



AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING THAT GENERAL PROPERTY TAXES LEVIED AND COLLECTED EACH YEAR ON ALL PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN THE COMMERCIAL PARK DEVELOPMENT URBAN RENEWAL AREA, IN THE CITY OF BRITT, COUNTY OF HANCOCK, STATE OF IOWA, BY AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE STATE OF IOWA, CITY OF BRITT, COUNTY OF HANCOCK, WEST HANCOCK COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, AND OTHER TAXING DISTRICTS, BE PAID TO A SPECIAL FUND FOR PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON LOANS, MONIES ADVANCED TO AND INDEBTEDNESS, INCLUDING BONDS ISSUED OR TO BE ISSUED, INCURRED BY THE CITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE COMMERCIAL PARK DEVELOPMENT URBAN RENEWAL AREA (THE URBAN RENEWAL PLAN)

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Britt, State of Iowa, after public notice and hearing as prescribed by law and pursuant to Resolution No. 13-2017 passed and approved on the 21st day of March, 2017, adopted an Urban Renewal Plan (the "Urban Renewal Plan") for an urban renewal area known as the Commercial Park Development Urban Renewal Area (the "Urban Renewal Area"), which Urban Renewal Area includes the lots and parcels located within the area legally described as follows:

All of the vacated alley lying North of Lots Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8), Block Three (3), McGraw & Fish's Addition, Britt, Hancock County, Iowa
AND AS TO

Lots Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), and Ten (10), Block Three (3), McGraw & Fish's Addition, Britt, Hancock County, Iowa
AND

The West Sixty (60) feet of the East half (E ½) of the South East Quarter (SE ¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Ninety-six (96) North, Range Twenty-five (25) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Hancock County, Iowa, lying North of the centerline of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway right of way and South of the centerline of U.S. Highway 18
AND

A tract of land in the Northeast corner of the South West Quarter (SW ¼) of the South East Quarter (SE ¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Ninety-six (96) North, Range Twenty-five (25) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Hancock County, Iowa, described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of said Sec. 28, thence West along the North line of said forty acre tract, 30 rods to the center of highway; thence South 32 rods and 18 links to the North line of the right of way of the Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul Railway; thence East along said right of way and the depot grounds, 30 rods to the East line of said forty acre tract; thence North to the point of beginning

AND

The East Three Hundred (300) Feet of the following described tract: Commencing at the Southeast (SE) corner of the North West Quarter (NW ¼) of the South East Quarter (SE ¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Ninety-six (96) North, Range Twenty-five (25), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Hancock County, Iowa; thence North 264 feet; thence West 560 feet; thence South 124 feet; thence West 430 feet; thence South 60 feet; thence East 430 feet; thence South 80 feet; thence East 560 feet to the place of beginning, EXCEPT two parcels conveyed to the State of Iowa in 61 L.D. 217

AND

All of 4th St. N.E. right of way lying East of Main Avenue N. and the North 22.44 of Lot 5, Block 2, all within McGraw and Fish's Addition, Britt, Hancock County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, expenditures and indebtedness are anticipated to be incurred by the City of Britt, State of Iowa, in the future to finance urban renewal project activities carried out in furtherance of the objectives of the Urban Renewal Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Britt, State of Iowa, desires to provide for the division of revenue from taxation in the Urban Renewal Area, as above described, in accordance with the provisions of Section 403.19 of the Code of Iowa, as amended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRITT, STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. That the taxes levied on the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area legally described in the preamble hereof, by and for the benefit of the State of Iowa, City of Britt, County of Hancock, West Hancock Community School District, and all other taxing districts from and after the effective date of this Ordinance shall be divided as hereinafter in this Ordinance provided.

Section 2. That portion of the taxes which would be produced by the rate at which the tax is levied each year by or for each of the taxing districts upon the total sum of the assessed value of the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area, as shown on the assessment roll as of January 1 of the calendar year preceding the first calendar year in which the City of Britt, State of Iowa, certifies to the Auditor of Hancock County, Iowa the amount of loans, advances, indebtedness, or bonds payable from the division of property tax revenue described herein, shall be allocated to and when collected be paid into the fund for the respective taxing district as taxes by or for the taxing district into which all other property taxes are paid.

Section 3. That portion of the taxes each year in excess of the base period taxes determined as provided in Section 2 of this Ordinance shall be allocated to and when collected be paid into a special tax increment fund of the City of Britt, State of Iowa, hereby established, to pay the principal of and interest on loans, monies advanced to, indebtedness, whether funded, refunded, assumed or otherwise, including bonds or obligations issued under the authority of Section 403.9 or 403.12 of the Code of Iowa, as amended, incurred by the City of Britt, State of Iowa, to finance or refinance, in whole or in part, urban renewal projects undertaken within the

Urban Renewal Area pursuant to the Urban Renewal Plan, except that (i) taxes for the regular and voter-approved physical plant and equipment levy of a school district imposed pursuant to Iowa Code Section 298.2 and taxes for the instructional support program of a school district imposed pursuant to Iowa Code Section 257.19 (but in each case only to the extent required under Iowa Code Section 403.19(2)); (ii) taxes for the payment of bonds and interest of each taxing district; (iii) taxes imposed under Iowa Code Section 346.27(22) related to joint county-city buildings; and (iv) any other exceptions under Iowa Code Section 403.19 shall be collected against all taxable property within the Urban Renewal Area without any limitation as hereinabove provided.

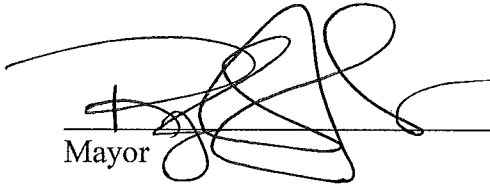
Section 4. Unless or until the total assessed valuation of the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area exceeds the total assessed value of the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area as shown by the assessment roll referred to in Section 2 of this Ordinance, all of the taxes levied and collected upon the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area shall be paid into the funds for the respective taxing districts as taxes by or for the taxing districts in the same manner as all other property taxes.

Section 5. At such time as the loans, advances, indebtedness, bonds and interest thereon of the City of Britt, State of Iowa, referred to in Section 3 hereof have been paid, all monies thereafter received from taxes upon the taxable property in the Urban Renewal Area shall be paid into the funds for the respective taxing districts in the same manner as taxes on all other property.

Section 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed. The provisions of this Ordinance are intended and shall be construed so as to fully implement the provisions of Section 403.19 of the Code of Iowa, as amended, with respect to the division of taxes from property within the Urban Renewal Area as described above. In the event that any provision of this Ordinance shall be determined to be contrary to law, it shall not affect other provisions or application of this Ordinance which shall at all times be construed to fully invoke the provisions of Section 403.19 of the Code of Iowa with reference to the Urban Renewal Area and the territory contained therein.

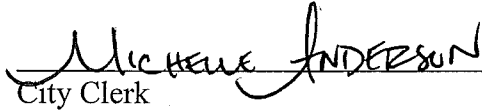
Section 7. This Ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 21 day of MARCH, 2017.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Clerk

Read First Time: MARCH 21, 2017

Read Second Time: _____, 2017

Read Third Time: _____, 2017

PASSED AND APPROVED: MARCH 21, 2017.

I, MICHELLE ANDERSON, City Clerk of the City of Britt, State of Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of Ordinance No. 489 passed and approved by the City Council of the City at a meeting held MARCH 21, 2017, signed by the Mayor on MARCH 21, 2017, and published in the Britt News Tribune on MARCH 29, 2017.



City Clerk, City of Britt, State of Iowa

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