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Public Official Bond

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Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company  
Bond Department  
1100 Locust Street, Department 2006  
Des Moines, IA 50391-2006  
1-866-387-0457

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No. Bd 7900661137

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Jeanne Youngquist, as Principal, and Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Ohio as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto County of Skagit in the sum of Ten Thousand and No/100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, to the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we hereby bind ourselves, and each of us, our, and each of our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated this 18th day of February A.D. 2011.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS, That whereas the above bounden principal has been appointed or elected to the office of County Auditor for the term beginning January 1, 2011 and ending January 1, 2015.

NOW, THEREFORE, If the said Principal shall well, truly and faithfully perform all official duties required by law of such official during the term aforesaid, the principal and the Surety hereby agreeing that if said bond is required by any statute, all the provisions of such statute are hereby made a part of this bond, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Countersigned

Jeanne Youngquist  
Jeanne Youngquist, Principal  
Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

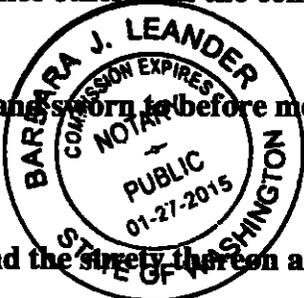
By Margaret A. Grant  
Resident Agent

By: Amy S Fine  
Amy S Fine, Attorney-in-Fact

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ ss. OATH OF OFFICE  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ A

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support, obey and defend the Constitution of the United States and Constitution of this State, and that I will discharge the duties of my office as \_\_\_\_\_ with fidelity; that I have not paid or contributed, or promised to pay or contribute, either directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing to procure my nomination or election or appointment, except for necessary and proper expenses expressly authorized by law; that I have not, knowingly, violated any election law of the State, or procured it to be done by others in my behalf; that I will not knowingly receive, directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing for the performance or non-performance of any act or duty pertaining to my office other than the compensation allowed by law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, A.D. 2011



Barbara J. Leander

The within bond and the surety thereon are hereby approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

send to Brian Young

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### Power of Attorney

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, an Ohio corporation  
Farmland Mutual Insurance Company, an Iowa corporation  
Nationwide Agribusiness Insurance Company, an Iowa corporation

AMCO Insurance Company, an Iowa corporation  
Allied Property and Casualty Insurance Company, an Iowa corporation  
Depositors Insurance Company, an Iowa corporation

hereinafter referred to severally as the "Company" and collectively as the "Companies," each does hereby make, constitute and appoint: Sandra Alitz, Andy Andersen, Bill R. Breckenridge, Ronald L. Bruder, Anita R. Calderon, Laura CATERON, Kerry Christensen, Dana R. Clark, Keith E. Clements, Morgan Collins, Jeff Cose, Janelle Duffy, Janet Dutcher, Paulette M. Dyson, Amy S Fine, Matthew Gilmer, Grant R. Goodenow, Christopher Hansen, David E. Harbeck, Jesse Huston, Aaron J. Jamison, Peter Karney, Diana Kelly, Mike Kuper, Ben Lewis, John Linnenbach, Greg R. Lister, Beth Miller, Jeff Mohr, Elizabeth Moore, Stephen Moore, Becky Nichols, Michael Paez, Amy J. Palmer, Spencer Paris, Andy Roby, Joshua Severson, Nic Meyer, Larry D. Stegh, Michelle L. Smith, Patricia M. Vernace, Heath Weiland, Kim Wells, Camron R. Wilson

each in their individual capacity, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority to sign, seal, and execute on its behalf any and all bonds and undertakings, and other obligatory instruments of similar nature, in penalties not exceeding the sum of

FIVE MILLION AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$5,000,000.00)

and to bind the Company thereby, as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Company; and all acts of said Attorney pursuant to the authority given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This power of attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company:

"RESOLVED, that the president, or any vice president be, and each hereby is, authorized and empowered to appoint attorneys-in-fact of the Company, and to authorize them to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company any and all bonds, forms, applications, memorandums, undertakings, recognizances, transfers, contracts of indemnity, policies, contracts guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding positions of public or private trust, and other writings obligatory in nature that the business of the Company may require; and to modify or revoke, with or without cause, any such appointment or authority; provided, however, that the authority granted hereby shall in no way limit the authority of other duly authorized agents to sign and countersign any of said documents on behalf of the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER, that such attorneys-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute and deliver any and all such documents and to bind the Company subject to the terms and limitations of the power of attorney issued to them, and to affix the seal of the Company thereto; provided, however, that said seal shall not be necessary for the validity of any such documents."

This power of attorney is signed and sealed under and by the following bylaws duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company.

**Execution of Instruments.** Any vice president, any assistant secretary or any assistant treasurer shall have the power and authority to sign or attest all approved documents, instruments, contracts, or other papers in connection with the operation of the business of the company in addition to the chairman of the board, the chief executive officer, president, treasurer or secretary; provided, however, the signature of any of them may be printed, engraved, or stamped on any approved document, contract, instrument, or other papers of the Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this instrument to be sealed and duly attested by the signature of its officer the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2009.

Gary A. Douglas, President and Chief Operating Officer of Nationwide Agribusiness Insurance Company and Farmland Mutual Insurance Company; and Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, AMCO Insurance Company, Allied Property and Casualty Insurance Company, and Depositors Insurance Company

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF IOWA, COUNTY OF POLK: ss

On this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2009, before me came the above-named officer for the Companies aforesaid, to me personally known to be the officer described in and who executed the preceding instrument, and he acknowledged the execution of the same, and being by me duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the officer of the Companies aforesaid, that the seals affixed hereto are the corporate seals of said Companies, and the said corporate seals and his signature were duly affixed and subscribed to said instrument by the authority and direction of said Companies.



*Sandy Alitz*  
Notary Public  
My Commission Expires  
March 24, 2011

#### CERTIFICATE

I, Kathy R. Richards, Assistant Secretary of the Companies, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original power of attorney issued by the Company; that the resolution included therein is a true and correct transcript from the minutes of the meetings of the boards of directors and the same has not been revoked or amended in any manner; that said Gary A. Douglas was on the date of the execution of the foregoing power of attorney the duly elected officer of the Companies, and the corporate seals and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority of said board of directors; and the foregoing power of attorney is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name as Assistant Secretary, and affixed the corporate seals of said Companies this 18<sup>th</sup> day

of February, 20 11.

*Kathy R. Richards*  
Assistant Secretary

This Power of Attorney Expires 08/11/2012