

OVERSIGHT BOARD

OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AS SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH

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July 6, 2015

OVERSIGHT BOARD MEMBERS

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution approving the decision of the City of Long Beach, as the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach, to reclassify the Permissible Use of the property at 239 Elm Avenue, Assessor Parcel Number 7281-017-907 (Subject Property), from Future Development to Sale of Property; declare the Subject Property as surplus; authorize the City Manager, or designee, to execute any and all documents necessary, including a Purchase and Sale Agreement with CV Communities, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (Buyer), for the sale of the property in the amount of \$325,000; and accept Categorical Exemption CE 15-064.

DISCUSSION

Chapter 9 of AB 1484 ("Post Compliance Provisions") provides that within six (6) months following issuance of a Finding of Completion to a successor agency, that successor agency shall submit, subject to approval of its oversight board, a Long Range Property Management Plan (LRPMP) to the State of California Department of Finance (DOF). Within the LRPMP, all property owned by the former Redevelopment Agency (former RDA) of the City of Long Beach at the time of dissolution shall be categorized into four categories for permissible use: Enforceable Obligation, Government Use, Sale of Property and Future Development. The LRPMP was approved on March 10, 2015. The property located at 239 Elm Avenue, Assessor Parcel Number 7281-017-907 (Subject Property) (Exhibit A) is currently listed in the LRPMP as Future Development. Staff is requesting to change the permissible use of the Subject Property from Future Development to Sale of Property, allowing for disposition of the Subject Property to be expedited.

The Subject Property consists of approximately 7,500 square feet and is currently being utilized as a surface parking lot. The City of Long Beach (City) and the former RDA were in pre-existing and near-final discussions with CV Communities, LLC for the purchase and development of the Subject Property and the adjoining City property at the time of the former RDA's dissolution. The City has entered into a Purchase and Sale Agreement for the adjacent City-owned parcels, and CV Communities has expressed an interest in

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proceeding with the purchase of the Subject Property from the Successor Agency for \$325,000, the fair market value of the property as determined by an independent appraisal. The Subject Property will be developed along with the adjacent City-owned parcels, as a market rate, for sale residential project, consistent with the vision and intent of the Downtown Plan.

In compliance with Government Code Section 54220 (Chapter 621, Statutes of 1968), on June 1, 2015, staff notified the State of California (State) that the Successor Agency was declaring all Future Development and Sale of Property parcels as surplus. Further, in accordance with past practice, a memorandum was circulated to all City Departments to determine their interest in or objection to declaring any parcel surplus. To date, neither the State nor any City Department has expressed an interest or objection in the Subject Property. A Categorical Exemption, CE 15-064 (Exhibit B), was completed related to the proposed transaction on June 4, 2015.

This matter was approved by the Successor Agency on June 23, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

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DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

PATRICK H. WEST CITY MANAGER

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Attachments:

Resolution

Exhibit A - Site Map

Exhibit B - Categorical Exemption CE 15-064

Exhibit A 239 Elm Avenue

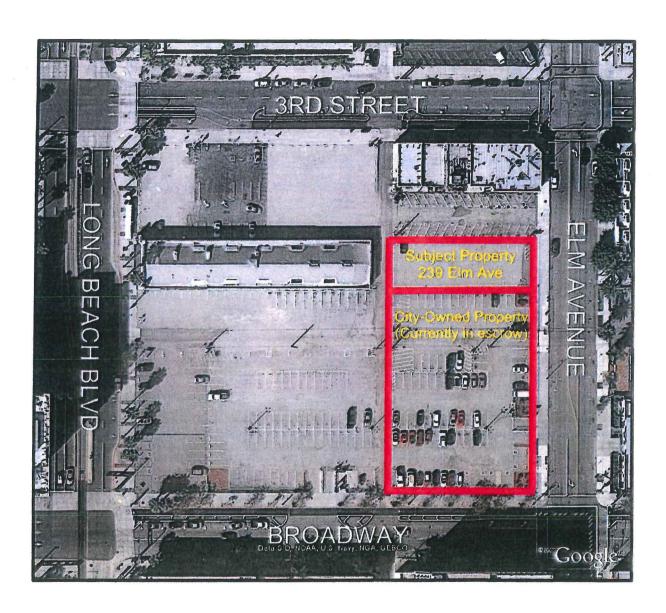


EXHIBIT B



CITY OF LONG BEACH NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Long Beach Development Services 333 W. Ocean Blvd., 5th Floor, Long Beach, CA 90802 Information: (562) 570-6194 Fax: (562) 570-6068 www.longbeach.gov/plan

Sacramento, CA 95814 Long Beach, C	evelopment Services Blvd, 5 th Floor CA 90802	
L.A. County Clerk Environmental Fillings 12400 E. Imperial Hwy. 2 nd Floor, Room 2001 Norwalk, CA 90650		
Project Location/Address: 239 Elm Avenue, Long Beach, California		
Project/Activity Description: <u>Transfer of ownership of approximately 7,500 square fe</u> at 239 Elm Avenue, Assessor Parcel Number 7281-017-907 from the City of Long Be		
Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach to CV COMMUNITIE		
Public Agency Approving Project: City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, Calif o Applicant Name: <u>The City of Long Beach</u>	ornia	
Mailing Address: 333 West Ocean Boulevard, 3 rd Floor, Long Beach, CA 90802	>	
Phone Number: 562.570.6846 Applicant Signature: Muy Fv	uncer the	
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A RESOLUTION OF THE OVERSIGHT BOARD OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AS THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH APPROVING THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY'S ACTION TO 1) RECLASSIFY THE PERMISSIBLE USE OF THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 239 ELM AVENUE. ASSESSOR PARCEL NUMBER 7281-017-907, FROM FUTURE DEVELOPMENT TO SALE OF PROPERTY; 2) DECLARE THE SUBJECT PROPERTY AS SURPLUS; AND 3) AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR THE SALE OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY TO CV COMMUNITIES, LLC, OR AN AFFILIATED ENTITY

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach, as Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach ("Successor Agency") currently owns the property located at 239 Elm Avenue ("Subject Property"); and

WHEREAS, the Subject Property is included in the Successor Agency's Long Range Property Management Plan, which was approved by the State of California Department of Finance on March 10, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Subject Property has been categorized with a permissible use of "Future Development"; and

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Purchase and Sale Agreement for the adjacent City-owned parcel and the buyer has expressed an interest in purchasing the Subject Property as well; and

WHEREAS, staff is requesting to change the permissible use of the Subject

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Property from "Future Development" to "Sale of Property"; and

WHEREAS, this matter was approved by the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach on June 23, 2015;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Oversight Board of the City of Long Beach as the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

Section 1. Approve the decision of the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach to 1) reclassify the permissible use of the property located at 239 Elm Avenue, Assessor Parcel Number 7281-017-907, from Future Development to Sale of Property; 2) declare the Subject Property as surplus; and 3) authorize the City Manager to execute any and all documents necessary for the sale of the Subject Property to CV Communities, LLC, or an affiliated entity.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption Section 2. by the Oversight Board, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED at a meeting of the Oversight Board of the City of Long Beach as the Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the C

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