JOINT MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TIRZ 17 REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY/MEMORIAL CITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY and TAX REINVESTMENT ZONE NUMBER SEVENTEEN HOUSTON, TEXAS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the TIRZ 17 Redevelopment Authority (aka the Memorial City Redevelopment Authority) and the Tax Reinvestment Zone Number Seventeen, City of Houston, Texas, will hold a joint meeting on **Tuesday, March 25, 2025**, at **8:00 a.m.**, at Hawes Hill & Associates LLP, Spring Branch Conference Room, 9600 Long Point Road, Suite 250, Houston, Texas 77055 open to the public, to consider, discuss, and adopt such orders, resolutions or motions, and take direct actions as may be necessary, convenient, or desirable, with respect to the following matters:

AGENDA

- 1. Establish quorum and call meeting to order.
- 2. Receive public comments. (In accordance with City of Houston procedures, a statement of no more than 3 minutes may be made on items of general relevance. However, if a person has spoken regarding a topic within the last 4 meetings, their time will be limited to 1 minute. There will be no yielding of time to another person. State law prohibits the Board Chair or members of the Board from deliberating a topic without an appropriate agenda item being posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Law; therefore, questions or comments will not be addressed. Engaging in verbal attacks or comments intended to insult, abuse, malign or slander any individual shall be cause for termination of time privileges).
- 3. Approve Minutes from February 25, 2025, meeting.
- 4. Accept Annual Disclosure Statements from Investment Officer and Bookkeeper.
- 5. Conduct annual review of Investment Policy; and adopt Resolution Regarding Annual Review of Investment Policy.
- 6. Adopt Resolution Establishing the Authorized Depository Institutions and Adopting List of Qualified Broker/Dealers With Whom the Authority May Engage in Investment Transactions.
- 7. Receive financial and bookkeeper's report, including approval of payment of invoices, review of investments, and project cash flow reports.
- 8. CIP Committee update and recommendations:
 - a. Receive update from Gauge Engineering, LLC.
 - i. Sports Complex, Detention Basin A.
 - ii. Memorial Drive, Phase 2.
 - iii. W-140 Briar Branch Expansion
 - 1) Pay Application No. 2, W-140 Detention Basin, from Reytec Construction.
 - b. Receive update from The Goodman Corporation.
 - i. W-140 Detention Basin
 - ii. Memorial Drive Phase 2
- 9. Convene in Executive Session pursuant to Section 551.072, Texas Government Code, to deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property; pursuant to Section 551.087, Texas Government Code, to discuss deliberate regarding economic development negotiations; and pursuant to Section 551.071, Texas Government Code, to conduct a private consultation with attorney.
- 10. Reconvene in Open Session and authorize appropriate actions regarding purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property; economic development negotiations; and consultation with attorney.
 - a. Approve engagement for ESA Phase 1 services.
- 11. Series 2025 Contract Tax Revenue Bonds:
 - a. Consider matters regarding entering into a contract for disclosure counsel legal services and adopt Resolution Regarding Approval of Legal Services Contract.
 - b. Consider agreement with Hawes Hill & Associates LLP for bond management services.
- 12. Adjourn.

Scott Bean, Zone Administrator

^{*}Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and would like to request auxiliary aids or services are requested to contact the Authority's Zone Administrator at (713) 595-1200 at least three business days prior to the meeting so that the appropriate arrangements can be made. The Board will conduct an in-person meeting at its physical meeting location. Members of the Board may participate by videoconference in accordance with requirements of the Texas Open Meetings Act, provided a quorum of the Board meets in-person. Pursuant to V.T.C.A Government Code, Chapter 551, as amended, the Board of Directors may convene in closed session to receive advice from legal counsel and discuss matters relating to pending or contemplated litigation, personnel matters, gifts and donations, real estate transactions, the deployment, or specific occasions for the implementation of, security personnel or devices and or economic development negotiations.

MEMORIAL CITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice that the Board of Directors of Memorial City Redevelopment Authority will meet in open session at Hawes Hill & Associates LLP, 9600 Long Point Road, Suite 250, Houston, Texas 77055, at 8:00 a.m., on March 25, 2025, at which time the Board will consider engaging Norton Rose Fulbright US LLP as disclosure counsel in connection with the issuance of its contract revenue bonds.

Pursuant to Section 2254.1036, Texas Government Code, the following written notice is given to the public:

- 1. The reason for pursuing issuance of bonds (the matter that is the subject of the legal services for which the attorney or law firm would be retained) is to implement the Authority's project plan which is designed to facilitate development by real estate acquisitions and construction of infrastructure within the boundaries City of Houston, Texas Tax Reinvestment Zone No. Seventeen. The desired outcome of the matter is to issue bonds in accordance with federal securities law.
- 2. Norton Rose Fulbright is nationally recognized in the field of municipal law and among the largest municipal law firms in the nation. They have advised thousands of clients on federal securities matters. Norton Rose Fulbright has experience as disclosure counsel for numerous other local development authorities.
- 3. Norton Rose Fulbright has previously served as disclosure counsel to the Authority in connection with the Series 2019 bonds.
- 4. The Authority does not have attorneys and/or supporting personnel who can perform this legal work.
- 5. The Authority cannot reasonably engage attorneys for these services under an hourly fee contract without contingency because then the Authority would have to pay such attorneys their fee from its unrestricted general funds, and such amounts are needed for other uses.
- 6. A contingent fee contract for these legal services is in the best interest of the residents of the Authority because it is a fixed fee and only due when bonds are issued.

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I hereby certify that the above pubic notice of Memorial City Redevelopment Authority was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act (Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code), on the following date: March 19, 2025