

DECEMBER 7, 2018

THE MONARCH CEMENT COMPANY DECLARES DIVIDENDS

At a meeting of the Board of Directors on December 7, 2018, the Board declared two dividends:

\$.40 per share payable December 28, 2018 to stockholders of record on December 18, 2018

and

\$.40 per share payable March 15, 2019 to stockholders of record February 15, 2019.