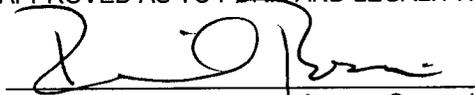


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Agency Counsel

REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND
RESOLUTION NO. 2008 - 0024 C.M.S.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT LOAN IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$3,584,000 TO BRIDGE HOUSING, INC., FOR THE ST. JOSEPH'S AFFORDABLE HOMEOWNERSHIP PHASE IIa PROJECT LOCATED AT 2647 INTERNATIONAL BOULEVARD

WHEREAS, on August 17, 2007, the Redevelopment Agency and the City of Oakland jointly issued a Notice of Funding Availability ("NOFA") soliciting applications for funding for affordable housing developments; and

WHEREAS, BRIDGE Housing, Inc. ("Developer"), a nonprofit organization devoted to the provision of affordable housing, submitted a proposal in response to the NOFA; and

WHEREAS, Developer proposes to develop 16 affordable homeownership units at 2647 International Boulevard in the City of Oakland (the "Project") known as the St. Joseph's Homeownership Phase IIa Project; and

WHEREAS, the Project units will achieve an average income targeting of 100% of area median income; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland's Consolidated Plan for Housing and Community Development indicates that there is a need for affordable ownership housing, and has identified this activity as a priority; and

WHEREAS, the Project is consistent with the Agency's Project Development Guidelines, and Developer meets the Agency's Threshold Developer Criteria; and

WHEREAS, the Project will increase and improve the supply of low and moderate income housing available in the City of Oakland, is an eligible use of the Agency's Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund under California Health and Safety Code Sections 33334.2 and 33334.3, and will benefit the redevelopment project areas in the City of Oakland by providing affordable housing opportunities within the community that will enhance the economic viability and redevelopment potential of the project areas; and

WHEREAS, no other reasonable means of private or commercial financing of the Project at the same level of affordability and quantity are reasonably available to Developer other than the Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund; and

WHEREAS, the Agency is the Responsible Agency and the City is the Lead Agency for this Project for purposes of environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 ("CEQA"); and

WHEREAS, the requirements of CEQA, the CEQA Guidelines as prescribed by the Secretary for Resources, and the provisions of the Environmental Review Regulations of the City of Oakland have been satisfied by that Mitigated Negative Declaration and a Finding of No Significant Impact adopted by the City on December 19, 2007 for the Project; and

WHEREAS, none of the circumstances necessitating additional CEQA review of the Project are present; and

WHEREAS, funds are available from the Agency's Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund to assist the Project; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Redevelopment Agency hereby authorizes the Agency Administrator or her designee to provide a loan in an amount not to exceed \$3,584,000 to BRIDGE Housing, Inc., or to an affiliated entity approved by the Agency Administrator or his or her designee, to be used for development of the Project; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That \$3,584,000 shall be allocated from the Low Mod Operations Fund (9580), Housing Development Organization (88929), Housing Development Program project (P209310) for this loan; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the loan shall be contingent on the availability of sufficient funds in the Agency's Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund to cover the Agency loan of \$3,584,000; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the loan shall be for a maximum term of four years, with an interest rate to be determined by the Agency Administrator in his or her discretion, with repayment to the Agency upon the initial sale of Project units to eligible homebuyers, or on such other repayment terms and schedule as the Agency Administrator or his or her designee determines are in the best interest of the Agency and the Project; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That, in the event the Project's development cost exceeds its total net sales proceeds, the Agency Administrator is authorized, upon the initial sale of Project units, to convert a portion of the loan, represented by the difference between the development cost of the Project units and the total net sales proceeds from Project units, into a grant; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That as a condition of the loan, the Agency will require that appropriate restrictions on the sale and resale of Project units be recorded against Project improvements; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the loan shall be secured by a deed of trust on the Project land and/or improvements; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the loan funds shall be reserved for a period of no more than eighteen months from the date of this Resolution, and the making of the loan shall be contingent on Developer's success in securing commitments for full Project funding, or other assurances of adequate Project funding the Agency Administrator or his or her designee deems sufficient within his or her discretion, within this reservation period; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the making of the loan shall be contingent on and subject to such other appropriate terms and conditions as the Agency Administrator or his or her designee may establish; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Agency hereby authorizes the Agency Administrator or his or her designee in his or her discretion to subordinate the priority of any of the Agency's recorded interests in the Project property to a lien or encumbrance of another private or governmental entity providing financial assistance to the Project, if the Agency Administrator or his or her designee determines that (1) an economically feasible alternative method of financing the Project on substantially comparable terms and conditions but without subordination is not reasonably available, (2) the Agency's investment in the Project in the event of default is reasonably protected, and (3) subordination is in the best interests of the Agency; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That all loan documents shall be reviewed and approved by Agency Counsel for form and legality prior to execution, and copies will be placed on file with the Agency Secretary; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Agency hereby appoints the Agency Administrator and his or her designee as agent of the Agency to conduct negotiations, execute documents, administer the loan, extend or modify the repayment terms, and take any other action with respect to the loan and the Project consistent with this Resolution and its basic purpose.

IN AGENCY, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, MAR 4 2008, 2008

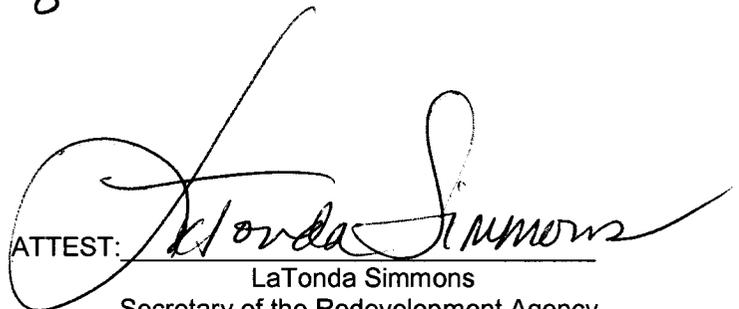
PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND
CHAIRPERSON DE LA FUENTE - 8

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST: 

LaTonda Simmons
Secretary of the Redevelopment Agency
of the City of Oakland, California