The Board of Supervisors of Madison County, Mississippi (the "County"), took up for further consideration the matter of the issuance of Taxable General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013, of said County, in the principal amount of not to exceed Eighteen Million Dollars (\$18,000,000). After a discussion of the subject, Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_\_ offered and moved the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE ISSUANCE OF TAXABLE GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2013, OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI (THE "COUNTY") IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED EIGHTEEN MILLION DOLLARS (\$18,000,000) TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADVANCED REFUNDING OF ALL OR CERTAIN OUTSTANDING MATURITIES OF THE COUNTY'S GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2006, DATED OCTOBER 18, 2006, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$17,990,000; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors of the County, acting for and on behalf of said County, hereby finds, determines, adjudicates and declares as follows:

1. (a) In addition to any words and terms elsewhere defined herein, the following words and terms shall have the following meanings, unless some other meaning is plainly intended:

"Act" shall mean Sections 31-27-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended.

"Act of Bankruptcy" shall mean filing of a petition in bankruptcy by or against the County under any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or similar law, now or hereafter in effect.

"Agent" shall mean any Paying Agent or Transfer Agent, whether serving in either or both capacities, and herein designated by the Governing Body.

"Authorized Officer" means the President of the Governing Body, the Clerk of the County, and any other officer designated from time to time as an Authorized Officer by resolution of the County, and when used with reference to any act or document also means any other Person authorized by resolution of the County to perform such act or sign such document.

"Beneficial Owner" means, whenever used with respect to a Bond, the person in whose name such Bond is recorded as the Beneficial Owner of such Bond by a DTC Participant on the records of such DTC Participant, or such person's subrogee.

"Bond" or "Bonds" shall mean the not to exceed \$18,000,000 Taxable General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013, of the County authorized and directed to be issued in this resolution.

"Bond Counsel" shall mean Butler, Snow, O'Mara, Stevens & Cannada, PLLC, Ridgeland, Mississippi.

"Bond Purchase Agreement" shall mean the Bond Purchase Agreement by and between the Underwriter and the County executed and delivered in connection with the sale of the Bonds.

"Bond Resolution" shall mean this resolution.

"Book-Entry System" means a book-entry system established and operated for the recordation of Beneficial Owners of the Bonds as described in Section 2 herein.

"Callable Bonds" shall mean the Refunded Bonds maturing on or after June 1, 2017.

"Clerk" shall mean the Chancery Clerk of the County.

"County" shall mean Madison County, Mississippi.

"Direct Participants" shall mean any broker-dealer, bank or other financial institutions for which the Security Depository holds Bonds as a securities depository.

"DTC" means The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York.

"DTC Participants" shall mean any participant for whom DTC is a Security Depository

"Escrow Agent" shall mean any bank, trust company or other institution hereafter designated by the Governing Body for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Refunded Bonds, and shall initially be Trustmark National Bank, Jackson, Mississippi.

"Escrow Agreement" shall mean that Escrow Agreement dated the date of delivery between the County and the Escrow Agent, providing for the payment of the Refunded Bonds.

"Escrow Fund" shall mean the Escrow Fund established pursuant to the Escrow Agreement to pay the principal of and interest on the Refunded Bonds.

"Escrow Requirement" shall mean the portion of the sale proceeds of the Bonds deposited in the Escrow Fund to be invested and used to refund the Refunded Bonds as provided in the Escrow Agreement.

"Financial Advisor" shall mean Government Consultants, Inc., Jackson, Mississippi.

"Governing Body" shall mean the Board of Supervisors of the County.

"Indirect Participant" shall mean a broker-dealer, bank or other financial institution for which the Securities Depository holds Bonds as a securities depository through a Direct Participant.

"Letter of Representations" shall mean the letter of representations for the County and/or Paying Agent to DTC under the Book-Entry System.

"Paying Agent" shall mean initially any bank, trust company or other institution hereafter designated by the Governing Body for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

"Person" shall mean an individual, partnership, corporation, limited liability company, trust or unincorporated organization and a government or agency or political subdivision thereof.

"President" shall mean the president of the Governing Body.

"Record Date" shall mean, as to interest payments, the 15th day of the month preceding the dates set for payment of interest on the Bonds and, as to payments of principal, the 15th day of the month preceding the maturity date or the date set for redemption.

"Record Date Registered Owner" shall mean the Registered Owner as of the Record Date.

"Refunded Bonds" shall mean some or all of the outstanding maturities of the 2006 Bonds selected by the County to be refunded, including, without limitation, the 2006 Bonds maturing June 1, 2013 through June 1, 2026, both inclusive.

"Refunding Project" shall mean using a portion of the proceeds of the Bonds to provide funds for the advanced refunding of the Refunded Bonds, including funds for the redemption price of the Callable Bonds.

"Registered Owner" shall mean the Person whose name shall appear in the registration records of the County maintained by the Transfer Agent.

"Securities Depository" means DTC and any substitute for or successor to such securities depository that shall maintain a Book-Entry System with respect to the Bonds.

"Securities Depository Nominee" means the Securities Depository or the nominee of such Securities Depository in whose name there shall be registered on the registration records the Bonds to be delivered to such Securities Depository during the continuation with such Securities Depository of participation in its Book-Entry System.

"Transfer Agent" shall mean initially any bank, trust company or other institution hereafter designated by the Governing Body for the registration of owners of the Bonds and for the performance of such other duties as may be herein or hereafter specified by the Governing Body.

"2006 Bond Resolution" shall mean the General Obligation Refunding Bonds Bond Resolution of the Governing Body of the County dated September 25, 2006, which 2006 Bond Resolution secures the 2006 Bonds.

"2006 Bonds" shall mean the Madison County, Mississippi General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2006, dated October 18, 2006, issued in the original aggregate principal amount of \$17,990,000 of which \$17,305,000 remains outstanding.

"2006 Bonds Paying Agent" shall mean Trustmark National Bank, Jackson, Mississippi.

"2013 Bond Fund" shall mean Madison County, Mississippi Taxable General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013, 2013 Bond Fund provided for in Section 13 hereof.

"2013 Costs of Issuance Fund" shall mean Madison County, Mississippi Taxable General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013, 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund provided for in Section 14 hereof.

"Underwriter" shall mean Stephens Inc.

- (b) Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders. Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, words and terms herein defined shall be equally applicable to the plural as well as the singular form of any of such words and terms.
- 2. The County is authorized under the provisions of the Act to issue its Taxable General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013 to provide funds for the advanced refunding of the Refunded Bonds pursuant to the terms and provisions of the 2006 Bond Resolution. It is advisable and in the public interest to issue the Bonds for the purpose stated herein.
- 3. The estimated cost of refunding the Refunding Project and paying the costs of issuance of the Bonds herein directed to be issued is not to exceed Eighteen Million Dollars (\$18,000,000).
- On the 19th day of February, 2013, the Governing Body adopted a resolution entitled: "RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI (THE "COUNTY") AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE EXECUTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF A PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT FOR THE SALE OF THE COUNTY'S TAXABLE GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2013 (THE "BONDS"). TO RAISE MONEY TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR THE ADVANCED REFUNDING OF ALL OR CERTAIN OUTSTANDING MATURITIES OF THE COUNTY'S GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2006, DATED OCTOBER 18, 2006, ISSUED IN THE ORIGINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$17,990,000; AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS; APPROVING THE FORM AND EXECUTION OF A BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF THE BONDS; APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE FORM OF, EXECUTION OF AND DISTRIBUTION OF AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT PERTAINING TO THE BONDS; APPROVING THE FORM OF AND EXECUTION OF AN ESCROW AGREEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE REFUNDING PROJECT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES," wherein the County (a) authorized and approved the issuance of the Bonds subject to certain conditions; (b) authorized and approved the execution and distribution of a preliminary official statement; (c) approved the form of and execution of a bond purchase agreement for the sale of the Bonds; (d) approved and authorized the form of, execution of and distribution of an official statement pertaining to the Bonds; (e) approved the form of and execution of an escrow agreement; (f) authorized and approved the selection of Trustmark National Bank, Jackson, Mississippi, as Escrow Agent under the terms and provisions of the escrow agreement; (g) authorized the Clerk, the Escrow Agent and/or Bond Counsel to make the initial application to Department of the Treasury, Bureau of Public Debt, Division of Special Investments, Parkersburg, West Virginia for Untied States Treasury Securities – State and Local Government Series (the "SLGS) in connection with the requirements of the escrow agreement; (h) authorized the Escrow Agent to finalize the application for the SLGS; and (i) authorized the purchase of other authorized securities to the extent SLGS were not purchased for the escrow agreement.

5. It has now become necessary to make provision for the preparation, execution and issuance of said Bonds.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY, ACTING FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** In consideration of the purchase and acceptance of any and all of the Bonds by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Bond Resolution shall constitute a contract between the County and the Registered Owners from time to time of the Bonds. The pledge made herein and the covenants and agreements herein set forth to be performed on behalf of the County for the benefit of the Registered Owners shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Registered Owners of any and all of the Bonds, all of which, regardless of the time or times of their authentication and delivery or maturity, shall be of equal rank without preference, priority or distinction.

- **SECTION 2.** (a) The Bonds shall initially be issued pursuant to a Book-Entry System administered by the Securities Depository with no physical distribution of Bond certificates to be made except as provided in this Section 2. Any provision of this Bond Resolution or the Bonds requiring physical delivery of the Bonds shall, with respect to any Bonds held under the Book-Entry System, be deemed to be satisfied by a notation on the Registration Records maintained by the Paying Agent that such Bonds are subject to the Book-Entry System.
- So long as a Book-Entry System is being used, one Bond in the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds and registered in the name of the Securities Depository, the Securities Depository Nominee and the Participants and Indirect Participants will evidence beneficial ownership of the Bonds in authorized denominations, with transfers of ownership effected on the records of the Securities Depository, the Participants and the Indirect Participants pursuant to rules and procedures established by the Securities Depository, the Participants and the Indirect Participants. The principal of and any premium on each Bond shall be payable to the Securities Depository Nominee or any other person appearing on the Registration Records as the Registered Holder of such Bond or its registered assigns or legal representative at the principal office of the Paying Agent. So long as the Book-Entry System is in effect, the Securities Depository will be recognized as the Holder of the Bonds for all purposes. Transfer of principal, interest and any premium payments or notices to Participants and Indirect Participants will be the responsibility of the Securities Depository and transfer of principal, interest and any premium payments or notices to Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of the Participants and Indirect Participants. No other party will be responsible or liable for such transfers of payments or notices or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing such records maintained by the Securities Depository, the Participants or the Indirect Participants. While the Securities Depository Nominee or the Securities Depository, as the case may be, is the registered owner of the Bonds, notwithstanding any other provisions set forth herein, payments of principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds shall be made to the Securities Depository Nominee or the Securities Depository, as the case may be, by wire transfer in immediately available funds to the account of such Holder, without notice to or the consent of the Beneficial Owners, the Paying Agent, with the consent of the County, and the Securities Depository may agree in writing to make payments of principal and interest in a manner

different from that set out herein. In such event, the Paying Agent shall make payments with respect to the Bonds in such manner as if set forth herein.

- (c) The Securities Depository may discontinue providing its services as securities depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to County or Agent. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor securities depository is not obtained, Bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered to the Agent.
- (d) The County may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry-only transfers through the Securities Depository (or a successor securities depository). In that event, Bond certificates will be printed and delivered to the Securities Depository.
- (e) Each Securities Depository and the Participants, the Indirect Participants and the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds, by their acceptance of the Bonds, agree that the County and the Paying Agent shall have no liability for the failure of any Securities Depository to perform its obligation to any Participant, Indirect Participant or other nominee of any Beneficial Owner of any Bonds to perform any obligation that such Participant, Indirect Participant or other nominee may incur to any Beneficial Owner of the Bonds.
- (f) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Bond Resolution, on or prior to the date of issuance of the Bonds, the Paying Agent shall have executed and delivered to the initial Securities Depository a Letter of Representations governing various matters relating to the Securities Depository and its activities pertaining to the Bonds. The terms and provisions of such Letter of Representations are incorporated herein by reference and in the event there shall exist any inconsistency between the substantive provisions of the said Letter of Representations and any provisions of this Bond Resolution, then, for as long as the initial Securities Depository shall serve with respect to the Bonds, the terms of the Letter of Representations shall govern.
- (g) Notwithstanding any provision in this Bond Resolution to the contrary, at all times in which the Book-Entry System is in effect, any references to physical delivery of a Bond shall not be required.
- **SECTION 3.** The Bonds are hereby authorized and ordered to be prepared and issued in the principal amount of not to exceed Eighteen Million Dollars (\$18,000,000) to raise money for the Refunding Project and providing for the costs of issuance of the Bonds, all as authorized by the Act.
- **SECTION 4.** (a) Payments of interest on the Bonds shall be made to the Record Date Registered Owner, and payments of principal shall be made upon presentation and surrender thereof at the principal office of the Paying Agent to the Record Date Registered Owner in lawful money of the United States of America.
- (b) The Bonds shall be registered as to both principal and interest; shall be dated the date of delivery thereof; shall be issued in the principal denomination of \$5,000 each, or integral multiples thereof up to the amount of a single maturity; shall be numbered from one upward in the order of issuance; shall bear interest from the date thereof at the rate or rates specified by further order of the Governing Body, payable on June 1 and December 1 of each year (each an "Interest Payment Date"), commencing December 1, 2013; and shall mature and become due and payable on

June 1 in the years and in the principal amounts as set forth in the Bond Purchase Agreement, with the final maturity occurring not later than June 1, 2026.

- (c) The Bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to their stated dates of maturity as set forth in the Bond Purchase Agreeement.
- The Bonds, for which the payment of sufficient moneys or, to the extent permitted by (d) the laws of the State of Mississippi, (i) direct obligations of, or obligations for the payment of the principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America ("Government Obligations"), (ii) certificates of deposit or municipal obligations fully secured by Government Obligations or (iii) evidences of ownership of proportionate interests in future interest or principal payments on Government Obligations held by a bank or trust company as custodian, under which the owner of the investment is the real party in interest and has the right to proceed directly and individually against the obligor on the Government Obligations and which Government Obligations are not available to satisfy any claim of the custodian or any person claiming through the custodian or to whom the custodian may be obligated, (iv) SLGS, and (v) municipal obligations, the payment of the principal of, interest and redemption premium, if any, on which are irrevocably secured by Government Obligations and which Government Obligations are not subject to redemption prior to the date on which the proceeds attributable to the principal of such obligations are to be used and have been deposited in an escrow account which is irrevocably pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on such municipal obligations (all of which collectively, with Government Obligations, "Defeasance Securities"), shall have been deposited with an escrow agent appointed for such purpose, which may be the Paying and Transfer Agent, shall be deemed to have been paid, shall cease to be entitled to any lien, benefit or security under this Bond Resolution and shall no longer be deemed to be outstanding hereunder, and the Registered Owners shall have no rights in respect thereof except to receive payment of the principal of and interest on such Bonds from the funds held for that purpose. Defeasance Securities shall be considered sufficient under the Bond Resolution if said investments, with interest, mature and bear interest in such amounts and at such times as will assure sufficient cash to pay currently maturing interest and to pay principal when due on such Bonds.
- **SECTION 5.** (a) When the Bonds shall have been validated and executed as herein provided, they shall be registered as an obligation of the County in the office of the Clerk in a record maintained for that purpose, and the Clerk shall cause to be imprinted upon each of the Bonds, over such officer's manual or facsimile signature and manual or facsimile seal, such officer's certificate in substantially the form set out in Section 7.
- (b) The Bonds shall be executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the President and countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk, with the seal of the County imprinted or affixed thereto; provided, however all signatures and seals appearing on the Bonds, other than the signature of an authorized officer of the Transfer Agent hereafter provided for, may be facsimile and shall have the same force and effect as if manually signed or impressed. In case any official of the County whose signature or a facsimile of whose signature shall appear on the Bonds shall cease to be such official before the delivery or reissuance thereof, such signature or such facsimile shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if such official had remained in office until delivery or reissuance.

- (c) The Bonds shall be delivered to or as directed by the Underwriter upon payment of the purchase price therefor in accordance with the terms and conditions of their sale and award, together with a complete certified transcript of the proceedings had and done in the matter of the authorization, issuance, sale and validation of the Bonds, and the final, unqualified approving opinion of Bond Counsel, which opinion may be imprinted on each of the Bonds.
- (d) Prior to or simultaneously with the delivery by the Transfer Agent of any of the Bonds, the County shall file with the Transfer Agent:
  - (i) a copy, certified by the Clerk, of the transcript of proceedings of the Governing Body in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale and validation of the Bonds; and
  - (ii) an authorization to the Transfer Agent, signed by the President, to authenticate and deliver the Bonds to the Underwriter.
- (e) At delivery, the Transfer Agent shall authenticate the Bonds and deliver them to or as directed by the Underwriter thereof upon payment of the purchase price of the Bonds to the County.
- (f) Bonds, blank as to denomination, rate of interest, date of maturity and CUSIP number and sufficient in quantity in the judgment of the County to meet the reasonable transfer and reissuance needs on the Bonds, shall be printed and delivered to the Transfer Agent in generally-accepted format, and held by the Transfer Agent until needed for transfer or reissuance, whereupon the Transfer Agent shall imprint the appropriate information as to denomination, rate of interest, date of maturity and CUSIP number prior to the registration, authentication and delivery thereof to the transferee holder. The Transfer Agent is hereby authorized upon the approval of the Governing Body to have printed from time to time as necessary additional Bonds bearing the facsimile seal of the County and facsimile signatures of the persons who were the officials of the Governing Body as of the date of original issue of the Bonds.
- **SECTION 6.** (a) The County will appoint a Paying and Transfer Agent for the Bonds prior to the issuance thereof. The Paying and Transfer Agent shall be a bank or trust company with offices located within the State of Mississippi. The County specifically reserves the right to hereafter designate a separate Transfer Agent and/or Paying Agent in its discretion in the manner hereinafter provided.
- (b) So long as any of the Bonds shall remain outstanding, the County shall maintain with the Transfer Agent records for the registration and transfer of the Bonds. The Transfer Agent is hereby appointed registrar for the Bonds, in which capacity the Transfer Agent shall register in such records and permit to be transferred thereon, under such reasonable regulations as may be prescribed, any Bond entitled to registration or transfer.
- (c) The County shall pay or reimburse the Agent for reasonable fees for the performance of the services normally rendered and the incurring of normal expenses reasonably and necessarily paid as are customarily paid to paying agents, transfer agents and bond registrars, subject to agreement between the County and the Agent. Fees and reimbursements for extraordinary services and expenses, so long as not occasioned by the negligence, misconduct or willful default of the

Agent, shall be made by the County on a case-by-case basis, subject, where not prevented by emergency or other exigent circumstances, to the prior written approval of the Governing Body.

- (d) (i) An Agent may at any time resign and be discharged of the duties and obligations of either the function of the Paying Agent or Transfer Agent, or both, by giving at least sixty (60) days' written notice to the County, and may be removed from either or both of said functions at any time by resolution of the Governing Body delivered to the Agent. The resolution shall specify the date on which such removal shall take effect and the name and address of the successor Agent, and shall be transmitted to the Agent being removed within a reasonable time prior to the effective date thereof. Provided, however, that no resignation or removal of an Agent shall become effective until a successor Agent has been appointed pursuant to the Bond Resolution.
- (ii) Upon receiving notice of the resignation of an Agent, the County shall promptly appoint a successor Agent by resolution of the Governing Body. Any appointment of a successor Agent shall become effective upon acceptance of appointment by the successor Agent. If no successor Agent shall have been so appointed and have accepted appointment within thirty (30) days after the notice of resignation, the resigning Agent may petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Agent, which court may thereupon, after such notice as it may deem appropriate, appoint a successor Agent.
- (iii) In the event of a change of Agents, the predecessor Agent shall cease to be custodian of any funds held pursuant to this Bond Resolution in connection with its role as such Agent, and the successor Agent shall become such custodian; provided, however, that before any such delivery is required to be made, all fees, advances and expenses of the retiring or removed Agent shall be fully paid. Every predecessor Agent shall deliver to its successor Agent all records of account, registration records, lists of Registered Owners and all other records, documents and instruments relating to its duties as such Agent.
- (iv) Any successor Agent appointed under the provisions hereof shall be a bank, trust company or national banking association having Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insurance of its accounts, duly authorized to exercise corporate trust powers and subject to examination by and in good standing with the federal and/or state regulatory authorities under the jurisdiction of which it falls.
- (v) Every successor Agent appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to its predecessor Agent and to the County an instrument in writing accepting such appointment hereunder, and thereupon such successor Agent, without any further act, shall become fully vested with all the rights, immunities and powers, and subject to all the duties and obligations, of its predecessor.
- (vi) Should any transfer, assignment or instrument in writing be required by any successor Agent from the County to more fully and certainly vest in such successor Agent the estates, rights, powers and duties hereby vested or intended to be vested in the predecessor Agent, any such transfer, assignment and written instruments shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the County.

- (vii) The County will provide any successor Agent with certified copies of all resolutions, orders and other proceedings adopted by the Governing Body relating to the Bonds.
- (viii) All duties and obligations imposed hereby on an Agent or successor Agent shall terminate upon the accomplishment of all duties, obligations and responsibilities imposed by law or required to be performed by this Bond Resolution.
- (e) Any corporation or association into which an Agent may be converted or merged, or with which it may be consolidated or to which it may sell or transfer its assets as a whole or substantially as a whole, or any corporation or association resulting from any such conversion, sale, merger, consolidation or transfer to which it is a party, shall be and become successor Agent hereunder and vested with all the powers, discretion, immunities, privileges and all other matters as was its predecessor, without the execution or filing of any instrument or any further act, deed or conveyance on the part of either the County or the successor Agent, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, provided only that such successor Agent shall be satisfactory to the County and eligible under the provisions of Section 6(d)(iv) hereof.

**SECTION 7.** The Bonds shall be in substantially the following form, with such appropriate variations, omissions and insertions as are permitted or required by this Bond Resolution:

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# [BOND FORM]

Unless this Bond is presented by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company, a New York corporation ("DTC"), to the Trustee or its agent for registration of transfer, exchange, or payment, and any Bond is registered in the name of Cede & Co. or in such other name as is requested by an authorized representative of DTC (and any payment is made to Cede & Co. or to such other entity as is requested by an authorized representative of DTC), ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE, OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL inasmuch as the registered owner hereof, Cede & Co., has an interest herein.

### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

## MADISON COUNTY

#### TAXABLE GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BOND

## **SERIES 2013**

NO

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Rate of Interest	<u>Maturity</u>	Date of Origina	al Issue	<u>CUSIP</u>
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Registered Owner: Ceo	de & Co.			
Principal Amount:				DOLLARS
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agent for the Bonds (the maturity date hereof.				

Bond or from the most recent interest payment date to which interest has been paid at the rate of

The County further promises to pay interest on such principal amount from the date of this

interest per annum set forth above, on June 1 and December 1 of each year (each an "Interest Payment Date"), commencing December 1, 2013, until said principal sum is paid, to the Registered Owner hereof who shall appear in the registration records of the County maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the 15th day of the calendar month preceding the applicable Interest Payment Date.

Payments of principal of and interest on this Bond shall be made by check or draft mailed on the Interest Payment Date to such Registered Owner at such Registered Owner's address as it appears on such registration records. The Registered Owner hereof may change such address by written notice to the Transfer Agent by certified mail, return receipt requested, or such other method as may be subsequently prescribed by the Transfer Agent, such notice to be received by the Transfer Agent not later than the 15th day of the calendar month preceding the applicable principal or Interest Payment Date.

This Bond is one of a series of Bonds of like date of original issue, tenor and effect, except as to denomination, number, rate of interest and date of maturity, issued in the aggregate authorized principal amount of \_\_\_\_\_\_ Million Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_\_) to raise money for the purpose of providing funds for the advanced refunding of certain outstanding maturities of the County's General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2006, dated October 18, 2006, issued in the original principal amount of \$17,990,000.

This Bond is issued under the authority of the Constitution and statutes of the State of Mississippi, including Sections 31-27-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, and by the further authority of proceedings duly had by the Board of Supervisors of the County, including a resolution adopted February 19, 2013 (the "Bond Resolution").

[Redemption provisions to be added upon sale of Bonds.]

The Bonds are registered as to both principal and interest. The Bonds are to be issued or reissued in the denomination of \$5,000 each, or integral multiples thereof up to the amount of a single maturity.

This Bond may be transferred or exchanged by the Registered Owner hereof in person or by such Registered Owner's attorney duly authorized in writing at the principal office of the Transfer Agent, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations in the Bond Resolution, and upon surrender and cancellation of this Bond. Upon such transfer or exchange, a new Bond or Bonds of like aggregate principal amount in authorized denominations of the same maturity will be issued.

The County and the Paying Agent may deem and treat the Registered Owner hereof as the absolute owner for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of principal hereof and interest due hereon and for all other purposes and neither the County nor the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

The Bonds are and will continue to be payable as to principal and interest out of and secured by an irrevocable pledge of the avails of a direct and continuing tax to be levied annually without limitation as to time, rate or amount upon all the taxable property within the geographical limits of the County; provided, however, that such tax levy for any year shall be abated pro tanto to the extent the County on or prior to September 1 of that year has transferred money to the Bond Fund of the

Bonds, or has made other provisions for funds, to be applied toward the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds due during the ensuing fiscal year of the County, in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Resolution. The County, when necessary, will levy annually a special tax upon all taxable property within the geographical limits of the County adequate and sufficient to provide for the payment of the principal of and the interest on the Bonds as the same falls due.

This Bond shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any benefit or security under the Bond Resolution until the certificate of registration and authentication hereon shall have been signed by the Transfer Agent.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND REPRESENTED that all conditions, acts and things required by law to exist, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in the issuance of the Bonds, in order to make the same legal and binding general obligations of the County, according to the terms thereof, do exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law. For the performance in apt time and manner of every official act herein required, and for the prompt payment of this Bond, both principal and interest, the full faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the County has caused this Bond to be executed in its name by the manual or facsimile signature of the President of the Board of Supervisors of the County, countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk of the County, under the manual or facsimile seal of the County, which said manual or facsimile signatures and seal said officials adopt as and for their own proper signatures and seal, as of the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

# MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

	WADISON COUNTT, WISSISSIFFT
	BY:
	President, Board of Supervisors
COUNTERSIGNED:	
Chancery Clerk	-
(seal)	

There shall be printed on the Bonds a registration and authentication certificate in substantially the following form:

# CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION AND AUTHENTICATION

	d in the within mentioned Bond Resolution and is one Bonds, Series 2013, of Madison County, Mississippi.
	as Transfer Agent
	BY:Authorized Officer
	Authorized Officer
Date of Registration and Authentication:	
There shall be printed on the Bonda assignment form in substantially the following	s a registration and validation certificate and an g form:
REGISTRATION AND V	ALIDATION CERTIFICATE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI	
COUNTY OF MADISON	
within Bond has been duly registered by me a record kept in my office for that purpose, and	adison County, Mississippi, do hereby certify that the as an obligation of said County pursuant to law in a has been validated and confirmed by Decree of the opi, rendered on the day of, 2013.
	Chancery Clerk
(seal)	

# ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers unto		
(Nam	ne and Address of Assignee)	
•	cably constitute and appoint,,	
	nsfer the said Bond on the records kept for registration	
thereof with full power of substitution in	the premises.	
	<b>NOTICE:</b> The signature to this Assignment must correspond with the name of the Registered Owner as it appears upon the face of the within Bond in every particular manner, without any alteration whatever.	
Signatures guaranteed:		
NOTICE: Signature(s) must be guaran approved eligible guarantor institution, and that is a participant in a Securities Association recognized signature guarantee.	n institution s Transfer	
(Authorized Officer)		
Date of Assignment:		
Insert Social Security Number or Other		
Tax Identification Number of Assignee:		

[END OF BOND FORM]

**SECTION 8.** In case any Bond shall become mutilated or be stolen, destroyed or lost, the County shall, if not then prohibited by law, cause to be authenticated and delivered a new Bond of like date, number, maturity and tenor in exchange and substitution for and upon cancellation of such mutilated Bond, or in lieu of and in substitution for such Bond stolen, destroyed or lost, upon the Registered Owner's paying the reasonable expenses and charges of the County in connection therewith, and in case of a Bond stolen, destroyed or lost, such Registered Owner's filing with the County or Transfer Agent evidence satisfactory to them that such Bond was stolen, destroyed or lost, and of such Registered Owner's ownership thereof, and furnishing the County or Transfer Agent with such security or indemnity as may be required by law or by them to save each of them harmless from all risks, however remote.

**SECTION 9.** For the purpose of effectuating and providing for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same shall respectively mature and accrue, there shall be and is hereby levied a direct, continuing special tax upon all of the taxable property within the geographical limits of the County, adequate and sufficient, after allowance shall have been made for the expenses of collection and delinquencies in the payment of taxes, to produce sums required for the payment of the principal of and the interest on the Bonds; provided, however, that such tax levy for any year shall be abated pro tanto to the extent the County on or prior to September 1 of that year has transferred money to the 2013 Bond Fund of the Bonds, or has made other provisions for funds, to be applied toward the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds due during the ensuing fiscal year of the County, in accordance with the provisions hereof. Said tax shall be extended upon the tax rolls and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes of the County are collected, and the rate of tax which shall be so extended shall be sufficient in each year fully to produce the sums required as aforesaid, without limitation as to time, rate or amount. The avails of said tax are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same shall respectively mature and accrue. Should there be a failure in any year to comply with the requirements of this section, such failure shall not impair the right of the Registered Owners of any of the Bonds in any subsequent year to have adequate taxes levied and collected to meet the obligations of the Bonds, both as to principal and interest.

**SECTION 10.** Only such of the Bonds as shall have endorsed thereon a certificate of registration and authentication in substantially the form hereinabove set forth, duly executed by the Transfer Agent, shall be entitled to the rights, benefits and security of this Bond Resolution. No Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless and until such certificate of registration and authentication shall have been duly executed by the Transfer Agent, which executed certificate shall be conclusive evidence of registration, authentication and delivery under this Bond Resolution. The Transfer Agent's certificate of registration and authentication on any Bond shall be deemed to have been duly executed if signed by an authorized officer of the Transfer Agent, but it shall not be necessary that the same officer sign said certificate on all of the Bonds that may be issued hereunder at any one time.

**SECTION 11.** (a) In the event the Underwriter shall fail to designate the names, addresses and social security or tax identification numbers of the Registered Owners of the Bonds within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, or at such other later date as may be designated by the County, one Bond registered in the name of the Underwriter may be issued in the full amount for each maturity. Ownership of the Bonds shall be in the Underwriter until the initial Registered Owner has made

timely payment and, upon request of the Underwriter within a reasonable time of the initial delivery of the Bonds, the Transfer Agent shall re-register any such Bond upon its records in the name of the Registered Owner to be designated by the Underwriter in the event timely payment has not been made by the initial Registered Owner.

- (b) Except as hereinabove provided, the Person in whose name any Bond shall be registered in the records of the County maintained by the Transfer Agent may be deemed the absolute owner thereof for all purposes, and payment of or on account of the principal of or interest on any Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of the Registered Owner thereof, or his legal representative, but such registration may be changed as hereinafter provided. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.
- **SECTION 12.** (a) Each Bond shall be transferable only in the records of the County, upon surrender thereof at the office of the Transfer Agent, together with a written instrument of transfer satisfactory to the Transfer Agent duly executed by the Registered Owner or such Registered Owner's attorney duly authorized in writing. Upon the transfer of any Bond, the County, acting through its Transfer Agent, shall issue in the name of the transferee a new Bond or Bonds of the same aggregate principal amount and maturity and rate of interest as the surrendered Bond or Bonds.
- (b) In all cases in which the privilege of transferring Bonds is exercised, the Transfer Agent shall authenticate and deliver Bonds in accordance with the provisions of this Bond Resolution.
- **SECTION 13.** (a) The County hereby establishes the 2013 Bond Fund which shall be maintained with a qualified depository in its name for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and the payment of Agents' fees in connection therewith. There shall be deposited into the 2013 Bond Fund as and when received:
  - (i) The accrued interest and premium, if any, received upon delivery of the Bonds;
  - (ii) The avails of any of the ad valorem taxes levied and collected pursuant to Section 9 hereof;
    - (iii) Any income received from investment of monies in the 2013 Bond Fund; and
  - (iv) Any other funds available to the County which may be lawfully used for payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and which the Governing Body, in its discretion, may direct to be deposited into the 2013 Bond Fund.
- (b) As long as any principal of and interest on the Bonds remains outstanding, the Clerk is hereby irrevocably authorized and directed to withdraw from the 2013 Bond Fund sufficient monies to make the payments herein provided for and to transfer same to the account of the Paying Agent in time to reach said Paying Agent at least five (5) days prior to the date on which said interest or principal and interest shall become due.

**SECTION 14.** The County hereby establishes the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund which shall be held by the Escrow Agent under the Escrow Agreement. A certain portion of the proceeds received upon the sale of the Bonds shall be deposited in the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund. Any income received from investment of monies in the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund shall be deposited in the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund. Funds in the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund shall be used to pay the costs, fees and expenses incurred by the County in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale, validation and delivery of the Bonds. Any amounts which remain in the 2013 Costs of Issuance Fund after the payment of the costs of issuance for the Bonds shall be transferred by the Escrow Agent to the County for deposit in the 2013 Bond Fund and used as permitted under State law.

**SECTION 15.** Upon delivery of the Bonds, the County will remit or will direct the remittance of a certain portion of the proceeds received upon the sale of the Bonds directly to the Escrow Agent under the Escrow Agreement for deposit in the Escrow Fund to provide for the Refunding Project, which amount, together with investment income thereon, will be sufficient to effectuate the advanced refunding of the Refunded Bonds and the redemption of the Callable Bonds pursuant to the terms of the Escrow Agreement.

**SECTION 16.** (a) Payment of principal on the Bonds shall be made, upon presentation and surrender of the Bonds at the principal office of the Paying Agent, to the Record Date Registered Owner thereof who shall appear in the registration records of the County maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the Record Date.

- (b) Payment of each installment of interest on the Bonds shall be made to the Record Date Registered Owner thereof whose name shall appear in the registration records of the County maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the Record Date. Interest shall be payable in the aforesaid manner irrespective of any transfer or exchange of such Bond subsequent to the Record Date and prior to the due date of the interest.
- (c) Principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be paid by check or draft mailed on the Interest Payment Date to Registered Owners at the addresses appearing in the registration records of the Transfer Agent. Any such address may be changed by written notice from the Registered Owner to the Transfer Agent by certified mail, return receipt requested, or such other method as may be subsequently prescribed by the Transfer Agent, such notice to be received by the Transfer Agent not later than the 15th day of the calendar month preceding the applicable principal or Interest Payment Date to be effective as of such date.

**SECTION 17.** The Bonds may be submitted to validation as provided by Chapter 13, Title 31, Mississippi Code of 1972, and to that end the Clerk is hereby directed to make up a transcript of all legal papers and proceedings relating to the Bonds and to certify and forward the same to the State's Bond Attorney for the institution of validation proceedings.

**SECTION 18.** The County hereby agrees for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds for so long as it remains obligated to advance funds to pay the Bonds to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of specified material events, to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB") through MSRB's Electronic Municipal Market Access system at <a href="https://www.emma.msrb.org">www.emma.msrb.org</a> ("EMMA"), in the electronic format then prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") (the "Required

Electronic Format") pursuant to Rule 15c2-12, as amended from time to time (the "Rule"), of the SEC, together with any identifying information or other information then required to accompany the applicable filing (the "Accompanying Information"). This information will be available free to securities brokers and others at EMMA.

The County will provide certain updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB in the Required Electronic Format through EMMA, together with any Accompanying Information. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the County of the general type included in the Official Statement under the headings "ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION," "TAX INFORMATION" and "DEBT INFORMATION" and other financial information set forth in APPENDIX A of the Official Statement. The County will update and provide this information within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the County ending in or after 2013.

The County may provide updated information in full text or may incorporate by reference certain other publicly available documents, as permitted by the Rule. The updated information will include audited financial statements, if the County's audit is completed by the required time. If audited financial statements are not available by the required time, the County will provide unaudited financial statements by such time and audited financial statements when the audit report becomes available. Any such financial statements will be prepared in accordance with the accounting principles promulgated by the State of Mississippi or such other accounting principles as the County may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to law or regulation.

The County's current fiscal year end is September 30. Accordingly, it must provide updated information by March 31 in each year, unless the County changes its fiscal year. If the County changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB in the Required Electronic Format through EMMA, together with any Accompanying Information, of the change.

Anyone requesting information under the continuing disclosure requirements of the Rule should contact the Chancery Clerk, acting for and on behalf of the County, Madison County Courthouse, 128 West North Street, Canton, Mississippi 39046, Telephone Number: (601) 855-5526.

The County will also provide notice to the MSRB in the Required Electronic Format through EMMA, together with any Accompanying Information, in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of certain events. The County will provide notice of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds, in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of such event: (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves, reflecting financial difficulties; (3) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements, reflecting financial difficulties; (4) substitution of credit or liquidity providers for the Bonds; or their failure to perform; (5) adverse tax opinions, IRS notices or events affecting the tax status of the Bonds; (6) defeasances; (7) rating changes; (8) tender offers; and (9) bankruptcy, insolvency receivership, or a similar proceeding by the obligated person. The County will provide to the MSRB in the Required Electronic Format through EMMA, together with any Accompanying Information, notice of an occurrence of the following events, if such event is material to a decision to purchase or sell Bonds, in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of an event: (1) non-payment related defaults; (2) modifications to the

rights of bond holders; (3) bond calls or redemption; (4) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds; (5) the consummation of a merger, consolidation, acquisition involving an obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, or the sale of all or substantially all the assets of an obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, or the entry into a definitive agreement to engage in such a transaction, or a termination of such an agreement, other than in accordance with its terms; and (6) appointment of a successor or additional trustee, or the change in the name of the trustee. In addition, the County will provide timely notice of any failure by the County to provide information, data, or financial statements in accordance with its agreement described above under paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of this Section.

The County has agreed to provide the foregoing information to the MSRB in the Required Electronic Format through EMMA, together with any Accompanying Information. The information will be available free to holders of Bonds through EMMA.

The County has agreed to update information and to provide notices of material events only as described in this Section. The County has not agreed to provide other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of its financial results of operations, condition, or prospects or agreed to update any information that is provided, except as described herein. The County makes no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date. The County disclaims any contractual or tort liability for damages resulting in whole or in part from any breach of its continuing disclosure agreement or from any statement made pursuant to its agreement, although holders or beneficial owners of Bonds may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the County to comply with its agreement.

The County may amend its continuing disclosure agreement only if (1) the amendment is made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in identity, nature, or status of the County, (2) the agreement, as amended, would have complied with the Rule at the date of sale of the Bonds, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule as well as any change in circumstance, and (3) the County receives an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel to the effect that the amendment does not materially impair the interests of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. If any such amendment is made, the County will include in its next annual update an explanation in narrative form of the reasons for the change and its impact on the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

**SECTION 19.** Each of the following constitutes an event of default under this Bond Resolution:

- (a) failure by the County to pay any installment of principal of or interest on any Bond at the time required;
- (b) failure by the County to perform or observe any other covenant, agreement or condition on its part contained in this Bond Resolution or in the Bonds, and the continuance thereof for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice thereof to the County by the Registered Owners of not less than ten percent (10%) in principal amount of the then outstanding Bonds; or

(c) an Act of Bankruptcy occurs.

**SECTION 20.** The Escrow Agent is hereby authorized to pay costs of issuance expenses on the closing date for the Bonds from the proceeds of the Bonds deposited with the Escrow Agent under the Escrow Agreement for the costs of issuance of said Bonds; provided, however, total costs of issuance for said Bonds shall not exceed 3.00% of the par amount of the Bonds (excluding Underwriter's discount). The President or Clerk or any other Authorized Officer are authorized to sign requisitions for the payment of costs of issuance for the Bonds.

**SECTION 21.** The President, the Clerk and the other Authorized Officers of the County are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to take such actions and to execute such documents as may be necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Bond Resolution.

**SECTION 22.** The Governing Body hereby provides notice to the 2006 Paying Agent of the County's election to optionally redeem the Refunded Bonds. The Governing Body hereby requests the 2006 Paying Agent to provide the notices required by the 2006 Bond Resolution to the holders of the 2006 Bonds in connection with the Refunding Project and of the County's election to optionally redeem a portion of the Refunded Bonds, including the optional redemption of the Callable Bonds on June 1, 2016.

**SECTION 23.** All orders, resolutions or proceedings of the Governing Body in conflict with any provision hereof shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, rescinded and set aside, but only to the extent of such conflict. For cause, this Bond Resolution shall become effective upon the adoption hereof.

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Following the reading of the forego	ing Bond Resolution, Supervisor
seconded the motion for its adoption. The	President put the question to a roll call vote, and the
result was as follows:	
Supervisor John Bell Crosby	voted:
Supervisor Ronny Lott	voted:
Supervisor Gerald Steen	voted:
Supervisor Paul Griffin	voted:
Supervisor Karl Banks	voted:
The motion having received the affin	rmative vote of a majority of the members present, the
President declared the motion carried and	the Bond Resolution adopted this the 19th day of
February, 2013.	
	PRESIDENT, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
ATTEST:	
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	
(SEAL)	