



# City of Chicago



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Office of the City Clerk

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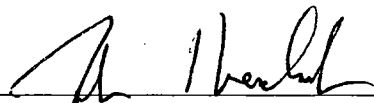
<b>Meeting Date:</b>	5/15/2023
<b>Sponsor(s):</b>	Dept./Agency
<b>Type:</b>	Communication
<b>Title:</b>	Approval of Official Bond for Mayor Brandon Johnson
<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	

Bond Certification  
Municipal Code Section 2-152-220

I, John Hendricks, Acting Corporation Counsel of the City of Chicago, have reviewed and inspected:

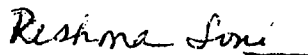
Bond No. 674220636 (Mayor)  
Bond No. 39S212686 (City Clerk)  
Bond No. 39S222198 (Treasurer)

all issued by The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, and I certify that the above-numbered bonds are properly executed as to form.

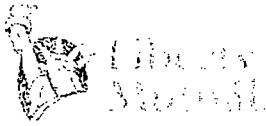
  
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John Hendricks  
Acting Corporation Counsel

05/10/2023  
Date

I, Reshma Soni, City Comptroller for the City of Chicago, have reviewed and inspected the three bonds identified above, all issued by The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, and I certify that the sureties on the above-numbered bonds are of sufficient financial responsibility for the amount of the penalty of such bonds.

  
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Reshma Soni  
City Comptroller

5/10/2023  
Date



# The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

## BOND

No. 674220636

### KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we Brandon Johnson of  
5715 W. Superior, Chicago, Illinois 60644

(Insert Full Name [top line] and Address [bottom line] of Principal)

as Principal and The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, a corporation organized and existing under the  
laws of the State of New Hampshire, (hereinafter called the Surety, are held and firmly bound unto  
City of Chicago

121 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602

(Insert Full Name [top line] and Address [bottom line] of Obligor)

in the aggregate and non-cumulative penal sum of One Million and 00/100  
(S 1,000,000.00) DOLLARS, for the payment of which, well and truly  
to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these  
presents.

**WHEREAS**, the said Principal has been elected or appointed to (or holds by operation of law) the office of  
Mayor

for a term beginning on May 15, 2023 and ending on continuous

**Now, therefore, the condition of this Obligation is such** that if the said Principal shall well, truly and faithfully perform all official  
duties required by law of such official during the term aforesaid, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall remain in full  
force and effect, subject to the following conditions:

First: That the Surety may, if it shall so elect, cancel this bond by giving thirty (30) days notice in writing to  
City of Chicago, 121 North LaSalle, Chicago, Illinois 60602 and  
this bond shall be deemed canceled at the expiration of said thirty (30) days, the Surety remaining liable, however, subject to all the  
terms, conditions and provisions of this bond, for any act or acts covered by this bond which may have been committed by the  
Principal up to the date of such cancelation; and the Surety shall, upon surrender of this bond and its release from all liability  
hereunder, refund the premium paid, less a pro rate part thereof for the time this bond shall have been in force.

Second: That the Surety shall not be liable hereunder for the loss of any public moneys or funds occurring through or resulting from  
the failure of, or default in payment by; any banks or depositories in which any public moneys or funds have been deposited, or may  
be deposited, or placed to the credit, or under the control of the Principal, whether or not such banks or depositories were or may be  
selected or designed by the Principal or by other persons; or by reason of the allowance to, or acceptance by the Principal of any  
interest on said public moneys or funds, any law, decision, ordinance or statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

Third: That the Surety shall not be liable for any loss or losses, resulting from the failure of the Principal to collect any taxes,  
licenses, levies, assessments, etc., with the collection of which he may be chargeable by reason of his election or appointment as  
aforesaid.

SIGNED, SEALED and DATED May 9, 2023

Brandon Johnson

The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

By:

  
Taffra S. Holman

Attorney-in-Fact



This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company  
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company  
West American Insurance Company

Certificate No 8207953-285107

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

**KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:** That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Barbara J. Lemm, Brian J. Wolf, Dennis W. Lutz, Susan M. Stefanski, Taffra S. Holman all of the city of Saint Louis, state of MO each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 28th day of April 2022.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company  
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company  
West American Insurance Company



By: David M. Carey  
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA ss  
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 28th day of April 2022, before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal  
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public  
Montgomery County  
My commission expires March 28, 2025  
Commission number 1126044  
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella  
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

### ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

### ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

**Certificate of Designation** - The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations

**Authorization** - By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that this power of attorney executed by said Companies is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 9 day of May 2023



By: Renee C. Llewellyn  
Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

# OATH OF OFFICE

STATE OF Illinois

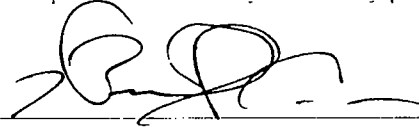
County of Cook

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I, Brandon Johnson

do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support, protect and defend the Constitution of The United States and the Constitution of the State of Illinois and that I will discharge the duties of my office of Mayor

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 this 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 than the compensation allowed by law. So help me God



Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023



*Jin S. Stokes*