

# CITY OF LONG BEACH

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

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July 21, 2015

SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH City of Long Beach California

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Declare the property located at 5564 Atlantic Avenue, Assessor Parcel Numbers 7127-009-900 and -901 (Subject Property) as surplus; authorize the City Manager, or designee, to execute any and all documents, including the Standard Offer, Agreement and Escrow Instructions for Purchase of Real Estate with Lab Holding, LLC (Buyer), for the sale of the Subject Property in the amount of \$220,000; and accept Categorical Exemption CE 15-089. (District 8)

## **DISCUSSION**

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 5564 Atlantic Avenue (Subject Property) (Exhibit A). The Subject Property is approximately 8,800 square feet and is currently improved as a parking lot. The Subject Property is included in the Successor Agency's Long Range Property Management Plan (LRPMP), which was approved by the State of California Department of Finance (DOF) on March 10, 2015. The Subject Property has been categorized with a permissible use of "Sale of Property" allowing for the Subject Property to be sold and proceeds distributed as property tax to the local taxing agencies.

Subsequent to the LRPMP's approval, the Subject Property was marketed by Cushman and Wakefield of California, Inc., who worked with the Buyer to present the Successor Agency with an offer to purchase the property for \$220,000, which is fair market value as determined by an independent appraisal or broker opinion of value, as appropriate. The sale of the Subject Property is consistent with the LRPMP and dissolution law.

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 in, or objection to, the sale of the Subject Property. A Categorical Exemption, CE 15-089 (Exhibit B), was completed related to the proposed transaction on July 2, 2015.

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This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Richard Anthony and by Budget Management Officer Victoria Bell on July 1, 2015.

## TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

Successor Agency action is requested on July 21, 2015, so the sale of 5564 Atlantic Avenue may be considered by the Oversight Board on August 3, 2015, and promptly submitted to the DOF for review.

#### FISCAL IMPACT

Sale proceeds of \$220,000, less escrow and closing fees, commission, and recovery of administrative costs, will be remitted to the Los Angeles County Auditor-Controller for distribution to the affected taxing agencies. The net proceeds available for remittance is estimated to be \$189,200. The County will distribute the net proceeds to the affected taxing agencies based on their share of the \$1 tax rate. The City's share is approximately 21 percent, resulting in roughly \$39,700.

#### SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

AMÝ J. BODEK, AICP

DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

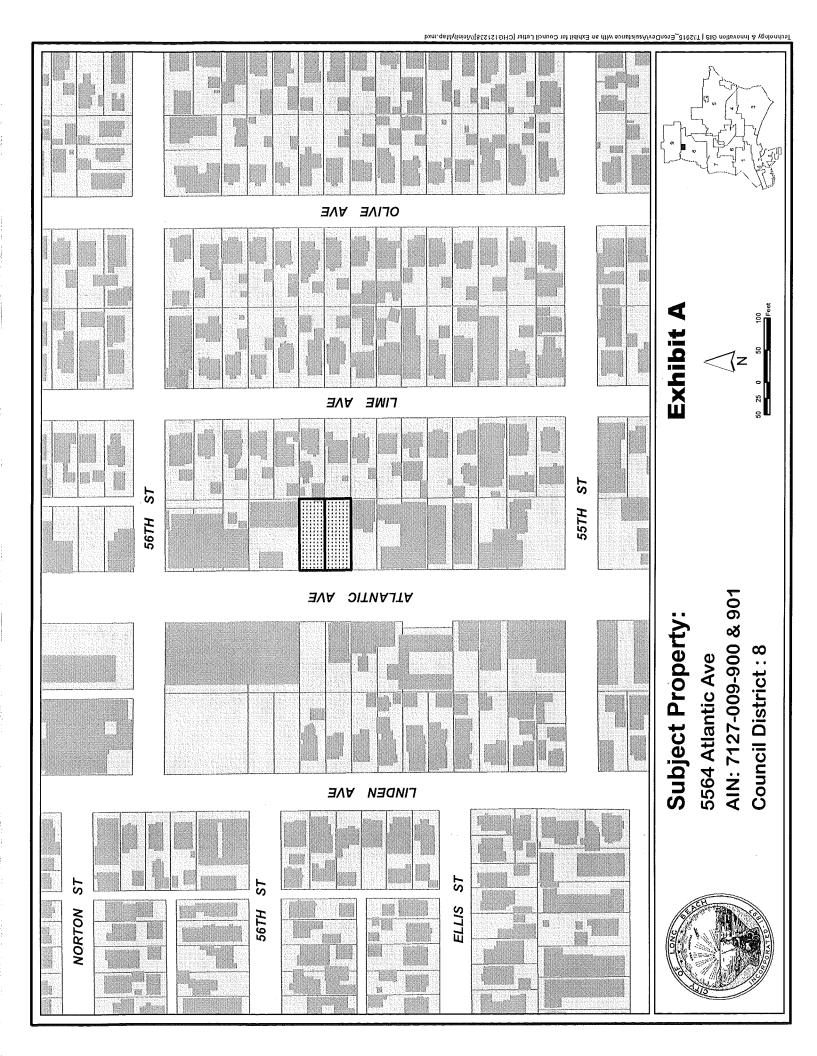
PATRICK H. WEST **CITY MANAGER** 

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Attachments: Exhibit A – Subject Property

Exhibit B - Categorical Exemption CE 15-089





# **EXHIBIT B**

NOTICE of EXEMPTION from CEQA

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

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| TO: Office of Planning & Research<br>1400 Tenth Street, Room 121<br>Sacramento, CA 95814  | FROM:                      | Department of Development Services<br>333 W. Ocean Blvd, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor<br>Long Beach, CA 90802 |
| L.A. County Clerk Environmental Fillings 12400 E. Imperial Hwy., Room 1201 Norwalk, CA 90650  |                            |  |
| Categorical Exemption CE-15-089   |                            |  |
| Project Location/Address: 5564 Atlantic Avenue, APNs 7127-009-900 & -901  |                            |  |
| Project/Activity Description: <u>Transfer of approximately</u>  | 8,800 squai                | re feet of property owned by the City of   |
| Long Beach as Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Long Beach, at 5564   |                            |  |
| Atlantic Avenue, APNs 7127-009-900 & -901   |                            |  |
| Public Agency Approving Project: City of Long Beach Applicant Name: City of Long Beach Mailing Address: 333 West Ocean Blvd., 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor, Lon Phone Number: 5625706846 Application | g Beach, C/<br>ant Signatu | A 90802<br>re: May Franca /2_  |
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| Application Number:Planner's Required Permits:  | Initíals:                  |  |
| THE ABOVE PROJECT HAS BEEN FOUND TO B<br>STATE GUIDELINES SECTION 1536 and  | E EXEMPT<br>15308,         | FROM CEQA IN ACCORDANCE WITH Class 1 and Class 8   |
| Statement of support for this finding: This a  Categorical  Class 8 as a  | Exem                       | qualifies for a ption with Clars I and ropriate exemptions   |
| Contact Person: Crain Chalfant, Signature:  | _Contact Pt                | none: <u>562-570-6368</u><br>te: 7/2/15  |