EXHIBIT A

(Below is the Notice for Publication and Posting)

TOWN OF THURSTON, NEW YORK

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on July 16, 2025, the Town Board of the Town of Thurston, in the County of Steuben, New York, adopted a bond resolution entitled:

"Bond Resolution of the Town of Thurston, New York, adopted July 16, 2025, authorizing the issuance of bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$410,000 to finance the acquisition of a road grader, stating the estimated maximum cost thereof is \$410,000 and appropriating said amount for such purpose,"

an abstract of such bond resolution, concisely stating the purpose and effect thereof, being as follows:

FIRST: AUTHORIZING the Town of Thurston, New York to issue bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$410,000 pursuant to the Local Finance Law of the State of New York, to finance the acquisition of a road grader;

SECOND: STATING that the estimated maximum cost thereof, including certain preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and the financing thereof, is \$410,000; appropriating said amount for such purpose; and STATING that the plan of financing includes the issuance of bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$410,000 to finance said appropriation, and the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the Town to pay the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall become due and payable; and STATING that the Town has applied for financing through the USDA Rural Development, Community Facilities Loan Program and the financing may be provided through said program or from other financing sources, and that any grant funds received by the Town in connection with the acquisition of the road grader shall be used to pay all or a part of the cost thereof, and the principal amount of bonds or notes issued pursuant to this resolution shall be reduced by a like amount;

THIRD: DETERMINING and STATING the period of probable usefulness applicable to the purpose for which said bonds are authorized to be issued is fifteen (15) years; the proceeds of said bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation thereof may be applied to reimburse the Town for expenditures made after the effective date of this bond resolution for the purpose for which said bonds are authorized; and the proposed maturity of said bonds will exceed five (5) years;

FOURTH: DETERMINING that said bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of said bonds and the renewals of said bond anticipation notes shall be general obligations of the Town; and PLEDGING to their payment the faith and credit of the Town;

FIFTH: DELEGATING to the Supervisor the powers and duties as to the issuance of said bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of said bonds, or the renewals thereof;

SIXTH: STATING the conditions under which the validity of the bonds and any notes issued in anticipation thereof may be contested; and

SEVENTH: DETERMINING that the bond resolution is subject to a permissive referendum.

DATED: July 16, 2025

Sue Conklin Town Clerk