March \_\_, 2025

Mr. Michael Fairbanks

Chairman of the White Earth Nation

PO Box 418

White Earth, Minnesota 56591

 *Re: Letter in Support of White Earth’s Application to transfer 280.64 acres of*

 *land in Clay County, Minnesota in trust for tribal gaming and other*

 *purposes.*

Dear Chairman Fairbanks:

The Clay County Board of Commissioners supports the White Earth Nation’s application to transfer 280.64 acres of land in Clay County, Minnesota legally described in Attachment A (“the Subject Property”) into trust for tribal gaming and other purposes. A White Earth tribal gaming facility on the Subject Property would be an economic and social benefit to the City of Moorhead and the other surrounding communities.

You are authorized to provide this letter of support to the Bureau of Indian Affairs and other federal and state agencies in connection with White Earth Nation’s fee to trust application.

Sincerely,

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David Ebinger, Board Chair

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