# CITY OF LONG BEACH REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY BOARD **MINUTES**

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2010 **COUNCIL CHAMBER** 333 W. OCEAN BLVD., 9:00 AM

William Baker, Chair Diane L. Arnold, Vice Chair John Cross, Member Teer L. Strickland, Member



John Thomas, Member Vivian Tobias, Member Vacant, Member

# **FINISHED AGENDA & MINUTES**

# SPECIAL MEETING - 8:30 A.M.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

10-017R

- A. Closed Session pursuant to Section 54956.9(a) of the California Government Code regarding existing litigation, entitled Absolute Bonding Corporation vs. City of Long Beach, Long Beach Redevelopment Agency, et al, Case No. BC 389921.
- B. Conference with Real Property Negotiator pursuant to California Government Code §54956.8.

APN: 7280-016-900 Property Address: Unknown

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director **Negotiating Parties:** Redevelopment Agency and City Ventures and Related California

**Under Negotiation:** Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-901

APN:

Property Address: 124 & 128 W. 4th Street and

348 Pacific Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director Redevelopment Agency and City **Negotiating Parties:** Ventures and Related California

7280-016-902 Property Address: 338 Pacific Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director **Negotiating Parties:** Redevelopment Agency and City Ventures and Related California

Price and Terms of Acquisition

**Under Negotiation:** 

APN: 7280-016-903 Property Address: 328 Pacific Avenue Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director Redevelopment Agency and City

Ventures and Related California Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-904

Under Negotiation:

Property Address: 131, 133 & 145 W. 3rd Street
Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director
Redevelopment Agency and City
Ventures and Related California

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-905 Property Address: 125 W. 3rd Street

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director Redevelopment Agency and City Ventures and Related California

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-011

Property Address: 117, 119, 121 W. 3rd Street
Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director
Negotiating Parties: Redevlopment Agency and Queen City

Investments, Inc.

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-016

Property Address: 109 W. 3rd and 301 & 303 Pine Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director

Negotiating Parties: Redevelopment Agency and Queen City

Investments, Inc.

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-015

Property Address: 309 & 311 Pine Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director

Negotiating Parties: Redevelopment Agency

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-014 Property Address: 315 Pine Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director Negotiating Parties: Redevelopment Agency and

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Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-013

Property Address: 319 & 319 1/2 Pine Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director

Negotiating Parties: Redevelopment Agency and Queen City

Investments, Inc.

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

APN: 7280-016-012 Property Address: 325 Pine Avenue

Agency Negotiator: Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director

Negotiating Parties: Redevelopment Agency and Queen City

Investments, Inc.

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Acquisition

#### **REGULAR MEETING - 9:00 A.M.**

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Boardmembers** William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, **Present**: Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

ALSO PRESENT: Amy Bodek, Executive Director; Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director; Seyed Jalali, Redevelopment Project Officer; Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager; Jill Griffiths, Advance Planning Officer; and Thelinioris Roberts, Clerk Typist III.

## **FLAG SALUTE**

Vice Chair Arnold led in the flag salute.

10-016R Recommendation to receive and file a Notice of Adjournment of the

February 15, 2010 Regular Meeting of the City of Long Beach

Redevelopment Agency.

A motion was made by Boardmember Tobias, seconded by Boardmember Thomas, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John

Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

10-018R Recommendation to approve the Minutes for the Regular Meeting of

February 1, 2010.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Arnold, seconded by Boardmember Thomas, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross

and Teer L. Strickland

Abstain: 1 - Vivian Marie Tobias

## PROJECT AREA COMMITTEE REPORTS

Laurie Angel, Chair, North Long Beach Redevelopment Project Area Committee (NPAC), spoke.

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Amy Bodek, Executive Director, provided the Executive Director's report.

Vice Mayor Val Lerch, spoke.

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Deputy Chief Jeff Reeb, Long Beach Fire Department, spoke.

Vice Mayor Val Lerch spoke.

Amy Bodek, Executive Director, spoke.

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

There was no public participation.

#### PRESENTATION: DOWNTOWN BIKE LANES

Amy Bodek, Executive Director, presented documents as a prelude to the Downtown Bike Lanes presentation and introduced Sumire Gant, Transportation Programs Officer, who presented the Downtown Bike Lanes presentation.

Amy Bodek, Executive Director, spoke.

Sumire Gant, Transportation Programs Officer, spoke.

Vice Chair Arnold spoke.

Sumire Gant, Transportation Programs Officer, spoke.

# **REGULAR AGENDA (1-6)**

## **1.** 10-019R

Recommendation to receive supporting documentation into the record, conclude the public hearing, and adopt a resolution finding that the consideration for the sale of certain real property in the West Long Beach Industrial Redevelopment Project Area is not less than fair market value in accordance with covenants and conditions governing such sale, and approving the sale of property to the Jana Land Company, Inc.; and authorize the Executive Director to execute an Owner Participation Agreement with Jana Land Company, Inc., for the development of 1601 West 17th Street.

(West Long Beach Industrial - District 1)

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, introduced Seyed Jalali, Redeveopment Project Officer, who presented the staff report.

Tony Rivera, Chair, West Long Beach Industrial Project Area Committee (WPAC), spoke.

A motion was made by Boardmember Thomas, seconded by Boardmember Strickland, to approve recommendation and adopt Resolution No. R. A. 06-2010 finding that the consideration for the sale of certain real property in the West Long Beach Industrial Redevelopment Project Area is not less than fair market value in accordance with covenants and conditions governing such sale, and approving the sale of property to the Jana Land Company, Inc.; and authorize the Executive Director to execute an Owner Participation Agreement with Jana Land Company, Inc., for the development of 1601 West 17th Street. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

#### **2.** 09-144R

Recommendation to approve and authorize the Executive Director to enter into a Settlement Agreement with Absolute Bonding Corporation. (Downtown - District 1) **(Oral Report)** 

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, provided the Oral Report regarding the Settlement Agreement with Absolute Bonding Corporation.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Arnold, seconded by Boardmember Cross, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

# **3.** 10-020R

Recommendation to approve and authorize the Executive Director to adopt a resolution certifying the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Art Exchange Project (SCH No. 2009061061), making certain findings and determinations relative thereto; and adopting a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program. (Downtown - District 2)

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, introduced Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager, who provided the staff report.

Jill Griffiths, Advance Planning Officer, explained the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Art Exchange Project.

Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager, concluded the staff report.

Chair Baker spoke.

Kraig Kojian, Art Exchange Board of Directors and Downtown Long Beach Associates (DLBA), President & CEO, spoke.

Amy Bodek, Executive Director, spoke.

Chair Baker spoke.

Boardmember Thomas spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Arnold, seconded by Boardmember Cross, to approve recommendation and adopt Resolution No. R. A. 07-2010 certifying the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Art Exchange Project (SCH No. 2009061061), making certain findings and determinations relative thereto; and adopting a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

# **4.** 10-021R

Recommendation to approve and authorize the Executive Director to enter into a lease with Art Exchange Visual Art Center, Inc., for the use of 340 East 3rd Street. (Downtown - District 2)

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, introduced Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager, who provided the staff report.

A motion was made by Boardmember Cross, seconded by Boardmember Thomas, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

# **5.** 10-022R

Recommendation to approve and authorize the Executive Director to execute the First Amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding with California State University Long Beach, to negotiate the development of a portion of the Broadway Block. (Downtown - District 2)

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, introduced Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager, who provided the staff report.

Vice Chair Arnold spoke.

Barbi Clark, Development Project Manager, spoke.

A motion was made by Boardmember Thomas, seconded by Boardmember Cross, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

## **6.** 10-023R

Recommendation to designate the City of Long Beach's Recovery Zone Economic Bond allocation for use by the North Long Beach Redevelopment Project Area, and establish the priority of projects for funding with bond proceeds. (North - Districts 5, 8, 9)

Lisa Fall, Assistant Executive Director, provided the staff report.

Laurie Angel, Chair, North Long Beach Redevelopment Project Area Committee (NPAC), spoke.

Chair Baker spoke.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Arnold, seconded by Boardmember Thomas, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Yes:** 6 - William E. Baker, Diane L. Arnold, John Thomas, John Cross, Teer L. Strickland and Vivian Marie Tobias

# COMMENTS FROM REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY BOARD MEMBERS

There were no comments from the Board Members.
ADJOURNMENT
At 10:19 A.M., there being no objection, Chair Baker declared the meeting adjourned.
William Baker, Chair
Amy J. Bodek, Executive Director
Ally J. Dodek, Executive Director