MIDWEST EMPLOYEE BENEFIT FUNDS COALITION, INC MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

The___

(hereafter "Trust Fund") hereby agrees to participate on behalf of its eligible participants in the Midwest Employee Benefit Funds Coalition, Inc. (hereafter "Corporation") under the following terms and conditions:

- 1. It is understood that the Corporation is a non-profit corporation established to assist health and welfare trusts funds in Illinois and other Midwestern states in matters of health cost containment.
- 2. The Trust Fund hereby agrees to participate in the Corporation, and to appoint one delegate to the Corporation and to comply with the terms of the By-Laws of the Corporation as they may be amended from time to time. A copy of the By-Laws in existence as of August 4, 1995 and as amended is attached and the By-Laws are hereby incorporated into this agreement.
- 3. The Trust Fund agrees to contribute dues of \$2.00 per eligible participant, for each participant eligible for health benefits in its plan as of the date of participation, with a minimum dues of \$2,500 and a maximum of \$15,000. The contribution will be made no later than ninety (90) days following such date. It is the purpose of this contribution to provide funding for the efforts of the Corporation. It is contemplated that periodic assessments or contributions may be required from participating Trust Funds to provide the necessary funding for operations of the Corporation. By the execution of this Membership Agreement, the Trust Fund does <u>not</u> agree to make any contribution beyond the initial contribution set forth above.
- 4. The Trust Fund may cancel its participation in the Corporation at any time by delivery of a written Statement of Cancellation.
- 5. In the event the Corporation shall determine to cease operations, it shall refund any remaining balance of its assets to the then participating Trust Funds on a *pro rata* basis in accordance with the contributions made.

Dated: _____

MIDWEST EMPLOYEE BENEFIT FUNDS COALITION, INC.

By: _____ Fund Chairman/Director By: <u>*Tim Morrin*</u>, Coalition Chair

Name of Trust Fund

Number of Eligible Plan Participants January 1, 2024

1/23/2024