JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCYY

Regular Meeting
September 17, 2018



- 1. Meeting to Order.
- 2. Quorum.
- 3. Chairman Lavarro

Pledge of Allegiance.

4. Executive Director

Announces that in accordance with the "Open Public Meetings Act" a copy of the Public Notice was sent to the Jersey Journal, Star Ledger and to the City Clerk for the public's review and information and posted on the Agency's web site.

- 5. PRESENTATIONS
- 6. Chairman Lavarro

STATUS OF PROJECTS

Item #1 Approval to go into Executive Session.

Item #2 Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of August 21, 2018.

Item #3 Approval of the Minutes of the Executive Session Meeting of August 21, 2018.

Item #4 RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 8 AETNA STREET, LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF PROPERTY LOCATED IN BLOCK 15801 IN THE GRAND JERSEY

REDEVELOPMENT AREA

Item #5 RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY

REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN ESCROW AGREEMENT WITH M&M REALTY PARTNERS, LLC WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN

PROPERTY WITHIN THE HACKENSACK RIVER EDGE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING A COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY WITH RESPECT TO 347-349 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE AND 351-355 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE WITHIN THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 327 COMMUNIPAW AVE. LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF BLOCK 20201, LOT 85 WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY DESIGNATING NOVUS EQUITIES, LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1052-1068 GARFIELD AVENUE AND 467, 461 & 457 COMMUNIPAW AVENUE

Item #12

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF UNEEEK INSPIRATION, A NONPROFIT CORPORATION, AS THE REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 405- 407 OCEAN AVENUE WITHIN THE OCEAN/BAYVIEW REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ESTABLISHING A FAIR MARKET VALUE FOR PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 182 CLAREMONT AVENUE WITHIN THE SCATTERED SITE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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Item # 17	RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING AGENCY STAFF TO ATTEND NATIONAL BROWNFIELDS LEADERSHIP SUMMIT
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Item #19	Approval of the Personnel List as of September 17, 2018

NEXT REGULAR MEETING:

October 23, 2018

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING GOING INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS CERTAIN MATTERS

WHEREAS, there are certain matters that need to be discussed by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency in Executive Session; and

WHEREAS, the matters to be discussed are: litigation, contract negotiations and personnel; and

WHEREAS, the results will be disclosed to the public upon settlement of any litigation matters which were discussed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency approving the Commissioners go into Executive Session to discuss certain matters including pending or potential litigation as well as personnel matters.

Secretary		

Certified to be a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at their Meeting dated September 17, 2018.

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING DATED AUGUST 21, 2018

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency have received copies of the Minutes from the Regular Meeting dated August 21, 2018 for their review and approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey
City Redevelopment Agency that these Minutes be approved as presented.

Secretary		

Certified to be a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at their Meeting dated September 21, 2018.

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE SESSION OF THE REGULAR MEETING AUGUST 21, 2018

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners approved going into closed session at their meeting of August 21, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the following issues were discussed: 1) litigation,

- 2) contract negotiations
- 3) and personnel took

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that the minutes of the Executive Session of the Regular Meeting of August 21, 2018 be approved as presented.

Secretary		

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Resolution No.	18-09-

Regular Meeting September 17, 2018

A G E N D A

Grand Jersey Redevelopment Area - Board authorization is requested to extend the designation of 8 Aetna 15801, Lots 67, 68, 69 and 70.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 8 AETNA STREET, LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED IN BLOCK 15801 IN THE GRAND JERSEY REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 8 AETNA STREET, LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED IN BLOCK 15801 IN THE GRAND JERSEY REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Agency is an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City (the "City") with responsibility for implementing redevelopment plans and carrying out redevelopment projects in the City pursuant to the provisions of the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (as the same may be amended and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the criteria set forth in the Redevelopment Law, the City established an area in need of redevelopment commonly known as the Grand Jersey Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") and adopted a redevelopment plan for the Redevelopment Area entitled the "Grand Jersey Redevelopment Plan" (as the same may be amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan"); and

WHEREAS, certain properties identified on the City's tax maps as Block 15801, Lots 67, 68, 69 and 70 (collectively, the "Property") are located within the Redevelopment Area and are governed by the Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2017, the Agency designated 8 Aetna, LLC (the "Redeveloper") as redeveloper of the Property, which designation was subsequently extended to allow time for the Parties to negotiate and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to extend Redeveloper's designation as redeveloper of the Property until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days, so that the Agency and the Redeveloper may complete the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

Section 1. The recitals hereto are incorporated herein as if set forth at length.

Section 2. The designation as redeveloper of the Property previously granted to Redeveloper is hereby extended until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days, to allow the Agency and the Redeveloper to complete negotiations and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property.

Section 3. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Executive Director, and/or Secretary of the Agency are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, in consultation with counsel.

Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at its Regular Meeting held on September 17, 2018.

DIANA H. JEFFREY, SECRETARY

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AGENDA

Hackensack River Edge Redevelopment Area

Board authorization is requested to enter into an

escrow agreement with M&M Realty Partners, LLC to set forth the terms and conditions of funding an escrow account for payment therefrom of monies to pay Agency costs and expenses incurred in facilitating the redevelopment of the site.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN ESCROW AGREEMENT WITH M&M REALTY PARTNERS, LLC WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN PROPERTY WITHIN THE HACKENSACK RIVER EDGE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN ESCROW AGREEMENT WITH M&M REALTY PARTNERS, LLC WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN PROPERTY WITHIN THE HACKENSACK RIVER EDGE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law") authorizes municipalities to determine whether certain parcels of land located therein constitute areas in need of redevelopment and to create redevelopment plans which provide development controls for any area so designated; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Redevelopment Law, the City of Jersey City (the "City") designated certain parcels known as the Hackensack River Edge Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") as an area in need of redevelopment and adopted the Hackensack River Edge Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan") in order to effectuate the redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, on December 19, 2017, by Resolution No. 17-12-7, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") designated M&M Realty Partners, LLC ("M&M") as redeveloper of that certain property within the Redevelopment Area identified on the official tax maps of the City as Block 11702, Lots 4 and 5 and Block 11706, Lots 1 and 2 (collectively, the "Property"), which designation was extended by the Agency on June 19, 2018 by Resolution No. 18-06-11; and

WHEREAS, the Agency and M&M intend to pursue pre-development activities including the negotiation and preparation of a redevelopment agreement and other related actions (the "Pre-Development Activities") with respect to the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, M&M recognizes that the Agency will incur costs and expenses in pursuing the Pre-Development Activities, and M&M is willing to defray such costs and expenses, with no assurance of a particular result for M&M from the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Agency wishes to enter into an escrow agreement with M&M (the "Escrow Agreement") in order to set forth the terms and conditions of the funding of an escrow account and procedures for the payment therefrom of moneys to pay the Agency's costs and expenses incurred in facilitating the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to approve and authorize the execution of the Escrow Agreement,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that:

- Section 1. The above recitations are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- Section 2. The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate an Escrow Agreement with M&M, in consultation with counsel.
- Section 3. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director, Secretary and other necessary Agency officials are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Escrow Agreement and all other necessary documents in connection therewith, and to undertake all actions necessary to effectuate the Escrow Agreement and this Resolution.
 - Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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DIANA H. JEFFREY, Secretary

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AGENDA

JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

- Board authorization

is requested for a cooperation agreement between the City of Jersey City with respect to 347-349 Martin Luther King Drive and 351-355 Martin Luther King Drive. (See map attached)

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING A COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY WITH RESPECT TO 347-349 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE AND 351-355 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE WITHIN THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING A COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY WITH RESPECT TO 347-349 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE AND 351-355 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE WITHIN THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law") authorizes municipalities to determine whether certain parcels of land located therein constitute areas in need of redevelopment and to create redevelopment plans which provide development controls for any area so designated; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Redevelopment Law, the City of Jersey City (the "City") designated certain parcels known as the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") as an area in need of redevelopment and adopted the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan") in order to effectuate the redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") owns those certain properties identified on the official tax maps of the City as Block 22502, Lots 36-37 and commonly known as 347-349 Martin Luther King Drive and 351-355 Martin Luther King Drive (collectively, the "Property"), which Property is within the Redevelopment Area and subject to the Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Agency wish to work collaboratively in order to improve the Property so that it may be used for pop-up markets and other activities for the benefit of the residents of the Redevelopment Area and the City as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Agency wish to enter into a cooperation agreement (the "Cooperation Agreement") in order to set forth the respective roles and responsibilities of the parties with respect to this collaborative effort,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that:

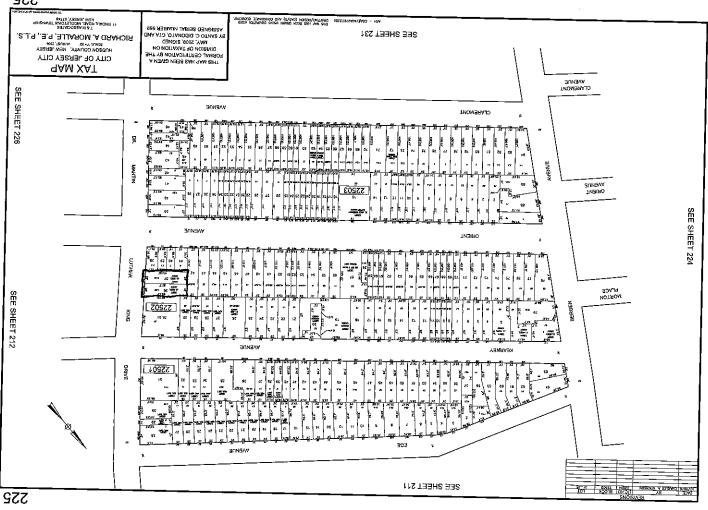
- Section 1. The above recitations are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- **Section 2.** The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate a Cooperation Agreement with the City, in consultation with counsel.
- Section 3. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director, Secretary and other necessary Agency officials are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Cooperation Agreement and all other necessary documents in connection therewith, and to undertake all actions necessary to effectuate the Cooperation Agreement and this Resolution.

Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2018.

DIANA H. JEFFREY, Secretary

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AGENDA

JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

- Board authorization

is requested authorizing the negotiation and execution of a redevelopment agreement and purchase and sale agreement with SGCM, LLC with respect to property commonly known as 152 Martin Luther King Drive. (See map attached)

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF A REDEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT AND PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT WITH SGCM, LLC WITH RESPECT TO PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 152 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE WITHIN THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

Phillip A. Orphanidis

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF A REDEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT AND PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT WITH SGCM, LLC WITH RESPECT TO PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 152 MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE WITHIN THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law") authorizes municipalities to determine whether certain parcels of land located therein constitute areas in need of redevelopment and to create redevelopment plans which provide development controls for any area so designated; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Redevelopment Law, the City of Jersey City (the "City") designated certain parcels known as the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") as an area in need of redevelopment and adopted the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan") in order to effectuate the redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") owns that certain property identified on the official tax maps of the City as Block 25101, Lot 51 and commonly known as 152 Martin Luther King Drive (the "Property"), which Property is within the Redevelopment Area and subject to the Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of the Redevelopment Plan, the Agency wishes to negotiate a redevelopment agreement (the "Redevelopment Agreement") with SGCM, LLC (the "Redeveloper"), as well as a purchase and sale agreement (the "Purchase and Sale Agreement") with respect to the transfer of the Property to Redeveloper for no less than \$225,000.00,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that:

- **Section 1.** The above recitations are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- **Section 2.** The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate the Redevelopment Agreement and the Purchase and Sale Agreement with SGCM, LLC, in consultation with counsel. The Purchase and Sale Agreement shall contain a sale price of no less than \$225,000.00.
- Section 3. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director, Secretary and other necessary Agency officials are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Redevelopment Agreement and the Purchase and Sale Agreement and all other necessary

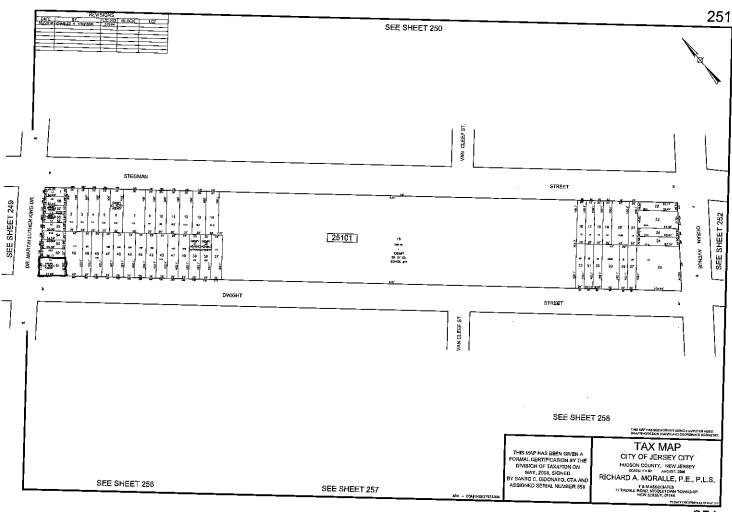
documents in connection therewith, and to undertake all actions necessary to effectuate the Redevelopment Agreement, the Purchase and Sale Agreement, and this Resolution.

Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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DIANA H. JEFFREY, Secretary

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<u>Liberty Harbor Redevelopment Area</u> - Board authorization is requested to enter into a Redevelopment Agreement with designated Redeveloper, Exeter Thomas McGovern Land Urban Renewal, LLC, for property located in City Block 21508, Lot 2, within the Liberty Harbor Redevelopment Area.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING A REDEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT WITH DESIGNATED REDEVELOPER EXETER THOMAS MCGOVERN LAND URBAN RENEWAL, LLC, FOR PROPERTY WITHIN THE LIBERTY HARBOR REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING A REDEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT WITH DESIGNATED REDEVELOPER EXETER THOMAS MCGOVERN LAND URBAN RENEWAL LLC FOR PROPERTY WITHIN THE LIBERTY HARBOR REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12-1, et seq., as amended and supplemented ("LRHL"), provides a process for municipalities to participate in the redevelopment and improvement of areas in need of redevelopment with a designated private Redeveloper; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the LRHL, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency ("JCRA") is established as an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City (the "City"), with the responsibility for implementing redevelopment plans and carrying out redevelopment projects in the City; and

WHEREAS, on August 21, 2018, the JCRA conditionally designated Exeter Thomas McGovern Land Urban Renewal, LLC (the "Redeveloper") as redeveloper for the development of property located at Block 21508, Lot 2, commonly known by the street address of 295 McGovern Drive (the "Property"), subject to the conditions contained in JCRA Resolution No. 18-08-14; and

WHEREAS, the Property is located within the Liberty Harbor Redevelopment Area and is accordingly subject to the Liberty Harbor Redevelopment Plan (the "Redevelopment Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the Redeveloper has made an application to the JCRA to enter into a Redevelopment Agreement relative to the Property for the construction of a 95,808 square foot industrial building with ancillary office space (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the JCRA and the Redeveloper have engaged in negotiations and the JCRA has determined that the Project achieves the objectives of the Redevelopment Plan, and it is therefore in the JCRA's best interests to enter into a Redevelopment Agreement (the "Redevelopment Agreement") with the Redeveloper for the Project; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:12A-9, the JCRA and Redeveloper wish to enter into a Redevelopment Agreement, which shall define and memorialize the respective obligations of the parties hereto with regard to proceeding with the redevelopment of the Property pursuant to the requirements of the Redevelopment Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency:

- 1. The above recitals are incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.
- 2. The Agency hereby approves the Redevelopment Agreement with Exeter Thomas McGovern Land Urban Renewal, LLC, a form of which is in file at the Agency's office.

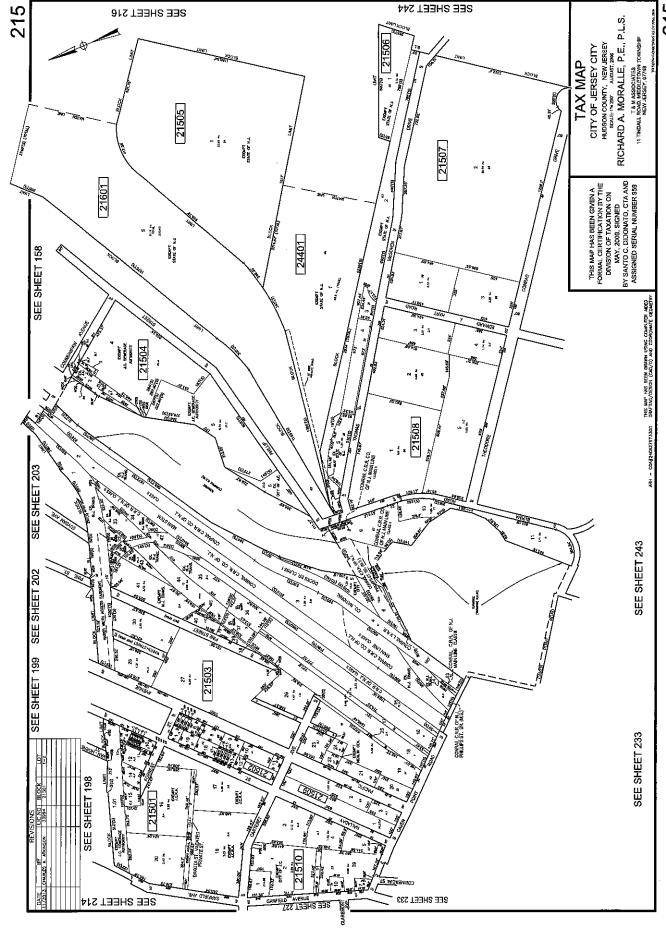
- 3. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary and/or Executive Director are hereby authorized and directed to execute the approved Redevelopment Agreement and any other associated documents necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Resolution subject only to review and approval of Agency counsel.
- 4. If any part of this Resolution shall be deemed invalid, such parts shall be severed and the invalidity thereby shall not affect the remaining parts of this Resolution.
- 5. A copy of this Resolution shall be available for public inspection at the offices of the Agency.
- 6. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

-	 	Secretary	

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at their Regular Meeting of September 17, 2018.

RECORD OF COMMISSIONERS VOTE					
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AGENDA

Jackson Hill Redevelopment Area

Board authorization is requested to authorize the execution of an easement and the transfer of property

to Ocean MLK Urban Renewal Associates L.P. in the Jackson Hill Redevelopment Area. Area map is attached.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN EASEMENT AND THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY TO OCEAN MLK URBAN RENEWAL ASSOCIATES, L.P. FOR THE REDEVELOPMENT OF A PORTION OF THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

ROBERT NAPIORSKI

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN EASEMENT AND THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY TO OCEAN MLK URBAN RENEWAL ASSOCIATES, L.P. FOR THE REDEVELOPMENT OF A PORTION OF THE JACKSON HILL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the City of Jersey City (the "City") has designated certain property within its borders (the "Jackson Hill Redevelopment Area" or the "Redevelopment Area") as an area in need of redevelopment, as the same is defined by the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law"), as had implemented a redevelopment plan (as amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan") for the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Amended and Restated Redevelopment Agreement by and between the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") and Ocean MLK Urban Renewal Associates, L.P. (the "Redeveloper") dated May 25, 2017, as authorized by Agency Resolution 17-SP05-3 adopted on May 2, 2017, (the "Amended and Restated Redevelopment Agreement"), the Agency will be transferring Block 22602, Lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Block 21102, Lots 44, 45, 46 and 47, Block 21201, Lots 1, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, and Block 21101, Lots 34 and 35 (collectively defined therein as the "Extended Premises") to the Redeveloper to develop thereon approximately 93 emerging market for sale townhomes and affordable rental units (defined therein as the "Extended Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency previously recorded a Deed of Access & Egress Agreement dated June 1, 2016 and recorded by the Hudson County Register on June 2, 2016 at Book 9122, Page 818 and bearing Instrument Number: 20100602010057440, which grants an easement over Block 22602, Lot 10, owned by the Agency and which is to be transferred to the Redeveloper, in favor of, and providing access to Block 22602, Lot 6, which is owned by the Agency and will be retained by the Agency (the "Existing Easement"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency has determined that the location of the Existing Easement will interfere with the Redeveloper constructing and operating the Extended Project, and, the Agency wishes to replace the Existing Easement with a new easement, entitled the "Access and Egress Easement", a form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the Agency also wishes to authorize the transfer of the Extended Premises to the Redeveloper and take certain actions in furtherance thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency, as follows:

I. **GENERAL**

The aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.

II. EXECUTION OF ACCESS AND EGRESS EASEMENT

The Chairman and Executive Director are each hereby authorized to execute an Access and Egress Easement, a form of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, together with any such additions, deletions and modifications as they may deem necessary and/or desirable in consultation with counsel to the Agency to effectuate the same.

III. <u>AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSFER PROPERTY</u>

- (a) The Agency authorizes the Executive Director to execute and deliver the Deed(s) to the Extended Premises, and any other necessary documents and/or agreements, between the Agency and the Redeveloper together with such additions, deletions and modifications as are necessary and desirable in consultation with counsel to the Agency to effectuate same and to close on the sale and transfer of the Extended Premises. Said authorization includes accepting any and all associated documents from the Redeveloper, and the execution and delivery of any documents by the Agency, required to effectuate said sale and transfer.
- (b) The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director, Secretary and other necessary Agency officials and professionals are each hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver such documents as are necessary to facilitate the transactions contemplated hereby and in the Amended and Restated Redevelopment Agreement, and to take such actions or refrain from such actions as are necessary to facilitate the transactions contemplated hereby, in consultation with, as applicable, counsel to the Agency, and any and all actions taken heretofore with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby are hereby ratified and confirmed.
- (c) The Chairman, Executive Director, Secretary, General Counsel, and other necessary Agency Officials are hereby authorized to undertake all actions necessary to effectuate this Resolution.
- (d) The Assistant Executive Director is designated to act as the agent on behalf of the Agency in the absence of the Executive Director as previously authorized by Resolution No. SP17-05-5 adopted on May 2, 2017.

IV. **SEVERABILITY**

If any part of this Resolution shall be deemed invalid, such parts shall be severed and the invalidity thereby shall not affect the remaining parts of this Resolution.

V. **AVAILABILITY OF THE RESOLUTION**

A copy of this resolution shall be available for public inspection at the offices of the Agency.

VI. **EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

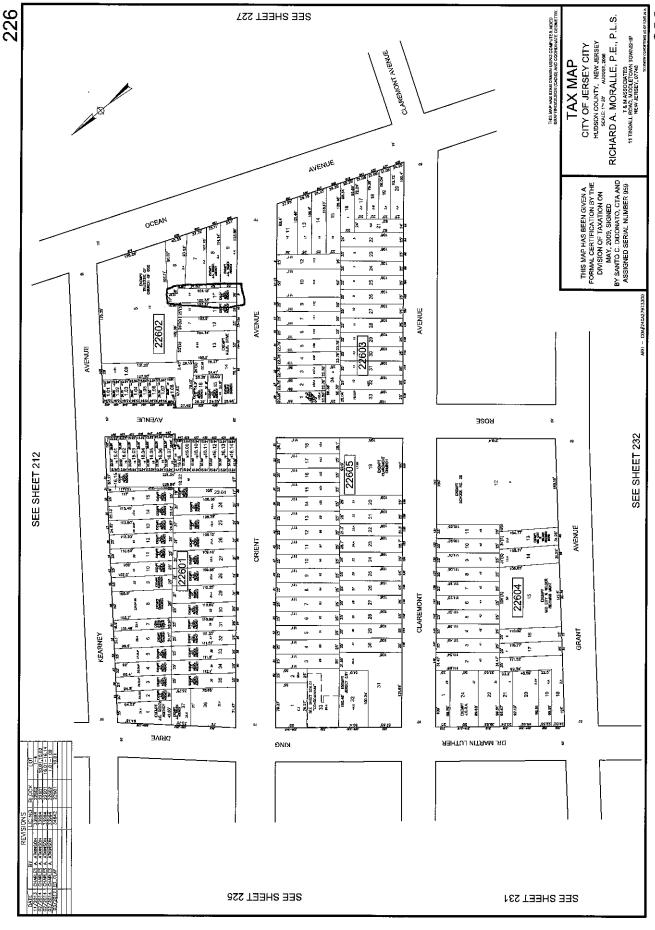
I HEREBY CERTIFY the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at the meeting of September 17, 2018, which meeting was held in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 10:4-6, et seq.).

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EXHIBIT A

Form of Access and Egress Easement



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AGENDA

Morris Canal Redevelopment Area

Board authorization is requested to extend the designation of 327 Communipaw Ave. LLC

(Zalmen Strulovic) as Redeveloper of property located at Block 20201, Lot 85. Redeveloper intends to construct a mixed use development to contain residential units and associated ground floor retail.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 327 COMMUNIPAW AVE. LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF BLOCK 20201, LOT 85 WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF 327 COMMUNIPAW AVE. LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF BLOCK 20201, LOT 85 WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Agency is an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City (the "City") with responsibility for implementing redevelopment plans and carrying out redevelopment projects in the City pursuant to the provisions of the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (as the same may be amended and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the criteria set forth in the Redevelopment Law, the City established an area in need of redevelopment commonly known as the Morris Canal Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") and adopted a redevelopment plan for the Redevelopment Area entitled the "Morris Canal Redevelopment Plan" (as the same may be amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan"); and

WHEREAS, that certain property identified on the City's tax maps as Block 20201, Lot 85 (the "Property") is located within the Redevelopment Area and are governed by the Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2018, the Agency designated 327 Communipaw Ave. LLC (the "Redeveloper") as redeveloper of the Property to allow time for the Parties to negotiate and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to extend Redeveloper's designation as redeveloper of the Property until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days, so that the Agency and the Redeveloper may complete the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

Section 1. The recitals hereto are incorporated herein as if set forth at length.

Section 2. The designation as redeveloper of the Property previously granted to Redeveloper is hereby extended until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days, to allow the Agency and the Redeveloper to complete negotiations and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property.

Section 3. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Executive Director, and/or Secretary of the Agency are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, in consultation with counsel.

Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at its Regular Meeting held on September 17, 2018.

DIANA H. JEFFREY, SECRETARY

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AGENDA

Morris Canal Redevelopment Area - Board authorization is requested to designate Novus Equities, LLC (Scott Seale), as developer for property located in City Block 18901, Lots 6-15, within the Morris Canal Redevelopment Area. The redeveloper proposes to construct a four (4) story retail/commercial project to consist of retail and commercial space on the ground floor and office space on the additional three (3) stories. A map depicting the site is attached.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY DESIGNATING NOVUS EQUITIES, LLC, AS REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1052-1068 GARFIELD AVENUE AND 467, 461, AND 457 COMMUNIPAW AVENUE WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY DESIGNATING NOVUS EQUITIES, LLC AS REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 1052-1068 GARFIELD AVENUE AND 467, 461, AND 457 COMMUNIPAW AVENUE WITHIN THE MORRIS CANAL REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the City of Jersey City (the "City") has designated that certain area known as the Morris Canal Redevelopment Area as an area in need of redevelopment pursuant to the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, the City has enacted the Morris Canal Redevelopment Plan (as amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan") in order to effectuate the redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, Novus Equities, LLC (the "Redeveloper") proposes to redevelop that certain property within the Redevelopment Area commonly known as 1052-1068 Garfield Avenue and 467, 461, and 457 Communipaw Avenue, and identified on the official tax maps of the City as Block 18901, Lots 6-15 (collectively, the **Property**"); and

WHEREAS, the Redeveloper made a presentation to the Agency on August 21, 2018, and proposed the development of a mixed use project including approximately 154 residential units and approximately 19,500 square feet of retail space (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency wishes to designate Novus Equities, LLC as redeveloper of the Property and commence the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

- Section 1. The recitals hereto are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- Section 2. Novus Equities, LLC is hereby designated as the Redeveloper of the Property for a period of 120 days from the date hereof, ending on January 15, 2019 unless extended for a period of no more than 30 days by the Executive Director in her sole discretion.
- Section 3. If, on January 15, 2019 or such later date as established by the Executive Director in accordance with Section 2 hereof, the parties have not executed a mutually acceptable redevelopment agreement, the designation of Novus Equities, LLC as Redeveloper of the Property shall automatically expire without any need for any further action of the Board.

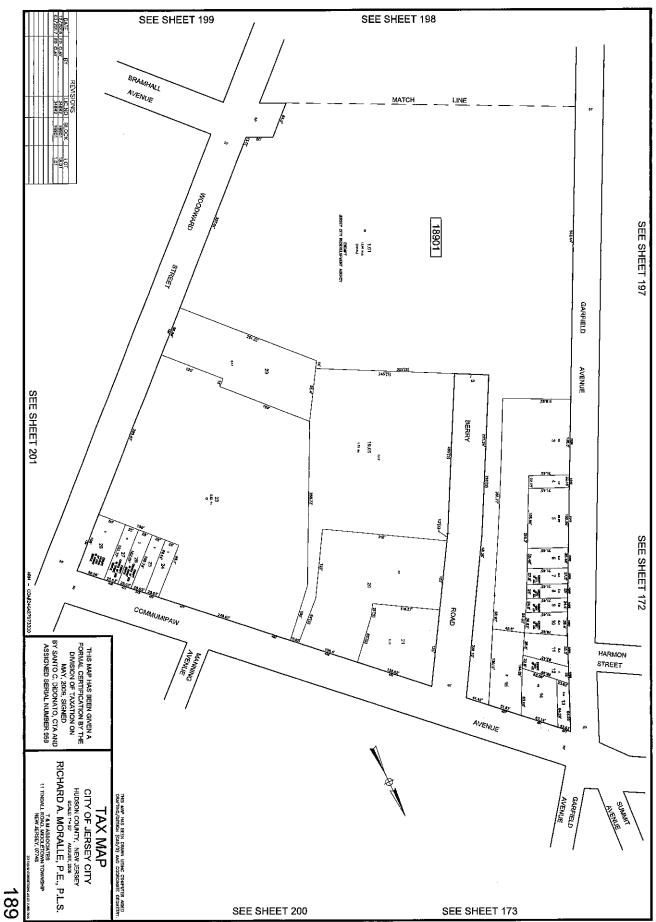
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Section 4.	The	Chairman,	Vice-Chairman,	Executive	Director,	and/or
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Diana H. Jeffrey, Secretary

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Ocean Bayview Redevelopment Area

Board authorization is requested to extend the designation for Uneeck Inspiration,

a non-profit 501 (c)(3) organization, as Redeveloper of property located 405-407 Ocean Avenue (Block 25802, Lots 26 & 25) in the Ocean Bayview Redevelopment Area. The Project would include the rehabilitation of ground floor space into a state of the art resource center. Area map is attached.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF UNEEEK INSPIRATION, A NONPROFIT CORPORATION, AS THE REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 405-407 OCEAN AVENUE WITHIN THE OCEAN/BAYVIEW REDEVELOPMENT AREA

ROBERT NAPIORSKI

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE DESIGNATION OF UNEEEK INSPIRATION, A NONPROFIT CORPORATION, AS THE REDEVELOPER OF CERTAIN PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 405-407 OCEAN AVENUE WITHIN THE OCEAN/BAYVIEW REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the Agency is an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City (the "City") with responsibility for implementing redevelopment plans and carrying out redevelopment projects in the City pursuant to the provisions of the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (as the same may be amended and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the criteria set forth in the Redevelopment Law, the City established an area in need of redevelopment commonly known as the Ocean/Bayview Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") and adopted a redevelopment plan for the Redevelopment Area entitled the "Ocean/Bayview Redevelopment Plan" (as the same may be amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan"); and

WHEREAS, certain properties identified on the City's tax maps as Block 25802, Lots 25 and 26, also known as 405 and 407 Ocean Avenue (collectively, the "Property") are located within the Redevelopment Area and are governed by the Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, on June 20, 2017, the Agency adopted Resolution #17-06-15 conditionally designating Uneeek Inspiration, a non-profit corporation of the State of New Jersey (the "Redeveloper") as redeveloper of the Property, which designation was subsequently extended to allow time for the Parties to negotiate and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to extend Redeveloper's designation as redeveloper of the Property until December 16, 2018, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for up to two (2) additional periods of thirty (30) days each, so that the Agency and the Redeveloper may complete the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

- **Section 1.** The recitals hereto are incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- Section 2. The designation as redeveloper of the Property previously granted to Redeveloper is hereby extended until December 16, 2018, which period may be

extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for up to two (2) additional periods of thirty (30) days each, to allow the Agency and the Redeveloper to complete negotiations and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property.

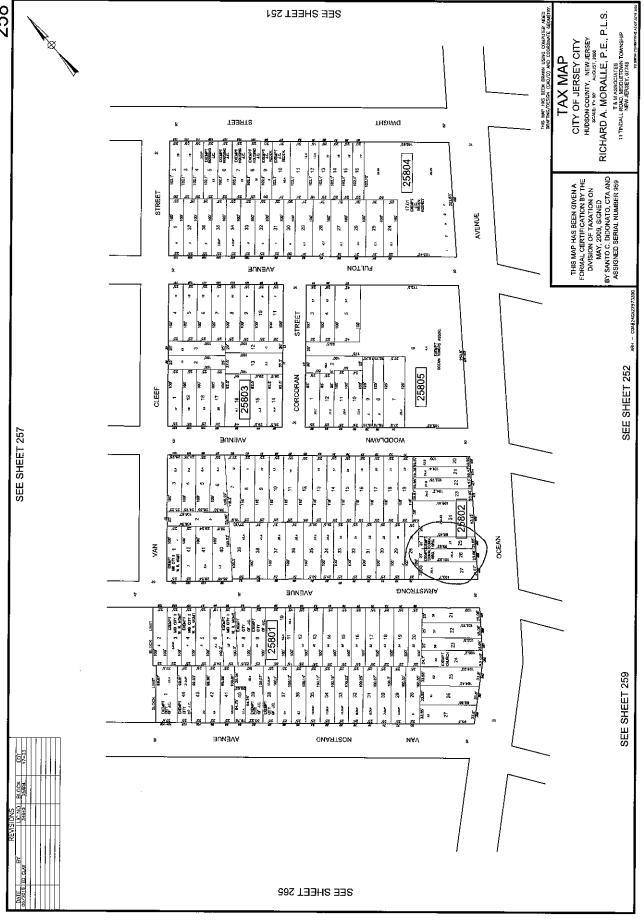
Section 3. The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Executive Director, and/or Secretary of the Agency are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, in consultation with counsel.

Section 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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DIANA H. JEFFREY, SECRETARY

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SCATTER SITE REDEVELOPMENT PLAN

- Board authorization

is requested authorizing the acquisition of the abandoned property located at 182 Claremont Avenue (Block 22503, Lot 58) by negotiated purchase or eminent domain.. (See map attached)

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ESTABLISHING A FAIR MARKET VALUE FOR PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 182 CLAREMONT AVENUE WITHIN THE SCATTER SITE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ESTABLISHING A FAIR MARKET VALUE FOR PROPERTY COMMONLY KNOWN AS 182 CLAREMONT AVENUE WITHIN THE SCATTER SITE REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Legislature adopted the New Jersey Urban Redevelopment Act, N.J.S.A. 55:19-20 et seq. (the "NJURA"), and the Abandoned Properties Rehabilitation Act, N.J.S.A. 55:19-78 et. seq. (the "APRA"), and made findings therein that abandoned properties, particularly those located within urban areas or in close proximity to occupied residences and businesses, create a wide range of problems for the communities in which they are located, fostering criminal activity, creating public health problems and otherwise diminishing the quality of life for residents and business operators in those areas, and that abandoned properties diminish the property values of neighboring properties and have a negative effect on the quality of life of adjacent property owners, increasing the risk of property damage through arson and vandalism and discouraging neighborhood stability and revitalization; and

WHEREAS, the NJURA and the APRA authorize municipalities to designate a "public officer" to identify abandoned properties within their borders and to place such properties on an abandoned property list pursuant to the procedures contained therein; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of these statutory powers, the Municipal Council of the City of Jersey City adopted Ordinance 06-135 authorizing a designated public officer to identify abandoned property within the City and to place such property on an abandoned property list; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jersey City (the "City"), through its designated public officer, has identified and placed certain abandoned properties on the City's abandoned property list; and

WHEREAS, the property located at 182 Claremont Avenue identified on the City's official tax map as Block 22503, Lot 58 (the "Property") has been placed upon the City's abandoned property list; and

WHEREAS, the Property is also located within the City's Scatter Site Redevelopment Area and is included within the City's Scatter Site Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Agency entered into an agreement as authorized under the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., whereby the City authorized the Agency to act as the City's agent to carry out the City's powers with regard to abandoned properties; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has determined that it is necessary to acquire title to the Property through negotiated purchase or eminent domain in order to effectuate the rehabilitation of this abandoned Property; and

WHEREAS, the Agency retained Value Research Group, LLC ("VRG") to issue an appraisal report valuing the Property; and

WHEREAS, VRG has issued an appraisal report determining that the Property has a value of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) under the APRA valuation formula; and

WHEREAS, the JCRA wishes to authorize the acquisition of the Property by negotiated purchase or eminent domain for this appraised value.

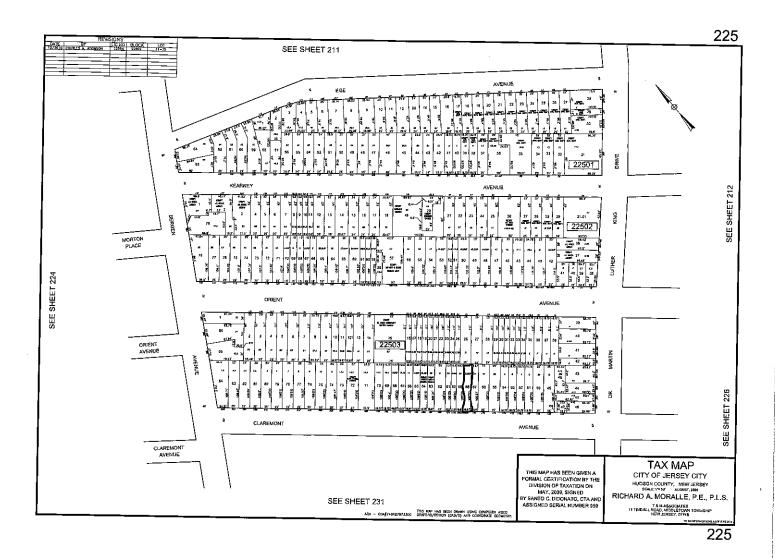
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency hereby authorizes the Agency to acquire the Property through negotiated purchase for the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) and, if the Agency is unable to acquire the Property by negotiated purchase for this amount, to file a condemnation action to acquire title to the Property through eminent domain and to deposit the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) into Superior Court in conjunction with the filing of this condemnation action; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director is hereby authorized to sign, on behalf of the Agency, any and all documents necessary to implement the acquisition of the Property by negotiated purchase or eminent domain, subject to the review and approval of such documents as to form by the Agency's General Counsel.

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<u>Sip Avenue Redevelopment Area</u> - Board authorization is requested to extend the conditional designation of St. George and St. Shenuda Coptic Orthodox Church as redeveloper of property located within the above redevelopment area.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE CONDITIONAL DESIGNATION OF ST. GEORGE AND ST. SHENUDA COPTIC ORTHODOX CHURCH AS SUCCESSOR REDEVELOPER FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY FRONTING ON SIP AVENUE, FIELD AVENUE OR FREEMAN AVENUE WITHIN THE SIP AVENUE GATEWAY REDEVELOPMENT AREA

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY EXTENDING THE CONDITIONAL DESIGNATION OF ST. GEORGE AND ST. SHENUDA COPTIC ORTHODOX CHURCH AS SUCCESSOR REDEVELOPER FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY FRONTING ON SIP AVENUE, FIELD AVENUE OR FREEMAN AVENUE WITHIN THE SIP AVENUE GATEWAY REDEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, the City of Jersey City (the "City") designated the Sip Avenue Gateway Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Area") as an area in need of redevelopment under the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law"), and thereafter adopted the Sip Avenue Gateway Redevelopment Plan (as amended and supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Plan") in order to establish the zoning requirements within the Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has previously entered into a redevelopment agreement with Nashed Construction LLC (the "Initial Redeveloper") dated July 18, 2006 (the "Initial Redevelopment Agreement") with respect to certain property within the Redevelopment Area, including those properties currently identified on the City's official tax map as Block 11801, Lots 2 and 4, and fronting on Freeman Avenue, adjacent to Holy Name Cemetery, Block 11802, bounded by Freeman Avenue, Sip Avenue, Field Avenue and Holy Name Cemetery, and the portion of Block 11803 identified as Lots 1, 2, 14 and 16 and bounded by Sip Avenue, Field Avenue and Holy Name Cemetery (collectively, the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, on March 21, 2017, the Agency adopted Resolution #17-03-24 conditionally designating St. George and St. Shenuda Coptic Orthodox Church (the "Prospective Redeveloper") as redeveloper of the Property, for a period of sixty (60) days to allow time for the Parties to negotiate and enter into a redevelopment agreement for the redevelopment of the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Redeveloper, either itself or through an affiliate, has entered into contracts to purchase the Property, including certain parcels to be acquired from the Initial Redeveloper; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to extend Redeveloper's designation as redeveloper of the Property until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days so that the Agency may complete the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement with the Redeveloper for the redevelopment of the Property,

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

- **Section 1.** The recitals hereto are incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- Section 2. The conditional designation as redeveloper of the Property previously granted to Redeveloper is hereby extended until January 15, 2019, which period may be extended if necessary in the sole discretion of the Agency's Executive Director for one (1) additional period of thirty (30) days, to allow the Agency to complete the negotiation of a redevelopment agreement with the Redeveloper for the redevelopment of the Property.
- **Section 3.** The Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Executive Director, and/or Secretary of the Agency are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution, in consultation with counsel.
 - **Section 4.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at its Regular Meeting held on September 17, 2018.

DIANA H. JEFFREY, SECRETARY

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ACCEPTING THE ANNUAL REPORT OF AUDIT FOR 2017

WHEREAS, the Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law, specifically, N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-15, requires that each local authority make an annual audit of its books, accounts and financial transactions; and

WHEREAS, the Annual Report of Audit of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") for the year 2017 has been filed by a Registered Municipal Accountant with the Secretary of the Agency as required by law, and a copy has been received by each member of the Agency's Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-17 and regulations of the Local Finance Board in the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, the Board of Commissioners must enact a resolution certifying to the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey that all members of the governing body have reviewed the annual audit report, and specifically the sections of the audit report entitled Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and General Comments and Recommendations, and must also execute an affidavit with respect thereto,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that:

Section 1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.

Section 2. The Annual Report of Audit for the year 2017 is hereby accepted.

Section 3. The Agency hereby affirms that the members of the Agency's Board of Commissioners have reviewed the Annual Report of Audit, and specifically the sections of the audit report entitled Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and General Comments and Recommendations.

Section 4. The Secretary of the Agency is hereby authorized and directed to submit a certified copy of this Resolution and the required affidavit to the Division of Local Government Services of the State of New Jersey.

Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Diana H. Jeffrey, Secretary	rv
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CERTIFICATION OF GOVERNING BODY OF THE ANNUAL AUDIT

GROUP AFFIDAVIT FORM

STATE OF NEW JERSEY COUNTY OF HUDSON

We, the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency, in the City of Jersey City and the County of Hudson, being duly sworn according to law, upon our oath depose and say:

- 1. We are duly appointed members of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency in the City of Jersey City and the County of
- 2. In the performance of our duties, and in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5A-15 and N.J.S.A. 40A:5-17 we have familiarized ourselves with the contents of the Annual Report of Audit filed with the Secretary of the Agency for the year 2017;
- 3. We certify that we have personally reviewed and are familiar with, at a minimum, the sections of the Annual Report of Audit entitled Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs and General Comments and Recommendations.

(L.S.) Donald R. Brown	(L.S.) Douglas Carlucci
(L.S.) Evelyn Farmer	(L.S.) Erma D. Greene
(L.S.) Rolando R. Lavarro, Jr.	(L.S.) Darwin R. Ona
(L.S.) Daniel Rivera	_
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of, 2018. Notary Public of New Jersey	
The Secretary of the Jersey City Redevelopm absence of signature of any members of the grant absence of the grant and the grant and the grant absence of the grant and the	ent Agency shall set forth the reason for the

absence of signature of any members of the governing body.

IMPORTANT: This certificate must be sent to the Bureau of Financial Regulation and Assistance, Division of Local Government Services, P.O. Box 803, Trenton, New Jersey 08625.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ESTABLISHING A PETTY CASH FUND

WHEREAS, a local unit may authorize the establishment of a petty cash fund in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5-21 by adopting a resolution and submitting the same to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services for approval; and

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency"), an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City, in the County of Hudson, wishes to establish a petty cash fund in the amount of \$500.00 (the "Petty Cash Fund"); and

WHEREAS, the custodian for this Petty Cash Fund is Jesamil Suazo, who is bonded for the amount of \$950,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the custodian of the Petty Cash Fund shall maintain records for the Petty Cash Fund in a manner conducive to proper accounting and auditing procedures,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that:

- Section 1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- Section 2. The Agency hereby authorizes the establishment of the Petty Cash Fund.
- **Section 3.** The Agency hereby authorizes Jesamil Suazo to serve as the custodian of the Petty Cash Fund.
- **Section 4.** The Secretary of the Agency, in consultation with the Agency's Chief Financial Officer, is hereby authorized and directed to submit two copies of this Resolution and any requisite supporting documentation to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs for approval.
 - Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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Diana	H.	Jeffrey,	Secretary

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency adopted at their Regular Meeting of September 17, 2018.

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING AGENCY STAFF TO ATTEND NATIONAL BROWNFIELDS LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") is an instrumentality of the City of Jersey City (the "City") with responsibility for implementing redevelopment plans and carrying out redevelopment projects in the City pursuant to the provisions of the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1 et seq. (as the same may be amended and/or supplemented from time to time, the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of its redevelopment objectives, the Agency finds it necessary or desirable from time to time for its employees to attend seminars, continuing education classes and/or seminars on redevelopment-related topics; and

WHEREAS, the Agency wishes to authorize Benjamin Delisle to attend the National Brownfields Leadership Summit, hosted by the Center for Creative Land Recycling and occurring on September 25th and 26th in Washington, D.C. (the "Conference"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency further wishes to authorize the utilization of a portion of certain grants received from the Environmental Protection Agency (the "Grant Funds") to offset eligible costs of Conference attendance,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency as follows:

- **Section 1.** The recitals hereto are incorporated herein as if set forth at length.
- **Section 2.** Benjamin Delisle is hereby authorized to attend the National Brownfields Leadership Conference.
- **Section 3.** The utilization of a portion of the Grant Funds to offset eligible costs of Conference attendance is hereby authorized.
 - **Section 4.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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DIANA H. JEFFREY, SECRETARY

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE ACCOUNTS/INVOICES PAYABLE LIST AS OF SEPTEMBER 17, 2018

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency have received copies of the Accounts/Invoices Payable List as of September 17, 2018

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that the Accounts/Invoices Payable List as of September 17, 2018 be approved as presented.

Secretary	

Certified to be a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at their Meeting dated September 17, 2018.

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE JERSEY CITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE PERSONNEL LIST AS OF SEPTEMBER 17, 2018

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency have received copies of the Personnel List as of September 17, 2018

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Jersey City Redevelopment Agency that the Personnel List as of September 17, 2018 be approved as presented.

Secretary	

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