

NOTICE OF SALE

**RONDOUT VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AT ACCORD  
ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK**

**\$3,181,977 Bond Anticipation Notes, 2024**

<b>SALE DATE:</b>	<b>June 11, 2024 (TUESDAY)</b>	Location: R. G. Timbs, Inc
Facsimile or		11 Meadowbrook Road
Telephone Bids Until:	11:30 A.M. (Prevailing Time)	Whitesboro, New York 13492
Notes Dated:	June 25, 2024 (Tuesday)	Fax: (315) 266-9212
Notes Mature:	June 25, 2025 (Wednesday)	Phone: (877) 315-0100 x3

Notice is given that the Rondout Valley Central School District at Accord, Ulster County, New York will receive facsimile or telephone bids, as described above, for the purchase in Federal Funds, at not less than par and accrued interest of \$3,181,977 Bond Anticipation Notes, 2024. The Notes will not be subject to redemption, in whole or in part, prior to maturity. Interest on the Notes will be paid at maturity. Interest will be computed on a 30-day month/360-year basis. The Notes will be issued in registered form payable to the purchaser; provided, however, if the Notes are eligible for issuance through the book-entry-only system for note issues through the Depository Trust Company (“DTC”) in New York, New York, the successful bidder may request with its bid that the Notes be issued in “book-entry-only” form, in which case the Notes will be registered and payable to “Cede & Co.” as nominee of DTC.

**PROCEDURES FOR BIDDING**

**Submission of Bids**

Proposals may be submitted in accordance with this Notice of Sale until the time specified herein. No proposal will be accepted after the time for receiving proposals specified above. Any proposal received by the time for receiving proposals specified herein, which has not been modified or withdrawn by the bidder, shall constitute an irrevocable offer to purchase the Notes pursuant to the terms herein and therein provided. All bidders shall be offered an equal opportunity to bid to purchase the Notes. Furthermore, no bidder shall have the opportunity to review other bids before providing a bid or be given an opportunity to review other bids that was not equally given to all other bidders. By submitting a bid, the underwriter attests that they have an established industry reputation for underwriting new issuances of municipal notes.

The timely delivery of all proposals submitted by facsimile transmission (FAX) must be in legible and complete form, signed by an authorized representative of the bidder(s), and shall be the sole responsibility of the bidder(s). The District shall not be responsible for any errors and/or delays in transmission and/or receipt of such bids, mechanical or technical failures or disruptions, or any omissions or irregularities in any bids submitted in such manner.

Each bid must be for at least \$1,000,000 Notes and state a single rate of interest therefor in a multiple of one-eighth (1/8th), one-hundredth (1/100th) or one-thousandth (1/1000th) of one per centum (1%) per annum.

Any attempt to bid with alterations to the specific language contained in the Notice of Sale, will be considered a failure to execute a proper bid as specified in this Notice of Sale and will be treated as a violation of applicable competitive bidding regulations and therefore be treated as a private placement. The bid of such party will be treated as a non-conforming bid which will be rejected.

**Award of Notes**

The Notes will be awarded to the bidder or bidders offering the lowest net interest cost, that being the rate of interest which will produce the least interest cost over the life of the Notes, after accounting for the premium offered, if any. If two or more bids offering to purchase Notes at the same lowest net interest rate are received, an award will be made to the bidder offering to purchase the greater principal amount of Notes. If two or more bids offering to purchase the same principal amount of Notes at

the same lowest new interest rate are received, an award will be made by lot from among such lowest bids. The right is reserved by said District to award to any bidder all or any part of the Notes which such bidder offers to purchase and, in such event, the premium, if any, specified by such bidder will be pro-rated. In any event, the award of said Notes will be made the basis of the bid or combination of bids offering to purchase the Notes on terms most favorable to said District.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids (regardless of interest rate bid), to reject any bid not complying with this Official Notice of Sale and, so far as permitted by law, to waive any irregularity or informality with respect to any bid or the bidding process. All or none bids will be rejected. Conditional bids will be rejected, including any bid subject to credit approval.

### **Issue Price**

Following the sale of the Notes, on the Sale Date, the successful bidder will be required to provide to the School District and its Bond Counsel certain information regarding the reoffering price to the public of the Notes. If the winning bidder is purchasing the Notes for its own account and not with a view to distribute or resale, they should inform the municipal advisor at the time of award and a certificate to that effect will be required on or before closing. Otherwise, the successful bidder also must submit to the School District a certificate (the "Reoffering Price Certificate"), satisfactory to Bond Counsel, dated as of the day of the delivery of the Notes, which assuming three separate bids from at least three separate underwriters are received, states:

- (a) (i) on the date of award, such successful bidder made a bona fide public offering of the Notes at the initial offering price corresponding to the price or yield indicated in the information furnished in connection with the successful bid, and (ii) as of such date, the first price or yield at which an amount equal to at least ten percent of the Notes was reasonably expected to be sold to the public was, respectively, a price not higher or a yield not lower than indicated in the information furnished with the successful bid (the "first price rule"), and (iii) provides a copy of the pricing wire or equivalent communication for the Notes attached to the Reoffering Price Certificate. The term "public" as used herein means any persons including an individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, company or corporation (other than the successful bidder(s) or a related party to the successful bidder(s), being two or more persons who have greater than 50% common ownership directly or indirectly, or any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract or other agreement with a successful bidder to participate in the initial sale of the Notes to the public).
- (b) the successful bidder was not given the opportunity to review other bids prior to submitting its bid.
- (c) the bid submitted by the successful bidder constituted a firm offer to purchase the Notes.

In the event that at least three bids are not received by the District on the Sale Date, and at least ten percent of the Notes have been sold on the Sale Date, the successful bidder shall certify as to the first price or yield at which ten percent of the Notes was sold in accordance with the first price rule and provide a copy of the pricing wire or equivalent communication.

In addition, in the event that (1) at least three bids are not received by the District on the Sale Date, and (2) 10% of the Notes have not been sold on the Sale Date, the successful bidder (and any members of its underwriting group or syndicate) shall have the option (i) to provide to the District (or its agents) ongoing pricing information, together with reasonable supporting documentation acceptable to bond counsel (such as the pricing wire), until 10% of the Notes is sold (the "Follow-the-Price Requirement"), or (ii) shall be required to hold the initial reoffering price to the public of such Notes (as reported to the District on the Sale Date) for the lesser of five (5) business days after the Sale Date or the date on which at least 10% of such Notes are sold (the "Hold-the-Offering-Price Requirement"). A certification as to the details of compliance with this requirement shall be part of the Reoffering Price Certificate.

The District or its Municipal Advisor on its behalf shall advise the successful bidder on the Sale Date as to whether at least three bids were received. Delivery of a bid shall constitute the bidder's agreement to comply with the Hold-the-Offering-Price Requirement or the Follow-the-Price Requirement of this Notice of Sale and to certify to compliance therewith under the circumstances described herein.

Such certificate shall state that it is made on the best knowledge, information and belief of the successful bidder after appropriate investigation

## THE NOTES

The Notes are authorized to be issued pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of New York, including among others, the Education Law, the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to a (i) bond resolution dated February 14, 2019 authorizing the issuance of obligations of the District in the amount of \$59,776,634 for the cost of construction of additions to and reconstruction of various School District Buildings and Facilities, in and for said School District and (ii) a bond resolution dated April 18, 2023 authorizing the issuance of obligations of the District in the amount of \$3,629,241 to pay the District's share of the cost of the reconstruction and renovation of various buildings, facilities, and sites owned by the Ulster County Board of Cooperative Educational Services (the "BOCES Project").

A portion of the proceeds of the \$2,000,000 Notes, together with \$2,940,000 available funds, will redeem and renew a portion of the \$55,676,634 Bond Anticipation Notes maturing June 27, 2024, the remaining \$50,736,634 will be paid using DASNY Serial Bonds.

A portion of the proceeds of the \$1,181,977 Notes will renew the \$497,931 Bond Anticipation Note maturing on June 26, 2024 and provide \$684,046 of new monies.

The Notes will be valid and legally binding general obligations of the Rondout Valley Central School District at Accord, all the taxable real property within which will be subject to the levy of ad valorem taxes to pay the Notes and interest thereon, without limitation as to rate or amount. The School District will pledge its faith and credit for the payment of the principal of the Notes and interest thereon.

In the event of a default in the payment of the principal of and/or interest on the Notes, the State Comptroller is required to withhold, under certain conditions prescribed by Section 99-b of the State Finance Law, state aid and assistance to the District and to apply the amount thereof so withheld to the payment of such defaulted principal and/or interest, which requirement constitutes a covenant by the State with the holder from time to time of the Notes.

At the option of the purchaser(s), the Notes will be issued in (i) registered certificated form, registered in the name of the purchaser(s) or (ii) registered book-entry-only form registered to Cede & Co., as the partnership nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"). All expenses related to DTC shall be the responsibility of the purchaser.

If the Notes are issued in non-book-entry form, they will be issued as registered certificated obligations, in the name of the purchaser. Principal and interest on the Notes are payable at maturity in lawful money of the United States of America (Federal Funds). The purchaser(s) shall have the right to designate a bank or banks located and authorized to do business in the State of New York as the place or places for the payment of the principal and interest on the Notes. Any related bank fees, if any, are to be paid by the purchaser(s). A single note certificate will be issued for those Notes bearing the same rate of interest in the aggregate principal amount awarded to such purchaser(s) at such interest rate.

If the purchaser(s) notifies Bond Counsel by 3:00P.M., Prevaling Time on the date of sale, such Notes may be issued in the form of book-entry-only notes, in the denomination corresponding to the aggregate principal amount for each Note bearing the same rate of interest and CUSIP number. In the event that the Purchaser(s) choose book-entry-only, as a condition to delivery of the Notes, the successful purchaser(s) will be required to cause such note certificates to be (i) registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), and (ii) deposited with DTC to be held in trust until maturity. DTC is an automated depository for securities and clearinghouse for securities transactions and will be responsible for establishing and maintaining book-entry only system for recording the ownership interests among its participants, which include certain banks, trust companies and securities dealers, and the transfer of the interests among its participants. The DTC participants will be responsible for establishing and maintaining records with respect to the Notes. Individual purchasers of beneficial ownership interest in the Notes may only be made through book entries (without certificates issued by the District) made on the books and records of DTC (or successor depository) and its participants in dominations of \$5,000 or multiples thereof, except for a necessary odd denomination, which is or includes \$6,977. Principal of and interest on the Notes will be payable by the District by wire transfer or in clearinghouse funds to DTC or its nominee as registered owner of the Notes. Transfer of principal and interest payments to participants of DTC will be the responsibility of DTC; transfer of principal and interest payments to beneficial owners by participants of DTC will be the responsibility of such participants and other nominees of the beneficial owners. The District will not be responsible or liable for payments by DTC to its participants or by DTC participants to beneficial owners or for maintaining, supervising or reviewing the records maintained by DTC, its participants or persons acting through such participants.

CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the Notes if the purchaser provides Bond Counsel with such numbers by the close of business on the date of sale of the Notes, but neither the failure to print such number on any Note nor any error with respect thereto shall constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the purchaser(s) thereof to accept delivery of and pay for the Notes in accordance with the terms of the purchase contract. All expenses in relation to the printing of CUSIP numbers on the Notes shall be paid for by the School District, provided, however, that the CUSIP Service Bureau charge for the assignment of said numbers shall be the responsibility of and shall be paid for by the purchaser(s).

As a condition to each purchaser's obligation to accept delivery of and pay for the Notes, such purchaser(s) will be furnished, without cost, the following, dated as of the date of the delivery of and payment for said Notes: (i) a certificate of the President of the Board of Education certifying that (a) as of the date of the Official Statement furnished by the School District in relation to said Notes which Official Statement is deemed by the District to be final for purposes of Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12, except for the omission therefrom of those items allowable under said Rule, said Official Statement did not contain any untrue statements of material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, subject to the condition that while information in said Official Statement obtained from sources other than the School District is not guaranteed as to accuracy, completeness or fairness, he has no reason to believe and does not believe that such information is materially inaccurate or misleading, and (b) to his knowledge, since the date of said Official Statement, there have been no material transactions not in the ordinary course of affairs entered into by the School District and no material adverse changes in the general affairs of the School District or in its financial condition as shown in said Official Statement other than as disclosed in or contemplated by said Official Statement, (ii) a Closing Certificate, constituting a receipt for the Note proceeds and a signature certificate, which will include a statement that no litigation is pending, or to the knowledge of the signers, threatened affecting the Notes, (iii) an arbitrage certificate executed on behalf of the District which will include, among other things, covenants, relating to compliance with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"), with the owners of the Notes that the District will, among other things, (A) take all actions on its part necessary to cause the interest on the Notes not to be includable in the gross income of the owners thereof for Federal income tax purposes, including without limitation, restricting, to the extent necessary, the yield on investments made with the proceeds of the Notes and investment earnings thereon, making required payments to the Federal Government, if any, and maintaining books and records in a specified manner, where appropriate, and (B) refrain from taking any action which would cause interest on the Notes to be includable in the gross income of the owner thereof for Federal income tax purpose, including without limitation refraining from spending the proceeds of the Notes and investment earnings thereon on certain specified purposes; and (iv) a Certificate of the District executed by the President of the Board of Education, stating that the District has agreed, in accordance with the Rule 15c2-12, to provide or cause to be provided, timely notice of the occurrence of certain material events with respect to the Notes, and (v) the approving legal opinion as to the validity of the Notes of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Bond Counsel.

**The Notes will be designated or deemed designated "qualified tax-exempt obligations" pursuant to Section 265(b)(3) of the Code.**

The School District contact information is as follows: Nicole DeSousa, Business Official, telephone number 845-687-2400 x4806, email [ndesousa@rondout.k12.ny.us](mailto:ndesousa@rondout.k12.ny.us).

Additional copies of the Official Statement may be obtained upon request from the offices of R. G. Timbs, Inc., telephone number (877) 315-0100, or at [www.RGTimbsInc.net](http://www.RGTimbsInc.net).

**Rondout Valley Central School District at Accord**

**Dated: June 4, 2024**

**Accord, New York**

**/s/ Chris Schoonmaker**

Chris Schoonmaker

President of Board of Education

And Chief Fiscal Officer

**PROPOSAL FOR NOTES**

Chris Schoonmaker, President of the Board of Education  
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Telefax # (315) 266-9212

**SALE DATE: June 11, 2024**  
**TIME: 11:30 A.M., Eastern Time**

**RONDOUT VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AT ACCORD  
ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK**

**\$3,181,977 Bond Anticipation Notes, 2024**

**Date: June 25, 2024**

**Maturity Date: June 25, 2025**

Amount	Interest Rate	Premium	Net Interest Cost <sup>(1)</sup>
\$	%		%
\$	%	\$	%

(1) The computation of the net interest cost is made as provided in the above-mentioned Notice of Sale but does not constitute any part of the foregoing Proposal for the purchase of the Notes therein described.

Please select one:  Book-Entry-Only Notes registered to Cede & Co.  Non- Book- Entry, Registered to Purchaser

**THE BIDDER REPRESENTS THAT IT HAS AN ESTABLISHED INDUSTRY REPUTATION FOR UNDERWRITING NEW ISSUANCES OF MUNICIPAL NOTES SIMILAR TO THE NOTES.** (Select One)  Yes  No

Please select one:

We are purchasing the Notes for our own account and have no intention to sell, reoffer or otherwise dispose of the Notes.

In the event the Competitive Sale Requirements are not met we hereby elect to:

Follow the Price for all maturities; or

Hold the Price for all maturities or

Name of Bidder: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank or Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (Area Code): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax (Area Code): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_