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RESOLUTION NO.

[Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds - 171 Loehr Street and 1250 Sunnydale Avenue ("Britton Court") - Not to Exceed \$76,000,000]

Resolution declaring the intent of the City and County of San Francisco (the "City") to reimburse certain expenditures from proceeds of future bonded indebtedness; authorizing the Director of the Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development (the "Director") to submit an application and related documents to the California Debt Limit Allocation Committee ("CDLAC") to permit the issuance of residential mortgage revenue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$76,000,000 for 171 Loehr Street and 1250 Sunnydale Avenue; authorizing and directing the Director to direct the Controller's Office to hold in trust an amount not to exceed \$100,000 in accordance with CDLAC procedures; authorizing the Director to certify to CDLAC that the City has on deposit the required amount; authorizing the Director to pay an amount equal to such deposit to the State of California if the City fails to issue the residential mortgage revenue bonds; authorizing and directing the execution of any documents necessary to implement this Resolution, as defined herein; and ratifying and approving any action heretofore taken in connection with the Project, as defined herein, and the Application, as defined herein.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco (the "Board of Supervisors"), after careful study and consideration, has determined that there is a shortage of safe and sanitary housing within the City and County of San Francisco (the "City"), particularly for low and moderate income persons, and that it is in the best interest of the residents of the City and in furtherance of the health, safety, and welfare of the public for the City to assist in the financing of multi-family rental housing units; and

WHEREAS, Acting under and pursuant to the powers reserved to the City under Sections 3, 5, and 7 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California and Sections 1.101 and 9.107 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, the City has enacted the City and County of San Francisco Residential Mortgage Revenue Bond Law (the "City Law"), constituting Article I of Chapter 43 of the San Francisco Administrative Code, in order to establish a procedure for the authorization, issuance and sale of residential mortgage revenue bonds by the City for the purpose of providing funds to encourage the availability of adequate housing and home finance for persons and families of low or moderate income, and to develop viable communities by providing decent housing, enhanced living environments, and increased economic opportunities for persons and families of low or moderate income; and

WHEREAS, In addition, pursuant to Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California, and particularly Chapter 7 of Part 5 thereof (the "State Law"), the City is empowered to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of making mortgage loans or otherwise providing funds to finance the development of multi-family rental housing including units for lower income households and very low income households; and

WHEREAS, Mercy Housing California 74, L.P., a California limited partnership (or any successor thereto including any successor owner of the Project, the "Developer"), desires to acquire and rehabilitate a 92-unit affordable residential rental housing development located at 171 Loehr Street and 1250 Sunnydale Avenue, San Francisco, California 94134 (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, The Developer has requested that the City assist in the financing of the Project through the issuance of one or more series of tax-exempt mortgage revenue bonds (the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, The City expects that proceeds of the Bonds will be used to pay certain costs incurred in connection with the Project prior to the date of issuance of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, The City intends to issue the Bonds in an amount not to exceed \$76,000,000 and to loan the proceeds of the Bonds to the Developer (the "Loan") to finance the costs of the Project; and

WHEREAS, The Bonds will be limited obligations, payable solely from pledged security, including Project revenues, and will not constitute a debt of the City; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors has determined that the moneys advanced and to be advanced to pay certain expenditures of the Project are or will be available only for a temporary period and it is necessary to reimburse such expenditures with respect to the Project from the proceeds of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, Section 1.150-2 of the United States Treasury Regulations requires that the Board of Supervisors declare its reasonable official intent to reimburse prior expenditures for the Project with proceeds of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, Section 146 of the Code limits the amount of tax-exempt private activity bonds, which include qualified mortgage bonds, that may be issued in any calendar year by entities within a state and authorizes the legislature of each state to provide the method of allocating authority to issue tax-exempt private activity bonds within the respective state; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 11.8 of Division 1 of Title 2 of the Government Code of the State of California governs the allocation in the State of California of the state ceiling established by Section 146 of the Code among governmental units in the State having the authority to issue tax-exempt private activity bonds; and

WHEREAS, Section 8869.85(b) of the Government Code requires that a local agency file an application for a portion of the state ceiling with or upon the direction of the California

Debt Allocation Committee ("CDLAC") prior to the issuance of tax-exempt private activity bonds, including qualified mortgage bonds; and

WHEREAS, CDLAC procedures require an applicant for a portion of the state ceiling to certify to CDLAC that applicant has on deposit an amount equal to one-half of one percent (1/2%) of the amount of allocation requested not to exceed \$100,000.00; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors finds and determines that the foregoing recitals are true and correct.

Section 2. The Board of Supervisors adopts this Resolution for purposes of establishing compliance with the requirements of Section 1.150-2 of the United States Treasury Regulations. This Resolution does not bind the Board of Supervisors to issue the Bonds, approve the Loan or to make any expenditure, incur any indebtedness or proceed with the Project.

Section 3. The Board of Supervisors hereby declares its official intent under United States Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2 to use proceeds of the Bonds to reimburse expenditures incurred in connection with the Project. The Board of Supervisors hereby further declares its intent to use such proceeds to reimburse the Developer for actual expenditures made by the Developer on the Project.

<u>Section 4</u>. On the date of the expenditure to be reimbursed, all reimbursable costs of the Project will be of a type properly chargeable to a capital account under general federal income tax principles.

<u>Section 5</u>. The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for the Project is \$76,000,000.

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Section 6. The Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director of the Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development, or his designee (the "Director"), on behalf of the City, to submit an application (the "Application"), and such other documents as may be required, to CDLAC pursuant to Government Code Section 8869.85 for an allocation for the Project of a portion of the state ceiling for private activity bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$76,000,000.

Section 7. An amount equal to one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the amount of the CDLAC allocation requested for the Project, not to exceed \$100,000 ("Deposit"), is hereby authorized to be held on deposit in connection with the Application and the applicable CDLAC procedures, and the Director is authorized to certify to CDLAC that such funds are available.

<u>Section 8</u>. If the City receives a CDLAC allocation for the Project and the Bonds are not issued, the Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development is hereby authorized to cause an amount equal to the Deposit to be paid to the State of California, if and to the extent required by CDLAC.

Section 9. The officers and employees of the City and the Director are hereby authorized and directed, jointly and severally, to do any and all things necessary or advisable to consummate the receipt of an allocation from CDLAC and otherwise effectuate the purposes of this Resolution, consistent with the documents cited herein and this Resolution, and all actions previously taken by such officers and employees with respect to the Project, consistent with the documents cited herein and this Resolution, including but not limited to the submission of the application to CDLAC, are hereby ratified and approved.

Section 10. This Resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption by the Board

and approval by the Mayor.

APPROVED AS TO FORM: DENNIS J. HERRERA City Attorney

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Deputy City Attorney n:\spec\as2016\010007\01101674.doc

City and County of San Francisco Multifamily Housing Revenue Bond Program Project Description

Britton Courts

Overview

The funds described in the "Financing Structure" section below will be used to finance the acquisition and rehabilitation of Britton Court, a 92-unit affordable multifamily housing project located at 171 Loehr Street and 1250 Sunnydale Avenue in the City and County of San Francisco (the "Project").

Following rehabilitation, the Project will include approximately 95,469 square feet of gross floor area, comprised of 91,233 square feet of residential area and 4,236 square feet of non-residential area. Non-residential spaces will include an administrative office, resident services office, community room with kitchen, and day care center. Additionally, there are 7 laundry rooms.

Total project costs, including the cost to acquire the land and rehabilitate the existing buildings, will be approximately \$76,000,000 or \$760,000 per dwelling unit.

The residential unit distribution, which will include a single two-bedroom manager unit is as follows:

Unit typeNumber of units2-Bedroom633-Bedroom214-Bedroom8

Forty-seven percent of the residential units will serve households earning less than 60 percent of the San Francisco County Area Median Income ("AMI"), while the balance of units will serve households earning less than 53 percent of AMI.

The buildings are occupied by Section 8 and low income tenants and are not age restricted. Of the total 92 apartment units, 46 are Section 8 and 46 are HOME-low income units; there are no market rate units at the Project.

No residents will be displaced, as all residents will have the right to return after any temporary relocation that might be required.

Site Description and Scope of Work

Address:171 Loehr Street/1250 Sunnydale Avenue, San Francisco, California 94134Block/Lot:6300/043

The scope of work for the rehabilitation is expected to include repair and/or replacement of:

- roof systems,
- exterior siding and trim,
- windows,
- domestic hot water,

- parking areas,
- stairs and landings,
- unit patios,
- unit interiors,
- common area interiors, and
- site improvements.

Development and Management Team

Project Sponsor: General Contractor: Architect of Record: Property Manager: Mercy Housing California TBD Mithun Solomon Jennifer Monsarrat

Project Ownership Structure

| Borrower Entity: | Mercy Housing California 74, L.P. |
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| Managing General Partner: | Mercy Housing Calwest |

An investor limited partner will own a 99.99% interest in the borrower entity.

Financing Structure

The following sources of capital financing are expected to be utilized:

- tax-exempt bonds issued by the City;
- 4% low income housing tax credits ("LIHTC");
- seller carryback financing from Britton Street Associates;
- a soft loan from the City;
- a conventional mortgage.

The sale of LIHTC will generate equity financing for the Project. The amount of private activity taxexempt bonds used during construction will be sized specifically to meet the 50% of aggregate basis test required for the LIHTC. The calculation of tax credits utilizes a 30% basis boost as the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has designated San Francisco County a "difficult development area."

<u>Schedule</u>

Financing is anticipated to close between August and December 2017, with construction commencing within days of closing. All construction is scheduled to be completed by the end of 2018.

Tenants are expected to be temporarily relocated for approximately 2 weeks to 1 month during each phase of the rehabilitation.

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Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

Time stamp or meeting date I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one): 1. For reference to Committee. An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment. \square 2. Request for next printed agenda without reference to Committee. 3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee. inquires" 4. Request for letter beginning "Supervisor 5. City Attorney request. from Committee. 6. Call File No. \square \square 7. Budget Analyst request (attach written motion). 8. Substitute Legislation File No. \square 9. Request for Closed Session (attach written motion). 10. Board to Sit as A Committee of the Whole. \Box 11. Question(s) submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following: **Small Business Commission** ☐ Youth Commission □ Ethics Commission □ Planning Commission Building Inspection Commission Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use a Imperative **Sponsor(s):** COHEN Subject: Multitamily Housing Revenue Bonds - 171 LOEHr st/1250 sunnydale Ave. The text is listed below or attached: Attacten Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor:

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