

RESOLUTION

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE, SALE AND DELIVERY OF BONDS BY THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES DESIGNATED AS ITS MULTIFAMILY HOUSING REVENUE BONDS (WHITTIER HHH APARTMENTS) SERIES 2022M AND TAXABLE SERIES 2022M-2 IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$18,681,003 CONSISTING OF UP TO \$16,347,000 OF SERIES 2022M BOND AND UP TO \$2,334,003 OF TAXABLE SERIES 2022M-2 BOND TO PROVIDE FINANCING FOR THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF THE MULTIFAMILY HOUSING PROJECT SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 16 HEREOF AND APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AN INDENTURE OF TRUST, REGULATORY AGREEMENT AND DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS, A LOAN AGREEMENT AND RELATED DOCUMENTS AND AGREEMENTS AND THE TAKING OF RELATED ACTIONS, INCLUDING THE EXECUTION OF AMENDATORY DOCUMENTS THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City of Los Angeles (the “City”) is authorized, pursuant to Section 248, as amended, of the City Charter (the “Charter”) of the City and Article 6.3 of Chapter 1 of Division 11 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, as amended (the “Law”), to issue its revenue bonds for the purposes of providing financing for the acquisition, construction and development of multifamily rental housing for persons and families of low or moderate income (the “Program”) which will satisfy the provisions of Chapter 7 of Part 5 of Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California (the “Act”); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to issue pursuant to the Law and in accordance with the Act, its revenue bonds to provide financing for the acquisition, construction and equipping of that multifamily rental housing project described in paragraph 16 below (the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, the Project will be located wholly within the City; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest and for the public benefit that the City authorize financing for the Project, and it is within the powers of the City to provide for such a financing and the issuance of such bonds; and

WHEREAS, the City proposes to issue, pursuant to the Law and in accordance with the Act, its Multifamily Housing Revenue Bond (Whittier HHH Apartments) Series 2022M (the “Tax-Exempt Bond”) in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$16,347,000; and

WHEREAS, the City proposes to issue, pursuant to the Law and in accordance with the Act, its Multifamily Housing Revenue Bond (Whittier HHH Apartments) Taxable Series 2022M-

2 (the “Taxable Bond” and together with the Tax-Exempt Bond, the “Bonds”) with a principal amount not to exceed \$2,334,003; and

WHEREAS, the City proposes to use the proceeds of the Bonds to cause the financing of the Project and, if applicable, to pay certain costs of issuance in connection with the issuance of the Bond; and

WHEREAS, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., a national banking association (the “Purchaser”), has expressed its intention to purchase the Bonds authorized hereby or to cause such Bonds to be purchased by its subsidiary or affiliate, in whole; and

WHEREAS, this Council (the “City Council”) finds that the public interest and necessity require that the City at this time make arrangements for the sale of such Bonds; and

WHEREAS, the interest on the Tax-Exempt Bond may qualify for a federal tax exemption under Section 142(a)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), only if the Tax-Exempt Bond is approved in accordance with Section 147(f) of the Code; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Code, the Tax-Exempt Bond is required to be approved, following a public hearing, by an elected representative of the issuer of the Tax-Exempt Bond and an elected representative of the governmental unit having jurisdiction over the area in which the Project is located; and

WHEREAS, this City Council is the elected legislative body of the City and is the applicable elected representative required to approve the issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bond within the meaning of Section 147(f) of the Code; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 147(f) of the Code, the City caused a notice to appear in the *Los Angeles Times*, which is a newspaper of general circulation in the City, on September 10, 2021, to the effect that a public hearing would be held on September 17, 2021, regarding the issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bond; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing + Community Investment Department (now known as Los Angeles Housing Department) held said public hearing on such date, at which time an opportunity was provided to present arguments both for and against the issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bond; and

WHEREAS, the minutes of such public hearing, together with any written comments received in connection therewith, have been presented to this City Council; and

WHEREAS, the owner of the Project (as set forth in paragraph 16 below, the “Owner”) has engaged the Purchaser to provide to the City the following information as a good faith estimate of the cost of the Bond financing and the City disclosed such information in accordance with Section 5852.1 of the California Government Code: (a) the true interest cost of the Bonds, (b) the finance charge of the Bonds, including all third party expenses, (c) the amount of proceeds received by the City for the issuance and delivery of the Bonds less the finance charge of the Bonds and any reserves or capitalized interest paid or funded with proceeds of the Bonds and (d) the total payment amount, all as reflected on the attached Exhibit A (the “Financing Information”); and

WHEREAS, such Financing Information has been disclosed in connection with the City Council meeting in which this Resolution is approved;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Los Angeles, as follows:

1. The recitals hereinabove set forth are true and correct, and this City Council so finds. This Resolution is being adopted pursuant to the Law.

2. Pursuant to the Law and in accordance with the Act and the Indenture (as hereinafter defined), a revenue bond of the City, to be designated as “City of Los Angeles Multifamily Housing Revenue Bond (Whittier HHH Apartments) Series 2022M,” in a principal amount not to exceed \$16,347,000 and a revenue bond of the City, to be designated as “City of Los Angeles Multifamily Housing Revenue Bond (Whittier HHH Apartments) Taxable Series 2022M-2” in a principal amount not to exceed \$2,334,003, are hereby authorized to be issued. The principal amount of the Bonds to be issued shall be determined by a Designated Officer (as defined below) in accordance with this Resolution.

3. The proposed form of an Indenture of Trust (the “Indenture”) by and among the City, the Purchaser as Bondowner Representative and such party as shall be designated by the City in the final form of Indenture, as trustee (the “Trustee”), substantially in the form attached hereto, is hereby approved along with any additions or supplements which may, in the determination of a Designated Officer, be necessary to document the issuance of the Bonds authorized hereunder. The Mayor of the City, the General Manager, any Acting General Manager, the Interim General Manager or any Assistant General Manager, Acting Assistant General Manager, Interim Assistant General Manager, Executive Officer, Acting Director or Director—Finance and Development Division of the Housing Development Bureau of the Los Angeles Housing Department (each hereinafter referred to as a “Designated Officer”) are each hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver, for and in the name and on behalf of the City, said Indenture with such additions, changes or corrections (including, without limitation, designation of the Trustee) as the Designated Officer executing the same may approve upon consultation with the City Attorney and Bond Counsel to the City and approval of the City Attorney, provided that such additions or changes shall not authorize an aggregate principal amount of the Bonds in excess of the amount stated above, such approval by the City Attorney to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the Indenture with such additions, changes or corrections.

Any Designated Officer shall be authorized to approve the appointment of the Trustee.

4. The proposed forms of the Bonds, as set forth in the Indenture, are hereby approved, and the Mayor and City Treasurer, the Interim City Treasurer or Deputy City Treasurer of the City are hereby authorized and directed to execute, by manual or facsimile signatures of such officers under the seal of the City, and the Trustee or an authenticating agent is hereby authorized and directed to authenticate, by manual signatures of one or more authorized officers of the Trustee or an authenticating agent, the Bonds in

substantially such forms, and the Trustee is hereby authorized and directed to sell and deliver such Bonds to the Purchaser in accordance with the Indenture and the Loan Agreement (hereinafter defined). The date, maturity date, interest rates (which may be either fixed or variable), interest payment dates, denomination, form of registration privileges, manner of execution, place of payment, terms of redemption, use of proceeds, series designation and other terms of the Bonds shall be as provided in the Indenture as finally executed; provided, however, that the principal amount of the Tax-Exempt Bond shall not exceed \$16,347,000 and the principal amount of the Taxable Bond shall not exceed \$2,334,003, the interest rates on the Bonds shall not exceed 12% per annum and the final maturity of the Bonds shall be no later than 40 years from the date of issuance. The initial purchase price of the Bonds shall be 100% of the par amount thereof as advances are made with respect to the Bonds by the Purchaser. The Bonds may, if so provided in the Indenture, be issued as “draw-down” bonds to be funded over time as provided in the Indenture. Such Bonds may be delivered in temporary form pursuant to the Indenture if, in the judgment of the City Attorney, delivery in such form is necessary or appropriate until the Bonds in definitive form can be prepared.

5. The proposed form of Regulatory Agreement and Declaration of Restrictive Covenants (the “Regulatory Agreement”) to be entered into by and among the City, the Trustee and the Owner, substantially in the form attached hereto, is hereby approved. Any Designated Officer is hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the City, to execute and deliver the Regulatory Agreement, with such additions, changes and corrections as the Designated Officer may approve upon consultation with the City Attorney and Bond Counsel and approval of the City Attorney, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution of said Regulatory Agreement with such additions, changes or corrections. Any Designated Officer is hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the City to execute amendments to the Regulatory Agreement in order that interest on the Tax-Exempt Bond remains tax-exempt.

6. The proposed form of Loan Agreement (the “Loan Agreement”), by and among the City, the Purchaser as Bondowner Representative and the Owner, in substantially the form attached hereto, is hereby approved. Any Designated Officer is hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the City, to execute the Loan Agreement, with such additions, changes or corrections as the Designated Officer executing the same may approve upon consultation with the City Attorney and Bond Counsel and approval by the City Attorney, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution of the Loan Agreement with such additions, changes or corrections.

7. All actions heretofore taken by the officers and agents of the City with respect to the sale and issuance of the Bonds are hereby approved, confirmed and ratified, and each Designated Officer of the City, the City Clerk and other properly authorized officers of the City are hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the City, to do any and all things and take any and all actions and execute and deliver any and all certificates, agreements and other documents, including, but not limited to, those described in the Indenture, the Loan Agreement, the Regulatory Agreement and the other documents herein approved, which they, or any of them, may deem necessary or advisable in order to consummate the lawful issuance and delivery of the Bonds and the

implementation of the Program in accordance with the Act and the Law and this Resolution and resolutions heretofore adopted by the City.

8. The City Clerk of the City or any deputy thereof is hereby authorized to countersign or to attest the signature of any Designated Officer and to affix and attest the seal of the City as may be appropriate in connection with the execution and delivery of any of the documents authorized by this resolution, provided that the due execution and delivery of said documents or any of them shall not depend on such signature of the City Clerk or any deputy thereof or affixing of such seal. Any of such documents may be executed in multiple counterparts.

9. In addition to the Designated Officers, any official of the City, including any official of the Los Angeles Housing Department, as shall be authorized in writing by the Mayor of the City, is hereby authorized for and on behalf of the City to execute and deliver any of the agreements, certificates and other documents, except the Bonds, authorized by this Resolution.

10. In accordance with procedures established by the City Charter, the City Council, by adoption and approval of this Resolution and with the concurrence of the Mayor, does hereby direct that the proceeds of the Bonds be delivered directly to the Trustee, instead of the City Treasurer, to be deposited into the funds and accounts established under the Indenture.

11. Pursuant to Section 147(f) of the Code, the City Council hereby approves the issuance of the Tax-Exempt Bond to finance the Project. It is intended that this Resolution constitute approval of the Tax-Exempt Bond by the applicable elected representative of the issuer of the Tax-Exempt Bond and the applicable elected representative of the governmental unit having jurisdiction over the area in which the Project is located, in accordance with said Section 147(f).

12. Pursuant to the City Charter all agreements to which the City is a party shall be subject to approval by the City Attorney as to form.

13. Each Designated Officer and other properly authorized officials of the City as specifically authorized under this resolution are hereby authorized, directed and empowered on behalf of the City and this Council to execute any other additional applications, certificates, agreements, documents or other instruments or any amendments or supplements thereto, subject to approval by the City Attorney as to form, or to do and to cause to be done any and all other acts and things as they may deem necessary or appropriate to carry out the purpose of the foregoing authorizations and to address any issues arising with respect to the Bonds or the agreements relating thereto subsequent to their issuance.

14. The Bonds shall contain a recital that each is issued pursuant to the Law and in accordance with the Act.

15. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

16. The “Project” and “Owner”, as used herein, shall have the following meanings:

Project Name	Number of Units	Address	Owner
Whittier HHH	63 plus 1 manager unit	3554 Whittier Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90023	Mercy Housing California 100, L.P.

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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting on _____, 2022.

By _____
Name _____
Title _____

EXHIBIT A
FINANCING INFORMATION
[ATTACHED]