### State of New Jersey Department of Community Affairs

### **Annual Debt Statement**

| *Official* Freehold Borough - 2022 |                         |             | Date Prepared: | 1/30/2023                |        |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|----------------|--------------------------|--------|
| Bud                                | get Year Ending         | December 31 | (Month D-D) _  | 2022                     | (Year) |
| Name:                              | Kathleen Caruso         |             | Phone:         | 732-462-1410             |        |
| Title:                             | Chief Financial Officer |             | Email:         | kcaruso@freeholdboro.org |        |
| Address:                           | 30 Mechanic Street      |             |                |                          |        |
|                                    | Freehold, NJ 07728      |             | CFO Cert #:    | N-0523                   |        |

Kathleen Caruso, being duly sworn, deposes and says: Deponent is the Chief Financial Officer of Freehold Borough - County of Monmouth here and in the statement hereinafter mentioned called the local unit. This Annual Debt Statement is a true statement of the debt condition of the local unit as of the date therein stated above and is computed as provided by the Local Bond Law of New Jersey.

|  | <b>Gross Debt</b> | Deduction       | <b>Net Debt</b> |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Total Bonds and Notes for Local School         |                   |                 |                 |
| Purposes                                       | \$13,355,000.00   | \$13,355,000.00 | \$0.00          |
| Total Bonds and Notes for Regional             |                   |                 |                 |
| School Purposes                                | \$461,763.60      | \$461,763.60    | \$0.00          |
| <b>Total Bonds and Notes for all Utilities</b> | \$11,965,450.00   | \$11,965,450.00 | \$0.00          |
| Municipal/County General Obligations           | \$21,323,000.00   | \$714,568.29    | \$20,608,431.71 |
| <b>Total</b>                                   | \$47,105,213.60   | \$26,496,781.89 | \$20,608,431.71 |

Equalized valuation basis (the average of the equalized valuations of real estate, including improvements and the assessed valuation of class II railroad property of the local unit for the last 3 preceding years).

|       | <u>Year</u>      |   |                    |
|-------|------------------|---|--------------------|
| (1)   | 2020             | Equalized Valuation Real Property with Improvements plus assessed valuation of Class II RR Property | \$1,153,639,683.00 |
| (2)   | 2021             | Equalized Valuation Real Property with Improvements plus assessed valuation of Class II RR Property | \$1,226,447,510.00 |
| (3)   | 2022             | Equalized Valuation Real Property with Improvements plus assessed valuation of Class II RR Property | \$1,389,546,789.00 |
| Equa  | alized Valuation | Basis - Average of (1), (2) and (3)   | \$1,256,544,660.67 |
| Net l | 1.640%           |   |                    |

#### BONDS AND NOTES FOR LOCAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

|    | Local School District Type (select one): | Type II         |                 |
|----|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1. | Term Bonds                               | \$              |                 |
| 2. | Serial Bonds                             |                 |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                               | \$13,355,000.00 |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued            | \$              |                 |
| 3. | Temporary Notes                          |                 |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                               | \$              |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued            | \$              |                 |
| 4. | Total Bonds and Notes                    |                 | \$13,355,000.00 |

## DEDUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BONDS AND NOTES – FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

|     | Amounts held or to be held for the sole pu   | urpose of paying bon |                 | ed above.                          |
|-----|--|----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| 5.  | Sinking funds on hand for bonds shown as Line 1 such bonds.  | but not in excess of | \$              |                                    |
| 6.  | Funds on hand in those cases where such funds capurposes other than the payment of bonds and not 4.  |                      | \$              |                                    |
| 7.  | Estimated proceeds of bonds and notes authoric where such proceeds will be used for the sole purpand notes included in Line 4.   |                      | \$              |                                    |
| 8.  | % of average of equalized valuations \$1,256,544,660.67  Use applicable per centum as follows: 2.50% Kindergarten or Grade 1 through Grade 6 3.00% Kindergarten or Grade 1 through Grade 8 3.50% Kindergarten or Grade 1 through Grade 9 |                      | \$37,696,339.82 |                                    |
| 9.  | 4.00% Kindergarten or Grade 1 through Grade 1<br>Additional State School Building Aid Bonds<br>33.4(d))  |                      | \$              |                                    |
| 10. | Total Potential Deduction  Total Allowable Deduction   | _                    |                 | \$37,696,339.82<br>\$13,355,000.00 |

#### BONDS AND NOTES FOR REGIONAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

|    | Regional School District                 | Freehold Regional High School District |   |
|----|--|--|---|
| 1. | TERM BONDS                               | \$                                     |   |
| 2. | SERIAL BONDS                             |  |   |
|    | (a) Issued                               | \$461,763.60                           |   |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued            | \$                                     |   |
| 3. | TEMPORARY BONDS AND NOTES                |  |   |
|    | (a) Issued                               | \$                                     |   |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued            | \$                                     |   |
| 4  | TOTAL OF REGIONAL SCHOOL BONDS AND NOTES | \$461.763.60                           | 0 |

N.J.S.A. 40A:2-43 reads in part as follows: "Gross debt of a municipality shall also include that amount of the total of all the bonds and notes issued and authorized but not issued by any school district including the area of the municipality, which results from the application to such total of the ratio which the equalized valuation basis of the municipality bears to the sum of the equalized valuation basis of each municipality in any such school district."

## COMPUTATION OF REGIONAL AND/OR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT DEBT

| % OF VALUATIONS APPORTIONED TO EACH |                     |              | APPORTIONMENT OF DEBT – Dec. 31, 2022 |              |                |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
|                                     | MUNICIPALITY        |              |                                       |              |                |
| Municipality                        | Average Equalized   | %            | Serial Bonds                          | Temp. Bond – | Authorized But |
|                                     | Valuations          | 70           | Issued                                | Notes Issued | not Issued     |
| Colts Neck Township                 | \$3,314,049,984.67  | 8.71775010%  | \$1,217,869.69                        | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Englishtown Borough                 | \$283,975,383.00    | 0.74700938%  | \$104,357.21                          | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Farmingdale Borough                 | \$189,581,097.33    | 0.49870118%  | \$69,668.55                           | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Freehold Borough                    | \$1,256,544,660.67  | 3.30539443%  | \$461,763.60                          | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Freehold Township                   | \$7,565,688,847.67  | 19.90186782% | \$2,780,290.93                        | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Howell Township                     | \$8,569,407,408.67  | 22.54219238% | \$3,149,144.28                        | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Manalapan Township                  | \$8,062,458,371.33  | 21.20864128% | \$2,962,847.19                        | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Marlboro Township                   | \$8,773,263,079.00  | 23.07844344% | \$3,224,058.55                        | \$0.00       | \$0.00         |
| Totals                              | \$38,014,968,832.34 | 100.00%      | \$13,970,000.00                       | \$           | \$             |

#### BONDS AND NOTES FOR UTILITY FUND

|    | Water & Sewer Utility            |                |                 |
|----|----------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. | Term bonds                       | \$             |                 |
| 2. | Serial bonds                     |                |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                       | \$9,000,000.00 |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued    | \$             |                 |
| 3. | Bond Anticipation Notes          |                |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                       | \$2,600,000.00 |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued    | \$365,450.00   |                 |
| 4. | Capital Notes (N.J.S.A. 40A:2-8) |                |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                       | \$             |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued    | \$             |                 |
| 5. | Other                            |                |                 |
|    | (a) Issued                       | \$_            |                 |
|    | (b) Authorized but not issued    | \$             |                 |
| 6. | Total                            |                | \$11,965,450.00 |

# DEDUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO BONDS AND NOTES FOR SELF-LIQUIDATING PURPOSES

Self-Liquidating Utility Calculation

| 1.        | Total Cash Re  | eceipts from Fees, Rents or   |                 |                 | \$7,348,917.10  |
|-----------|----------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 2         | •              | l Maintenance Cost            |                 | \$5,752,468.00  | \$7,348,917.10  |
| 2.<br>3.  | Debt Service   | i Maintenance Cost            | -               | \$5,752,406.00  |                 |
| ٥.        | (a)            | Interest                      | \$472,582.00    |                 |                 |
|           | (a)<br>(b)     | Notes                         | \$472,382.00    |                 |                 |
|           | (c)            | Serial Bonds                  | \$350,000.00    |                 |                 |
|           | ` '            | <del></del>                   | \$330,000.00    |                 |                 |
|           | (d)            | Sinking Fund<br>Requirements  | \$              |                 |                 |
| 4.        | Dobt Comico    | per Current Budget            | Ф               |                 |                 |
| 4.        | (N.J.S.A. 40A  |                               |                 |                 |                 |
|           | (N.J.S.A. 40A) | Interest on Refunding         |                 |                 |                 |
|           | (a)            | Bonds                         | \$              |                 |                 |
|           | (b)            | Refunding Bonds               | <u>\$</u><br>\$ |                 |                 |
| 5.        | ( )            | Deficit in Dedicated          | Ψ               |                 |                 |
| ٥.        | Assessment B   |                               | \$              |                 |                 |
| 6.        | Total Debt Se  | <u> </u>                      | Ψ               | \$822,582.00    |                 |
| 7.        |                | ons (Line 2 plus Line 6)      | -               | Ψ022,302.00     | \$6,575,050.00  |
| 8.        |                | venues (Line 1 minus Line 7)  |                 | -               | \$773,867.10    |
| 9.        |                | venues (Line 7 minus Line 7)  |                 | -               | \$0.00          |
| 9.<br>10. | Total Debt Se  | ,                             |                 | -               | \$822,582.00    |
| 11.       |                | er of Line 9 or Line 10)      |                 | -               | \$0.00          |
| 11.       |                | Levenues (Line 8) all Utility |                 | -               | \$0.00          |
|           | Debt is Deduc  | . ,                           |                 |                 |                 |
|           | Debt is Deduc  | Luoie                         |                 |                 |                 |
| (a)       |                | & Sewer System Debt           | _               | \$11,965,450.00 |                 |
| (b)       |                | (Capitalized at 5%), (Line 9  |                 |                 |                 |
|           | or line 11)    |                               | -               | \$0.00          |                 |
|           | \$- 0.00 times | s 20                          |                 |                 |                 |
| (c)       | Deduction      |                               | _               | \$11,965,450.00 |                 |
| (d)       |                | ld to Pay Bonds and Notes     |                 |                 |                 |
|           | included in 2  |                               | -               | \$              |                 |
| (e)       |                | on (Deficit in revenues)      | -               | \$11,965,450.00 |                 |
| (f)       |                | le Combined GO Debt           | -               | \$              |                 |
|           | Total Allowal  | ole Deduction                 |                 | -               | \$11,965,450.00 |

### OTHER BONDS, NOTES AND LOANS

| 1. | Term Bonds  | \$             |                |
|----|---|----------------|----------------|
|    | Total Term Bonds  | <u>\$</u>      | \$             |
| 2. | Serial Bonds (state purposes separately)                |                |                |
|    | (a) Issued  |                |                |
|    | 2019 General Serial Bonds                               | \$5,745,000.00 |                |
|    | <b>Total Serial Bonds Issued</b>                        |                | \$5,745,000.00 |
|    | (b) Bonds Authorized but not Issued                     | •              |                |
|    | <b>Total Serial Bonds Authorized but not Issued</b>     | <u> </u>       | \$             |
| 3. | Total Serial Bonds Issued and Authorized but not Issued |                | \$5,745,000.00 |

# OTHER BONDS, NOTES AND LOANS BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES (state purposes separately)

#### 4. Bond Anticipation Notes

| (a) Issued   |                |                 |
|--|----------------|-----------------|
| Ord. 2020-12 Improvements to Various Roads             | \$652,000.00   |                 |
| Ord. 2020-14 Acquisition and Retrofitting of Real      |                |                 |
| Property   | \$4,760,000.00 |                 |
| Ord. 2021-01 Renovation of Borough Library and         |                |                 |
| Equipment Upgrade                                      | \$1,778,000.00 |                 |
| 2021-08 Improvements to Various Roads                  | \$1,258,000.00 |                 |
| Ord. 2021-9 Acquisition of Various Capital Equipment   | \$571,000.00   |                 |
| Ord. 2021-20 Various Capital Projects                  | \$86,000.00    |                 |
| Ord. 2022-4 Acquisition of Real Property -             |                |                 |
| Throckmorton and Liberty Street Park                   | \$3,065,000.00 |                 |
| <b>Total Bond Anticipation Notes Issued</b>            |                | \$12,170,000.00 |
|  |                |                 |
| (b) Authorized but not Issued                          |                |                 |
| Bond Ord. #2020-12 - Various Road Improvements         | \$100,000.00   |                 |
| Ord. 2021/1-2022/14 Improvements to Library            | \$550,000.00   |                 |
| Ord. 2021/20 Various Capital Projects                  | \$9,000.00     |                 |
| Ord. 2022/13 Parking Utility Improvements              | \$684,000.00   |                 |
| Ord. 2022/4 Acquisition of Real Property               |                |                 |
| Throckmorton Improvements to Liberty Street Park       | \$1,695,000.00 |                 |
| Ord. 2022/9 Improvements to Various Sidewalks and      |                |                 |
| Pedestrian Walkways                                    | \$370,000.00   |                 |
| Total Bond Anticipation Notes Authorized but not       |                |                 |
| Issued   |                | \$3,408,000.00  |
|  |                |                 |
| Total Bond Anticipation Notes Issued and Authorized by | ut not Issued  | \$15,578,000.00 |

## OTHER BONDS, NOTES AND LOANS MISCELLANEOUS BONDS, NOTES AND LOANS

(not including Tax Anticipation Notes, Emergency Notes, Special Emergency Notes and Utility Revenue Notes)

#### 6. Miscellaneous Bonds, Notes and Loans

| (a) Issued  | \$       |                 |
|---|----------|-----------------|
| Miscellaneous Bonds, Notes and Loans Issued                             | <u>Φ</u> | \$              |
| (b) Authorized but not Issued   |          |                 |
|   | \$       |                 |
| Miscellaneous Bonds and Notes Authorized but not                        |          |                 |
| Issued  |          | \$              |
| Total Miscellaneous Bonds, Notes and Loans Issued and Authorized but    |          |                 |
| not Issued  |          | \$0.00          |
| Total of all Miscellaneous Bonds, Notes and Loans Issued and Authorized |          |                 |
| but not Issued  |          | \$21,323,000.00 |
|   |          | <del></del>     |

### DEDUCTIONS APPLICABLE TO OTHER BONDS AND NOTES

|             |  | (a) Sinking funds on hand for term bonds   |
|-------------|--|--|
|             | \$   |  |
|             |  |  |
|             | ds cannot be diverted to   | (b) Funds on hand (including proceeds of bonds<br>bonds and notes), in those cases where such f<br>purposes other than the payment of bonds and no   |
|             | \$159,791.58   | Reserve for debt service - library   |
|             | \$554,776.71   | Reserve for Payment of Bonds   |
| \$714,568.2 |  |  |
|             |  | (c) Estimated proceeds of bonds and notes authorized proceeds will be used for the sole purpose of   |
|             | \$   |  |
|             |  |  |
|             |  |  |
|             |  |  |
|             |  |  |
|             | deductible   |  |
|             | deductible \$  |  |
|             | be guaranteed by the  d to meet cash grants-in-  | Bonds authorized by another Public Body  |
|             | be guaranteed by the  d to meet cash grants-in- or municipality acting as  ed - Capital projects for | Bonds authorized by another Public Body municipality  Bonds issued and bonds authorized by not iss aid for housing authority, redevelopment agen   |
|             | be guaranteed by the  d to meet cash grants-in- or municipality acting as  ed - Capital projects for | municipality  Bonds issued and bonds authorized by not iss aid for housing authority, redevelopment agent its local public agency [N.J.S.A. 55:14B-4.1(d)]  Bonds issued and bonds authorized but not is |

## BONDS AUTHORIZED/ISSUED BY ANOTHER PUBLIC BODY TO BE GUARANTEED BY THE MUNICIPALITY

| <u> </u>   | _  |
|--|----|
| Total Bonds and Notes authorized/issued by another Public Body to be |    |
| guaranteed by the municipality                                       | \$ |
|  |    |

## SPECIAL DEBT STATEMENT BORROWING POWER AVAILABLE UNDER N.J.S.A. 40A:2-7(f)

| 1. | Balance of debt incurring capacity December 31, 2021 (N.J.S.A. 40:1-16(d))  | \$_    |
|----|---|--------|
| 2. | Obligations heretofore authorized during 2022 in excess of debt limitation and pursuant to:  (a) N.J.S.A. 40A:2-7, paragraph (d) \$  (b) N.J.S.A. 40A:2-7, paragraph (f) \$  (c) N.J.S.A. 40A:2-7, paragraph (g) \$ | -<br>- |
|    | Total   | \$0.00 |
| 3. | Less 2021 authorizations repealed during 2022   | \$     |
| 4. | Net authorizations during 2022  | \$_    |
| 5. | Balance of debt incurring capacity December 31, 2022 (N.J.S.A. 40:1-16(d))  | \$0.00 |

### **Obligations NOT Included in Gross Debt**

| 1. | Capital Leases and Other Commitments                                | •        |    |
|----|---|----------|----|
|    | Total Leases and Other Comittments                                  | <u></u>  | \$ |
| 2. | Guarantees NOT included in Gross Debt – Public and Private          | \$       |    |
|    | Total Guarantees NOT included in Gross Debt –<br>Public and Private | <u> </u> | \$ |