems, (septic system), (swimming pool and equipment), or 189 190 (sprinkling system) if said equipment could not be tested by Buyer or Buyer's licensed home inspector at the time of any inspection conducted in conjunction with this Contract. 191 If deleted pursuant to Paragraph 23B As Is: Seller's Initials ___/__ Buyer's Initials ___/__ 192 13. Water System Evaluations. Seller shall provide to Buyer by _____ at Seller's expense 193 (check if applicable): 194 An evaluation of the (well)/(septic) systems, where applicable, dated within 90 days of 195 closing including sampling of the well verifying that the water is bacteriologically safe, 196 that the nitrate level is within requirements approved by the State of Illinois, that the 197 well and septic systems meet with all applicable health department requirements and 198 are in normal operating condition without observable defects. The well and septic 199 evaluations shall be conducted by the local county health department or an Illinois 200 licensed environmental health practitioner in accordance with local health department 201 requirements. If Seller does not provide Buyer with satisfactory well and septic 202 203 evaluations by the above date, then this Contract shall be voidable at the option of Buyer as Buyer's exclusive remedy. 204 A sanitary sewer connection Certificate of Compliance where required by local 205 ordinance. If Seller does not provide the Certificate of Compliance by the above date, 206 then this Contract shall be voidable at the option of Buyer as Buyer's exclusive remedy. 207 Where applicable, a Cross Connection Certificate of Compliance relating to lawn and 208 209 building sprinkling systems dated within one year of the date of closing. If Seller does not provide the Certificate of Compliance by the above date, then this Contract shall be 210 voidable at the option of Buyer as Buyer's exclusive remedy. 211 212 14. Hazardous Substances. Seller warrants that (1) Seller has not conducted, authorized or permitted the generation, transportation, storage, treatment or disposal at or from the 213 premises of any hazardous substance as defined by the Federal Emergency Planning 214 and Community Right to Know Act of 1986, and (2) Seller is not aware of and has not 215 caused or allowed the release of any petroleum products on or from the premises prior 216 to closing. This warranty is specifically intended to survive the closing of this 217 218 transaction.

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- 219 15. Title Insurance. Seller shall furnish current title insurance commitment in the amount of the 220 purchase price to Buyer prior to closing, and final policy thereafter, at Seller's expense, from a title company with a closing office located in the county where the premises is located, 222 showing merchantable title subject only to the following permitted exceptions: a) all accrued taxes, fees and special assessments credited to Buyer at closing; b) building setbacks, use and 223 224 occupancy restrictions, conditions and covenants of record; c) zoning laws and ordinances; d) 225 easements for the use of public utilities; e) roads and highways; f) existing leases and 226 tenancies approved by Buyer under Paragraph 5E, if any. None of these exceptions shall be 227 considered permitted exceptions if they are violated by the existing improvements or present use of the premises or if they materially restrict the reasonable use of the premises. If Seller 228 cannot deliver merchantable title to Buyer at closing subject only to permitted exceptions, 229 this Contract shall be voidable at Buyer's option and the earnest money shall be returned to 230 232
 - 16. <u>Destruction of the Premises</u>. If prior to delivery of deed or agreement for deed the improvements on the premises shall be destroyed or materially damaged by fire or other casualty, Buyer shall have the option of declaring this Contract void and receiving a refund of earnest money paid, or of accepting the premises as damaged or destroyed, together with the proceeds of any insurance payable as a result of the destruction or damage, which proceeds Seller agrees to assign to Buyer.
 - 17. Liquidated Damages. SHOULD BUYER FAIL TO PERFORM THIS CONTRACT PROMPTLY IN THE TIME AND MANNER SPECIFIED, THE EARNEST MONEY SHALL BE FORFEITED BY BUYER AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH 10, AS SELLER'S EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND THIS CONTRACT SHALL BE VOID. IN ANY ACTION TO ENFORCE THE TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT, THE PREVAILING PARTY SHALL BE ENTITLED TO REASONABLE ATTORNEYS FEES AND COSTS.
 - 18. Time of the Essence. Time is of the essence of the terms and conditions of this Contract.
 - 19. Closing Documents and Funds. At closing Seller shall convey merchantable title to the premises, subject to permitted exceptions, to Buyer or whomever Buyer may direct by stamped recordable warranty deed releasing homestead, or such other appropriate deed or agreement for deed as required. At closing Seller shall convey merchantable title to the personal property to Buyer or whomever Buyer may direct by Bill of Sale. The title company closing fee shall be paid by a Buyer with a mortgage and shall be divided equally between the parties if Buyer has no mortgage. The remainder of the purchase price or any further part of it then due shall be paid and all documents required by the transaction shall be signed and delivered.
 - 20. Governmental Compliance. The parties agree to comply with the following federal or state acts when applicable:
 - A. Illinois Real Estate Transfer Tax Act with Seller to pay all transfer taxes due at closing;
 - Federal Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (RESPA): В.
 - The Illinois Smoke Detector Act with Seller to provide all required smoke detectors in C. operating condition:
 - D. The Carbon Monoxide Alarm Detector Act with Seller to provide required detectors in operating condition:
 - E. Illinois Residential Real Property Disclosure Act;
 - F. Illinois Radon Awareness Act;

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- 265 G. Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act; and
 - H. Illinois Good Funds Act.

- 21. Notices. All required notices shall be in writing and shall be served directly upon any one of the parties to whom the notice is directed, or the party's real estate brokers or attorneys, by (a) personal delivery, (b) regular or express mail, (c) FAX machine, or (d) e-mail if an e-mail address has been furnished by the recipient or is shown on this Contract. Notices shall be deemed satisfactorily delivered at the time of personal delivery, mailing, FAX, or e-mail transmission regardless of the time of actual receipt by the other party, or their attorney, or real estate broker, except that actual receipt by Buyer, Buyer's broker, or attorney of the notice to eliminate contingency shall be required pursuant to Paragraph 5D of this Contract. For purposes of execution of this Contract and providing subsequent notices, including contingency removals, any electronically signed document or document transmitted by FAX or e-mail shall be treated as an original document. Business days are defined as Monday through Friday excluding federal holidays.
- 22. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. Following execution by the last party, this Contract shall be deemed effective only upon delivery to the other party, as provided for notices in the preceding paragraph. This document represents the entire agreement and shall be binding upon the parties, their heirs, successors, and assigns.

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	Initials	
	/ A.	<u>Cancellation of Prior Contract</u> . This Contract is subject to the cancof Seller's prior contract by
/	/ B.	As Is. Buyer accepts the premises in all respects (except well and systems) in "AS IS" condition as of date of Contract and waives the provisions of Paragraph 12 hereof. (Delete Paragraph 12 and initial deletion - does not affect Paragraph 13.)
/	/C.	Home Warranty Plan. Seller shall provide to Buyer, at Seller's exp
		Home Warranty Plan, providing for basic and (
		eoverage for twelve months from date of closing as follows:
,	/ 5	Company Cost not to Exceed Service
	/ D.	Repair Rider is incorporated by reference.
	/ E.	<u>Flood Certification</u> . (For use with cash or Seller financed transactionly.) This Contract is subject to Buyer obtaining within seven (7)
		business days of the acceptance of this Contract, a determination th
		premises are not located in a FEMA designated special flood hazar
		Zone") area or this Contract shall be void.
/	/ F.	Auction Rider is incorporated by reference.
		Occupancy Rider is incorporated by reference - Also see Paragraph
		Short Sale Rider is incorporated by reference.
		Agreement for Deed Rider is incorporated by reference.
		<u>Tax-Deferred Exchange</u> . The parties agree to cooperate in the com
		nange in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Internal Re

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8	NOTI	CE TO PARTIES				
9	BY THE SIGNING OF THIS CO	ONTRACT, YOU ARE ENTERING INTO A BINDING				
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8	OWNERSHIP OF REA	L ESTATE THAT MAY BE AFFECTED BY				
)		OR OTHERWISE SUBJECT TO FEDERAL AND/OR				
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		THEIR RESPECTIVE ATTORNEYS PRIOR TO FOR PURCHASE AND SALE, REGARDING SUCH				
		ARDING ADDITIONAL CONTRACT LANGUAGE				
		MENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITY RISKS.				
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5	Dated:	and to be accepted by:				
	BUYER:	BY:				
	Buyer hereby acknowledges receipt	of: A) Radon Disclosure/(Buyer's Initials)				
	B) Residential Real Property Disclos	ure Report/(Buyer's Initials)				
	C) Lead-Based Paint Rider Required	for Pre-1978 Residential Property/(Buyer's Initials)				
	Presented to Seller	(date) Seller's Initials:/				
	Countered:w	rith counteroffer to be accepted by:				
	SELLER:	BY:				
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	have been agreed upon)					
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