

CITY OF BELLEVUE

ORDER NO. 2018-02-04

AN ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, KENTUCKY (THE "CITY"), AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND, KENT LOFTS, LLC (THE "COMPANY") RELATING TO THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND INSTALLATION OF A MULTI-FAMILY RENTAL RESIDENTIAL PROJECT LOCATED IN A DOWNTOWN BUSINESS DISTRICT OF THE CITY (THE "PROJECT"); AGREEING TO UNDERTAKE THE ISSUANCE OF INDUSTRIAL BUILDING REVENUE BONDS AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME TO PAY THE COSTS OF ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND INSTALLING SAID PROJECT AND FACILITIES; AND TAKING OTHER PRELIMINARY ACTION.

WHEREAS, Kent Lofts, LLC, a Kentucky limited liability company (the "Company"), proposes the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of a multi-family residential project to be located within a designated downtown business district of the City, and Campbell County, Kentucky (the "Project"), as provided for in Section 103.200 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, and in this connection it has been determined that the City may assist the Company by causing the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project and by entering into at the appropriate time a lease agreement with reference thereto pursuant to authority of Sections 103.200 to 103.285, inclusive, of the Kentucky Revised Statutes (collectively, the "Act"), all in furtherance of the purposes of the Act and the public benefit of the residents and inhabitants of the City; such lease agreement to be upon such terms and conditions as the Act may require and the City may deem advisable; and

WHEREAS, the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project by the Company will encourage the expansion of commerce in accordance with the public policy of the Commonwealth of Kentucky by promoting the economic development of the Commonwealth of

Kentucky and the City, will relieve conditions of unemployment, will encourage the increase of commerce and will improve the economic welfare of the people of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City is further authorized by the Act to issue bonds, which term under the Act encompasses bonds, variable rate bonds, commercial paper bonds, bond anticipation notes or any other obligations for the payment of money issued by a city, county or other authority pursuant to the Act, for the purpose of defraying the cost of acquiring, constructing, equipping and installing an industrial building or buildings, as defined in the Act; discussions have occurred between representatives of the Company and the City incident to the issuance of industrial building revenue bonds by the City; the City has agreed with the Company to issue such bonds upon compliance by the Company with certain conditions, requirements and obligations, and subject to the approval of the City of the terms of all agreements, ordinances and other documents required incident to said bond issue; and the City has authorized the Company to proceed with the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project, subject to reimbursement of the costs of the Project from the proceeds of such bonds, when, as and if issued; and

WHEREAS, based upon an estimate of the costs of the Project, the City proposes to issue its industrial building revenue bonds in one or more series as determined by the Company and agreed to by the City in an amount not to exceed NINE MILLION DOLLARS (\$9,000,000) (the "Bonds"), such Bonds to be sold and delivered by the City to pay the costs of the Project, together with costs incident to the authorization, sale and issuance of such Bonds, but with such contributions from the Company as may be necessary; and

WHEREAS, the City proposes to enter into at the appropriate time a lease agreement with the Company with respect to the Project, whereby the Company will covenant and agree to

pay amounts sufficient to provide for the payment of principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, together with all trustee and paying agents' fees in connection with the Bonds as the same become due and payable; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary and advisable that a Memorandum of Agreement between the City and the Company be executed setting forth the preliminary agreements of the parties with respect to the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project, the issuance of the Bonds to defray the costs thereof and the payments to be made by the Company with respect to the Project; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It is hereby found, determined and declared that (i) the recitals set forth in the preamble to this Resolution, which are incorporated in this Section by reference, are true and correct; (ii) the total amount of money necessary to be provided by the City for the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project to be financed by the Bonds will not exceed NINE MILLION DOLLARS (\$9,000,000); (iii) the Company has represented that it will have sufficient financial resources to acquire, construct, equip and install the Project and to place it in operation and to continue to operate, maintain and insure the Project throughout the term of the Bond issue, meeting when due the obligations of the proposed lease agreement; and (iv) sufficient safeguards will be provided by the lease agreement to insure that all money provided by the City from the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds will be expended by way of direct expenditure or reimbursement, solely and only for the purposes of the Project.

Section 2. It is hereby found, determined and declared that the cost of acquiring, constructing, equipping and installing the Project will be paid out of the proceeds of the Bonds

and such contributions of the Company as may be necessary to complete the Project as defined in the lease agreement to be executed by and between the City and the Company at the appropriate time pursuant to the Act; **THAT NONE OF THE BONDS WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE CITY; THAT NEITHER THE BONDS NOR THE INTEREST THEREON SHALL CONSTITUTE OR GIVE RISE TO ANY INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY OR ANY CHARGE AGAINST ITS GENERAL CREDIT OR TAXING POWER, BUT THAT THE BONDS AND THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST THEREON SHALL BE SECURED AND PAYABLE SOLELY AND ONLY BY A PLEDGE OF AMOUNTS TO BE PAID BY THE COMPANY UNDER SUCH LEASE AGREEMENT; AND THAT NO PART OF SAID COSTS WILL BE PAYABLE OUT OF ANY GENERAL FUNDS, REVENUES, ASSETS, PROPERTIES OR OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE CITY.**

Section 3. In order to induce the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project in the City with the resultant public benefits which will flow therefrom, it is deemed necessary and advisable that the Memorandum of Agreement hereinafter referred to be approved and executed for and on behalf of the City. Accordingly, the Memorandum of Agreement by and between the Company and the City substantially in the form and with the contents set forth in EXHIBIT A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference is hereby approved and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver said Memorandum of Agreement.

Section 4. Inasmuch as the Project is to be acquired, constructed, equipped and installed in order to conform to the requirements of the Company, so that the Company may provide additional housing, economic development and employment to citizens and residents of the local community, and inasmuch as the Company is able to plan, acquire, construct, equip and install

the Project and possesses more expertise in such matters, it is hereby found, determined and declared that acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project should be undertaken or caused to be undertaken by the Company. Accordingly, the Company is hereby authorized to formulate and develop plans for the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project and to enter into such contracts and undertakings as may be required for the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of the Project. Reimbursements made to the Company after the receipt of the proceeds of the sale of the proposed Bond issue by the City shall be subject to the certifications by qualified persons to be designated by the Company as specified in the lease agreement to be entered into by the City and the Company at the appropriate time pursuant to the Act.

Section 5. This Resolution and the Memorandum of Agreement approved hereby constitute the present official intent of the City to issue the Bonds at a later date.

Section 6. Keating Muething & Klekamp PLL, Cincinnati, Ohio, is hereby approved as Bond Counsel for the Bonds. Bond Counsel is authorized and directed to take any legal action necessary or appropriate in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The City Attorney and any external counsel retained by the City to represent its interests in connection with the issuance of the Bonds are authorized and directed to assist Bond Counsel in any appropriate manner, the costs of such legal services to the City to constitute costs of issuance of the Bonds and to be paid from the proceeds of the Bonds, when, as and if issued.

Section 7. No City funds shall be expended on the Project, except such as are derived from Bond proceeds.

Section 8. To the extent any resolution, ordinance or part thereof is in conflict, the provisions of this Resolution shall prevail and be given effect.

Section 9. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption as provided by law.

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INTRODUCED, SECONDED, READ AND ADOPTED AT A DULY CONVENED MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, KENTUCKY, held on the ____ day of _____, 2018, on the same occasion signed in open session by the Mayor as evidence of his approval, ordered to be filed and recorded as required by law, and declared to be in full force and effect according to law.

Ed Riehl, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mary Scott, City Clerk / Treasurer

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting City Clerk of Bellevue, Kentucky, and as such City Clerk, I further certify that the foregoing is a true, correct and complete copy of a Resolution duly adopted by the City Council of said City at a duly convened meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2018, signed by the Mayor, duly filed and recorded in my office, all as appears from the official records of said City in my possession and under my control.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said City this _____ day of _____, 2018.

CITY CLERK

(SEAL)