MINUTES OF THE JUNE 26, 2024 MEETING OF THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

The Board of Directors (the "Board of Directors") of The Health and Educational Facilities Board of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee (the "Corporation"), a public corporation, met in public, special session in Metropolitan County Council Committee Room No. 2, 2nd Floor, Metropolitan Courthouse, Nashville, Tennessee, on the 26th day of June, 2024, at 3:30 p.m., local time, pursuant to call and waiver of same, with the following members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation being present:

> Becky Sharpe, Chair Malika Clinkscales, Vice Chair Kenetha Carr, Member Tyler Brasher, Member

Absent: Chelle Baldwin, Secretary Matt Pulle, Member Lisa Hammonds, Member

Also present were Cindy Barnett and Taylor Brooks of Adams and Reese LLP, Legal Counsel for the Corporation, and the following additional persons:

Charlie Schuster, Lincoln Avenue Communities Eric Bymaster, Vanderbilt University Kirk Stonecipher, Vanderbilt University Kurt Shepherd, Vanderbilt University Erica White, Vanderbilt University Bradley Dills, Vanderbilt University Emma Cooley, Vanderbilt University Dana Machles, Vanderbilt University Russ Miller, Bass Berry & Sims PLC

The meeting was called to order by the Chair who then duly noted the presence of a quorum of the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

At the request of the Chair, Ms. Barnett then presented the following documents: (1) Waiver of Notice and Call of Special Meeting; and, (2) the Public Notice stating the time, place, and purpose of the Special Meeting of the Board of Directors, said Notice having been published once on or about Tuesday, June 18 2024, in *The Tennessean*, a newspaper of general circulation in Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee.

The minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors held on February 27, 2024 were then presented. Upon motion by Ms. Carr and seconded by Ms. Clinkscales, such minutes were

approved, all members present voting affirmatively thereon, subject to any correction at any future meeting(s) of the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

The Chair then stated that it was necessary to hold a public comment period required by Section 8-44-112 of the Tennessee Code Annotated. The Chair asked if there was anyone present from the public who wished to provide comments to the Board of Directors. The Chair then noted that there was no one from the public present who wished to provide comments to the Board of Directors and then declared the public comment period closed.

The Chair then recognized Mr. Charlie Schuster of Lincoln Avenue Communities, who requested on behalf of West Trinity Apartments Limited Partnership, a Tennessee limited partnership, that the Board of Directors of the Corporation consider preliminary approval of those certain not to exceed \$42,000,000 multifamily housing revenue bonds, in one or more series (the "West Trinity Bonds"), to finance the acquisition, construction and equipping of an approximately 190-unit multifamily housing facility to be located at or near 869 West Trinity Lane, Nashville, Tennessee. Mr. Schuster described the proposed project and gave an overview of its anticipated unit mix and amenities. Mr. Schuster further described the location of the proposed project and its proximity to public transit.

After questions and discussion by members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, The Chair then stated that it was necessary to hold a public hearing required by Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, in connection with the consideration of the issuance of the West Trinity Bonds and the nature and location of the facilities to be financed with the West Trinity Bonds. The Chair then asked if there was anyone present from the public who wished to speak on behalf of or oppose the issuance of the West Trinity Bonds or the nature and location of the facilities to be financed with the West Trinity Bonds. The Chair then noted that there was no one from the public present who wished to speak on behalf of or oppose such approval and then declared the public hearing closed.

After further questions and discussion by the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, the following Resolution was presented:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING, SUBJECT TO CERTAIN CONDITIONS, THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$42,000,000 MULTIFAMILY HOUSING REVENUE BONDS, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF CERTAIN MULTIFAMILY HOUSING FACILITIES, AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AN AGREEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS

<u>WHEREAS</u>, THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE (the "Issuer"), is authorized by the provisions of Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 3, <u>Tennessee Code Annotated</u>, as amended (the "Act"), to issue, sell, and deliver revenue bonds, and to use the proceeds therefrom for, among other things, financing, acquiring, improving, constructing, equipping, owning, leasing, and disposing of properties for the purpose of enabling certain types of entities to provide facilities, including multifamily housing facilities, in order to promote the welfare, prosperity, health, and living conditions of the people of the State of Tennessee;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, West Trinity Apartments Limited Partnership (the "Applicant"), a Tennessee limited partnership, has informed the Issuer that the Applicant desires to finance the acquisition, construction and equipping of an approximately 190 unit multifamily housing facility to be located at or near 869 West Trinity Lane in Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee (collectively, the "Project");

<u>WHEREAS</u>, in connection with the above, the Applicant has requested that the Issuer authorize the issuance, sale, and delivery of not to exceed Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) in revenue bonds (the "Bonds"), in one or more series, for the purpose of providing financing for the Project, the proceeds of the Bonds to be loaned to the Applicant for the purpose of paying the costs of the Project and other costs related thereto, the Applicant to make aggregate loan payments equivalent to the debt service on the then outstanding Bonds;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, there has been prepared and submitted to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer a proposed agreement (the "Agreement") to be executed by the Issuer and the Applicant in connection with the financing of the Project, a copy of such Agreement being attached hereto and incorporated herein as fully as though copied; and,

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the Issuer is of the opinion that the issuance of the Bonds and the financing of the Project will effectuate the public purposes of the Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

(1) The Issuer hereby approves the issuance of the Bonds for the purposes specified in the preamble hereto and the Agreement, subject only to the submission of implementing documents (including, but not limited to, an opinion of Counsel for the Issuer that the Project constitutes a "project", as such term is defined in the Act) satisfactory to the Issuer and its Legal Counsel.

(2) The action taken by the Issuer, as evidenced by the execution of the Agreement, does not hereby express an endorsement or preference of the Issuer for the project herein proposed relative to any other project with respect to any restrictions, reviews, requirements, or approvals applicable to such projects by any law either existing or subsequently enacted.

(3) The form, content, and provisions of the Agreement are hereby approved and the Chair and the Vice Chair, or either of them, of the Issuer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver such Agreement on behalf of the Issuer, with such changes therein as they, or either of them, may approve, the signature affixed thereof of such Chair or Vice Chair to be conclusive evidence of such approval.

(4) The officers and employees of the Issuer are hereby authorized and directed to take such further actions as are necessary or desirable to carry out the intent and purposes of the Agreement and to issue the Bonds upon the terms and conditions stated in such Agreement.

(5) The Issuer makes the following declarations for the purpose of complying with the reimbursement rules of Treas. Reg. § 1.150-2 pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and based upon the representations of the Applicant:

- (a) The Applicant reasonably expects to reimburse itself for the Project expenditures with proceeds of the Bonds.
- (b) The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for the reimbursement purposes described herein is \$42,000,000.
- (c) Reimbursement of the expenditures described in (a) above with the proceeds of the borrowing described herein will occur not earlier than the date on which the expenditure is paid and not later than the later of (1) the date that is 18 months after the date on which the expenditure is paid, or (2) the date on which the Project is placed in service or abandoned (but in no case more than 3 years after the day on which the expenditure is paid).
- (d) The expenditures described in (a) above are "capital expenditures" as defined in Treas. Reg. § 1.150-1, which are any costs of a type which are properly chargeable to a capital account (or would be so chargeable with a proper election) under general Federal income tax principles (as determined at the time the expenditure is paid).

Adopted and approved this 26th day of June, 2024.

Chair

Secretary

AGREEMENT TO ISSUE BONDS

This AGREEMENT TO ISSUE BONDS (this "Agreement"), dated as of June 26, 2024, made and executed by and between THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE (the "Issuer"), a public, nonprofit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Tennessee, and WEST TRINITY APARTMENTS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (the "Applicant"), a Tennessee limited partnership:

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For and in consideration of the mutual covenants and undertakings set forth herein, and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. <u>Recitation of Facts</u>. As a means of setting forth the matters of mutual inducement which have resulted in the making and execution of this Agreement, the following statements of fact are hereby recited:

(a) The Issuer is authorized by the provisions of Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 3, <u>Tennessee Code Annotated</u>, as amended (the "Act"), to issue, sell, and deliver revenue bonds and to use the proceeds therefrom for, among other things, financing, acquiring, improving, constructing, equipping, owning, leasing, and disposing of properties for the purpose of enabling certain types of entities to provide facilities, including multifamily housing facilities, in order to promote the welfare, prosperity, health, and living conditions of the people of the State of Tennessee;

(b) The Applicant desires to finance the acquisition, construction and equipping of an approximately 190 unit multifamily housing facility to be located at or near 869 West Trinity Lane, Nashville, Davidson County, Tennessee (collectively, the "Project");

(c) It is estimated by the Applicant that the financing of the Project, together with related financing, architectural, engineering, legal, accounting, consulting, and other professional charges, fees, and expenses, will require an expenditure of not to exceed Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) in revenue bonds;

(d) The Applicant has advised the Issuer that the plans of the Applicant to acquire and construct the Project are dependent upon certain assistance which the Issuer can provide, such assistance being more fully specified in paragraph (a) of Section 2 hereof;

(e) The Issuer has duly considered the nature of the Project, and has found and determined that the assistance specified in paragraph (a) of Section 2 hereof will be in furtherance of the public purposes for which the Issuer was created; and,

(f) The Issuer has, therefore, determined that the issuance, sale, and delivery of the Bonds, as such term is hereinafter defined, for the purposes, described in paragraph (a) of Section 2 hereof, are necessary to implement the public purposes enumerated in the Act.

<u>Section 2</u>. <u>Undertakings on the Part of the Issuer</u>. Subject to the provisions and limitations contained in the Act and in any and all other applicable statutes, laws, ordinances, and regulations, whether federal, state, local, or otherwise, the Issuer hereby agrees as follows:

(a) That it will authorize the issuance, sale, and delivery of the revenue bonds, in one or more series, in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed Forty-Two Million Dollars (\$42,000,000) (the "Bonds"), the proceeds of the sale thereof to be loaned to the Applicant for the purpose of paying the costs of the Project and other costs related thereto, the Applicant to make aggregate loan payments sufficient to pay, when and as due, the debt service on the then outstanding Bonds, and in addition, such other payments as may be customary in such proceedings;

(b) That it will adopt, in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, such proceedings as may be necessary or desirable for the execution and delivery, on behalf of the Issuer, of one or more loan agreements, indentures, or other documents (such loan agreements, indentures, or other documents being herein called, the "Indentures"), from the Issuer to the purchaser or purchasers (individually, the "Purchaser"; collectively, the "Purchasers") of such Bonds, or to one or more trustees (individually, the "Trustee"; collectively, the "Trustees") to be nominated, subject to the approval of the Issuer, by the Applicant, each of such Indentures, or other documents in the State of Tennessee, and as are mutually agreeable to the Issuer, the applicable Purchaser or Purchasers, or the applicable Trustee or Trustees, and the Applicant;

(c) That it will adopt, in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, such proceedings as may be necessary or desirable for the execution and delivery, on behalf of the Issuer, of one or more loan agreements (the "Loan Agreements") providing for the loan of the proceeds of the Bonds, as provided in paragraph (a) of this Section, to the Applicant, each of such Loan Agreements to contain such terms and provisions as are customary for similar loan agreements in the State of Tennessee, and as are mutually agreeable to the Issuer and the Applicant;

(d) That it will adopt, in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, such proceedings as may be necessary or desirable for the execution and delivery, on behalf of the Issuer, of such other, further, or different documents as may be necessary or desirable to effectuate the assistance set forth in paragraph (a) of Section 2 hereof, such other or further documents to contain such terms and provisions as may be mutually satisfactory to the Issuer and the Applicant;

(e) That it will perform such other or further acts and adopt such other or further proceedings as may be necessary or desirable to faithfully implement its undertakings hereunder; and,

(f) That, based upon the representations of the Applicant that it is necessary to proceed immediately with the Project, the Issuer hereby agrees that the Applicant may proceed with such plans for the Project, enter into contracts for the Project, and take such

other steps as may be deemed appropriate by the Applicant in connection therewith, as soon as practicable, so that the inhabitants of the State of Tennessee may benefit from the Project without delay, the Applicant being hereby authorized to be reimbursed from the proceeds of the Bonds, if issued, for all costs so incurred by, or behalf of such Applicant; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the Applicant to obligate the Issuer in any manner for the payment of any monies except from the proceeds of the Bonds, or for the performance of any acts in connection with the Project, except as otherwise herein expressly provided.

Section 3. <u>Undertakings on the Part of the Applicant</u>. The Applicant hereby agrees as follows:

(a) That the Applicant will authorize such proceedings as may be necessary or desirable to execute and deliver the Loan Agreements on behalf of the Applicant;

(b) That the Applicant will authorize, execute, and deliver such other, further, or different documents as may be necessary or desirable to effectuate the assistance set forth in paragraph (a) of Section 2 hereof, such other or further documents to contain such terms and provisions as may be mutually satisfactory to the Issuer and the Applicant;

(c) That the Applicant will perform such other or further acts, and adopt such other or further proceedings as may be necessary or desirable to faithfully implement the undertakings hereunder of the Applicant; and,

(d) That the Applicant will hold the Issuer harmless from all pecuniary liability, and will reimburse the Issuer for all expenses which it or its legal counsel may incur in the fulfillment and implementation of its obligations hereunder, which covenant shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>No Liability of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson</u> <u>County, Tennessee</u>. Anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding, no commitment set forth herein of the Issuer shall result in The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee, being or becoming liable for the payment of the principal of, or the interest on, the Bonds, or for the performance of any pledge, mortgage, obligation, or agreement of any kind whatsoever of the Issuer, and none of the Bonds, nor any of the agreements or obligations of the Issuer shall be construed to constitute an indebtedness of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee, within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision whatsoever.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Mutual Agreements as to Terms of Documents</u>. All commitments herein contained of the Issuer and of the Applicant are subject to the express provision that the Issuer and the Applicant agree upon mutually acceptable terms and conditions of all documents, including, but not limited to, the Indentures and the Loan Agreements, whose execution and delivery are contemplated by the provisions hereof.

<u>Section 6</u>. <u>Other Conditions</u>. All commitments of the Issuer under Section 2 hereof, and of the Applicant under Section 3 hereof, are subject to, in addition to any and all other conditions contained herein, an opinion of Counsel for the Issuer that the project constitutes a "project," as such term is defined in the Act. The action taken by the Issuer, as evidenced by the execution of this Agreement, does not express an endorsement or preference of the Issuer for the project herein proposed relative to any other project with respect to any restrictions, reviews, requirements, or approvals applicable to such projects by any law either existing or subsequently enacted.

<u>Section 7</u>. <u>Termination of Agreement</u>. This Agreement, and all of the terms and provisions hereof, shall terminate and be of no further force and effect from and after the issuance, sale, and delivery of the Bonds. Furthermore, if such Bonds, for any reason whatsoever, have not been sold and delivered by December 31, 2025, this Agreement, and all of the terms and provisions hereof (except as herein specified), shall become void and of no further force and effect, unless extended by agreement of the parties hereto.

<u>Section 8</u>. <u>Payment of Fees</u>. The Applicant shall pay all fees, costs, and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, incurred by the Issuer or its Legal Counsel in connection with the financing herein contemplated, including proceedings preliminary thereto, as such fees, costs, and expenses accrue and such obligation to pay such fees, costs, and expenses shall survive any termination thereof.

<u>Section 9</u>. <u>Execution of Agreement</u>. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, each after due consideration and authorization, have executed this Agreement on the date first above written.

THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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After further discussion and questions by the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, upon motion by Mr. Brasher, seconded by Ms. Clinkscales, that the above Resolution be adopted, such Resolution was adopted, all members present voting affirmatively thereon.

The Chair then recognized Mr. Eric Bymaster of Vanderbilt University, who requested on behalf of The Vanderbilt University, a Tennessee nonprofit corporation (the "University"), that the Board of Directors of the Corporation approve all documents and matters necessary or desirable in connection with the final approval of those certain not to exceed \$375,000,000 Educational Facilities Revenue Refunding and Improvement Bonds (The Vanderbilt University), Series 2024, in one or more series (the "Vanderbilt Bonds"), constituting qualified 501(c)(3) bonds, as defined in Section 145 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, the proceeds of which will be loaned to the University for the purposes of (i) financing the costs of acquiring, constructing and installing improvements and additions to the University's educational and educational support facilities located on the University's campus in Nashville, Tennessee, (ii) retiring all or a portion of the Corporation's outstanding Tax-Exempt Commercial Paper Notes (The Vanderbilt University), the proceeds of which were loaned to the University to finance or refinance a variety of capital projects for the University and (iii) paying expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of the Vanderbilt Bonds. Mr. Bymaster discussed the proposed projects and the academic, research and student housing facilities that would benefit. Mr. Bymaster briefly described prior and ongoing University campus improvements and how the proposed projects fit into the University's long-term plans for its campus.

After further questions and discussion by the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, the following Resolution was presented:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING ALL DOCUMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, ACTIONS, AND MATTERS NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE FOR, OR PERTAINING TO, THE ISSUANCE, SALE, AND DELIVERY BY THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, OF ITS EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES REVENUE REFUNDING AND IMPROVEMENT BONDS (THE VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY) SERIES 2024, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$375,000,000

<u>WHEREAS</u>, The Health and Educational Facilities Board of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee (the "<u>Issuer</u>"), is a public, nonprofit corporation organized and existing under, and by virtue of, the provisions of Part 3, Chapter 101, Title 48, <u>Tennessee Code Annotated</u>, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>");

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the Issuer is authorized by the Act to, among other things, issue, sell, and deliver revenue notes and revenue bonds, and to use the proceeds therefrom for, among other things, financing, refinancing, acquiring, improving, constructing, equipping, owning, leasing, and disposing of properties for the purpose of enabling certain types of institutions, including "institutions for higher education," as such term is defined in the Act, to provide facilities, including educational facilities, in order to promote the commerce, welfare, prosperity, health, and living conditions of the people of the State of Tennessee;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, The Vanderbilt University (the "<u>University</u>") has requested, and the Issuer desires to authorize and approve the issuance, execution, sale, and delivery of interest-bearing Educational Facilities Revenue Refunding and Improvement Bonds (The Vanderbilt University)

Series 2024 (the "<u>Series 2024 Bonds</u>"), in one or more series, to be dated the date of issuance and delivery, or such other date and with such subseries designation as may be determined by the officers of the Issuer executing the Series 2024 Bonds, in the aggregate principal amount of \$375,000,000, or such lesser aggregate amount as may be determined by the officers of the Issuer executing the Series 2024 Bonds, the proceeds of the sale of the Series 2024 Bonds to be loaned by the Issuer to the University for the purposes of (i) financing the costs of acquiring, constructing and installing improvements and additions to the University's educational and educational support facilities located on the University's campus in Nashville, Tennessee, (ii) retiring all or a portion of the Issuer's outstanding Tax-Exempt Commercial Paper Notes (The Vanderbilt University) (the "<u>Refunded Obligations</u>"), the proceeds of which were loaned to the University to finance or refinance a variety of capital projects for the University and (iii) paying expenses incurred in connection with the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the Issuer hereby finds and determines that the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds, and the loan of the proceeds thereof to the University for the above purposes, will be in accordance with the provisions, and will further the purposes and the policies, of the Act;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the following documents were presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer relating to the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds:

(a) the proposed form of a Trust Indenture, to be dated as of July 1, 2024, or such other date as the officer or officers of the Issuer executing the same shall determine (the "<u>Trust Indenture</u>"), from the Issuer to U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>"); and

(b) the proposed form of a Loan Agreement, to be dated as of July 1, 2024, or such other date as the officer or officers of the Issuer executing the same shall determine (the "Loan Agreement"), by and between the Issuer and the University; and

(c) the proposed form of a Promissory Note by the University (the "<u>Series 2024</u> <u>Note</u>"); and

(d) the proposed form of a Preliminary Official Statement pertaining to the Series 2024 Bonds (the "<u>Preliminary Official Statement</u>"); and

(e) the proposed form of a Bond Purchase Agreement, to be dated such date as the officer or officers of the Issuer executing the same shall determine (the "<u>Bond Purchase</u> <u>Agreement</u>"), by and among RBC Capital Markets, LLC, on behalf of itself and as representative of the other underwriters named therein (collectively, the "<u>Underwriters</u>"), the University and the Issuer;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, the principal of, and the premium, if any, and interest on, the Series 2024 Bonds will be payable solely and exclusively from loan payments to be made by the University under the provisions of the Loan Agreement and the Series 2024 Note; and <u>WHEREAS</u>, it appears to the Issuer that such documents specified above are in due form and that the execution, delivery, and implementation thereof, and the execution, issuance, and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds, will facilitate and further the purposes of the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Authorization of the Issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds. Under and pursuant to the provisions of the Act, the Issuer hereby authorizes the execution, issuance, sale, and delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds to the Underwriters in consideration of payment therefor in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Purchase Agreement, and the proceeds of the sale of the Series 2024 Bonds shall be used for the purposes specified in the preamble hereto.

Section 2. Approval of the Loan Agreement. The form, content, and provisions of the Loan Agreement, as presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, are in all particulars approved, and the Chair and the Vice Chair, or either of them, are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and deliver, and, if requested, the Secretary and any Assistant Secretary, or any of them, of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to acknowledge, said Loan Agreement in the name, and on behalf, of the Issuer. The Loan Agreement is to be in substantially the form now before this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or with such changes therein as shall be approved by the officers of the Issuer executing the same, their execution thereof to constitute conclusive evidence of their approval of any and all such changes or revisions. The officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, from and after the execution and delivery of the Loan Agreement, to do all acts and things, and execute all documents, as may be necessary or convenient to carry out, and comply with, the provisions of said Loan Agreement, as executed and delivered.

Section 3. Approval of the Trust Indenture. The form, content, and provisions of the Trust Indenture, as presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, are in all particulars approved, and the Chair and the Vice Chair, or either of them, are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and deliver, and, if requested, the Secretary and any Assistant Secretary, or any of them, of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to acknowledge, said Trust Indenture in the name, and on behalf, of the Issuer. The Trust Indenture is to be in substantially the form now before this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or with such changes therein as shall be approved by the officers of the Issuer executing the same, their execution thereof to constitute conclusive evidence of their approval of any and all such changes or revisions. The officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, from and after the execution and delivery of the Trust Indenture, to do all acts and things, and execute all documents, as may be necessary or convenient to carry out, and comply with, the provisions of said Trust Indenture, as executed and delivered.

<u>Section 4. Approval of the Series 2024 Bonds</u>. The form, content, and provisions of the Series 2024 Bonds, as set forth in the Trust Indenture and as presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, subject to appropriate insertions and revisions, are in all particulars

hereby approved, and the appropriate officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute, attest, and deliver to the Trustee for authentication, and thereafter, to deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the Underwriters, the Series 2024 Bonds in consideration of payment therefor in the name and on behalf of the Issuer, such Series 2024 Bonds to be in substantially the form now before this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or with such changes therein as shall be approved by the officers of the Issuer executing the same, their execution thereof to constitute conclusive evidence of their approval of any and all such changes or revisions, and, when the Series 2024 Bonds shall be executed, attested, authenticated, and delivered in the manner contemplated herein, in the aggregate principal amount of \$375,000,000, or such lesser aggregate amount as may be determined by the officers of the Issuer executing the same, they shall conclusively be the approved form of the Series 2024 Bonds.

Section 5. Approval of the Series 2024 Note. The form, content, and provisions of the proposed Series 2024 Note, as presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, are in all particulars approved. Said Series 2024 Note is to be in substantially the form now before this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or with such changes therein as shall be approved by the officers of the Issuer executing the Trust Indenture, their execution of the Trust Indenture to constitute conclusive evidence of their approval of any and all such changes or revisions to such Series 2024 Note. The officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to assign and transfer the Series 2024 Note, in the name and on behalf of the Issuer, to the Trustee as security for the Series 2024 Bonds pursuant to the Trust Indenture.

Section 6. Approval of the Bond Purchase Agreement. The form, content, and provisions of the Bond Purchase Agreement, as presented to this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, are in all particulars approved, and the Chair and the Vice Chair, or either of them, are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and deliver, and, if requested, the Secretary and any Assistant Secretary, or any of them, of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to acknowledge, said Bond Purchase Agreement in the name, and on behalf, of the Issuer. The Bond Purchase Agreement is to be in substantially the form now before this meeting of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, or with such changes therein as shall be approved by the officers of the Issuer executing the same, their execution thereof to constitute conclusive evidence of their approval of any and all such changes or revisions. The officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, from and after the execution and delivery of the Bond Purchase Agreement to do all acts and things, and execute all documents, as may be necessary or convenient to carry out, and comply with, the provisions of said Bond Purchase Agreement as executed and delivered.

<u>Section 7. Approval of Official Statement</u>. The Issuer hereby approves the use and distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement in connection with the offering and sale of the Series 2024 Bonds. The Chair or the Vice Chair of the Issuer is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to deliver an official statement (the "<u>Official Statement</u>") pertaining to the Series 2024 Bonds in the name, and on behalf of the Issuer, such Official Statement to be in substantially the form of the Preliminary Official Statement presented to this meeting but with such changes therein as may be necessary to reflect the sale of the Series 2024 Bonds on the terms hereby authorized and with such further changes therein as the Chair or Vice-Chair shall deem necessary or desirable,

which may be conclusively evidenced by his or her execution of the Indenture, and the Issuer hereby consents to the lawful use and distribution of the Official Statement by the Underwriters.

Section 8. Miscellaneous Acts. The appropriate officers of the Issuer are hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to do any and all such acts and things, and to execute, acknowledge, deliver, and, if applicable, file or record, or cause to be filed or recorded, in any appropriate public offices, all such agreements, documents, instruments, undertakings, and certifications, in addition to those acts, things, agreements, documents, instruments, undertakings, and certifications hereinbefore authorized and approved, as may, in their discretion, be necessary or desirable to implement or comply with the intent of this Resolution, or any of the documents herein authorized and approved, for the authorization, issuance, and delivery by the Issuer of the Series 2024 Bonds and for the refunding of the Refunded Obligations.

<u>Section 9. Tax-Exempt Bonds</u>. To the extent the Series 2024 Bonds or any portion thereof are issued as tax-exempt bonds, any officer of the Issuer is hereby authorized to sign a federal tax compliance agreement and to file or cause to be filed with the Secretary of the Treasury the Statement (Form 8038) with respect to the Series 2024 Bonds to be issued thereunder, if and as required by Section 149(e)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

<u>Section 10. State Report on Debt Obligations</u>. The Chair or the Vice Chair of the Issuer, or either of them, be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed upon delivery of the Series 2024 Bonds to file with the State Director of Local Finance in the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury the information required by Section 9-21-151 of Tennessee Code Annotated.

Section 11. Limited Obligation and Liability. The Series 2024 Bonds, and the interest payable thereon, are limited obligations of the Issuer, and shall not be deemed to constitute a general debt or liability of the Issuer, but shall be payable solely from such special sources and funds provided therefor in accordance with the provisions thereof and the provisions of the Trust Indenture. Neither The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee nor the State of Tennessee, nor any other political subdivision thereof, shall be liable for the payment of the principal of, or the interest on, the Series 2024 Bonds, or for the performance of any pledge, mortgage, obligation, agreement, or certification, of any kind whatsoever of the Issuer, and neither the Series 2024 Bonds nor any of the pledges, mortgages, agreements, obligations, or certifications of the Issuer shall be construed to constitute an indebtedness of The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee, or the State of Tennessee, or any other political subdivision thereof, within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provisions whatsoever. No recourse under, or upon, any statement, obligation, covenant, agreement, or certification, contained in any of the foregoing documents, including, without limitation, the Series 2024 Bonds and the Trust Indenture, or in any other document or certification whatsoever, or under any judgment obtained against the Issuer or by the enforcement of any assessment or by any legal or equitable proceeding or by virtue or any constitution or statute or otherwise, or under any circumstances, under or independent of the foregoing documents, including, without limitation the Series 2024 Bonds and the Trust Indenture, or any other document or certification, whatsoever, shall be had against any incorporator, member, director, or officer, as such, past, present, or future, of the Issuer, either directly or through the Issuer, or otherwise, for the payment for, or to, the Issuer, or any receiver thereof, or from, or to, the owner of the Series 2024 Bonds, for any sum that may be due and unpaid by the Issuer upon the Series 2024 Bonds or the interest payable thereon. Any and all personal liability of every nature, whether at common law or in equity or by statute or by constitution or otherwise, of any such incorporator, member, director, or officer, as such, to respond by reason of any act or omission on his or her part or otherwise for, directly or indirectly, the payment for, or to, the Issuer or any receiver thereof, or for, or to, the owner of the Series 2024 Bonds, of the principal of, or the premium, if any, or interest on, the Series 2024 Bonds, shall be deemed to have been waived and released as a condition of, and consideration for, the execution of the aforesaid documents and the issuance of the Series 2024 Bonds.

<u>Section 12. Captions</u>. The captions or headings in this Resolution are for convenience only and shall in no way define, limit, or describe the scope or intent of any provision hereof.

Section 13. Partial Invalidity. If any one or more of the provisions of this Resolution, or of any exhibit or attachment hereto, shall be held invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, by final decree of any court of lawful jurisdiction, such invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision hereof, or of any exhibit or attachment hereto, but this Resolution, and the exhibits and attachments hereto, shall be construed the same as if such invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein, or therein, as the case may be.

<u>Section 14. Conflicting Resolutions Repealed</u>. All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith, are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed, and this Resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted and approved this 26th day of June, 2024.

Chair

ATTEST:

Secretary

After further discussion and questions by the members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation, upon motion by Ms. Clinkscales, seconded by Ms. Carr, that the above Resolution be adopted, such Resolution was adopted, all members present voting affirmatively thereon.

The Chair then deferred discussion of the Corporation's legal representation due to the absence of the member who had requested such discussion.

There being no further business, upon motion duly made, seconded, and unanimously adopted, the meeting of the Board of Directors was adjourned.

/s/ Becky Sharpe CHAIR

<u>/s/ Chelle Baldwin</u> SECRETARY