# OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE

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# OFFICIAL BID FORM

\$* CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS  (CLEAN AND SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS BONDS, 2012), SERIES 2018A  \$* CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS				
The City and County of San Francisco referenced bonds at the place and up to	will receive sealed bids and electronic bids for the above- the time specified below:			
SALE DATE:	January, 2018 (Subject to postponement, cancellation, modification or amendment in accordance with this Official Notice of Sale)			
TIME:	8:30 a.m., California time			
PLACE:	Controller's Office of Public Finance 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 336, San Francisco, California 94102			
DELIVERY DATE:	January _, 2018*			

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that electronic bids and sealed bids will be received in the manner described below, in the case of electronic bids through Ipreo at www.newissuehome.ideal.com and the Parity electronic bid submission system ("Parity"), and in the case of sealed bids, at the Controller's Office of Public Finance, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 336, San Francisco, California 94102, by the City and County of San Francisco (the "City") for the purchase of \$\_\_\_\_\_\* aggregate principal amount of City and County of San Francisco General Obligation Bonds (Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bonds, 2012), Series 2018A and \$\_\_\_\_\_\* aggregate principal amount of City and County of San Francisco General Obligation Bonds (Transportation and Road Improvement Bonds, 2014), Series 2018B (collectively, the "Bonds"). Bidding procedures and sale terms are as follows:

**Issue**: The Bonds are described in the City's Preliminary Official Statement for

the Bonds dated January \_\_\_\_, 2018 (the "Preliminary Official Statement").

**Time**: Bids for the Bonds must be received by the City by 8:30 a.m., California

time, on January \_\_\_, 2018.

**Place**: Sealed, hand-delivered bids for the Bonds must be delivered to Office of

Public Finance, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 336, San Francisco, California 94102. Instead of sealed, hand-delivered bids, bidders may submit electronic bids in the manner and subject to the terms and conditions described under "TERMS OF SALE—Form of Bids; Delivery of Bids" below, but no bid will be received after the time for receiving bids specified

above.

THE RECEIPT OF BIDS ON JANUARY \_\_, 2018 MAY BE POSTPONED OR CANCELLED AT OR PRIOR TO THE TIME BIDS ARE TO BE RECEIVED. NOTICE OF SUCH POSTPONEMENT OR CANCELLATION WILL BE COMMUNICATED BY THE CITY THROUGH THOMSON REUTERS AND BLOOMBERG BUSINESS NEWS (COLLECTIVELY, THE "NEWS SERVICES") AND PARITY (AS DESCRIBED IN "TERMS OF SALE—FORM OF BIDS; DELIVERY OF BIDS" BELOW) AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE FOLLOWING SUCH POSTPONEMENT OR CANCELLATION. Notice of the new date and time for receipt of bids shall be given through Parity and the News Services as soon as practicable following a postponement and no later than 1:00 p.m., California time, on the business day preceding the new date for receiving bids.

As an accommodation to bidders, notice of such postponement and of the new sale date and time will be given to any bidder requesting such notice from either of the City's Financial Advisors: (i) Acacia Financial Group, Inc.; 1441 Broadway, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10018, telephone: (212) 432-4020, Attention: Rich Lopatin, e-mail: rlopatin@acaciafin.com; and (ii) CSG Advisors Incorporated, One Post Street, Suite 575, San Francisco, California 94104; telephone (415) 830-8894 (office), Attention: Scott Smith (e-mail: ssmith@csgadvisors.com); (the "Co-Financial Advisors"), provided, however, that failure of any bidder to receive such supplemental notice shall not affect the sufficiency of any such notice or the legality of the sale. See "TERMS OF SALE—Postponement or Cancellation of Sale."

The City reserves the right to modify or amend this Official Notice of Sale in any respect, including, without limitation, increasing or decreasing the principal amount of any serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund payment for the Bonds and adding or deleting serial or term maturity and mandatory sinking fund payment dates, along with corresponding principal amounts with respect thereto; provided, that any such modification or amendment will be communicated to potential bidders through the News Services and Parity not later than 1:00 p.m., California time, on the business day preceding the date for receiving bids. Failure of any potential bidder to receive notice of any modification or amendment will not affect the sufficiency of any such notice or the legality of the sale. Bidders are required to bid upon the Bonds as so modified or amended. See "TERMS OF SALE—Right to Modify or Amend."

Bidders are referred to the Preliminary Official Statement, for additional information regarding the City, the Bonds, security for the Bonds and other matters. See "CLOSING PROCEDURES AND DOCUMENTS—Official Statement." Capitalized terms used and not defined in this Official Notice of Sale shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Preliminary Official Statement.

This Official Notice of Sale will be submitted for posting to Parity (as described in "TERMS OF SALE—Form of Bids; Delivery of Bids" below). If the summary of the terms of sale of the Bonds posted on Parity conflicts with this Official Notice of Sale in any respect, the terms of this Official Notice of Sale shall control, unless a notice of an amendment is given as described herein.

#### TERMS RELATING TO THE BONDS

THE AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE, PURPOSES, PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST, REDEMPTION, DEFEASANCE, SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS, SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT, FORM OF LEGAL OPINIONS OF COBOND COUNSEL AND OTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THE BONDS ARE PRESENTED IN THE PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT, WHICH EACH BIDDER IS DEEMED TO HAVE OBTAINED AND REVIEWED PRIOR TO BIDDING FOR THE BONDS. THIS OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE GOVERNS ONLY THE TERMS OF SALE, BIDDING, AWARD AND CLOSING PROCEDURES FOR THE BONDS. THE DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS CONTAINED IN THIS OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE IS QUALIFIED IN ALL RESPECTS BY THE DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS CONTAINED IN THE PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

<u>Issue</u>. The Bonds will be issued as fully registered bonds without coupons in book-entry form in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple of that amount, as designated by the successful bidder (the "**Purchaser**"), all dated the date of delivery, which is expected to be January \_\_\_\_, 2018\*. If the sale is postponed, notice of the new date of the sale will also set forth the new expected date of delivery of the Bonds.

<u>Book-Entry Only</u>. The Bonds will be registered in the name of a nominee of The Depository Trust Company ("**DTC**"), New York, New York. DTC will act as securities depository for the Bonds. Individual purchases will be made in book-entry form only, and the Purchaser will

<sup>\*</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

not receive certificates representing its interest in the Bonds purchased. As of the date of award of the Bonds, the Purchaser must either participate in DTC or must clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with an entity that participates in DTC.

<u>Interest Rates</u>. Interest on the Bonds will be payable on June 15, 20\_\_, and semiannually thereafter on June 15 and December 15 of each year (each an "**Interest Payment Date**"). Interest shall be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year comprised of twelve 30-day months from the dated date of the Bonds. Bidders may specify any number of separate rates, and the same rate or rates may be repeated as often as desired, provided:

- (i) each interest rate specified in any bid for the Bonds must be a multiple of one-eighth or one-twentieth of one percent (1/8 or 1/20 of 1%) per annum;
- (ii) the maximum interest rate bid for any maturity shall not exceed ten percent (10%) per annum;
- (iii) no Bond shall bear a zero rate of interest;
- (iv) each Bond shall bear interest from its dated date to its stated maturity date at the single rate of interest specified in the bid; and
- (v) all Bonds maturing at any one time shall bear the same rate of interest.

See the Preliminary Official Statement – "THE BONDS – Payment of Interest and Principal."

<u>Par and Premium Bids; No Net Discount Bids</u>. All bids for the Bonds shall be for par or more, but shall not exceed 110% of the par amount. No net discount bids for the Bonds will be accepted. Individual maturities of the Bonds may be reoffered at par, a premium or a discount.

Principal Payments. The Bonds shall be serial and/or term Bonds, as specified by each bidder, and principal shall be payable on June 15 of each year, commencing on June 15, 20\_\_ as shown below. Subject to the City's right to modify or amend this Notice of Sale (see "TERMS OF SALE—Right to Modify or Amend"), the final maturity of the Bonds shall be June 15, 20\_\_. The principal amount of the Bonds maturing or subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption in any year shall be in integral multiples of \$5,000. For any term Bonds specified, the principal amount for a given year may be allocated only to a single term Bond and must be part of an uninterrupted annual sequence from the first mandatory sinking fund payment to the term Bond maturity. The aggregate amount of the principal amount of the serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund payment for the Bonds is shown below for information purposes only. Bidders for the Bonds will provide bids for all of the Bonds Principal Amounts. Subject to the City's right to modify or amend this Notice of Sale (see "TERMS OF SALE—Right to Modify or Amend"), and to adjustment as provided in this Notice of Sale (see "—Adjustment of Principal Payments"), the aggregate principal amount of the serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund payment for each series of Bonds in each year is as follows:

Series 2018A Bonds Principal Amount\* Series 2018A Bonds Principal Amount\* Total <u>Principal Amount</u>\*

\$

### **TOTAL**

Adjustment of Principal Payments. The principal amounts set forth in this Official Notice of Sale reflect certain estimates of the City with respect to the likely interest rates of the winning bid and the premium contained in the winning bid. The City reserves the right to change the principal payment schedule set forth above after the determination of the successful bidder, by adjusting one or more of the principal payments of the Bonds, in increments of \$5,000, as determined in the sole discretion of the City. Any such adjustment will not change the average per Bond dollar amount of the underwriter's discount. In the event of any such adjustment, no rebidding or recalculation of the bids submitted will be required or permitted and no successful bid may be withdrawn.

See also "TERMS OF SALE—Right to Modify or Amend," regarding the City's right to modify or amend this Official Notice of Sale in any respect including, without limitation, increasing or decreasing the principal amount of any serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund payment for the Bonds and adding or deleting serial or term maturity and mandatory sinking fund payment dates, along with corresponding principal amounts with respect thereto.

A BIDDER AWARDED THE BONDS BY THE CITY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO WITHDRAW ITS BID, CHANGE THE INTEREST RATES IN ITS BID OR THE REOFFERING PRICES IN ITS REOFFERING PRICE CERTIFICATE AS A RESULT OF ANY CHANGES MADE TO THE PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS OF SUCH BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE.

## Redemption.

- (i) Optional Redemption of the Bonds. The Bonds maturing on or before June 15, 20\_\_ will not be subject to optional redemption prior to their respective stated maturity dates. The Bonds maturing on or after June 15, 20\_\_ will be subject to optional redemption prior to their respective stated maturity dates, at the option of the City, from any source of available funds, as a whole or in part on any date (with the maturities to be redeemed to be determined by the City and by lot within a maturity), on or after June 15, 20\_\_, at the redemption price equal to the principal amount of the Bonds redeemed, together with accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption, without premium. See the Preliminary Official Statement "THE BONDS—Redemption—Optional Redemption of the Bonds."
- (ii) <u>Mandatory Redemption</u>. The Bonds will not be subject to redemption prior to their respective stated maturity dates from mandatory sinking fund payments prior to June 15, 20\_\_. Term Bonds, if any, are subject to redemption prior to their respective stated maturity dates, in part, by lot from mandatory sinking fund payments, on each June 15 on or after June 15, 20\_\_, designated by the successful bidder as a date upon which a mandatory sinking fund payment is to be made, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption, without premium. No term Bonds may be redeemed from mandatory sinking fund payments until all term Bonds maturing on preceding term maturity dates, if any, have been retired. See the Preliminary Official Statement "THE BONDS—Redemption—Mandatory Redemption."

<u>Legal Opinions and Tax Matters</u>. Upon delivery of the Bonds, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Co-Bond Counsel to the City ("Co-Bond Counsel"), will deliver their legal opinions that, under existing law (i) assuming continuing compliance with certain covenants and the accuracy of certain representations, interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, subject to the matters described in "TAX MATTERS" in the Preliminary Official Statement including the alternative minimum tax consequences for corporations; and (ii) interest on the Bonds is exempt from present State of California personal income taxes.

A complete copy of the proposed form of opinion of Co-Bond Counsel is set forth in Appendix F to the Preliminary Official Statement. Copies of the opinions of Co-Bond Counsel will be furnished to the Purchaser upon delivery of the Bonds.

### **TERMS OF SALE**

Par and Premium Bids; No Net Discount Bids. All bids for the Bonds shall be for par or more, but shall not exceed 110% of the par amount. No net discount bids for the Bonds will be accepted. Individual maturities of the Bonds may be reoffered at par, a premium or a discount.

Form of Bids; Delivery of Bids. Each bid for the Bonds must be: (1) for not less than all of the Bonds offered for sale, (2) unconditional, and (3) either submitted (i) on the Official Bid Form attached hereto as Exhibit A and signed by the bidder, or (ii) via Parity, along with a facsimile transmission by the winning bidder after the verbal award, of the completed and signed applicable Official Bid Form conforming to the Parity bid, with any adjustments made by the City pursuant hereto, by not later than 11:00 a.m., California time, on the sale date. Electronic bids must conform to the procedures established by Parity. Sealed bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, delivered to the City at the address set forth on the cover and clearly marked "Bid for the City and County of San Francisco General Obligation Bonds (Clean and Safe Neighborhood Bonds) and City and County of San Francisco General Obligation Bonds (Transportation and Road Improvement Bonds)" or words of similar import, as hereinafter described and received by 8:30 a.m., California time, on January \_\_\_, 2018, at the offices of the Office of Public Finance, c/o Nadia Sesay, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 336, San Francisco, California 94102; telephone: (415) 554-5956. No bid submitted to the City shall be subject to withdrawal or modification by the bidder.

All bids will be deemed to incorporate all of the terms of this Official Notice of Sale. If the sale of the Bonds is canceled or postponed, all bids for the Bonds shall be rejected. No bid submitted to the City shall be subject to withdrawal or modification by the bidder. No bid will be accepted after the time for receiving bids. The City retains absolute discretion to determine whether any bidder is a responsible bidder and whether any bid is timely, legible and complete and conforms to this Official Notice of Sale. The City takes no responsibility for informing any bidder prior to the time for receiving bids that its bid is incomplete, illegible or nonconforming with this Official Notice of Sale or has not been received.

Solely as an accommodation to bidders, electronic bids will be received exclusively through Parity in accordance with this Official Notice of Sale. For further information about Parity, potential bidders may contact either of the Co-Financial Advisors at the numbers provided above or Parity at: (212) 404-8107.

Warnings Regarding Electronic Bids. Bids for the Bonds may be submitted electronically via Parity. The City will attempt to accommodate bids submitted electronically via Parity. However, the City does not endorse or encourage the use of such electronic bidding service. None of the City, the City Attorney, the Co-Financial Advisors or Co-Bond Counsel assumes any responsibility for any error contained in any bid submitted electronically or for failure of any bid to be transmitted, received or opened by the time for receiving bids, and each bidder expressly assumes the risk of any incomplete, illegible, untimely or nonconforming bid submitted by electronic transmission by such bidder, including, without limitation, by reason of garbled transmissions, mechanical failure, engaged telecommunications lines, or any other cause arising

from submission by electronic transmission. The time for receiving bids will be determined by the City at the place of bid opening, and the City will not be required to accept the time kept by Parity.

If a bidder submits an electronic bid for the Bonds through Parity, such bidder thereby agrees to the following terms and conditions: (1) if any provision in this Official Notice of Sale with respect to the Bonds conflicts with information or terms provided or required by Parity, this Official Notice of Sale, including any amendments or modifications issued through Parity and the News Services, will control; (2) each bidder will be solely responsible for making necessary arrangements to access Parity for purposes of submitting its bid in a timely manner and in compliance with the requirements of this Official Notice of Sale; (3) the City will not have any duty or obligation to provide or assure access to Parity to any bidder, and the City will not be responsible for proper operation of, or have any liability for, any delays, interruptions or damages caused by use of Parity or any incomplete, inaccurate or untimely bid submitted by any bidder through Parity; (4) the City is permitting use of Parity as a communication mechanism, and not as an agent of the City, to facilitate the submission of electronic bids for the Bonds; Parity is acting as an independent contractor, and is not acting for or on behalf of the City; (5) the City is not responsible for ensuring or verifying bidder compliance with any procedures established by Parity; (6) the City may regard the electronic transmission of a bid through Parity (including information regarding the purchase price for the Bonds or the interest rates for any maturity of the Bonds) as though the information were submitted on the Official Bid Form and executed on the bidder's behalf by a duly authorized signatory; (7) if the bidder's bid is accepted by the City, then the signed, completed and conforming Official Bid Form submitted by the bidder by facsimile transmission after the verbal award), along with this Official Notice of Sale and the information transmitted electronically through Parity, will form a contract. The bidder will be bound by the terms of such contract; and (8) information provided by Parity to bidders will form no part of any bid or of any contract between the Purchaser and the City unless that information is included in this Official Notice of Sale or the Official Bid Form.

Basis of Award. Unless all bids are rejected, the Bonds will be awarded to the responsible bidder who submits a conforming bid that represents the lowest true interest cost to the City. The true interest cost will be that nominal interest rate that, when compounded semiannually and applied to discount all payments of principal and interest payable on the Bonds to the dated date of the Bonds, results in an amount equal to the principal amount of the Bonds plus the amount of any net premium. For the purpose of calculating the true interest cost, mandatory sinking fund payments for any term Bonds specified by a bidder will be treated as Bonds maturing on the dates of such mandatory sinking fund payments. In the event that two or more bidders offer bids for the Bonds at the same true interest cost, the City will determine by lot which bidder will be awarded the Bonds. Bid evaluations or rankings made by Parity are not binding on the City.

<u>Estimate of True Interest Cost.</u> Each bidder is requested, but not required, to supply an estimate of the true interest cost based upon its bid, which will be considered as informative only and not binding on either the bidder or the City.

Multiple Bids. If multiple bids with respect to the Bonds are received from a single bidder by any means or combination thereof, the City shall be entitled to accept the bid representing the lowest true interest cost to the City, and each bidder agrees by submitting multiple bids to be bound by the bid representing the lowest true interest cost to the City.

Good Faith Deposit. To secure the City from any loss resulting from the failure of the apparent winning bidder to comply with the terms of its bid, a good faith deposit in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ (the "Good Faith Deposit") must be provided to the City by the apparent winning bidder.

Upon the determination by the City of the apparent winning bidder of the Bonds, the Co-Financial Advisors will (i) provide to the apparent winning bidder of the Bonds the wire transfer information and (ii) request the apparent winning bidder to immediately wire the Good Faith Deposit to the City. No later than ninety (90) minutes from the time the Co-Financial Advisors request the apparent winning bidder to wire the Good Faith Deposit to the City, the apparent winning bidder of the Bonds must wire the Good Faith Deposit to the City and provide the Federal wire reference number of such Good Faith Deposit to the Co-Financial Advisors. In the event that the apparent winning bidder does not wire the Good Faith Deposit to the City or does not provide the Federal wire reference number of such Good Faith Deposit to the Co-Financial Advisors within the time specified above, the City may reject the bid of the apparent winning bidder and award Bonds to a responsible bidder that submitted a conforming bid that represents the next lowest true interest cost to the City.

No interest will be paid upon the Good Faith Deposit made by any bidder. The Good Faith Deposit of the Purchaser will immediately become the property of the City. The Good Faith Deposit will be held and invested for the exclusive benefit of the City. The Good Faith Deposit, without interest thereon, will be credited against the purchase price of the Bonds purchased by the Purchaser at the time of delivery thereof.

If the purchase price is not paid in full upon tender of the Bonds, the City shall retain the Good Faith Deposit and the Purchaser will have no right in or to the Bonds or to the recovery of its Good Faith Deposit, or to any allowance or credit by reason of such deposit, unless it shall appear that the Bonds would not be validly delivered to the Purchaser in the form and manner proposed, except pursuant to a right of cancellation. See "CLOSING PROCEDURES AND DOCUMENTS—Right of Cancellation." In the event of nonpayment for the Bonds by a successful bidder, the City reserves any and all rights granted by law to recover the full purchase price of the Bonds and, in addition, any damages suffered by the City.

 including information necessary to complete IRS Form 8038-G and information regarding its sales of the Bonds. For the purposes of this paragraph, sales of the Bonds to the other securities brokers or dealers will not be considered sales to the general public.

<u>Electronic Bids</u>; <u>Delivery of Form of Bids</u>. If the City accepts a bidder's bid that was submitted through Parity, the successful bidder shall submit a signed, completed and conforming Official Bid Form by facsimile transmission to Director of Public Finance, fax: (415) 554-4864, as soon as practicable, but not later than one hour after the verbal award of the Bonds.

<u>Right of Rejection and Waiver of Irregularity</u>. The City reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularity or informality in any bid which does not materially affect such bid or change the ranking of the bids.

Right to Modify or Amend. Other than with respect to postponement or cancellation as described in this Official Notice of Sale, and in addition to the City's right to adjust the payment amounts of the Bonds as provided in "TERMS RELATING TO THE BONDS—Adjustment of Principal Payments" the City reserves the right to modify or amend this Official Notice of Sale in any respect including, without limitation, increasing or decreasing the principal amount of any serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund payment for the Bonds and adding or deleting serial or term maturity and mandatory sinking fund payment dates, along with corresponding principal amounts with respect thereto; provided, that, subject to the terms of this Notice of Sale (see "TERMS RELATING TO THE BONDS—Adjustment of Principal Payments") any such modification or amendment will be communicated to potential bidders through Parity and the News Services not later than 1:00 p.m., California time, on the business day preceding the date for receiving bids. Failure of any potential bidder to receive notice of any modification or amendment will not affect the sufficiency of any such notice or the legality of the sale.

Postponement or Cancellation of Sale. The City may postpone or cancel the sale of the Bonds at or prior to the time for receiving bids. Notice of such postponement or cancellation shall be given through Parity and the News Services as soon as practicable following such postponement or cancellation. If a sale is postponed, notice of a new sale date will be given through Parity and the News Services as soon as practicable following a postponement and no later than 1:00 p.m., California time, on the business day preceding the new date for receiving bids. Failure of any potential bidder to receive notice of postponement or cancellation will not affect the sufficiency of any such notice.

<u>Prompt Award</u>. The Controller of the City will take official action awarding the Bonds or rejecting all bids with respect to the Bonds not later than thirty (30) hours after the time for receipt of bids for the Bonds, unless such time period is waived by the Purchaser.

<u>Equal Opportunity</u>. Pursuant to the spirit and intent of the City's Local Business Enterprise ("**LBE**") Ordinance, Chapter 14B of the Administrative Code of the City, the City strongly encourages the inclusion of Local Business Enterprises certified by the San Francisco Human Rights Commission in prospective bidding syndicates. A list of certified LBEs may be obtained from the San Francisco Human Rights Commission, 25 Van Ness Avenue, Room 800, San Francisco, California 94102; telephone: (415) 252-2500.

### CLOSING PROCEDURES AND DOCUMENTS

Delivery and Payment. Delivery of the Bonds will be made through the book-entry facilities of DTC in New York, New York, and is presently expected to take place on or about January \_\_\_, 2018\*. Payment for the Bonds (including any premium) must be made at the time of delivery in immediately available funds to the City Treasurer. Any expense for making payment in immediately available funds shall be borne by the Purchaser. The City will deliver to the Purchaser, dated as of the delivery date, the legal opinions with respect to the Bonds described in APPENDIX F – "PROPOSED FORM OF OPINION OF CO-BOND COUNSEL" to the Preliminary Official Statement.

Qualification for Sale. The City will furnish such information and take such action not inconsistent with law as the Purchaser may request and the City may deem necessary or appropriate to qualify the Bonds for offer and sale under the Blue Sky or other securities laws and regulations of such states and other jurisdictions of the United States of America as may be designated by the Purchaser; provided, that the City will not execute a general or special consent to service of process or qualify to do business in connection with such qualification or determination in any jurisdiction. By submitting its bid for the Bonds, the Purchaser assumes all responsibility for qualifying the Bonds for offer and sale under the Blue Sky or other securities laws and regulations of the states and jurisdictions in which the Purchaser offers or sells the Bonds, including the payment of fees for such qualification. Under no circumstances may the Bonds be sold or offered for sale or any solicitation of an offer to buy the Bonds be made in any jurisdiction in which such sale, offer or solicitation would be unlawful under the securities laws of the jurisdiction.

<u>No Litigation</u>. The City will deliver a certificate stating that no litigation of any nature is pending, or to the knowledge of the officer of the City executing such certificate, threatened, restraining or enjoining the sale, issuance or delivery of the Bonds or any part thereof, or the entering into or performance of any obligation of the City, or concerning the validity of the Bonds, the ability of the City to levy and collect the *ad valorem* tax required to pay debt service on the Bonds, the corporate existence or the boundaries of the City, or the entitlement of any officers of the City who will execute the Bonds to their respective offices.

<u>Right of Cancellation</u>. The Purchaser will have the right, at its option, to cancel this contract if the City fails to execute the Bonds and tender the same for delivery within thirty (30) days from the sale date, and in such event the Purchaser will be entitled only to the return of the Good Faith Deposit, without interest thereon.

<u>CUSIP Numbers</u>. It is anticipated that CUSIP numbers will be printed on the Bonds, but neither the failure to print such numbers on any Bond nor any error with respect thereto will

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constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the Purchaser of the Bonds to accept delivery of and pay for such Bonds in accordance with the terms of this contract. The Purchaser, at its sole cost, will obtain separate CUSIP numbers for each maturity of the Bonds. CUSIP is a registered trademark of American Bankers Association. CUSIP data is provided by Standard and Poor's CUSIP Service Bureau. CUSIP data is not intended to create a database and does not serve in any way as a substitute for the CUSIP Service. CUSIP numbers are provided for convenience of reference only. The City takes no responsibility for the accuracy of such CUSIP numbers. CUSIP numbers are provided only for the convenience of the Purchaser of the Bonds.

Expenses of the Successful Bidder. CUSIP Service Bureau charges, California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission fees (under California Government Code Section 8856), Depository Trust Company charges and all other expenses of the successful bidder will be the responsibility of the successful bidder. Pursuant to Section 8856 of the California Government Code, the Purchaser must pay to the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission, within sixty (60) days from the sale date, the statutory fee for the Bonds purchased.

Official Statement. Copies of the Preliminary Official Statement with respect to the Bonds will be furnished or electronically transmitted to any potential bidder upon request to the Office of Public Finance or to either of the Co-Financial Advisors. (The contact information for the Co-Financial Advisors is set forth above in this Official Notice of Sale.) In accordance with Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission, as amended ("Rule 15c2-12"), the City deems the Preliminary Official Statement final as of its date, except for the omission of certain information permitted by Rule 15c2-12. Within seven business days after the date of award of the Bonds, the Purchaser of the Bonds will be furnished with a reasonable number of copies (not to exceed 50) of the final Official Statement, without charge, for distribution in connection with the resale of the Bonds. The Purchaser of the Bonds must notify the City in writing within two days of the sale of the Bonds if the Purchaser requires additional copies of the final Official Statement to comply with applicable regulations. The cost for such additional copies will be paid by the Purchaser requesting such copies.

By submitting a bid for the Bonds, the Purchaser of the Bonds agrees: (1) to disseminate to all members of the underwriting syndicate, if any, copies of the final Official Statement, including any supplements, (2) to promptly file a copy of the final Official Statement, including any supplements, with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, and (3) to take any and all other actions necessary to comply with applicable Securities and Exchange Commission and Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board rules governing the offering, sale and delivery of the Bonds to the Purchaser, including, without limitation, the delivery of a final Official Statement, including any supplements, to each investor who purchases Bonds.

The form and content of the final Official Statement is within the sole discretion of the City. The name of a Purchaser of the Bonds will not appear on the cover of the final Official Statement.

Certificate Regarding Official Statement. At the time of delivery of the Bonds, the Purchaser will receive a certificate, signed by an authorized representative of the City, confirming to the Purchaser that (i) such authorized representative has determined that, to the best of such authorized representative's knowledge and belief, the final Official Statement (excluding reoffering information, information relating to The Depository Trust Company and its book-entry system, as to which no view will be expressed) did not as of its date, and does not as of the date of closing, contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, (ii) such authorized representative knows of no material adverse change in the condition or affairs of the City that would make it unreasonable for such Purchaser of the Bonds to rely upon the final Official Statement in connection with the resale of the Bonds, and (iii) the City authorizes the Purchaser of the Bonds to distribute copies of the final Official Statement in connection with the resale of the Bonds.

<u>Purchaser Certificate Concerning Official Statement</u>. As a condition of delivery of the Bonds, the Purchaser of the Bonds will be required to execute and deliver to the City, prior to the date of closing, a certificate to the following effect:

- (i) The Purchaser has provided to the City the initial reoffering prices or yields on the Bonds as printed in the final Official Statement, and the Purchaser has made a bona fide offering of the Bonds to the public at the prices and yields so shown.
- (ii) The Purchaser has not undertaken any responsibility for the contents of the final Official Statement. The Purchaser, in accordance with and as part of its responsibilities under the federal securities laws, has reviewed the information in the final Official Statement and has not notified the City of the need to modify or supplement the final Official Statement.
- (iii) The foregoing statements will be true and correct as of the date of closing.

<u>Continuing Disclosure</u>. To assist bidders in complying with Rule 15c2-12, the City will undertake, pursuant to a Continuing Disclosure Certificate, to provide certain annual financial information, operating data and notices of the occurrence of certain events. A description of this undertaking is set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement and will also be set forth in the final Official Statement.

<u>Additional Information</u>. Prospective bidders should read the entire Preliminary Official Statement, copies of which may be obtained in electronic form from the City.

<u>Sales Outside of the United States</u>. The Purchaser must undertake responsibility for compliance with any laws or regulations of any foreign jurisdiction in connection with any sale of the Bonds to persons outside the United States.

<u>Insurance</u>. No bids with municipal bond insurance will be accepted.

Dated: January \_\_\_, 2018.

# **EXHIBIT A**

BID TIME: 8:30 a.m. (California time)

January \_\_\_\_, 2018

### OFFICIAL BID FORM FOR THE PURCHASE OF

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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS
(Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bonds, 2012),
Series 2018A

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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS
(Transportation and Road Improvement Bonds, 2014),
Series 2018B

BIDDING FIRM'S NAME:

Controller

City and County of San Francisco c/o Office of Public Finance

1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 336
San Francisco, California 94102
Confirm Number: (415) 554-6643
Subject to the provisions and in accordance with the terms of the Official Notice of Sale, dated January, 2018, which is
incorporated herein and made a part of this proposal, we have reviewed the Preliminary Official Statement relating to, among other
things, the above-referenced Bonds (the "Bonds") and hereby offer to purchase all of the Bonds dated the date of their delivery on the
following terms, including the submission of the required Good Faith Deposit in the amount of \$ by wire transfer; and to pay
therefor the price of \$ (such amount being the "Purchase Price"), which is equal to the aggregate principal amount of the
Bonds, plus a net original issue premium of \$ The Bonds shall mature and be subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption
(if term bonds are specified below) in the amounts and years and bear interest at the rates per annum (in multiples of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%).
as set forth in the schedules below. Mandatory sinking fund payments (if term bonds are specified below) may not commence earlier
than June 15, 20

# **Maturity Schedule**

	(Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bonds, 2012), Series 2018A				Transportation and Road Improvement Bonds, 2014), Series 2018B					
	(Check one) <sup>(1)</sup>					(Check one) <sup>1)</sup>				
Pr	ncipal	Annual	Serial	Mandatory	Interest	Principal	Annual	Serial	Mandatory	Interest
Pay	ment	Principal	<u>Maturity</u>	Sinking Fund	Rate	Payment	Principal	Maturity	Sinking Fund	Rate
Ι	Oate	Payment*		Redemption(2)		Date	Payment*		Redemption(2)	
(Ju	ne 15)					(June 15)			_	
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TOTAL			TOTAL		

Subject to adjustment in accordance with the Official Notice of Sale.

Authorized Signatory	_
Title:	_
Phone Number:	TIC (optional and not binding):
Fay Number:	

THE BIDDER EXPRESSLY ASSUMES THE RISK OF ANY INCOMPLETE, ILLEGIBLE, UNTIMELY OR OTHERWISE NONCONFORMING BID. THE CITY RETAINS ABSOLUTE DISCRETION TO DETERMINE WHETHER ANY BID IS TIMELY, LEGIBLE, COMPLETE AND CONFORMING. NO BID SUBMITTED WILL BE CONSIDERED TIMELY UNLESS, BY THE TIME FOR RECEIVING BIDS, THE ENTIRE BID FORM HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE DELIVERY METHOD PROVIDED IN THE NOTICE OF SALE.

The City reserves the right to modify or amend this Bid Form, in any respect, including, without limitation, increasing or decreasing the principal amount at any serial maturity or mandatory sinking fund by payment for the Bonds and adding or deleting serial or term maturity and mandatory sinking fund and payment dates, along with corresponding principal amounts with respect thereto as provided in "TERMS RELATING TO THE BONDS—Adjustment of Principal Payments" and "TERMS OF SALE—Right to Modify or Amend" in the Official Notice of Sale.

<sup>(1)</sup> Circle the final maturity of each term bond specified.

<sup>(2)</sup> There may not be serial maturities for dates after the first mandatory sinking fund redemption payment. Mandatory sinking fund payments may not commence earlier than June 15, 20...

#### **EXHIBIT B**

#### FORM OF REOFFERING PRICE CERTIFICATE

(TO BE DELIVERED AND COMPLETED BY THE PURCHASER OF THE BONDS, AS DESCRIBED UNDER "REOFFERING PRICES AND CERTIFICATE" IN THE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE)

\$\_\_\_\_\_ CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (CLEAN AND SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS BONDS, 2012), SERIES 2018A

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS
(TRANSPORTATION AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT BONDS, 2014),
SERIES 2018B

This Certificate is being delivered by [*insert name*], the purchaser (the "Purchaser"), in connection with its purchase of the above-captioned bonds (together, the "Bonds"). The Purchaser hereby certifies and represents the following:

#### A. Issue Price.

- 1. All the Bonds of all maturities were actually offered by the Purchaser to the public (excluding bond houses, brokers, or similar persons acting in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) in a bona fide offering at prices not higher than, or, in the case of obligations sold on a yield basis, at yields not lower than, those set forth in <u>Schedule I</u> attached hereto, which the Purchaser believes is not more than the fair market value of each maturity as of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2018, the date of sale of the Bonds.
- 2. On the date of the sale of the Bonds, the Purchaser sold to the public (excluding bond houses and brokers or similar persons or organizations acting in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) at least ten percent (10%) of each maturity of the Bonds at prices not higher than, or, in the case of obligations sold on a yield basis, at yields not lower than, those set forth in Schedule I attached hereto, except for the Bonds maturing in the years \_\_\_\_\_\_ (the "Unsold Maturities"). The Purchaser reasonably expected to sell at least ten percent (10%) of each of the Unsold Maturities to the public (excluding bond houses and brokers or similar persons or organizations active in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) at prices not higher than, or in the case of obligations sold on a yield basis, at yields not lower than, those set forth in Schedule I attached hereto.
- 3. As of the date hereof, neither the Purchaser nor any affiliate of the Purchaser has participated in offering any derivative product with respect to the Bonds.

# B. Compensation.

All compensation received by the Purchaser for underwriting services (which includes certain expenses) in connection with the sale and delivery of the Bonds will be paid in the form of a purchase discount in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and no part of such compensation includes

any payment for any property or services other than underwriting services relating to sale and delivery of the Bonds.

The signer is an authorized representative of Purchaser to execute and deliver this Certificate of understands that the representations contained in this County of San Francisco in making certain of its representation completing and filing the Information Returns Service, and by	on behalf of the Purchaser. The Purchaser s Certificate will be relied on by the City and esentations in its Tax Certificate for the Bonds on for the Bonds with the Internal Revenue
Dated:, 2018 By:	(Name of Purchaser)
Execution by:	
Type Name:	
Title:	

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# CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (CLEAN AND SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS BONDS, 2012), SERIES 2018A

Maturity Dates (June 15)*	Principal <u>Amount</u> *	Interest <u>Rate</u> †	Offering Price or Yield†	
	\$	%		

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to adjustment in accordance with the Official Notice of Sale.

<sup>†</sup> To be completed by Purchaser.

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# CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (TRANSPORTATION AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT BONDS, 2014), SERIES 2018B

Maturity Dates (June 15)*	Principal <u>Amount</u> *	Interest <u>Rate</u> †	Offering Price or Yield†
	\$	%	

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to adjustment in accordance with the Official Notice of Sale.

<sup>†</sup> To be completed by Purchaser.

#### **EXHIBIT C**

### FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF PURCHASER

\$\_\_\_\_\_ CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (CLEAN AND SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS BONDS, 2012), SERIES 2018A

\$\_\_\_\_\_ CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (TRANSPORTATION AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT BONDS, 2014), SERIES 2018B

#### CERTIFICATE OF THE PURCHASER

The undersigned, on behalf of [PURCHASER], as the initial purchaser (the "Purchaser") of the above-captioned bonds (together, the "Bonds") hereby represents that:

- (a) As of January \_\_\_, 2018 (the "Sale Date"), the Purchaser reasonably expected to offer and sell all of the Bonds to the general public (excluding bond houses, brokers, or similar persons or organizations acting in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) in a bona fide public offering at the yields set forth on the inside front cover of the final Official Statement, dated January \_\_\_, 2018, with respect to the Bonds (the "Official Statement").
- (b) Such offering yields represent a fair market value for each respective maturity of the Bonds as of the Sale Date.
- (c) As of the Sale Date, all of the Bonds were actually offered to the general public (excluding bond houses, brokers, or similar persons or organizations acting in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) at such yields in a bona fide public offering.
- (d) As of the Sale Date, at least 10% of each maturity of the Bonds was first sold, or was expected to be first sold, at such yields to the general public (excluding bond houses, brokers, or similar persons or organizations acting in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) prior to the sale, allocation or allotment of any of the Bonds to any purchasers at yields other than those set forth on the inside front cover of the Official Statement, except for the Bonds maturing in the years \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Unsold Maturities"). The Purchaser reasonably expected, as of the Sale Date, to sell at least ten percent (10%) of each of the Unsold Maturities to the general public (excluding bond

opinions, dated the date hereof, of the effect that interest on the Bonds is for purposes of federal income taxa judicial decisions; provided however, sufficiency or the correctness of an nothing herein represents the Purcha	Certificate shall form a part of the basis for the, Co-Bond Counsel, to excluded from gross income of the recipients thereof ation under existing laws, regulations, rulings and the Purchaser expresses no view regarding the legal by legal interpretation made by Co-Bond Counsel, aser's interpretation of any laws, and in particular, the Purchaser expresses no view regarding the legal de herein.
	shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Tax, 2018, executed by the City and County of San the Bonds.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the unders	signed has set their hand as of the date set forth below.
Dated:, 2018	
	[PURCHASER], as Purchaser
	By:
	Name:
	Title:

houses, brokers or similar persons or organizations active in the capacity of underwriters or wholesalers) at the yields set forth on the inside front cover of the Official Statement.