CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI
AMENDED AND RESTATED  DIAN FOR AN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT
PLAN FOR AN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT AND
COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS
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FOR THE
TOWN CENTRE INDUSTRIAL PROJECT
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The sole purpose of this amended and restated plan is to increase the principal amount of the bonds and the project costs
described in the plan mailed to taxing jurisdictions on November 15, 2022. Since the basis for the assessed valuation
assumptions contained herein is completed value per square foot from analysis of comparable projects, the cost-benefit analysis is not affected and is unchanged from the prior version.
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#### I. PURPOSE OF THIS PLAN

The City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "City") will consider an ordinance approving this Plan (defined below) and authorizing the issuance by the City of its taxable industrial development revenue bonds in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$24,500,000 (the "Bonds"), to finance costs of an industrial development project (the "Project") for Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., or its assignee or designee (the "Company") as more fully described and defined herein. The Bonds will be issued pursuant to the provisions of Sections 100.010 to 100.200 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended, and Article VI, Section 27(b) of the Missouri Constitution, as amended (collectively, the "Act").

This Amended and Restated Plan for an Industrial Development Project and Cost-Benefit Analysis (the "Plan") has been prepared to satisfy requirements of the Act and to analyze the potential costs and benefits, including the related tax impact on all affected taxing jurisdictions, of using industrial development revenue bonds to finance the Project.

#### II. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CHAPTER 100 FINANCINGS

General. The Act authorizes cities, counties, towns and villages to issue industrial development revenue bonds to finance the purchase, construction, extension and improvement of warehouses, distribution facilities, research and development facilities, office industries, agricultural processing industries, service facilities that provide interstate commerce, industrial plants and other commercial facilities.

**Issuance and Sale of Bonds.** Revenue bonds issued pursuant to the Act do not require voter approval and are payable solely from revenues received from the project. The municipality issues its bonds and in exchange, the benefited company promises to make payments that are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due. Thus, the municipality merely acts as a conduit for the financing.

Concurrently with the closing of a series of the bonds, the landowner will convey to the municipality title to the property included in the project. At the same time, the municipality will lease the property, including the project, back to the benefited company pursuant to a lease agreement. The lease agreement will require the company, acting on behalf of the municipality, to use the bond proceeds to pay the costs or reimburse the costs of purchasing, constructing and installing the project, as applicable.

Under the lease agreement, the benefitted company typically: (1) will unconditionally agree to make payments sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due; (2) will agree, at its own expense, to maintain the project, to pay all taxes and assessments with respect to the project, and to maintain adequate insurance; (3) has the right, at its own expense, to make certain additions, modifications or improvements to the project; (4) may assign its interests under the lease agreement or sublease the project while remaining responsible for payments under the lease agreement; (5) will covenant to maintain its corporate existence during the term of the bond issue; and (6) will agree to indemnify the municipality for any liability the municipality might incur as a result of its participation in the transaction.

**Property Tax Abatement.** Under Article X, Section 6 of the Missouri Constitution and Section 137.100 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, all property of any political subdivision is exempt from taxation. In a typical transaction, the municipality holds fee title to the project and leases the project to the benefited company. Under this Plan, the Company will agree to make "payments in lieu of taxes" in an amount calculated to equal a portion of the taxes that would be due on the Project were it not for ownership by the City. The payments in lieu of taxes are payable in December of each year, and are distributed to the

municipality and to each political subdivision within the boundaries of the Project in the same manner and in the same proportion as property taxes would otherwise be distributed under Missouri law.

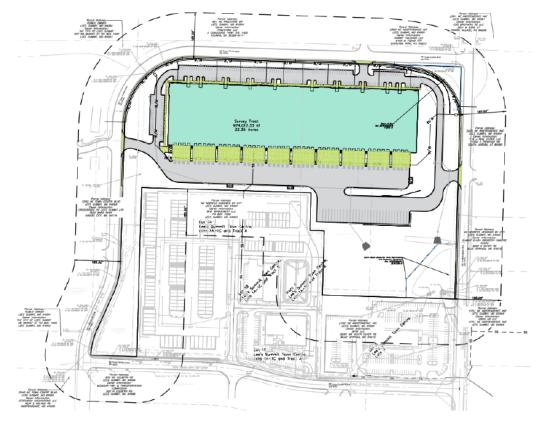
# III. DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTIES

**The Company.** Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C. (referred to, together with its affiliates, as "Ward Development" due to its association with Ward Property LLC and related companies) is a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri. Ward Development is a third-generation real estate development and holding company business based out of Grain Valley, Missouri that focusses on commercial, industrial and residential developments.

City of Lee's Summit, Missouri. The City is a constitutional home rule charter city and municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri. The City is authorized and empowered pursuant to the provisions of the Act to purchase, construct, extend and improve certain projects (as defined in the Act) and to issue industrial development revenue bonds for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of such projects and to lease or otherwise dispose of such projects to private persons or corporations for manufacturing, commercial, warehousing and industrial development purposes upon such terms and conditions as the City deems advisable.

#### IV. REQUIREMENTS OF THE ACT

**Description of the Project.** The Project to be financed by the Bonds consists of one industrial building and related public improvements, anticipated to be 250,000 square feet, which will be used for warehousing, distribution, and /or manufacturing purposes. The Project will include the installation of a water main following the road along the northern portion of the Project Site (the "Public Improvements"). The Project will be constructed on approximately 22 acres bounded generally by NE Town Centre Boulevard to the north and west, NE Independence Avenue to the east and NE Town Centre Drive to the south, in Lee's Summit, Missouri, which acreage is referred to as the "Project Site." The anticipated site plan is shown below:



*Estimate of the Costs of the Project.* The Project is expected to cost approximately \$24,500,000, consisting of investments made in 2023, although the actual years of investment may vary based on Project implementation.

**Source of Funds to be Expended for the Project.** The sources of funds to be expended for the Project will be the proceeds of the Bonds in a principal amount not to exceed \$24,500,000, to be issued by the City and purchased by the Company and, if needed, other available funds of the Company. The Bonds will be payable solely from the revenues derived by the City from the lease or other disposition of the Project. The Bonds will not be an indebtedness or general obligation, debt or liability of the City or the State of Missouri.

Statement of the Terms Upon Which the Project is to be Leased or Otherwise Disposed of by the City. The City will hold title to the Project Site under the Chapter 100 transaction. The City will lease the Project to the Company for lease payments equal to the principal and interest payments on the Bonds. Under the terms of the lease agreement with the City, the Company will have the option to purchase the Project at any time and will have the obligation to purchase the Project at the termination of the lease. The lease agreement will restrict land use to warehousing, distribution and light industrial uses, together with related ancillary uses, for the duration of the tax abatement period.

Affected Taxing Districts. The Lee's Summit R-VII School District is the school district, Jackson County, Missouri is the county, the City is the city, and the Junior College District of Metropolitan Kansas City, Missouri is the community college district affected by the Project. There is no fire or ambulance district affected by the Project. The Cost-Benefit Analysis attached hereto for the Project identifies all other taxing districts affected by the Project.

**Assessed Valuation.** The most recent equalized assessed valuation of the Project Site is \$715,200. The estimated total equalized assessed valuation of the Project Site after development of the Project is \$3,750,000.

Payments in Lieu of Taxes. If this Plan is approved by the City Council, the City intends to issue the Bonds in 2023. The Company will make payments in lieu of taxes ("PILOTS") for the Project as follows: (1) during the project period, a PILOT calculated to represent 22% of the taxes that would otherwise be due on the partially completed Project improvements, but in no case less than \$70,052 each year, (2) in years 1 through 10 after project completion, a PILOT calculated to represent 22% of the taxes that would otherwise be due on the completed Project improvements, and (3) in years 11 through 20 after project completion, a PILOT calculated to represent 50% of the taxes that would otherwise be due on the completed Project improvements. The PILOT amounts may be fixed by agreement at the time of bond issuance, subject to adjustment at completion of the Project. The total PILOT payments are estimated in the Cost-Benefit Analysis attached hereto. The actual construction period and the PILOT amounts will depend on and vary with Project implementation. PILOT payments will be distributed to the taxing jurisdictions by or at the direction of the City.

**Public Improvements Assessment.** In addition to the PILOTS, the Company will be required under the lease to pay special assessments calculated to pay a portion of the costs of the Public Improvements over time. Such special assessments will be paid to the City and used to reimburse costs incurred in the construction of the Public Improvements.

Cost-Benefit Analysis. In compliance with Section 100.050.2(3) of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, this Plan has been prepared to show the costs and benefits to the City and to other taxing jurisdictions affected by the Project. This Plan does not attempt to quantify the overall economic impact of

the Project. The tax rates used in this Plan reflect the rates in effect for the tax year 2022. The actual years and PILOT amounts may vary based on Project implementation.

#### V. SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION

Sales and Use Tax Exemption on Construction Materials. Qualified building materials purchased for the construction of the Project are expected to be exempt from sales and use tax pursuant to the provisions of Section 144.062 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri and the underlying Bond documents upon delivery of a project exemption certificate by the City to the Company. For purposes of determining the impact of the sales and use tax exemptions for the qualified building materials on the affected taxing jurisdictions, it is assumed that the total amount of qualified building materials purchased will be \$5,098,040 and that the situs of sale for 8% of the purchases will be the Project Site or otherwise within the City. Please note that any variance in these assumptions will alter the fiscal impact of the sales and use tax exemptions on the affected taxing jurisdictions.

Based on the assumptions set forth above, the fiscal impact on the affected taxing jurisdictions of the sales and use tax exemptions for qualified building materials is as follows:

		Estimated Sales Tax Revenues		Estimated Use Tax Revenues
	Sales	Subject to	Use	Subject to
	Tax Rate	Exemption	Tax Rate	Exemption
State of Missouri	4.225%	\$17,231	4.225%	\$198,161
Jackson County				
General	0.500	2,039	n/a	-
Drug Task Force	0.250	1,020	n/a	-
Sports Complex	0.375	1,529	n/a	-
Zoological District	0.125	510	n/a	-
City of Lee's Summit				
General	1.000	4,078	1.000	46,902
Parks	0.250	1,020	0.250	11,725
Capital Projects	0.500	2,039	0.500	23,451
Transportation	0.500	2,039	0.500	23,451
Public Safety	0.500	2,039	0.500	23,451
Children's Services Fund *	0.125	510	n/a	· -
Total	8.350%	\$34,055	6.975%	\$327,141

<sup>\*</sup> Since 2017, a 0.125% sales tax has been imposed throughout Jackson County, Missouri for the benefit of the Children's Services Fund of Jackson County. This tax is administered under the same law and is applicable to the same taxable sales as other local sales taxes imposed by cities and counties in Missouri.

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# City of Lee's Summit, MO (Town Centre Industrial Project)

# COST BENEFIT ANALYSIS PLAN FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT



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# **Project Assumptions**

Initial year taxes assessed	2023	
Assessed Value of existing site without project (2023 estimate)		\$736,656
• Assessed Value of Project at completion (2024)	\$3,750,000	
Assessed value as a percentage of appraised value (commercial real property)		32.0%
• Biennial growth rate of appraised value of real property (commercial property)		3.0%
• Terms of abatement:		
Existing Site		
2023	0%	
Project Improvements		
Abatement Years 1 to 10	78%	
Abatement Years 11 to 20	50%	

- Assessed valuation estimate: \$15 per square foot at Project completion
- Total square footage: 250,000 square feet

# **Summary of Cost Benefit Analysis**

Taxing Jurisdiction	Tax Rate	Ta	nxes on Existing Site without Project	Projected Tax on Project without Abatement	fr	Revenue Generated om PILOT Payments	Value of batement
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$	13,792	\$ 73,573	\$	27,634	\$ 45,939
City - Lees Summit	1.4199		234,255	1,249,589		469,343	780,247
Jackson County	0.5920		97,668	520,992		195,683	325,309
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089		875,863	4,672,121		1,754,837	2,917,284
Mental Health	0.1113		18,362	97,950		36,790	61,160
Metro Junior College	0.2028		33,458	178,475		67,035	111,440
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240		53,454	285,138		107,097	178,041
State Blind Pension	0.0300		4,949	26,402		9,916	16,485
Surtax	1.4370		237,076	1,264,638		474,995	789,643
	9.5095	\$	1,568,879	\$ 8,368,877	\$	3,143,329	\$ 5,225,548

# **Projected Taxes on Existing without Project**

Estimated Assessed Value of Existing Si	te without Project	\$ 736,656	\$ 736,656	\$ 758,756	\$ 758,756	\$ 781,518	\$ 781,518	\$ 804,964	\$ 804,964	\$ 829,113	\$ 829,113	\$ 853,986
Taxing Jurisdiction	Tax Rate per \$100	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$ 616	\$ 616	\$ 634	\$ 634	\$ 653	\$ 653	\$ 673	\$ 673	\$ 693	\$ 693	\$ 714
City - Lees Summit	1.4199	10,460	10,460	10,774	10,774	11,097	11,097	11,430	11,430	11,773	11,773	12,126
Jackson County	0.5920	4,361	4,361	4,492	4,492	4,627	4,627	4,765	4,765	4,908	4,908	5,056
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089	39,108	39,108	40,282	40,282	41,490	41,490	42,735	42,735	44,017	44,017	45,337
Mental Health	0.1113	820	820	845	845	870	870	896	896	923	923	950
Metro Junior College	0.2028	1,494	1,494	1,539	1,539	1,585	1,585	1,632	1,632	1,681	1,681	1,732
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240	2,387	2,387	2,458	2,458	2,532	2,532	2,608	2,608	2,686	2,686	2,767
State Blind Pension	0.0300	221	221	228	228	234	234	241	241	249	249	256
Surtax	1.4370	10,586	10,586	10,903	10,903	11,230	11,230	11,567	11,567	11,914	11,914	12,272
	9.5095	\$ 70,052	\$ 70,052	\$ 72,154	\$ 72,154	\$ 74,319	\$ 74,319	\$ 76,548	\$ 76,548	\$ 78,844	\$ 78,844	\$ 81,210
Estimated Assessed Value of Existing Si	te without Project	\$ 853,986	\$ 879,606	\$ 879.606	\$ 905.994	\$ 905,994	\$ 933,174	\$ 933,174	\$ 961,169	\$ 961,169	\$ 990,004	
Estimated Assessed Value of Existing St	Tax Rate per	\$ 033,900	\$ 679,000	\$ 879,606	\$ 905,994	\$ 903,994	\$ 933,174	\$ 955,1/4	\$ 901,109	\$ 901,109	\$ 990,004	
Taxing Jurisdiction	\$100	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	Total

Estimated Assessed value of Existing Site wi	inout Project	\$ 022,900	\$ 6/9,000	\$ 6/9,000	\$ 905,994	\$ 905,994	\$ 933,174	\$ 933,174	\$ 901,109	\$ 901,109	\$ 990,004	
	Tax Rate per											
Taxing Jurisdiction	\$100	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	Total
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$ 616	\$ 616	\$ 634	\$ 634	\$ 653	\$ 653	\$ 673	\$ 673	\$ 693	\$ 693	\$ 13,792
City - Lees Summit	1.4199	10,460	10,460	10,774	10,774	11,097	11,097	11,430	11,430	11,773	11,773	234,255
Jackson County	0.5920	4,361	4,361	4,492	4,492	4,627	4,627	4,765	4,765	4,908	4,908	97,668
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089	39,108	39,108	40,282	40,282	41,490	41,490	42,735	42,735	44,017	44,017	875,863
Mental Health	0.1113	820	820	845	845	870	870	896	896	923	923	18,362
Metro Junior College	0.2028	1,494	1,494	1,539	1,539	1,585	1,585	1,632	1,632	1,681	1,681	33,458
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240	2,387	2,387	2,458	2,458	2,532	2,532	2,608	2,608	2,686	2,686	53,454
State Blind Pension	0.0300	221	221	228	228	234	234	241	241	249	249	4,949
Surtax	1.4370	10,586	10,586	10,903	10,903	11,230	11,230	11,567	11,567	11,914	11,914	237,076
	9.5095	\$ 70,052	\$ 70,052	\$ 72,154	\$ 72,154	\$ 74,319	\$ 74,319	\$ 76,548	\$ 76,548	\$ 78,844	\$ 78,844	\$1,568,879

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Estimated Assessed Value of Project		\$	736,656	\$	3,750,000	\$	3,862,500	\$	3,862,500	\$	3,978,375	\$	3,978,375	\$ 4	4,097,726	\$	4,097,726	\$	4,220,658	\$	4,220,658	\$ 4,347,278
Taxing Jurisdiction	Tax Rate per \$100		2023		2024		2025		2026		2027		2028		2029		2030		2031		2032	2033
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$	616	\$	3,135	\$	3,229	\$	3,229	\$	3,326	\$	3,326	\$	3,426	\$	3,426	\$	3,528	\$	3,528	\$ 3,634
City - Lees Summit	1.4199		10,460		53,246		54,844		54,844		56,489		56,489		58,184		58,184		59,929		59,929	61,727
Jackson County	0.5920		4,361		22,200		22,866		22,866		23,552		23,552		24,259		24,259		24,986		24,986	25,736
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089		39,108		199,084		205,056		205,056		211,208		211,208		217,544		217,544		224,071		224,071	230,793
Mental Health	0.1113		820		4,174		4,299		4,299		4,428		4,428		4,561		4,561		4,698		4,698	4,839
Metro Junior College	0.2028		1,494		7,605		7,833		7,833		8,068		8,068		8,310		8,310		8,559		8,559	8,816
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240		2,387		12,150		12,515		12,515		12,890		12,890		13,277		13,277		13,675		13,675	14,085
State Blind Pension	0.0300		221		1,125		1,159		1,159		1,194		1,194		1,229		1,229		1,266		1,266	1,304
Surtax	1.4370		10,586		53,888		55,504		55,504		57,169		57,169		58,884		58,884		60,651		60,651	62,470
	9.5095	\$	70,052	\$	356,606	\$	367,304	\$	367,304	\$	378,324	\$	378,324	\$	389,673	\$	389,673	\$	401,363	\$	401,363	\$ 413,404
Estimated Assessed Value of Project		\$	4,347,278	•	4,477,696	\$	4,477,696	\$	4,612,027	\$	4,612,027	\$	4,750,388	\$	4,750,388	\$	4,892,899	•	4,892,899	\$	5,039,686	
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Taxing Jurisdiction	\$100		2034		2035		2036		2037		2038		2039		2040		2041		2042		2043	Total
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$	3,634	\$	3,743	\$	3,743	\$	3,856	\$	3,856	\$	3,971	\$	3,971	\$	4,090	\$	4,090	\$	4,213	\$ 73,573
City - Lees Summit	1.4199		61,727		63,579		63,579		65,486		65,486		67,451		67,451		69,474		69,474		71,559	1,249,589
Jackson County	0.5920		25,736		26,508		26,508		27,303		27,303		28,122		28,122		28,966		28,966		29,835	520,992
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089		230,793		237,716		237,716		244,848		244,848		252,193		252,193		259,759		259,759		267,552	4,672,121
Mental Health	0.1113		4,839		4,984		4,984		5,133		5,133		5,287		5,287		5,446		5,446		5,609	97,950
Metro Junior College	0.2028		8,816		9,081		9,081		9,353		9,353		9,634		9,634		9,923		9,923		10,220	178,475
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240		14,085		14,508		14,508		14,943		14,943		15,391		15,391		15,853		15,853		16,329	285,138
State Blind Pension	0.0300		1,304		1,343		1,343		1,384		1,384		1,425		1,425		1,468		1,468		1,512	26,402
Surtax	1.4370		62,470		64,344		64,344		66,275		66,275		68,263		68,263		70,311		70,311		72,420	1,264,638
	9.5095	\$	413,404	\$	425,807	\$	425,807	\$	438,581	\$	438,581	\$	451,738	\$	451,738	\$	465,290	\$	465,290	\$	479,249	\$ 8,368,877

# Projected PILOTs

Estimated Assessed Value of Project PILOT Payment		\$ 736,656 \$ 100.00%	\$ 3,	,750,000 22.00%	\$	3,862,500 22.00%	\$ 3,862,500 22.00%	\$ 3,978,375 22.00%	\$	3,978,375 \$ 22.00%	\$ 4	4,097,726 22.00%	\$	4,097,726 22.00%	\$	4,220,658 22.00%	\$	4,220,658 22.00%	4,347,278 22.00%
Taxing Jurisdiction	Tax Rate per \$100	2023	2	2024		2025	2026	2027		2028		2029		2030		2031		2032	2033
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$ 616	\$	690	\$	710	\$ 710	\$ 732	\$	732 \$	\$	754	\$	754	\$	776	\$	776	\$ 800
City - Lees Summit	1.4199	10,460		11,714		12,066	12,066	12,428		12,428		12,800		12,800		13,184		13,184	13,580
Jackson County	0.5920	4,361		4,884		5,031	5,031	5,181		5,181		5,337		5,337		5,497		5,497	5,662
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089	39,108		43,798		45,112	45,112	46,466		46,466		47,860		47,860		49,296		49,296	50,774
Mental Health	0.1113	820		918		946	946	974		974		1,003		1,003		1,033		1,033	1,064
Metro Junior College	0.2028	1,494		1,673		1,723	1,723	1,775		1,775		1,828		1,828		1,883		1,883	1,940
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240	2,387		2,673		2,753	2,753	2,836		2,836		2,921		2,921		3,008		3,008	3,099
State Blind Pension	0.0300	221		248		255	255	263		263		270		270		279		279	287
Surtax	1.4370	10,586		11,855		12,211	12,211	12,577		12,577		12,955		12,955		13,343		13,343	13,743
	9.5095	\$ 70,052	\$	78,453	\$	80,807	\$ 80,807	\$ 83,231	\$	83,231 \$	\$	85,728	\$	85,728	\$	88,300	\$	88,300	\$ 90,949
Estimated Assessed Value of Project		\$ 4.347.278	s 4.	,477,696	\$	4.477.696	\$ 4,612,027	\$ 4,612,027	\$	4,750,388 \$	S 4	4,750,388	\$	4,892,899	\$	4,892,899	\$	5.039,686	
PILOT Payment		50.00%		50.00%	•	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	·	50.00%		50.00%	•	50.00%	•	50.00%	•	50.00%	
	Tax Rate per																		
Taxing Jurisdiction	\$100	2034	2	2035		2036	2037	2038		2039		2040		2041		2042		2043	Total
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$ 1,817	\$	1,872	\$	1,872	\$ 1,928	\$ 1,928	\$	1,986 \$	\$	1,986	\$	2,045	\$	2,045	\$	2,107	\$ 27,634
City - Lees Summit	1.4199	30,864		31,789		31,789	32,743	32,743		33,725		33,725		34,737		34,737		35,779	469,343
Jackson County	0.5920	12,868		13,254		13,254	13,652	13,652		14,061		14,061		14,483		14,483		14,917	195,683
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089	115,396		118,858		118,858	122,424	122,424		126,097		126,097		129,880		129,880		133,776	1,754,837
Mental Health	0.1113	2,419		2,492		2,492	2,567	2,567		2,644		2,644		2,723		2,723		2,805	36,790
Metro Junior College	0.2028	4,408		4,540		4,540	4,677	4,677		4,817		4,817		4,961		4,961		5,110	67,035
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240	7,043		7,254		7,254	7,471	7,471		7,696		7,696		7,926		7,926		8,164	107,097
State Blind Pension	0.0300	652		672		672	692	692		713		713		734		734		756	9,916
Surtax	1.4370	31,235		32,172		32,172	33,137	33,137		34,132		34,132		35,155		35,155		36,210	474,995
	9,5095	\$ 206,702	\$	212,903	\$	212,903	\$ 219,290	\$ 219,290	\$	225,869 \$	S	225,869	\$	232,645	\$	232,645	\$	239,624	\$ 3,143,329

#### **Projected Abatement**

Estimated Assessed Value of Project Abatement Percentage		\$	736,656 0.00%	\$	3,750,000 78.00%	3,862,500 78.00%	\$	3,862,500 78.00%	3,978,375 78.00%	\$ 3,978,375 \$ 78.00%	\$ 4	4,097,726 78.00%	\$	4,097,726 78.00%	\$	4,220,658 78.00%	\$	4,220,658 78.00%	\$ 4,347,278 78.00%
Taxing Jurisdiction	Tax Rate per \$100		2023		2024	2025		2026	2027	2028		2029		2030		2031		2032	2033
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$	-	\$	2,445	\$ 2,519	\$	2,519	\$ 2,594	\$ 2,594 \$	5	2,672	\$	2,672	\$	2,752	\$	2,752	\$ 2,835
City - Lees Summit	1.4199		-		41,532	42,778		42,778	44,061	44,061		45,383		45,383		46,745		46,745	48,147
Jackson County	0.5920		-		17,316	17,835		17,835	18,371	18,371		18,922		18,922		19,489		19,489	20,074
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089		-		155,285	159,944		159,944	164,742	164,742		169,684		169,684		174,775		174,775	180,018
Mental Health	0.1113		-		3,256	3,353		3,353	3,454	3,454		3,557		3,557		3,664		3,664	3,774
Metro Junior College	0.2028		-		5,932	6,110		6,110	6,293	6,293		6,482		6,482		6,676		6,676	6,877
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240		-		9,477	9,761		9,761	10,054	10,054		10,356		10,356		10,666		10,666	10,986
State Blind Pension	0.0300		-		878	904		904	931	931		959		959		988		988	1,017
Surtax	1.4370		-		42,032	43,293		43,293	44,592	44,592		45,930		45,930		47,308		47,308	48,727
	9.5095	\$	-	\$	278,153	\$ 286,497	\$	286,497	\$ 295,092	\$ 295,092 \$	S	303,945	\$	303,945	\$	313,064	\$	313,064	\$ 322,455
Estimated Assessed Value of Project		\$	4.347.278	\$	4,477,696	\$ 4,477,696	\$	4,612,027	\$ 4,612,027	\$ 4,750,388 \$	<b>S</b> 4	1,750,388	\$	4.892.899	\$	4.892.899	\$	5,039,686	
Abatement Percentage		-	50.00%	*	50.00%	50.00%	*	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%		50.00%	-	50.00%	4	50.00%	*	50.00%	
	Tax Rate per																		
Taxing Jurisdiction	\$100		2034		2035	2036		2037	2038	2039		2040		2041		2042		2043	Total
Board of Disabled Services	0.0836	\$	1,817	\$	1,872	\$ 1,872	\$	1,928	\$ 1,928	\$ 1,986 \$	8	1,986	\$	2,045	\$	2,045	\$	2,107	\$ 45,939
City - Lees Summit	1.4199		30,864		31,789	31,789		32,743	32,743	33,725		33,725		34,737		34,737		35,779	780,247
Jackson County	0.5920		12,868		13,254	13,254		13,652	13,652	14,061		14,061		14,483		14,483		14,917	325,309
Lee's Summit R-7 School District	5.3089		115,396		118,858	118,858		122,424	122,424	126,097		126,097		129,880		129,880		133,776	2,917,284
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Metro Junior College	0.2028		4,408		4,540	4,540		4,677	4,677	4,817		4,817		4,961		4,961		5,110	111,440
Mid-Continent Library	0.3240		7,043		7,254	7,254		7,471	7,471	7,696		7,696		7,926		7,926		8,164	178,041
State Blind Pension	0.0300		652		672	672		692	692	713		713		734		734		756	16,485
Surtax	1.4370		31,235		32,172	32,172		33,137	33,137	34,132		34,132		35,155		35,155		36,210	789,643
	9.5095	\$	206,702	\$	212,903	\$ 212,903	\$	219,290	\$ 219,290	\$ 225,869 \$	5	225,869	\$	232,645	\$	232,645	\$	239,624	\$ 5,225,548

# CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, the City

**AND** 

BOKF, N.A., as Trustee

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# TRUST INDENTURE

Dated as of March 1, 2023

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**Relating to:** 

\$24,500,000
(Aggregate Maximum Principal Amount)
City of Lee's Summit, Missouri
Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds
(Town Centre Industrial Project)
Series 2023

# TRUST INDENTURE

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#### TRUST INDENTURE

THIS TRUST INDENTURE dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Indenture"), is between the CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri (the "City"), and BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, a national banking association duly organized and existing and authorized to accept and execute trusts of the character herein set forth under the laws of the United States of America, with a corporate trust office located in Kansas City, Missouri, as Trustee (the "Trustee");

#### **RECITALS:**

- 1. The City is authorized and empowered pursuant to the provisions of Article VI, Section 27(b) of the Missouri Constitution and Sections 100.010 through 100.200, inclusive, of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended (collectively, the "Act"), to purchase, construct, extend and improve certain "projects" (as defined in the Act) and to issue industrial development revenue bonds for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of such projects and to lease or otherwise dispose of such projects to private persons or businesses for manufacturing, commercial, research and development, warehousing and industrial development purposes upon such terms and conditions as the City shall deem advisable.
- 2. Pursuant to the Act, the City Council passed an ordinance (the "Ordinance") on March \_\_\_\_, 2023, authorizing the City to issue its Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023, in the maximum principal amount of \$24,500,000 (the "Bonds"), for the purpose of acquiring and improving certain real property in the City (the "Project Site," as more fully described on Exhibit A hereto), including the construction and improvement of an industrial facility on the Project Site together with related public improvements (the "Project Improvements," as more fully described on Exhibit B hereto).
- **3.** The Ordinance authorizes the City to lease the Project Site and the Project Improvements (collectively, the "Project") to Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a Missouri limited liability company (the "Company").
- 4. Pursuant to the Ordinance, the City is authorized to execute and deliver (a) this Indenture for the purpose of issuing and securing the Bonds, (b) the Lease Agreement of even date herewith (the "Lease") with the Company, under which the City, as lessor, will, or will cause the Company to, construct and improve the Project and will lease the Project to the Company, as lessee, in consideration of rentals that will be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and setting forth the terms and conditions of the Project's exemption from ad valorem real property taxes and certain payments in lieu of taxes to be made by the Company with respect to the Project and certain payments to be made with respect to the Public Improvements (as defined in the Lease).
- 5. All things necessary to make the Bonds, when authenticated by the Trustee and issued as provided in this Indenture, the valid and legally binding obligations of the City, and to constitute this Indenture a valid and legally binding pledge and assignment of the Trust Estate (defined herein) herein made for the security of the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, have been done and performed, and the execution and delivery of this Indenture and the execution and issuance of the Bonds, subject to the terms hereof, have in all respects been duly authorized.

# NOW, THEREFORE, THIS TRUST INDENTURE WITNESSETH:

#### **GRANTING CLAUSES**

That the City, in consideration of the premises, the acceptance by the Trustee of the trusts hereby created, the purchase and acceptance of the Bonds by the Owners thereof, and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and in order to secure the payment of the principal of and interest on all of the Bonds issued and outstanding under this Indenture from time to time according to their tenor and effect, and to secure the performance and observance by the City of all the covenants, agreements and conditions herein and in the Bonds contained, does hereby pledge and assign to the Trustee and its successors and assigns until this Indenture has been satisfied and discharged, the property described in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) below (said property being herein referred to as the "Trust Estate"), to-wit:

- (a) All right, title and interest in and to the Project together with the tenements, hereditaments, appurtenances, rights, easements, privileges and immunities thereunto belonging or appertaining and, to the extent permissible, all permits, certificates, approvals and authorizations;
- (b) All right, title and interest of the City in, to and under the Lease, excluding the City's right to receive moneys for its own account, including but not limited to payments in lieu of taxes, and the City's rights to indemnification or to be protected from liabilities by insurance policies required by the Lease, and the rights of the City to provide any consent or approval under the Lease, as provided therein or herein (the "Unassigned Rights"), and all rents, revenues and receipts derived by the City from the Project including, without limitation, all rentals and other amounts to be received by the City and paid by the Company under and pursuant to and subject to the provisions of the Lease; and
- (c) All moneys and securities from time to time held by or now or hereafter required to be paid to the Trustee under the terms of this Indenture, and any and all other real or personal property of every kind and nature from time to time hereafter, by delivery or by writing of any kind, pledged, assigned or transferred as and for additional security hereunder by the City or by anyone in its behalf, or with its written consent, to the Trustee, which is hereby authorized to receive any and all such property at any and all times and to hold and apply the same subject to the terms hereof.

**TO HAVE AND TO HOLD,** all and singular, the Trust Estate with all rights and privileges hereby pledged and assigned or agreed or intended so to be, to the Trustee and its successors and assigns forever;

IN TRUST NEVERTHELESS, upon the terms and subject to the conditions herein set forth, for the equal and proportionate benefit, protection and security of all Owners from time to time of the Bonds outstanding under this Indenture, without preference, priority or distinction as to lien or otherwise of any of the Bonds over any other of the Bonds except as expressly provided in or permitted by this Indenture;

**PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** that if the City pays, or causes to be paid, the principal of and interest on the Bonds, at the time and in the manner mentioned in the Bonds, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, or provides for the payment thereof (as provided in **Article XIII** hereof), and pays or causes to be paid to the Trustee all other sums of money due or to become due to it in accordance with the terms and provisions hereof, then upon such final payments this Indenture and the rights thereby granted shall cease, determine and be void; otherwise, this Indenture shall be and remain in full force and effect.

THIS INDENTURE FURTHER WITNESSETH, and it is hereby expressly declared, covenanted and agreed by and between the parties hereto, that all Bonds issued and secured hereunder are

to be issued, authenticated and delivered and that all the Trust Estate is to be held and applied under, upon and subject to the terms, conditions, stipulations, covenants, agreements, trusts, uses and purposes as hereinafter expressed, and the City does hereby agree and covenant with the Trustee and with the respective Owners from time to time, as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

#### **DEFINITIONS**

- **Section 101. Definitions of Words and Terms.** In addition to words and terms defined in **Section 1.1** of the Lease, which definitions shall be deemed to be incorporated herein, and terms defined elsewhere in this Indenture, the following words and terms as used in this Indenture shall have the following meanings, unless some other meaning is plainly intended:
- "Act" means, collectively, Article VI, Section 27(b) of the Missouri Constitution, as amended, and Sections 100.010 through 100.200 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended.
  - "Additional Rent" means the additional rental described in Sections 5.2 and 6.2 of the Lease.
- "Authorized City Representative" means the Mayor, the City Manager, the Director of Finance, the City Clerk or such other person at the time designated to act on behalf of the City as evidenced by written certificate furnished to the Company and the Trustee containing the specimen signature of such person and signed on behalf of the City by its Mayor or City Manager. Such certificate may designate an alternate or alternates each of whom shall be entitled to perform all duties of the Authorized City Representative.
- "Authorized Company Representative" means the Person at the time designated to act on behalf of the Company as evidenced by written certificate furnished to the City and the Trustee containing the specimen signature of such Person and signed on behalf of the Company by an authorized officer of the Company. Such certificate may designate an alternate or alternates, each of whom shall be entitled to perform all duties of the Authorized Company Representative.
  - "Basic Rent" means the rental described in Section 5.1 of the Lease.
- **"Bond"** or **"Bonds"** means the Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023, in the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$24,500,000, issued, authenticated and delivered under and pursuant to this Indenture.
- **"Bond Fund"** means the "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Bond Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" created in **Section 501** of this Indenture.
- **"Bond Purchase Agreement"** means the agreement by that name with respect to the Bonds, dated as of March 1, 2023, by and between the City and the Purchaser.
- "Business Day" means any day other than a Saturday or Sunday or legal holiday or a day on which banks located in the city in which the payment office of the Trustee are required or authorized by law to remain closed.

- "City" means the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, and its successors and assigns.
- "Closing Date" means the date identified in the Bond Purchase Agreement for the initial issuance and delivery of the Bonds.
- "Closing Price" means the amount specified in writing by the Purchaser and agreed to by the City as the amount required to pay for the initial issuance of the Bonds on the Closing Date.
- "Company" means Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a Missouri limited liability company, and its successors or assigns.
- "Completion Date" means the date of execution of the certificate required pursuant to Section 504 hereof.
- "Costs of Issuance Fund" means the "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Costs of Issuance Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" created in Section 501 hereof.
- "Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount" means an amount equal to the aggregate of all amounts paid into the Project Fund in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture, the Bond Purchase Agreement and the Lease, as reflected in the bond registration records maintained by the Trustee or in the Table of Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount set forth in the form of Bond in Section 402 hereof.
- "Event of Default" means, with respect to this Indenture, any Event of Default as defined in Section 901 hereof and, with respect to the Lease, any Event of Default as described in Section 12.1 of the Lease.
- "Government Securities" means direct obligations of, or obligations the payment of principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America.
- "Indenture" means this Trust Indenture, as from time to time amended and supplemented by Supplemental Indentures in accordance with the provisions of Article XI hereof.

### "Investment Securities" means any of the following securities:

- (a) Government Securities;
- (b) obligations of the Federal Financing Bank, the Federal Intermediate Credit Corporation, Federal Banks for Cooperatives, Federal Land Banks, and Farmers Home Administration;
- (c) direct and general obligations of any state of the United States of America, to the payment of the principal of and interest on which the full faith and credit of such state is pledged, provided that at the time of their purchase under this Indenture such obligations are rated in either of the two highest rating categories by a nationally-recognized bond rating agency;
- (d) certificates of deposit, whether negotiable or nonnegotiable, and U.S. dollar denominated deposit accounts issued by any bank or trust company organized under the laws of

any state of the United States of America or any national banking association (including the Trustee or any of its affiliates), provided that such certificates of deposit or deposit accounts shall be either (1) continuously and fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or (2) continuously and fully secured by such securities as are described above in clauses (a) through (c), inclusive, which shall have a market value at all times at least equal to the principal amount of such certificates of deposit and shall be deposited with the Trustee or a custodian bank, trust company or national banking association. The bank, trust company or national banking association holding each such certificate of deposit required to be so secured shall furnish the Trustee written evidence that the aggregate market value of all such obligations securing each such certificate of deposit will at all times be an amount at least equal to the principal amount of each such certificate of deposit and the Trustee shall be entitled to rely on each such undertaking;

- (e) shares of a fund registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, whose shares are registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, having assets of at least \$100,000,000, and which shares, at the time of purchase, are rated by S&P and Moody's in one of the two highest rating categories (without regard to any refinements or gradation of rating category by numerical modifier or otherwise) assigned by such rating agencies for obligations of that nature; or
- (f) any other investment approved in writing by the Authorized City Representative and the Owners of all of the Outstanding Bonds.

"Lease" means the Lease Agreement dated as of March 1, 2023, between the City, as lessor, and the Company, as lessee, as from time to time amended and supplemented by Supplemental Leases in accordance with the provisions thereof and of **Article XII** of this Indenture.

"Lender" has the meaning set forth in the Lease.

"Moody's" means Moody's Investors Service, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, its successors and assigns, and, if such corporation is dissolved or liquidated or no longer performs the functions of a securities rating agency, "Moody's" will be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency designated by the Authorized Company Representative.

"Outstanding" means, when used with reference to Bonds, as of a particular date, all Bonds theretofore authenticated and delivered, except:

- (a) Bonds subsequently cancelled by the Trustee or delivered to the Trustee for cancellation;
- (b) Bonds deemed to be paid in accordance with the provisions of **Section 1302** hereof; and
- (c) Bonds in exchange for or in lieu of which other Bonds have been authenticated and delivered pursuant to this Indenture.

"Owner" or "Bondowner" means the registered owner of any Bond as recorded on the bond registration records maintained by the Trustee.

- "Paying Agent" means the Trustee and any other bank or trust company designated by this Indenture as paying agent for the Bonds at which the principal of or interest on the Bonds shall be payable.
- "Payment Date" means the date on which principal or interest on any Bond, whether at the stated maturity thereof or the redemption date thereof, is payable, which shall be December 1 of each year that the Bonds are Outstanding.
- "Person" or "person" means an individual, partnership, corporation, business trust, joint stock company, limited liability company, bank, insurance company, unincorporated association, joint venture or other entity of whatever nature.
  - "Project" means the Project Site and the Project Improvements as they may at any time exist.
- **"Project Costs"** means all costs of the acquisition, construction and improvement of the Project, including the following:
  - (a) all costs and expenses necessary or incident to the acquisition of the Project Site and the construction and improvement of the Project Improvements located on the Project Site and of the Public Improvements;
  - (b) fees and expenses of architects, appraisers, surveyors and engineers for estimates, surveys, soil borings and soil tests and other preliminary investigations and items necessary to the commencement of construction, preparation of plans, drawings and specifications and supervision of construction, as well as for the performance of all other duties of professionals and consultants in relation to the construction and improvement of the Project or the issuance of the Bonds;
  - (c) all costs and expenses of every nature incurred in constructing and improving the Project, including the actual cost of labor and materials as payable to contractors, builders and materialmen in connection with the construction and improvement of the Project;
    - (d) interest accruing on the Bonds during the construction period of the Project;
  - (e) the cost of title insurance policies and the cost of any other insurance maintained during the construction period in accordance with **Article VII** of the Lease;
  - (f) reasonable expenses of administration, supervision and inspection properly chargeable to the Project, legal fees and expenses, fees and expenses of accountants and other consultants, publication and printing expenses, and initial fees and expenses of the Trustee to the extent that said fees and expenses are necessary or incident to the issuance and sale of the Bonds or the construction and improvement of the Project;
  - (g) all other items of expense not elsewhere specified in this definition as may be necessary or incident to: (1) the authorization, issuance and sale of the Bonds, including costs of issuance of the Bonds; (2) the construction and improvement of the Project; and (3) the financing thereof; and
  - (h) reimbursement to the Company or those acting for it for any of the above enumerated costs and expenses incurred and paid by them before or after the execution of the Lease.

- **"Project Fund"** means the "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Project Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" created in **Section 501** hereof.
- **"Project Improvements"** means the Public Improvements and all buildings, structures, improvements and fixtures to be purchased, constructed, installed and otherwise improved on the Project Site pursuant to **Article IV** of the Lease and paid for in whole or in part from the proceeds of Bonds, as described in **Exhibit B** attached hereto, and all additions, alterations, modifications and improvements thereof made pursuant to the Lease.
- "Project Site" means all of the real estate as described in Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.
- "Purchaser" means the entity identified in the Bond Purchase Agreement as the purchaser of the Bonds.
- "S&P" means S&P Global Ratings, a division of Standard & Poor's Financial Services, LLC, its successors and assigns, and if such company is dissolved or liquidated or no longer performs the functions of a securities rating agency, "S&P" will be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency designated by the Authorized Company Representative.
  - "State" means the State of Missouri.
- "Supplemental Indenture" means any indenture supplemental or amendatory to this Indenture entered into by the City and the Trustee pursuant to Article XI hereof.
- "Supplemental Lease" means any supplement or amendment to the Lease entered into pursuant to Article XII hereof.
  - "Trust Estate" means the Trust Estate described in the Granting Clauses of this Indenture.
- "Trustee" means BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, a national banking association duly organized and existing and authorized to accept and execute trusts of the character herein set forth under the laws of the United States of America, and its successor or successors and any other corporation which at the time may be substituted in its place pursuant to and at the time serving as Trustee under this Indenture.

#### **Section 102.** Rules of Interpretation.

- (a) Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, the words importing the singular number shall include the plural and vice versa, and words importing Persons shall include firms, associations and corporations, including public bodies, as well as natural Persons.
- (b) Wherever in this Indenture it is provided that either party shall or will make any payment or perform or refrain from performing any act or obligation, each such provision shall, even though not so expressed, be construed as an express covenant to make such payment or to perform, or not to perform, as the case may be, such act or obligation.
- (c) All references in this instrument to designated "Articles," "Sections" and other subdivisions are, unless otherwise specified, to the designated Articles, Sections and subdivisions of this

instrument as originally executed. The words "herein," "hereof," "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Indenture as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or subdivision.

- (d) Whenever an item or items are listed after the word "including", such listing is not intended to be a listing that excludes items not listed.
- (e) The Table of Contents and the Article and Section headings of this Indenture shall not be treated as a part of this Indenture or as affecting the true meaning of the provisions hereof.

#### **ARTICLE II**

#### THE BONDS

**Section 201. Title and Amount of Bonds.** No Bonds may be issued under this Indenture except in accordance with the provisions of this Article. The Bonds authorized to be issued under this Indenture shall be designated as "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023." The maximum total principal amount of Bonds that may be issued hereunder is hereby expressly limited to \$24,500,000.

**Section 202. Nature of Obligation.** The Bonds and the interest thereon shall be special obligations of the City payable solely out of the rents, revenues and receipts derived by the City from the Project and the Lease, and not from any other fund or source of the City. The Bonds are secured by a pledge and assignment of the Trust Estate to the Trustee in favor of the Owners, as provided in this Indenture. The Bonds and the interest thereon shall not constitute general obligations of the City, the State or any political subdivision thereof, and neither the City, the State or related political subdivision thereof shall be liable thereon, and the Bonds shall not constitute an indebtedness within the meaning of any constitutional, charter or statutory debt limitation or restriction, and are not payable in any manner by taxation.

#### Section 203. Denomination, Number and Dating of the Bonds.

- (a) The Bonds shall be issuable in the form of one fully-registered Bond, in substantially the form set forth in **Exhibit** C hereto, in the denomination of \$0.01 or any multiple thereof.
- (b) The Bonds shall be dated by the Trustee as of the date of initial delivery thereof as provided herein. If the Bonds are at any time thereafter transferred, any replacement Bonds shall be dated as of the date of authentication thereof.

#### Section 204. Method and Place of Payment of Bonds.

- (a) The principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which on the respective dates of payment thereof is legal tender for payment of public and private debts.
- (b) Payment of the principal of the Bonds shall be made upon the presentation and surrender of such Bonds at the payment office of any Paying Agent named in the Bonds. The payment of principal on the Bonds shall be noted on the Bonds on **Schedule I** thereto and the registration books maintained by the Trustee pursuant to **Section 206** hereof. Payment of the interest on the Bonds shall be made by the Trustee on each Payment Date to the Person appearing on the registration books of the Trustee hereinafter

provided for as the Owner thereof on the fifteenth day (whether or not a Business Day) of the calendar month next preceding such Payment Date by check or draft mailed to such Owner at such Owner's address as it appears on such registration books.

- (c) The Bonds and the original **Schedule I** thereto shall be held by the Trustee in trust, unless otherwise directed in writing by the Owner. If the Bonds are held by the Trustee, the Trustee shall, on each Payment Date, send a revised copy of **Schedule I** via facsimile or other electronic means to the Owner, the Company (if not the Owner) and the City. Absent manifest error, the amounts shown on **Schedule I** as noted by the Trustee shall be conclusive evidence of the principal amount paid on the Bonds.
- (d) If there is one Owner of the Bonds, the Trustee is authorized to make the final or any interim payments of principal on such Bonds by internal bank transfer or by electronic transfer to an account at a commercial bank or savings institution designated in writing by such Owner and located in the continental United States. The Trustee is also authorized to make interest payments on such Bonds by internal bank transfer or by electronic transfer to an account at a commercial bank or savings institution designated by such Owner and located in the continental United States.
- (e) If the Company or the Lender is the sole Owner of the Bonds, then the Company may setoff its obligation to the City as lessee under the Lease against the City's obligations to the Company or the
  Lender as the bondholder under this Indenture. The Trustee may conclusively rely on the absence of any
  notice from the Company to the contrary as evidence that such set-off has occurred. On the final Payment
  Date, the Company may deliver to the Trustee for cancellation the Bonds and the Company shall receive a
  credit against the Basic Rent payable by the Company under **Section 5.1** of the Lease in an amount equal
  to the remaining principal on the Bond so tendered for cancellation plus accrued interest thereon.

#### Section 205. Execution and Authentication of Bonds.

- (a) The Bonds shall be executed on behalf of the City by the manual or facsimile signature of its Mayor and attested by the manual or facsimile signature of the City Clerk, and shall have the corporate seal of the City affixed thereto or imprinted thereon. If any officer whose signature or facsimile thereof appears on the Bonds ceases to be such officer before the delivery of such Bond, such signature or facsimile thereof shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if such Person had remained in office until delivery. Any Bond may be signed by such Persons as at the actual time of the execution of such Bond are the proper officers to sign such Bond although at the date of such Bond such Persons may not have been such officers.
- (b) The Bonds shall have endorsed thereon a Certificate of Authentication substantially in the form set forth in **Exhibit C** hereof, which shall be manually executed by the Trustee. No Bond shall be entitled to any security or benefit under this Indenture or shall be valid or obligatory for any purposes until such Certificate of Authentication has been duly executed by the Trustee. The executed Certificate of Authentication upon any Bond shall be conclusive evidence that such Bond has been duly authenticated and delivered under this Indenture. The Certificate of Authentication on any Bond shall be deemed to have been duly executed if signed by any authorized signatory of the Trustee.

#### Section 206. Registration, Transfer and Exchange of Bonds.

(a) The Trustee shall keep books for the registration and for the transfer of Bonds as provided in this Indenture.

- (b) The Bonds may be transferred only upon the books kept for the registration and transfer of Bonds upon surrender thereof to the Trustee duly endorsed for transfer or accompanied by an assignment duly executed by the Owner or such Owner's attorney or legal representative in such form as shall be satisfactory to the Trustee. In connection with any such transfer of the Bonds, the City and the Trustee shall receive an executed representation letter signed by the proposed assignee in substantially the form of **Exhibit D** hereto. Upon any such transfer, the City shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver in exchange for such Bond a new fully registered Bond or Bonds, registered in the name of the transferee, of any denomination or denominations authorized by this Indenture, in an aggregate principal amount equal to the outstanding principal amount of such Bond, of the same maturity and bearing interest at the same rate.
- (c) In all cases in which Bonds are exchanged or transferred hereunder the provisions of any legend restrictions on the Bonds shall be complied with and the City shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver at the earliest practicable time Bonds in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture. All Bonds surrendered in any such exchange or transfer shall forthwith be cancelled by the Trustee. The City or the Trustee may make a reasonable charge for every such exchange or transfer of Bonds sufficient to reimburse it for any tax, fee or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such exchange or transfer, and such charge shall be paid before any such new Bond shall be delivered. Neither the City nor the Trustee shall be required to make any such exchange or transfer of Bonds during the 15 days immediately preceding a Payment Date on the Bonds or, in the case of any proposed redemption of Bonds, during the 15 days immediately preceding the selection of Bonds for such redemption or after such Bonds or any portion thereof has been selected for redemption.
- (d) If any Owner fails to provide a certified taxpayer identification number to the Trustee, the Trustee may make a charge against such Owner sufficient to pay any governmental charge required to be paid as a result of such failure, which amount may be deducted by the Trustee from amounts otherwise payable to such Owner under such Owner's Bond.
- (e) The City and the Trustee consent to the pledge of the Bond to any Lender with a Mortgage (as such term is defined in the Lease) on all or any portion of the Project Site.
- **Section 207. Persons Deemed Owners of Bonds.** As to any Bond, the Person in whose name the same is registered as shown on the bond registration books required by **Section 206** hereof shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes. Payment of or on account of the principal of and interest on any such Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of the Owner thereof or a legal representative thereof. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond, including the interest thereon, to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

### Section 208. Authorization of the Bonds.

- (a) The Bonds are authorized in the aggregate maximum principal amount of \$24,500,000 for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of the Project and the costs of issuing the Bonds, which Bonds shall be designated "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023." The Bonds shall be dated as provided in Section 203(b) hereof, shall become due on December 1, 2044 (subject to prior redemption as provided in Article III hereof) and shall bear interest as specified in Section 208(f) hereof, payable on the dates specified in Section 208(f) hereof.
- (b) The Trustee is hereby designated as the Paying Agent. The Owners of a majority of Bonds then Outstanding may designate a different Paying Agent upon written notice to the City and the Trustee.

- (c) The Bonds shall be executed without material variance from the form and in the manner set forth in **Exhibit** C hereto and delivered to the Trustee for authentication. Prior to or simultaneously with the authentication and delivery of the Bonds by the Trustee, there shall be filed with the Trustee electronic copies of the following:
  - (1) The ordinance passed by the City Council authorizing the issuance of the Bonds and the execution of this Indenture, the Lease, and the Bond Purchase Agreement;
  - (2) Executed counterparts of this Indenture, the Lease, and the Bond Purchase Agreement;
  - (3) A representation letter from the Purchaser in substantially the form attached as **Exhibit D** hereto (with such changes as may be agreed to by the City);
  - (4) A request and authorization to the Trustee on behalf of the City, executed by the Authorized City Representative, to authenticate the Bonds and deliver the same to or at the direction of the Purchaser upon payment to the Trustee, for the account of the City, of the purchase price thereof specified in the Bond Purchase Agreement. The Trustee shall be entitled to conclusively rely upon such request and authorization as to names of the purchaser and the amount of such purchase price;
  - (5) An opinion of counsel nationally recognized on the subject of municipal bonds to the effect that the Bonds are in proper form and have been duly authorized in accordance with the Constitution and statutes of the State of Missouri, including the Act, and constitute valid and legally binding special obligations of the City; and
  - (6) Such other certificates, statements, receipts, opinions and documents as the Trustee shall reasonably require for the delivery of the Bonds.
- (d) When the documents specified in subsection (c) of this Section have been filed with the Trustee, and when the Bonds have been executed and authenticated as required by this Indenture, the Purchaser shall pay the Closing Price to the Trustee, and the Trustee shall endorse the Bonds in an amount equal to the Closing Price and then either hold the Bonds in trust or if so directed in writing deliver the Bonds to or upon the order of the Purchaser.
- (e) Following the initial issuance and delivery of the Bonds, the Company may submit additional requisition certificates in accordance with **Section 4.4** of the Lease, and the Trustee shall, based solely on the amount set forth in the requisition, endorse the Bonds in an amount equal to the amount set forth in each requisition certificate. The Trustee shall be entitled to rely upon a written waiver of receipt and payment of such amounts as long as the Company and the Owner are the same entity. The date of endorsement of each Principal Amount Advanced (as defined in subsection (g) below) as set forth on **Schedule I** to the Bonds shall be the date of receipt of each requisition certificate by the Trustee. The Trustee shall keep a record of the total requisitions submitted, and shall notify the City if the requisitions submitted exceed the maximum Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount of the Bonds permitted hereunder.
- (f) The Bonds shall bear interest at the rate of 5.00% per annum on the Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount of the Bonds. Such interest shall be payable in arrears on each December 1, commencing on December 1, 2023, and continuing thereafter until the Cumulative Outstanding Principal

Amount is paid in full; provided that the aggregate maximum principal amount shall not exceed \$24,500,000 and further provided that the Bonds shall be paid in full no later than **December 1, 2044**. Interest shall be calculated on the basis of a year of 360 days consisting of twelve months of 30 days each, and the payment of which will be reflected via a transaction entry on the trust records held by the Trustee and Paying Agent.

(g) The Trustee shall keep and maintain a record of the amount deposited or deemed to be deposited into the Project Fund pursuant to the terms of this Indenture as "Principal Amount Advanced" and shall enter the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding on its records as the "Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount." On each date upon which a portion of the Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount is paid to the Owners, pursuant to the redemption provisions of this Indenture, the Trustee shall enter on its records the principal amount paid on the Bonds as "Principal Amount Redeemed," and shall enter the then Outstanding principal amount of the Bonds as "Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount." The records maintained by the Trustee as to amounts deposited into the Project Fund or principal amounts paid on the Bonds shall be the official records of the Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount for all purposes, absent manifest error, and shall be in substantially the form of the Table of Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount as set out in the form of Bonds in Exhibit C hereto. If any moneys are deposited by the Trustee into the Project Fund, then the Trustee shall provide a statement of receipts and disbursements with respect thereto to the City and the Company upon written request. After the Project has been completed and the certificate of payment of all costs is filed as provided in Section 504 hereof, the Trustee, upon written request, to the extent it has not already done so pursuant to this Section or Section 1012 hereof, shall file a final statement of receipts and disbursements with respect thereto with the City and the Company.

Section 209. Mutilated, Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Bonds. If any Bond becomes mutilated, or is lost, stolen or destroyed, the City shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver a new Bond of like series, date and tenor as the Bond mutilated lost, stolen or destroyed; provided that, in the case of any mutilated Bond, such mutilated Bond shall first be surrendered to the Trustee, and in the case of any lost, stolen or destroyed Bond, there shall be first furnished to the City and the Trustee evidence of such loss, theft or destruction satisfactory to the Trustee, together with indemnity satisfactory to the Trustee to save each of the City and the Trustee harmless. If any such Bond has matured, instead of delivering a substitute Bond, the Trustee may pay the same without surrender thereof. Upon the issuance of any substitute Bond, the City and the Trustee may require the payment of an amount sufficient to reimburse the City and the Trustee for any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in relation thereto and any other reasonable fees and expenses incurred in connection therewith.

#### Section 210. Cancellation and Destruction of Bonds Upon Payment.

- (a) All Bonds which have been paid or redeemed or which the Trustee has purchased or which have otherwise been surrendered to the Trustee under this Indenture, either at or before maturity shall be cancelled by the Trustee immediately upon the payment, redemption or purchase of such Bonds and the surrender thereof to the Trustee.
- (b) All Bonds cancelled under any of the provisions of this Indenture shall be destroyed by the Trustee. The Trustee shall execute a certificate describing the Bonds so destroyed, and shall file executed counterparts of such certificate with the City and the Company.

#### ARTICLE III

#### REDEMPTION OF BONDS

### Section 301. Redemption of Bonds.

- (a) The Bonds are subject to redemption and payment at any time before the stated maturity thereof, at the option of the City, upon written instructions from the Company, (1) in whole, if the Company exercises its option to purchase the Project and deposits an amount sufficient to effect such purchase pursuant to the Lease on the applicable redemption date, or (2) in part, if the Company prepays additional Basic Rent pursuant to the Lease. If only a portion of the Bonds are to be redeemed, (1) Bonds aggregating at least 10% of the maximum aggregate principal amount of Bonds authorized hereunder shall not be subject to redemption and payment before the stated maturity thereof, and (2) the Trustee shall keep a record of the amount of Bonds to remain Outstanding following such redemption. Any redemption of Bonds pursuant to this paragraph shall be at a redemption price equal to the par value thereof being redeemed, plus accrued interest thereon, without premium or penalty, to the redemption date.
- (b) The Bonds are subject to mandatory redemption, in whole or in part, to the extent of amounts deposited in the Bond Fund pursuant to **Sections 9.1(f)** or **9.2(c)** of the Lease, in the event of substantial damage to or destruction or condemnation of substantially all of the Project. Bonds to be redeemed pursuant to this paragraph shall be called for redemption by the Trustee on the earliest practicable date for which timely notice of redemption may be given as provided hereunder. Any redemption of Bonds pursuant to this paragraph shall be at a redemption price equal to the par value thereof being redeemed, plus accrued interest thereon, without premium or penalty, to the redemption date. Before giving notice of redemption to the Owners pursuant to this paragraph (b), money in an amount equal to the redemption price shall have been deposited in the Bond Fund.
- (c) In connection with a redemption under paragraphs (a) or (b) of this Section, at its option, the Company may deliver to the Trustee for cancellation any Bonds owned by the Company and not previously paid, and the Company shall receive a credit against the amounts payable by the Company for the redemption of such Bonds in an amount equal to the principal amount of the Bonds so tendered for cancellation, plus accrued interest.
- Section 302. Effect of Call for Redemption. Before or on the date fixed for redemption, funds, Government Securities, or a combination thereof, shall be placed with the Trustee which are sufficient to pay the Bonds called for redemption and accrued interest thereon, if any, to the redemption date. Upon the happening of the above conditions and appropriate written notice having been given, the Bonds or the portions of the principal amount of Bonds thus called for redemption shall cease to bear interest on the specified redemption date, and shall no longer be entitled to the protection, benefit or security of this Indenture and shall not be deemed to be Outstanding under the provisions of this Indenture. If the Bonds are fully redeemed before maturity and an amount of money equal to the Trustee's and the Paying Agent's agreed to fees and expenses hereunder accrued and to accrue in connection with such redemption is paid or provided for, the City shall, at the Company's direction, deliver to the Company the items described in Section 11.2 of the Lease.
- Section 303. Notice of Redemption. If the Bonds are to be called for redemption as provided in Section 301(a) hereof, the Company shall deliver written notice to the City and the Trustee that it has elected to direct the City to redeem all or a portion of the Bonds at least 40 days (10 days if the Company

is the Owner) prior to the scheduled redemption date. The Trustee shall then deliver written notice to the Owners at least 30 days (five days if the Company is the Owner) prior to the scheduled redemption date by facsimile and by first-class mail stating the date upon which the Bonds will be redeemed and paid, unless such notice period is waived by the Owners in writing.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### FORM OF BONDS

**Section 401. Form Generally.** The Bonds and the Trustee's Certificate of Authentication to be endorsed thereon shall be issued in substantially the forms set forth in **Exhibit C** hereto. The Bonds may have endorsed thereon such legends or text as may be necessary or appropriate to conform to any applicable rules and regulations of any governmental authority or any custom, usage or requirements of law with respect thereto.

#### **ARTICLE V**

#### CUSTODY AND APPLICATION OF BOND PROCEEDS

**Section 501.** Creation of Funds. There are hereby created and ordered to be established in the custody of the Trustee the following special trust funds in the name of the City:

- (a) "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Project Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" (herein called the "Project Fund");
- (b) "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Costs of Issuance Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" (herein called the "Costs of Issuance Fund"); and
- (c) "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Bond Fund Town Centre Industrial Project" (herein called the "Bond Fund").

Section 502. Deposits into the Project Fund. The proceeds of the sale of the Bonds (whether actually paid or deemed paid under Section 208 hereof), including Additional Payments provided for in the Bond Purchase Agreement, when received, excluding such amounts required to be paid into the Bond Fund pursuant to Section 601 hereof, shall be deposited by the Trustee into the Project Fund. Any money received by the Trustee from any other source for the purpose of purchasing, constructing and improving the Project shall pursuant to any directions from the Person depositing such moneys also be deposited into the Project Fund.

#### Section 503. Disbursements from the Project Fund.

(a) The moneys in the Project Fund shall be disbursed by the Trustee for the payment of, or reimbursement to the Company (or any other party that has made payment on behalf of the Company) for payment of, Project Costs upon receipt of requisition certificates signed by the Company in accordance with the provisions of **Article IV** of the Lease. The Trustee hereby covenants and agrees to disburse such moneys in accordance with such provisions.

- (b) If, pursuant to **Section 208** hereof, the Trustee is deemed to have deposited into the Project Fund the amount specified in the requisition certificates submitted by the Company in accordance with the provisions of **Article IV** of the Lease, the Trustee shall upon endorsement of the Bonds in an equal amount be deemed to have disbursed such funds from the Project Fund to the Company (or such other purchaser designated by the Company) in satisfaction of the requisition certificate.
- (c) In paying any requisition under this Section, the Trustee may rely as to the completeness and accuracy of all statements in such requisition certificate if such requisition certificate is signed by the Authorized Company Representative. If the City so requests in writing, a copy of each requisition certificate submitted to the Trustee for payment under this Section shall be promptly provided by the Trustee to the City. The City hereby authorizes and directs the Trustee to make disbursements in the manner and as provided for by the aforesaid provisions of the Lease.
- **Section 504. Completion of the Project.** The completion of the construction and improvement of the Project and payment of all costs and expenses incident thereto shall be evidenced by the filing with the Trustee of the certificate required by the provisions of **Section 4.5** of the Lease. As soon as practicable after the Completion Date any balance remaining in the Project Fund shall without further authorization be transferred by the Trustee to the Bond Fund and applied as provided in **Section 4.6** of the Lease.
- Section 505. Deposits into and Disbursements from the Costs of Issuance Fund. Money deposited by the Company in the Costs of Issuance Fund shall be used solely to pay costs of issuing the Bonds or refunded to the Company as hereinafter provided. The Trustee shall without further authorization disburse from the Costs of Issuance Fund, to the extent available, money sufficient to pay the amounts shown in a closing memorandum provided to the Trustee on or before the date of delivery of the Bonds, in accordance with the invoices attached thereto. The Trustee may rely conclusively on the amounts due as shown in the closing memorandum and will not be required to make any independent inspection or investigation in connection therewith. Any of such money not used to pay costs of issuance by the date that is six months after the Closing Date shall be refunded to the Company.
- **Section 506. Disposition Upon Acceleration.** If the principal of the Bonds has become due and payable pursuant to **Section 902** hereof, upon the date of payment by the Trustee of any moneys due as provided in **Article IX** hereof, any balance remaining in the Project Fund shall without further authorization be deposited in the Bond Fund by the Trustee, with advice to the City and to the Company of such action.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### **REVENUES AND FUNDS**

# **Section 601.** Deposits Into the Bond Fund.

(a) The Trustee shall deposit into the Bond Fund, as and when received, (a) all Basic Rent payable by the Company to the City specified in **Section 5.1** of the Lease; (b) any Additional Rent payable by the Company specified in **Section 5.2** of the Lease; (c) any amount in the Project Fund to be transferred to the Bond Fund pursuant to **Section 504** hereof upon completion of the Project or pursuant to **Section 506** hereof upon acceleration of the Bonds; (d) subject to the terms and conditions of the Mortgage (as such term is defined in the Lease) with respect to the use thereof, any remaining balance of any Net Proceeds (as defined in the Lease) of condemnation awards or insurance received by the Trustee pursuant to **Article** 

IX of the Lease; (e) the amounts to be deposited in the Bond Fund pursuant to **Sections 9.1(f)** and **9.2(c)** of the Lease; (f) all interest and other income derived from investments of Bond Fund moneys as provided in **Section 702** hereof; and (g) all other moneys received by the Trustee under and pursuant to any of the provisions of the Lease when accompanied by directions from the Person depositing such moneys that such moneys are to be paid into the Bond Fund.

(b) If the Company is not the sole Owner of the Bonds, the Trustee shall notify the Company in writing, at least 15 days before each date on which a payment is due under **Section 5.1** of the Lease, of the amount that is payable by the Company pursuant to such Section.

# Section 602. Application of Moneys in the Bond Fund.

- (a) Except as provided in **Section 604** and **Section 908** hereof or in **Section 4.6(a)** of the Lease, moneys in the Bond Fund shall be expended solely for the payment of the principal of and the interest on the Bonds as the same mature and become due or upon the redemption thereof before maturity; provided, however, that any amounts received by the Trustee as Additional Rent under **Section 5.2** of the Lease and deposited to the Bond Fund as provided in **Section 601** above, shall be expended by the Trustee for such items of Additional Rent as they are received or due without further authorization from the City.
- (b) The City hereby authorizes and directs the Trustee to withdraw sufficient funds from the Bond Fund to pay the principal of and the interest on the Bonds as the same become due and payable and to make said funds so withdrawn available to the Paying Agent for the purpose of paying said principal and interest. To the extent the Company is the Owner of all of the Bonds Outstanding, payment may be made via transaction entry on the trust records held by Trustee.
- (c) Whenever the amount in the Bond Fund from any source whatsoever is sufficient to redeem all of the Bonds Outstanding and to pay interest to accrue thereon before such redemption, the City covenants and agrees, upon request of the Company, to take and cause to be taken the necessary steps to redeem all such Bonds on the next succeeding redemption date for which the required redemption notice may be given or on such later redemption date as may be specified by the Company. The Trustee may use any moneys in the Bond Fund to redeem a part of the Bonds Outstanding in accordance with and to the extent permitted by **Article III** hereof so long as the Company is not in default with respect to any payments under the Lease and to the extent said moneys are in excess of the amount required for payment of Bonds theretofore matured or called for redemption and past due interest, if any, in all cases when such Bonds have not been presented for payment.
- (d) After payment in full of the principal of and interest, if any, on the Bonds (or provision has been made for the payment thereof as provided in this Indenture), and the fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee, the City and any Paying Agent and any other amounts required to be paid under this Indenture and the Lease, all amounts remaining in the Bond Fund shall be paid to the Company upon the expiration or sooner termination of the Lease.
- Section 603. Payments Due on Days Other than Business Days. In any case where the date of maturity of principal of or interest, if any, on the Bonds or the date fixed for redemption of any Bonds is not a Business Day, then payment of principal or interest, if any, need not be made on such date but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day with the same force and effect as if made on the date of maturity or the date fixed for redemption, and no interest, if any, shall continue to accrue for the period after such date.

Section 604. Nonpresentment of Bonds. If any Bond is not presented for payment when the principal thereof becomes due, either at maturity or otherwise, or at the date fixed for redemption thereof, if funds sufficient to pay such Bond shall have been made available to the Trustee, all liability of the City to the Owner thereof for the payment of such Bond shall forthwith cease, determine and be completely discharged, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the Trustee to hold such fund or funds, without liability for interest thereon, for the benefit of the Owner of such Bond who shall thereafter be restricted exclusively to such fund or funds for any claim of whatever nature on his part under this Indenture or on, or with respect to, said Bond. If any Bond is not presented for payment within one year following the date when such Bond becomes due, whether by maturity or otherwise, the Trustee shall without liability for interest thereon repay to the Company the funds theretofore held by it for payment of such Bond, and such Bond shall, subject to the defense of any applicable statute of limitation, thereafter be an unsecured obligation of the Company, and the Owner thereof shall be entitled to look only to the Company for payment, and then only to the extent of the amount so repaid, and the Company shall not be liable for any interest thereon and shall not be regarded as a trustee of such money.

Section 605. Repayment to the Company from the Bond Fund. After payment in full of the principal of and interest, if any, on the Bonds (or provision has been made for the payment thereof as provided in this Indenture), and the fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee, the City and any Paying Agent and any other amounts required to be paid under this Indenture and the Lease, all amounts remaining in the Bond Fund shall be paid to the Company upon the expiration or sooner termination of the Lease.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

#### SECURITY FOR DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENT OF FUNDS

Section 701. Moneys to be Held in Trust. All moneys deposited with or paid to the Trustee for account of the Bond Fund or the Project Fund under any provision of this Indenture, and all moneys deposited with or paid to any Paying Agent under any provision of this Indenture, shall be held by the Trustee or Paying Agent in trust and shall be applied only in accordance with the provisions of this Indenture and the Lease, and, until used or applied as herein provided, shall constitute part of the Trust Estate and be subject to the lien hereof. Neither the Trustee nor any Paying Agent shall be under any liability for interest on any moneys received hereunder except such as may be agreed upon in writing.

Investment of Moneys in Project Fund and Bond Fund. Moneys held in the Section 702. Project Fund and the Bond Fund shall, pursuant to written direction of the Company, signed by the Authorized Company Representative, be separately invested and reinvested by the Trustee in Investment Securities which mature or are subject to redemption by the Owner before the date such funds will be needed. If the Company fails to provide written directions concerning investment of moneys held in the Project Fund and the Bond Fund, the Trustee shall invest and re-invest in a money market fund that constitutes an Investment Security specified in paragraph (e) of the definition of Investment Securities, provided they mature or are subject to redemption before the date such funds will be needed. The Trustee is specifically authorized to implement its automated cash investment system to assure that cash on hand is invested and to charge its normal cash management fees and cash sweep account fees, which may be deducted from income earned on investments; provided that any such fees shall not exceed the interest income on the investment. Any such Investment Securities shall be held by or under the control of the Trustee and shall be deemed at all times a part of the fund in which such moneys are originally held, and the interest accruing thereon and any profit realized from such Investment Securities shall be credited to such fund, and any loss resulting from such Investment Securities shall be charged to such fund. After the Trustee has notice pursuant to **Section 1001(h)** hereof of the existence of an Event of Default, the Trustee shall direct the investment of moneys in the Bond Fund and the Project Fund. The Trustee shall sell and reduce to cash a sufficient amount of such Investment Securities whenever the cash balance in any Fund is insufficient for the purposes of such Fund. In determining the balance in any Fund, investments in such Fund shall be valued at the lower of their original cost or their fair market value as of the most recent Payment Date. The Trustee may make any and all investments permitted by the provisions of this Section through its own bond department or any affiliate or short-term investment department. The Trustee may rely on the investment directions of the Authorized Company Representative as to both the suitability and legality of the directed investments.

**Section 703. Record Keeping.** The Trustee shall maintain records designed to show compliance with the provisions of this Article and with the provisions of **Article VI** hereof for at least six years after the payment of all of the Outstanding Bonds.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### GENERAL COVENANTS AND PROVISIONS

**Section 801.** Payment of Principal and Interest. The City covenants and agrees that it will, but solely from the rents, revenues and receipts derived from the Project and the Lease as described herein, deposit or cause to be deposited in the Bond Fund sufficient sums payable under the Lease promptly to meet and pay the principal of and the interest on the Bonds as they become due and payable at the place, on the dates and in the manner provided herein and in the Bonds according to the true intent and meaning thereof. Nothing herein shall be construed as requiring the City to operate the Project as a business other than as lessor or to use any funds or revenues from any source other than funds and revenues derived from the Project.

Section 802. Authority to Execute Indenture and Issue Bonds. The City covenants that it is duly authorized under the Constitution and laws of the State to execute this Indenture, to issue the Bonds and to pledge and assign the Trust Estate in the manner and to the extent herein set forth; that all action on its part for the execution and delivery of this Indenture and the issuance of the Bonds has been duly and effectively taken; that the Bonds in the hands of the Owners thereof are and will be valid and enforceable obligations of the City according to the import thereof.

**Section 803. Performance of Covenants.** The City covenants that it will faithfully perform at all times any and all covenants, undertakings, stipulations and provisions contained in this Indenture, in the Bonds and in all proceedings of its governing body pertaining thereto. The Trustee may take such action as it deems appropriate to enforce all such covenants, undertakings, stipulations and provisions of the City hereunder.

**Section 804. Instruments of Further Assurance.** The City covenants that it will do, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be done, executed, acknowledged and delivered, such Supplemental Indentures and such further acts, instruments, financing statements and other documents as the Trustee may reasonably require for the better pledging and assigning unto the Trustee the property and revenues herein described to the payment of the principal of and interest, if any, on the Bonds. The City covenants and agrees that, except as herein and in the Lease provided, it will not sell, convey, mortgage, encumber or otherwise dispose of any part of the Project or the rents, revenues and receipts derived therefrom or from the Lease, or of its rights under the Lease.

Section 805. Recordings and Filings. The City shall file or cause to be kept and filed all financing statements, and hereby authorizes the Trustee to file or cause to be kept and filed continuation statements with respect to such originally filed financing statements related to this Indenture in order to fully preserve and protect the security of the Owners and the rights of the Trustee hereunder provided a copy of the originally filed financing statement is timely delivered to the Trustee. Unless otherwise notified in writing by the Company or City, the Trustee may conclusively rely upon any originally filed financing statements in filing any continuation statements hereunder. The City will cooperate in causing this Indenture and all Supplemental Indentures, the Lease and all Supplemental Leases and all other security instruments to be recorded and filed in such manner and in such places as may be required by law in order to fully preserve and protect the security of the Owners and the rights of the Trustee hereunder.

**Section 806. Inspection of Project Books.** The City covenants and agrees that all books and documents in its possession relating to the Project and the rents, revenues and receipts derived from the Project shall at all times be open to inspection by such accountants or other agencies as the Trustee may from time to time designate.

Section 807. Enforcement of Rights Under the Lease. The City covenants and agrees that it will enforce all of its rights and all of the obligations of the Company (at the expense of the Company) under the Lease to the extent necessary to preserve the Project in good repair and reasonably safe operating condition, and to protect the rights of the Trustee and the Owners hereunder with respect to the pledge and assignment of the rents, revenues and receipts coming due under the Lease; provided that, the City and the Trustee, as its assignee, shall refrain from enforcing any such right or obligation (except for the rights of the City or the Trustee to receive payments owing to either of them for their own account under the Indenture, the Lease or any other agreement related to the Bonds or for their rights of indemnification or to be protected from liabilities by insurance policies required by the Lease) if so directed in writing by the Owners of 100% of the Outstanding Bonds. The City agrees that the Trustee, as assignee of the rentals and other amounts to be received by the City and paid by the Company under the Lease, or in its name or in the name of the City, may enforce all rights of the City to receive such rentals and other amounts and all obligations of the Company to pay such rentals and other amounts under and pursuant to the Lease for and on behalf of the Owners, whether or not the City is in default hereunder.

# ARTICLE IX

# **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES**

**Section 901.** Events of Default; Notice; Opportunity to Cure. If any of the following events occur, it is hereby defined as and declared to be and to constitute an "Event of Default":

- (a) Default in the due and punctual payment of the principal on any Bond, whether at the stated maturity or accelerated maturity thereof, or at the date fixed for redemption thereof for a period of 5 days following written notice to the City and the Company by the Trustee or by the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding;
- (b) Default in the due and punctual payment of the interest on any Bond, whether at the stated maturity or accelerated maturity thereof, or at the date fixed for redemption thereof for a period of 5 days following written notice to the City and the Company by the Trustee or by the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding;

- (c) Default as specified in **Section 12.1** of the Lease has occurred; or
- (d) Default in the performance, or breach, of any other covenant or agreement under this Indenture.

No default specified above shall constitute an Event of Default until the City, the Trustee or the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding has given actual notice of such default by registered or certified mail to the Company, and the Company has had 30 days after receipt of such notice to correct said default or cause said default to be corrected and has not corrected said default or caused said default to be corrected within such period; provided, however, if any such default (other than a default in the payment of any money) is such that it cannot be corrected within such period, it shall not constitute an Event of Default if corrective action is instituted by the Company or the City (as the case may be) within such period and diligently pursued until the default is corrected.

Section 902. Acceleration of Maturity in Event of Default; Rescission. If an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing after the notice and cure period described in Section 901 elapses, the Trustee may, and upon the written request of the Owners of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding, shall, by notice in writing delivered to the City and the Company, declare the principal of all Bonds then Outstanding and the interest accrued thereon immediately due and payable, and such principal and interest shall thereupon become and be immediately due and payable. At any time after such a declaration of acceleration has been made, but before any judgment or decree for payment of money due on any Bonds has been obtained by the Trustee as provided in this Article, the owners of a majority in principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding may, by written notice to the Company and Trustee but with the written consent of the City, rescind and annul such declaration and its consequences if: (a) there is deposited with the Trustee a sum sufficient to pay: (1) all overdue installments of interest on all Bonds; (2) the principal of (and premium, if any, on) any Bonds which have become due otherwise than by such declaration of acceleration and interest thereon at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Bonds; and (3) all sums paid or advanced by the Trustee hereunder and the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel; and (b) all events of default, other than the non-payment of the principal of Bonds which have become due solely by such declaration of acceleration, have been cured or have been waived as provided in Section 910 of this Indenture.

Section 903. Surrender of Possession of Trust Estate; Rights and Duties of Trustee in Possession. If an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing after the notice and cure period described in Section 901 hereof elapses, the City, upon demand of the Trustee, shall forthwith surrender the possession of, and it shall be lawful for the Trustee, by such officer or agent as it may appoint, to take possession of all or any part of the Trust Estate, together with the books, papers and accounts of the City pertaining thereto, and including the rights and the position of the City under the Lease, and to hold, operate and manage the same, and from time to time make all needful repairs and improvements. The Trustee may lease the Project or any part thereof, in the name and for account of the City, and collect, receive and sequester the rents, revenues and receipts therefrom, and out of the same and any moneys received from any receiver of any part thereof pay, and set up proper reserves for the payment of all proper costs and expenses of so taking, holding and managing the same, including without limitation (a) reasonable compensation to the Trustee, its agents and counsel, (b) any reasonable charges of the Trustee hereunder, (c) any taxes and assessments and other charges having a lien that is senior to the lien of this Indenture, (d) all expenses of such repairs and improvements and (e) any amounts payable under the Lease to the City for its own account. The Trustee shall apply the remainder of the moneys so received in accordance with the provisions of Section 908 hereof. Whenever all that is due upon the Bonds has been paid and all defaults

cured, the Trustee shall surrender possession of the Trust Estate to the City, its successors or assigns, the same right of entry, however, to exist upon any subsequent Event of Default. While in possession of such property, the Trustee shall render annually to the City and the Company a summarized statement of receipts and expenditures in connection therewith.

Section 904. Appointment of Receivers in Event of Default. If an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing after the notice and cure period described in Section 901 elapses, and upon the filing of a suit or other commencement of judicial proceedings to enforce the rights of the Trustee and of the Owners under this Indenture, the Trustee shall be entitled, as a matter of right, to the appointment of a receiver or receivers of the Trust Estate or any part thereof, pending such proceedings, with such powers as the court making such appointment shall confer.

# Section 905. Exercise of Remedies by the Trustee.

- (a) Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default, the Trustee may pursue any available remedy at law or in equity by suit, action, mandamus or other proceeding to enforce the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds then Outstanding and all other amounts due hereunder, and to enforce and compel the performance of the duties and obligations of the City or the Company as herein set forth or as set forth in the Lease, respectively.
- (b) If an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing after the notice and cure period described in Section 901 elapses, and if requested to do so by (1) the City (in the case of an Event of Default pursuant to any subsection of Section 12.1 of the Lease other than Section 12.1(a)), or (2) the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding, and if indemnified as provided in subsection (l) of Section 1001 hereof, the Trustee shall be obligated to exercise such one or more of the rights and powers conferred by this Article as the Trustee, being advised by counsel, shall deem most expedient and in the interests of the City or the Owners, as the case may be.
- (c) All rights of action under this Indenture or under any of the Bonds may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Bonds or the production thereof in any trial or other proceedings relating thereto, and any such suit or proceeding instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its name as Trustee without necessity of joining as plaintiffs or defendants any Owners, and any recovery of judgment shall, subject to the provisions of **Section 908** hereof, be for the equal benefit of all the Owners of the Outstanding Bonds.

Section 906. Limitation on Exercise of Remedies by Owners. No Owner shall have any right to institute any suit, action or proceeding in equity or at law for the enforcement of this Indenture or for the execution of any trust hereunder or for the appointment of a receiver or any other remedy hereunder, unless (a) a default has occurred of which the Trustee has been notified as provided in Section 1001(h) hereof or of which by said subsection the Trustee is deemed to have notice, (b) such default has become an Event of Default, (c) the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding have made written request to the Trustee, have offered it reasonable opportunity either to proceed for such reasonable period not to exceed 60 days following such notice and to exercise the powers hereinbefore granted or to institute such action, suit or proceeding in its own name, and have offered to the Trustee indemnity as provided in Section 1001(l) hereof, and (d) the Trustee thereafter fails or refuses to exercise the powers herein granted or to institute such action, suit or proceeding in its own name; such notification, request and offer of indemnity are hereby declared in every case, at the option of the Trustee, to be conditions precedent to the execution of the powers and trusts of this Indenture, and to any action or cause of action for the enforcement of this Indenture, or for the appointment of a receiver or for any other remedy hereunder, it being understood

and intended that no one or more Owners shall have any right in any manner whatsoever to affect, disturb or prejudice this Indenture by their action or to enforce any right hereunder except in the manner herein provided, and that all proceedings at law or equity shall be instituted, had and maintained in the manner herein provided and for the equal benefit of the Owners of all Bonds then Outstanding. Nothing in this Indenture contained shall, however, affect or impair the right of any Owner to payment of the principal of and interest on any Bond at and after the maturity thereof or the obligation of the City to pay the principal of and interest on each of the Bonds issued hereunder to the respective Owners thereof at the time, place, from the source and in the manner herein and in the Bonds expressed.

# Section 907. Right of Owners to Direct Proceedings.

- (a) The Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding may, at any time, by an instrument or instruments in writing executed and delivered to the Trustee, direct the time, method and place of conducting all proceedings to be taken in connection with the enforcement of the terms and conditions of this Indenture, or for the appointment of a receiver or any other proceedings hereunder; provided that such direction shall not be otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of law and of this Indenture, including Section 1001(1) hereof.
- (b) Notwithstanding any provision in this Indenture to the contrary, including paragraph (a) of this Section, the Owners shall not have the right to control or direct any remedies hereunder upon an Event of Default under Section 12.1(b) or (c) (but only with respect to Unassigned Rights) or Section 12.1(d) or (e) of the Lease.

# Section 908. Application of Moneys in Event of Default.

- (a) All moneys received by the Trustee pursuant to any right given or action taken under the provisions of this Article shall, after payment *first* of the cost and expenses of the proceedings resulting in the collection of such moneys and of the fees, expenses, liabilities and advances incurred or made by the Trustee (including any attorneys fees and expenses) and amounts to be paid pursuant to **Section 903** hereof, and *second* of any obligations outstanding under the Lease, be deposited in the Bond Fund and all moneys so deposited in the Bond Fund shall be applied as follows:
  - (1) Unless the principal of all the Bonds shall have become or shall have been declared due and payable, all such moneys shall be applied:
    - FIRST -- To the payment to the Persons entitled thereto of all installments of interest, if any, then due and payable on the Bonds, in the order in which such installments of interest became due and payable, and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full any particular installment, then to the payment ratably, according to the amounts due on such installment, to the Persons entitled thereto, without any discrimination or privilege;
    - SECOND -- To the payment to the Persons entitled thereto of the unpaid principal of any of the Bonds which shall have become due and payable (other than Bonds called for redemption for the payment of which moneys are held pursuant to the provisions of this Indenture), in the order of their due dates, and, if the amount available shall not be sufficient to pay in full Bonds due on any particular date, together with such interest, then to the payment, ratably, according to the amount of principal due on such date, to the Persons entitled thereto without any discrimination or privilege.

- (2) If the principal of all the Bonds shall have become due or shall have been declared due and payable, all such moneys shall be applied to the payment of the principal and interest, if any, then due and unpaid on all of the Bonds, without preference or priority of principal over interest or of interest over principal or of any installment of interest over any other installment of interest or of any Bond over any other Bond, ratably, according to the amounts due respectively for principal and interest, to the Person entitled thereto, without any discrimination or privilege.
- (3) If the principal of all the Bonds shall have been declared due and payable, and if such declaration shall thereafter have been rescinded and annulled under the provisions of **Section 910** hereof, then, subject to the provisions of subsection (2) of this Section in the event that the principal of all the Bonds shall later become due or be declared due and payable, the moneys shall be applied in accordance with the provisions of subsection (1) of this Section.
- (b) Whenever moneys are to be applied pursuant to the provisions of this Section, such moneys shall be applied at such times and from time to time as the Trustee shall determine, having due regard to the amount of such moneys available and which may become available for such application in the future. Whenever the Trustee shall apply such moneys, it shall fix the date (which shall be a Payment Date unless it shall deem another date more suitable) upon which such application is to be made and upon such date interest on the amounts of principal to be paid on such dates shall cease to accrue.
- (c) Whenever all of the Bonds and interest thereon, if any, have been paid under the provisions of this Section, and all fees, expenses and charges of the City and the Trustee and any other amounts required to be paid under this Indenture and the Lease have been paid, any balance remaining in the Bond Fund shall be paid to the Company as provided in **Section 602** hereof.

Section 909. Remedies Cumulative. No remedy by the terms of this Indenture conferred upon or reserved to the Trustee or to the Owners is intended to be exclusive of any other remedy, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to any other remedy given to the Trustee or to the Owners hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute. No delay or omission to exercise any right, power or remedy accruing upon any Event of Default shall impair any such right, power or remedy or shall be construed to be a waiver of any such Event of Default or acquiescence therein; every such right, power or remedy may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient. If the Trustee has proceeded to enforce any right under this Indenture by the appointment of a receiver, by entry, or otherwise, and such proceedings have been discontinued or abandoned for any reason, or have been determined adversely, then and in every such case the City, the Company, the Trustee and the Owners shall be restored to their former positions and rights hereunder, and all rights, remedies and powers of the Trustee shall continue as if no such proceedings had been taken.

Section 910. Waivers of Events of Default. The Trustee shall waive any Event of Default hereunder and its consequences and rescind any declaration of maturity of principal of and interest, if any, on Bonds, and only upon the written request of the Owners of at least 50% in aggregate principal amount of all the Bonds then Outstanding, provided, however, that (1) there shall not be waived without the consent of the City an Event of Default hereunder arising from an Event of Default under any subsection of Section 12.1 of the Lease other than Section 12.1(a), and (2) there shall not be waived without the consent of the Owners of all the Bonds Outstanding (a) any Event of Default in the payment of the principal of any Outstanding Bonds when due (whether at the date of maturity or redemption specified therein), or (b) any Event of Default in the payment when due of the interest on any such Bonds, unless prior to such waiver or rescission, all arrears of interest, or all arrears of payments of principal when due, as the case may be, and

all reasonable expenses of the Trustee and the City (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses), in connection with such default, shall have been paid or provided for. In case of any such waiver or rescission, or in case any proceeding taken by the Trustee on account of any such default shall have been discontinued or abandoned or determined adversely, then and in every such case the City, the Company, the Trustee and the Owners shall be restored to their former positions, rights and obligations hereunder, respectively, but no such waiver or rescission shall extend to any subsequent or other default, or impair any right consequent thereon, and all rights, remedies and powers of the Trustee shall continue as if no such proceedings had been taken.

# **ARTICLE X**

## THE TRUSTEE

**Section 1001.** Acceptance of the Trusts. The Trustee hereby accepts the trusts imposed upon it by this Indenture, but only upon and subject to the following express terms and conditions, and no implied covenants or obligations shall be read into this Indenture against the Trustee:

- (a) The Trustee, before the occurrence of an Event of Default and after the curing or waiver of all Events of Default that may have occurred, undertakes to perform such duties and only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Indenture. If any Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, subject to **Section 1001(l)** hereof, the Trustee shall exercise such of the rights and powers vested in it by this Indenture, and shall use the same degree of care and skill in their exercise, as a prudent Person would exercise or use under the circumstances in the conduct of its own affairs.
- (b) The Trustee may execute any of the trusts or powers hereunder or perform any duties hereunder either directly or through agents, affiliates, attorneys or receivers and shall not be responsible for any misconduct or negligence on the part of any agent, attorney or receiver appointed or chosen by it with due care. The Trustee may conclusively rely upon and act or refrain from acting upon any opinion or advice of counsel, who may be counsel to the City or to the Company, concerning all matters of trust hereof and the duties hereunder, and may in all cases pay such reasonable compensation to all such agents, attorneys and receivers as may reasonably be employed in connection with the trusts hereof. The Trustee shall not be responsible for any loss or damage resulting from any action or inaction by it taken or omitted to be taken in good faith in reliance upon such opinion or advice of counsel addressed to the City or the Trustee.
- (c) The Trustee shall not be responsible for any recital herein or in the Bonds (except with respect to the Certificate of Authentication of the Trustee endorsed on the Bonds), or except as provided in the Lease and particularly **Section 10.8** thereof, for the recording or rerecording, filing or refiling of this Indenture or any security agreement in connection therewith (excluding the continuation of Uniform Commercial Code financing statements), or for insuring the Project or collecting any insurance moneys, or for the validity of the execution by the City of this Indenture or of any Supplemental Indentures or instruments of further assurance, or for the sufficiency of the security of the Bonds. The Trustee shall not be responsible or liable for any loss suffered in connection with any investment of funds made by it in accordance with **Article VII** hereof.
- (d) The Trustee shall not be accountable for the use of any Bonds authenticated and delivered hereunder. The Trustee, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the Owner or pledgee of Bonds with the same rights that it would have if it were not Trustee. The Trustee

shall not be accountable for the use or application by the City or the Company of the proceeds of any of the Bonds or of any money paid to or upon the order of the City or Company under any provision of this Indenture.

- (e) The Trustee may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, affidavit, letter, telegram or other paper or document provided for under this Indenture believed by it to be genuine and correct and to have been signed, presented or sent by the proper Person or Persons. Any action taken by the Trustee pursuant to this Indenture upon the request or authority or consent of any Person who, at the time of making such request or giving such authority or consent is an Owner, shall be conclusive and binding upon all future Owners of the same Bond and upon Bonds issued in exchange therefor or upon transfer or in place thereof.
- As to the existence or nonexistence of any fact or as to the sufficiency or validity of any instrument, paper or proceeding, or whenever in the administration of this Indenture the Trustee shall deem it desirable that a matter be proved or established before taking, suffering or omitting any action hereunder, the Trustee shall be entitled to rely upon a certificate signed by the Authorized City Representative or an Authorized Company Representative as sufficient evidence of the facts therein contained, and before the occurrence of a default of which the Trustee has been notified as provided in subsection (h) of this Section or of which by said subsection it is deemed to have notice, the Trustee shall also be at liberty to accept a similar certificate to the effect that any particular dealing, transaction or action is necessary or expedient, but may at its discretion secure such further evidence deemed necessary or advisable, but shall in no case be bound to secure the same. The Trustee is under no duty to perform an independent investigation as to any statement or fact contained in any such certificate, opinion or advice it obtains regarding the accuracy or truth of any statement or correctness of any opinion. The Trustee shall not be liable for any action or inaction taken in good faith in reliance on such a certificate or any advice received from counsel, and the Trustee may conclusively rely as to the truth of the statements and the correctness of the opinions or statements expressed therein.
- (g) The permissive right of the Trustee to do things enumerated in this Indenture shall not be construed as a duty, and the Trustee shall not be answerable for other than its negligence or willful misconduct. In no event shall the Trustee be liable for consequential damages. The Trustee shall not be liable for any act or omission, in the absence of bad faith, when the Trustee reasonably believes the act or failure to act is authorized and within its powers to perform under the Indenture.
- (h) The Trustee shall not be required to take notice or be deemed to have notice of any default hereunder except failure by the City to cause to be made any of the payments to the Trustee required to pay the principal of and the interest on the Bonds as the same become due and payable, unless the Trustee is specifically notified in writing of such default by the City or by the Owners of at least 25% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds then Outstanding.
- (i) At any and all reasonable times and subject to the Company's reasonable and standard security procedures, the Trustee and its duly authorized agents, attorneys, experts, engineers, accountants and representatives may, but shall not be required to, inspect any and all of the Project, and all books, papers and records of the City pertaining to the Project and the Bonds, and to take such memoranda from and in regard thereto as may be desired. The Trustee shall treat all proprietary information of the Company as confidential.

- (j) The Trustee shall not be required to give any bond or surety in respect to the execution of its trusts and powers hereunder or otherwise in respect of the Project.
- (k) The Trustee may, but shall not be required to, demand, in respect of the authentication of any Bonds, the withdrawal of any cash, the release of any property, or any action whatsoever within the purview of this Indenture, any showings, certificates, opinions, appraisals or other information, or corporate action or evidence thereof, in addition to that by the terms hereof required, as a condition of such action by the Trustee deemed desirable for the purpose of establishing the right of the City to the authentication of any Bonds, the withdrawal of any cash, or the taking of any other action by the Trustee.
- (l) Notwithstanding anything in the Indenture or the Lease to the contrary, before taking any action under this Indenture other than the payments from moneys on deposit in the Project Fund or the Bond Fund, as provided herein, the Trustee may require that satisfactory indemnity be furnished to it for the reimbursement of all costs and expenses to which it may be put and to protect it against all liability which it may incur in or by reason of such action, except liability which is adjudicated to have resulted from its negligence or willful misconduct by reason of any action so taken.
- (m) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Indenture to the contrary, any provision relating to the conduct of, intended to provide authority to act, right to payment of fees and expenses, protection, immunity and indemnification to the Trustee, shall be interpreted to include any action of the Trustee, whether it is deemed to be in its capacity as Trustee, bond registrar or Paying Agent.
- (n) The Trustee shall have no responsibility with respect to any information, statement or recital in any official statement, offering memorandum or any other disclosure material prepared or distributed with respect to the Bonds and shall have no responsibility for compliance with any state or federal securities laws in connection with the Bonds.
- (o) None of the provisions of this Indenture shall require the Trustee to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise to incur any liability, financial or otherwise, in the performance of any of its duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or indemnity satisfactory to it against such risk or liability is not assured to it.

Section 1002. Fees, Charges and Expenses of the Trustee. The Trustee shall be entitled to payment of and/or reimbursement for reasonable fees for its ordinary services rendered hereunder and all advances, agent and counsel fees and other ordinary expenses reasonably made or incurred by the Trustee in connection with such ordinary services. If it becomes necessary for the Trustee to perform extraordinary services, it shall be entitled to reasonable extra compensation therefor and to reimbursement for reasonable extraordinary expenses in connection therewith; provided that if such extraordinary services or extraordinary expenses are occasioned by the neglect or willful misconduct of the Trustee, it shall not be entitled to compensation or reimbursement therefor. The Trustee shall be entitled to payment and reimbursement for the reasonable fees and charges of the Trustee as Paying Agent for the Bonds. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 5.2 of the Lease, the Company has agreed to pay to the Trustee all reasonable fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee agrees that the City shall have no liability for any reasonable fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee, and the Trustee agrees to look only to the Company for the payment of all reasonable fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and any Paying Agent as provided in the Lease. Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default and during its

continuance, the Trustee shall have a lien with right of payment before payment on account of principal of or interest on any Bond, upon all moneys in its possession under any provisions hereof for the foregoing reasonable advances, fees, costs and expenses incurred. The Trustee's right to compensation and indemnification relating to period during which it serves as Trustee hereunder shall survive the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture or it resignation or removal hereunder and payment in full of the Bonds.

Section 1003. Notice to Owners if Default Occurs. If a default occurs of which the Trustee is by Section 1001(h) hereof required to take notice or if notice of default is given as in said subsection (h) provided, then the Trustee shall give written notice thereof to the last known Owners of all Bonds then Outstanding as shown by the bond registration books required by Section 206 hereof to be kept at the corporate trust office of the Trustee.

**Section 1004. Intervention by the Trustee.** In any judicial proceeding to which the City is a party and which, in the opinion of the Trustee and its counsel, has a substantial bearing on the interests of Owners, the Trustee may intervene on behalf of Owners and, subject to the provisions of **Section 1001(l)** hereof, shall do so if requested in writing by the Owners of at least 25% of the aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding.

Section 1005. Successor Trustee Upon Merger, Consolidation or Sale. With the prior written consent of the Company, any corporation or association into which the Trustee may be merged or converted or with or into which it may be consolidated, or to which it may sell or transfer its corporate trust business and assets as a whole or substantially as a whole, or any corporation or association resulting from any merger, conversion, sale, consolidation or transfer to which it is a party, shall be and become successor Trustee hereunder and shall be vested with all the trusts, powers, rights, obligations, duties, remedies, immunities and privileges hereunder as was its predecessor, without the execution or filing of any instrument or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto.

Section 1006. Resignation of Trustee. The Trustee and any successor Trustee may at any time resign from the trusts hereby created by giving 30 days' written notice to the City, the Company and the Owners, and such resignation shall take effect at the end of such 30 days, or upon the earlier appointment of a successor Trustee by the Owners or by the City; provided, however, that in no event shall the resignation of the Trustee or any successor trustee become effective until such time as a successor trustee has been appointed and has accepted the appointment. If no successor has been appointed and accepted the appointment within 30 days after the giving of such notice of resignation, the Trustee may petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Trustee. The Trustee's rights to indemnity arising from conduct that occurred during its tenure as Trustee and to any fees, charges or other amounts due and payable to it that accrued during its tenure as Trustee shall survive such resignation.

**Section 1007. Removal of Trustee.** The Trustee may be removed at any time, with or without cause, by an instrument or concurrent instruments in writing (a) delivered to the Trustee, the City and the Company and signed by the Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding, or (b) so long as no Event of Default under this Indenture or the Lease shall have occurred and be continuing, delivered to the Trustee, the Company and the Owners and signed by the City. The Trustee's rights to indemnity arising from conduct that occurred during its tenure as Trustee and to any fees, charges or other amounts due and payable to it that accrued during its tenure as Trustee shall survive such removal.

**Section 1008. Appointment of Successor Trustee.** If the Trustee hereunder resigns or is removed, or otherwise becomes incapable of acting hereunder, or if it is taken under the control of any public officer or officers or of a receiver appointed by a court, a successor Trustee (a) reasonably acceptable

to the City may be appointed by the Company (so long as no Event of Default has occurred and is continuing), or (b) reasonably acceptable to the City and the Company may be appointed by the Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding, by an instrument or concurrent instruments in writing; provided, nevertheless, that in case of such vacancy, the City, by an instrument executed and signed by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk under its seal, may appoint a temporary Trustee to fill such vacancy until a successor Trustee shall be appointed in the manner above provided. Any such temporary Trustee so appointed by the City shall immediately and without further acts be superseded by the successor Trustee so appointed as provided above. Every such Trustee appointed pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be a trust company or bank in good standing and qualified to accept such trust with a corporate trust office in the State, and having, or whose obligations are guaranteed by a financial institution having, a reported capital, surplus and undivided profits of not less than \$50,000,000. If no successor Trustee has been so appointed and accepted appointment in the manner herein provided, the Trustee or any Owner may petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Trustee, until a successor shall have been appointed as above provided.

Section 1009. Vesting of Trusts in Successor Trustee. Every successor Trustee appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to its predecessor and also to the City and the Company an instrument in writing accepting such appointment hereunder, and thereupon such successor shall, without any further act, deed or conveyance, become fully vested with all the trusts, powers, rights, obligations, duties, remedies, immunities and privileges of its predecessor and the duties and obligations of such predecessor hereunder shall thereafter cease and terminate; but such predecessor shall, nevertheless, on the written request of the City, execute and deliver an instrument transferring to such successor Trustee all the trusts, powers, rights, obligations, duties, remedies, immunities and privileges of such predecessor hereunder; every predecessor Trustee shall deliver all securities and moneys held by it as Trustee hereunder to its successor. Should any instrument in writing from the City be required by any predecessor or successor Trustee for more fully and certainly vesting in such successor the trusts, powers, rights, obligations, duties, remedies, immunities and privileges hereby vested in the predecessor, any and all such instruments in writing shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the City.

Section 1010. Right of Trustee to Pay Taxes and Other Charges. If any tax, assessment or governmental or other charge upon, or insurance premium with respect to, any part of the Project is not paid as required herein or in the Lease, the Trustee may pay such tax, assessment or governmental charge or insurance premium, without prejudice, however, to any rights of the Trustee or the Owners hereunder arising in consequence of such failure; any amount at any time so paid under this Section, with interest thereon from the date of payment at the rate of 10% per annum, shall become an additional obligation secured by this Indenture, and the same shall be given a preference in payment over any payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, and shall be paid out of the proceeds of rents, revenues and receipts collected from the Project, if not otherwise caused to be paid; but the Trustee shall be under no obligation to make any such payment unless it shall have been requested to do so by the Owners of at least 25% of the aggregate principal amount of Bonds then Outstanding and shall have been provided adequate funds for the purpose of such payment.

# Section 1011. Trust Estate May be Vested in Co-Trustee.

(a) It is the purpose of this Indenture that there shall be no violation of any law of any jurisdiction (including particularly the State) denying or restricting the right of banking corporations or associations to transact business as trustee in such jurisdiction. It is recognized that in case of litigation under this Indenture or the Lease, and in particular in case of the enforcement of either this Indenture or the Lease upon the occurrence of an Event of Default or if the Trustee deems that by reason of any present or

future law of any jurisdiction it cannot exercise any of the powers, rights or remedies herein granted to the Trustee, or take any other action which may be desirable or necessary in connection therewith, it may be necessary or desirable that the Trustee appoint an additional individual or institution as a co-trustee or separate trustee, and the Trustee is hereby authorized to appoint such co-trustee or separate trustee.

- (b) If the Trustee appoints an additional individual or institution as a co-trustee or separate trustee (which appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Company), each and every remedy, power, right, claim, demand, cause of action, immunity, title, interest and lien expressed or intended by this Indenture to be exercised by the Trustee with respect thereto shall be exercisable by such co-trustee or separate trustee but only to the extent necessary to enable such co-trustee or separate trustee to exercise such powers, rights and remedies, and every covenant and obligation necessary to the exercise thereof by such co-trustee or separate trustee shall run to and be enforceable by either of them.
- (c) Should any deed, conveyance or instrument in writing from the City be required by the cotrustee or separate trustee so appointed by the Trustee for more fully and certainly vesting in and confirming to such co-trustee such properties, rights, powers, trusts, duties and obligations, any and all such deeds, conveyances and instruments in writing shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the City.
- (d) If any co-trustee or separate trustee shall die, become incapable of acting, resign or be removed, all the properties, rights, powers, trusts, duties and obligations of such co-trustee or separate trustee, so far as permitted by law, shall vest in and be exercised by the Trustee until the appointment of a successor to such co-trustee or separate trustee.
- **Section 1012.** Accounting. The Trustee shall render an annual accounting for the period ending December 31 of each year, within 90 days following the end of such year, to the City, the Company and to any Owner requesting the same and, upon the request of the City, the Company or any Owner, a monthly accounting to any such party, showing in reasonable detail all financial transactions relating to the Trust Estate during the accounting period and the balance in any funds or accounts created by this Indenture as of the beginning and close of such accounting period.
- **Section 1013. Performance of Duties Under the Lease.** The Trustee hereby accepts and agrees to perform all duties and obligations assigned to it under the Lease.

# **ARTICLE XI**

# SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURES

- **Section 1101. Supplemental Indentures Not Requiring Consent of Owners.** The City and the Trustee may from time to time, without the consent of or notice to any of the Owners, enter into such Supplemental Indenture or Supplemental Indentures as shall not be inconsistent with the terms and provisions hereof, for any one or more of the following purposes:
  - (a) To cure any ambiguity or formal defect or omission in this Indenture, or to make any other change which, in the judgment of the Trustee, is not to the material prejudice of the Trustee or the Owners (provided the Trustee is entitled to receive and may conclusively rely upon an opinion of counsel in exercising such judgment);

- (b) To grant to or confer upon the Trustee for the benefit of the Owners any additional rights, remedies, powers or authority that may lawfully be granted to or conferred upon the Owners or the Trustee or either of them;
- (c) To more precisely identify any portion of the Project or to add additional property thereto;
- (d) To conform the Indenture to amendments to the Lease made by the City and the Company; or
  - (e) To subject to this Indenture additional revenues, properties or collateral.

# Section 1102. Supplemental Indentures Requiring Consent of Owners.

- (a) Exclusive of Supplemental Indentures covered by **Section 1101** hereof and subject to the terms and provisions contained in this Section, and not otherwise, the Owners of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding may, from time to time, anything contained in this Indenture to the contrary notwithstanding, consent to and approve the execution by the City and the Trustee of such other Supplemental Indenture or Supplemental Indentures as shall be deemed necessary and desirable by the City for the purpose of modifying, amending, adding to or rescinding, in any particular, any of the terms or provisions contained in this Indenture or in any Supplemental Indenture; provided, however, that without the consent of the Owners of 100% of the principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding, nothing in this Indenture contained shall permit or be construed as permitting (1) an extension of the maturity or a shortening of the redemption date of the principal of or the interest, if any, on any Bond issued hereunder, or (2) a reduction in the principal amount of any Bond or Bonds, or (4) a reduction in the aggregate principal amount of Bonds; for any of which the consent of the Owners of 100% of the principal amount of the affected Bonds then Outstanding is required.
- (b) If at the time the City requests the Trustee to enter into any such Supplemental Indenture for any of the purposes of this Section, the Trustee shall cause notice of the proposed execution of such Supplemental Indenture to be mailed to each Owner as shown on the bond registration books required by Section 206 hereof. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed Supplemental Indenture and shall state that copies thereof are on file at the corporate trust office of the Trustee for inspection by all Owners. If within 60 days or such longer period as may be prescribed by the City following the mailing of such notice, the Owners of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding at the time of the execution of any such Supplemental Indenture shall have consented to and approved the execution thereof as herein provided, no Owner shall have any right to object to any of the terms and provisions contained therein, or the operation thereof, or in any manner to question the propriety of the execution thereof, or to enjoin or restrain the Trustee or the City from executing the same or from taking any action pursuant to the provisions thereof.

Section 1103. Company's Consent to Supplemental Indentures. Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, a Supplemental Indenture under this Article that affects any rights of the Company shall not become effective unless and until the Company and the Lender shall have consented in writing to the execution and delivery of such Supplemental Indenture. The Trustee shall cause notice of the proposed execution and delivery of any Supplemental Indenture (regardless of whether it affects the Company's rights) together with a copy of the proposed Supplemental Indenture to be mailed to the

Company and the Lender at least 15 days prior to the proposed date of execution and delivery of the Supplemental Indenture.

Section 1104. Opinion of Counsel. In executing, or accepting the additional trusts created by, any Supplemental Indenture permitted by this Article or the modification thereby of the trusts created by this Indenture, the Trustee and the City shall receive, and, shall be fully protected in relying upon, an opinion of counsel addressed and delivered to the Trustee and the City stating that the execution of such Supplemental Indenture is permitted by and in compliance with this Indenture and will, upon the execution and delivery thereof, be a valid and binding obligation of the City. The Trustee may, but shall not be obligated to, enter into any such Supplemental Indenture which affects the Trustee's rights, duties or immunities under this Indenture or otherwise.

## **ARTICLE XII**

# SUPPLEMENTAL LEASES

Section 1201. Supplemental Leases Not Requiring Consent of Owners. The City and the Trustee shall, without the consent of or notice to the Owners, consent to the execution of any Supplemental Lease or Supplemental Leases by the City and the Company as may be required (a) by the provisions of the Lease and this Indenture, (b) for the purpose of curing any ambiguity or formal defect or omission in the Lease, (c) so as to more precisely identify the Project or add additional property thereto or (d) in connection with any other change therein which, in the judgment of the Trustee, does not materially and adversely affect the Trustee or security for the Owners (provided the Trustee is entitled to receive and may conclusively rely upon an opinion of counsel in exercising such judgment).

Section 1202. Supplemental Leases Requiring Consent of Owners. Except for Supplemental Leases as provided for in Section 1201 hereof, neither the City nor the Trustee shall consent to the execution of any Supplemental Lease or Supplemental Leases by the City or the Company without the mailing of notice and the obtaining of the written approval or consent of the Owners of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds at the time Outstanding given and obtained as provided in Section 1102 hereof. If at any time the City and the Company shall request the consent of the Trustee to any such proposed Supplemental Lease, the Trustee shall cause notice of such proposed Supplemental Lease to be mailed in the same manner as provided in **Section 1102** hereof with respect to Supplemental Indentures. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of such proposed Supplemental Lease and shall state that copies of the same are on file in the corporate trust office of the Trustee for inspection by all Owners. If within 60 days or such longer period as may be prescribed by the City following the mailing of such notice, the Owners of not less than 50% in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding at the time of the execution of any such Supplemental Lease shall have consented to and approved the execution thereof as herein provided, no Owner shall have any right to object to any of the terms and provisions contained therein, or the operation thereof, or in any manner to question the propriety of the execution thereof, or to enjoin or restrain the Trustee or the City from executing the same or from taking any action pursuant to the provisions thereof.

**Section 1203. Opinion of Counsel.** In executing or consenting to any Supplemental Lease permitted by this Article, the City and the Trustee shall receive, and shall be fully protected in relying upon, an opinion of counsel addressed to the Trustee and the City stating that the executing of such Supplemental Lease is authorized or permitted by the Lease and this Indenture and the applicable law and will upon the execution and delivery thereof be valid and binding obligations of the parties thereof.

## **ARTICLE XIII**

## SATISFACTION AND DISCHARGE OF INDENTURE

# Section 1301. Satisfaction and Discharge of this Indenture.

- (a) When the principal of and interest on all the Bonds have been paid in accordance with their terms or provision has been made for such payment, as provided in Section 1302 hereof, and provision also made for paying all other sums payable hereunder and under the Lease, including the reasonable fees and expenses of the Trustee, the City and Paying Agent to the date of retirement of the Bonds, then the right, title and interest of the Trustee in respect hereof shall thereupon cease, determine and be void. Thereupon, the Trustee shall cancel, discharge and release this Indenture and shall upon the written request of the City or the Company execute, acknowledge and deliver to the City such instruments of satisfaction and discharge or release as shall be required to evidence such release and the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture, and shall assign and deliver to the City (subject to the City's obligations under Section 11.2 of the Lease) any property at the time subject to this Indenture which may then be in its possession, except amounts in the Bond Fund required to be paid to the Company under Section 602 hereof and except funds or securities in which such funds are invested held by the Trustee for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.
- (b) The City is hereby authorized to accept a certificate by the Trustee that the whole amount of the principal and interest, if any, so due and payable upon all of the Bonds then Outstanding has been paid or such payment provided for in accordance with **Section 1302** hereof as evidence of satisfaction of this Indenture, and upon receipt thereof shall cancel and erase the inscription of this Indenture from its records.

### Section 1302. Bonds Deemed to be Paid.

- (a) Bonds shall be deemed to be paid within the meaning of this Article when payment of the principal of and interest thereon to the due date thereof (whether such due date be by reason of maturity or upon redemption as provided in this Indenture, or otherwise), either (1) have been made or caused to be made in accordance with the terms thereof, or (2) have been provided for by depositing with the Trustee or other commercial bank or trust company having full trust powers and authorized to accept trusts in the State in trust and irrevocably set aside exclusively for such payment (i) moneys sufficient to make such payment or (ii) Government Securities maturing as to principal and interest in such amount and at such times as will insure the availability of sufficient moneys to make such payment, or (3) have been provided for by surrendering the Bonds to the Trustee for cancellation. At such time as Bonds are deemed to be paid hereunder, as aforesaid, they shall no longer be secured by or entitled to the benefits of this Indenture, except for the purposes of such payment from such moneys or Government Securities.
- (b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the case of Bonds which by their terms may be redeemed before the stated maturities thereof, no deposit under clause (2) of the immediately preceding paragraph shall be deemed a payment of such Bonds as aforesaid until, as to all such Bonds which are to be redeemed before their respective stated maturities, proper notice of such redemption shall have been given in accordance with **Article III** hereof or irrevocable instructions shall have been given to the Trustee to give such notice.

(c) Notwithstanding any provision of any other section of this Indenture which may be contrary to the provisions of this Section, all moneys or Government Securities set aside and held in trust pursuant to the provisions of this Section for the payment of Bonds shall be applied to and used solely for the payment of the particular Bonds, with respect to which such moneys and Government Securities have been so set aside in trust.

#### ARTICLE XIV

## MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

# Section 1401. Consents and Other Instruments by Owners.

- (a) Any consent, request, direction, approval, objection or other instrument required by this Indenture to be signed and executed by the Owners may be in any number of concurrent writings of similar tenor and may be signed or executed by such Owners in Person or by agent appointed in writing. Proof of the execution of any such instrument or of the writing appointing any such agent and of the ownership of Bonds (other than the assignment of ownership of a Bond) if made in the following manner, shall be sufficient for any of the purposes of this Indenture, and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken, suffered or omitted under any such instrument, namely:
  - (i) The fact and date of the execution by any Person of any such instrument may be proved by the certificate of any officer in any jurisdiction who by law has power to take acknowledgments within such jurisdiction that the Person signing such instrument acknowledged before him the execution thereof, or by affidavit of any witness to such execution.
  - (ii) The fact of ownership of Bonds and the amount or amounts, numbers and other identification of such Bonds, and the date of holding the same shall be proved by the registration books of the City maintained by the Trustee pursuant to **Section 206** hereof.
- (b) In determining whether the Owners of the requisite principal amount of Bonds Outstanding have given any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver under this Indenture, Bonds owned by the Company shall be disregarded and deemed not to be Outstanding under this Indenture, except that, in determining whether the Trustee shall be protected in relying upon any such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver, only Bonds which the Trustee knows to be so owned shall be so disregarded; provided, the foregoing provisions shall not be applicable if the Company is the only Owner of the Bonds. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Bonds so owned which have been pledged in good faith shall not be disregarded as aforesaid if the pledgee establishes to the satisfaction of the Trustee the pledgee's right so to act with respect to such Bonds and the pledgee is not the Company or any affiliate thereof.
- Section 1402. Limitation of Rights Under this Indenture. With the exception of rights herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or mentioned in or to be implied from this Indenture or the Bonds is intended or shall be construed to give any Person other than the parties hereto, and the Owners, if any, any right, remedy or claim under or in respect to this Indenture, this Indenture and all of the covenants, conditions and provisions hereof being intended to be and being for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto, the Lender and the Owners, as herein provided.
- Section 1403. Notices. It shall be sufficient service of any notice, request, complaint, demand or other paper required by this Indenture to be given or filed with the City, the Trustee, the Company, the

Lender or Owners if the same is duly mailed, postage prepaid, sent by overnight delivery or other delivery service, or by email, as follows:

(a) To the City:

City of Lee's Summit, Missouri 220 SE Green Street Lee's Summit, Missouri 64063 Attention: City Clerk

(b) To the Trustee:

BOKF, N.A. 2405 Grand Boulevard, Suite 840 Kansas City, Missouri 64108 Attention: Corporate Trust Department

(c) To the Company:

Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C. 1120 NW Eagle Ridge Blvd Grain Valley, MO 64029 Attention: Anthony Ward

With a copy to:

Polsinelli PC 900 W. 48th Place, Suite 900 Kansas City, Missouri 64112 Attention: Curt Petersen

- (d) To the Lender: at such address as may be provided by the Lender or the Company in writing to the City and the Trustee at their addresses shown above.
- (e) To the Owners if the same is duly mailed by first class, registered or certified mail addressed to each of the Owners of Bonds at the time Outstanding as shown by the bond registration books required by **Section 206** hereof to be kept at the corporate trust office of the Trustee.

All notices given by certified or registered mail as aforesaid shall be deemed fully given as of the date they are so mailed, provided that any of the foregoing given to the Trustee shall be effective only upon receipt. All notices given by overnight delivery or other delivery service shall be deemed fully given as of the date when received. A duplicate copy of each notice, certificate or other communication given hereunder by either the City or the Trustee to the other shall also be given to the Company. The City, the Company and the Trustee may from time to time designate, by notice given hereunder to the others of such parties, such other address to which subsequent notices, certificates or other communications shall be sent.

**Section 1404. Severability.** If any provision of this Indenture shall be held or deemed to be invalid, inoperative or unenforceable as applied in any particular case in any jurisdiction or jurisdictions or in all jurisdictions, or in all cases because it conflicts with any other provision or provisions hereof or any constitution or statute or rule of public policy, or for any other reason, such circumstances shall not have

the effect of rendering the provision in question inoperative or unenforceable in any other case or circumstance, or of rendering any other provision or provisions herein contained invalid, inoperative or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

Section 1405. Execution in Counterparts. This Indenture 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.

**Section 1406. Governing Law.** This Indenture shall be governed exclusively by and construed in accordance with the applicable laws of the State.

**Section 1407. Electronic Storage.** The parties agree that the transaction described herein may be conducted and related documents may be sent, received or stored by electronic means. Copies, telecopies, facsimiles, electronic files and other reproductions of original executed documents shall be deemed to be authentic and valid counterparts of such original documents for all purposes, including the filing of any claim, action or suit in the appropriate court of law.

Section 1408. Electronic Notice to Trustee. The Trustee agrees to accept and act upon instructions or directions pursuant to this Indenture sent in writing or by electronic notice, provided, however, that such instructions or directions shall be signed by an Authorized Company Representative. If the Company elects to give the instructions by electronic notice, the Trustee may deem such instructions controlling. The Trustee shall not be liable for any losses, costs or expenses arising directly or indirectly from the Trustee's reliance upon and compliance with such instructions notwithstanding such instructions conflict or are inconsistent with a subsequent written instruction. Pursuant to the Lease, the Company agrees to assume all risks arising out of the use of such electronic notice to submit instructions and directions to the Trustee, including without limitation the risk of the Trustee acting on unauthorized instructions, and the risk or interception and misuse by third parties.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, has caused this Indenture to be signed in its name and behalf by its Mayor and the seal of the City to be hereunto affixed and attested by the City Clerk, and to evidence its acceptance of the trusts hereby created, the Trustee has caused this Indenture to be signed in its name and behalf by a duly authorized officer, all as of the date first above written.

	CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI
[SEAL]	
	By: Name: William Baird Title: Mayor
ATTEST:	Approved as to form:
By: Name: Trisha Fowler Arcuri	By:
Title: City Clerk	Economic Development & Planning

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	BOKF, N.A., as Trustee
[SEAL]	
	ByName: Title:
ATTEST:	
ByName: Title:	

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# **EXHIBIT A**

# **PROJECT SITE**

The following described real estate located in Jackson County, Missouri:

[\*\*INSERT LEGAL DESCRIPTION\*\*]

# **EXHIBIT B**

# PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS

The Project Improvements consist of the following, to the extent paid for in whole with Bond proceeds: a 250,000 square foot facility which will be used for warehousing, distribution, and / or manufacturing purposes, and installation of a water main following the road along the northern portion of the Project Site.

### **EXHIBIT C**

## FORM OF BONDS

# THIS BOND OR ANY PORTION HEREOF MAY BE TRANSFERRED, ASSIGNED OR NEGOTIATED ONLY AS PROVIDED IN THE HEREIN DESCRIBED INDENTURE.

No. 1 Not to Exceed \$24,500,000

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF MISSOURI

# CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI TAXABLE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BOND (TOWN CENTRE INDUSTRIAL PROJECT) SERIES 2023

**Maturity Date** 

	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
5.00%	<b>December 1, 2044</b>	, 2023
OWNER:		

MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

Interest Rate

TWENTY-FOUR MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS

**Dated Date** 

THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri (the "City"), for value received, promises to pay, but solely from the source hereinafter referred to, to the Owner named above, or registered assigns thereof, on the Maturity Date shown above, the principal amount shown above, or such lesser amount as may be outstanding hereunder as reflected on Schedule I hereto held by the Trustee as provided in the hereinafter referred to Indenture. The City agrees to pay such principal amount to the Owner in any coin or currency of the United States of America which on the date of payment thereof is legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, and in like manner to pay to the Owner hereof, either by check or draft mailed to the Owner at a stated address as it appears on the bond registration books of the City kept by the Trustee under the within mentioned Indenture or, in certain situations authorized in the Indenture, by internal bank transfer or by wire transfer to an account in a commercial bank or savings institution located in the continental United States. Interest on the Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount (as hereinafter defined) at the per annum Interest Rate stated above, payable in arrears on each December 1, commencing on December 1, 2023, and continuing thereafter until the earlier of the date on which said Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount is paid in full or the Maturity Date. Interest on each advancement of the principal amount of this Bond shall accrue from the date that such advancement is made, computed on the basis of a year of 360 days consisting of 12 months of 30 days each.

As used herein, the term "Cumulative Outstanding Principal Amount" means all Bonds outstanding under the terms of the hereinafter-defined Indenture, as reflected on **Schedule I** hereto maintained by the Trustee.

THIS BOND is one of a duly authorized series of Bonds of the City designated "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023," in the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$24,500,000 (the "Bonds"), to be issued for the purpose of acquiring and improving certain real property located in the City (the "Project Site," as more fully described on Exhibit A to the Lease (defined below)), including the construction and improvement of an industrial facility on the Project Site together with related public improvements (the "Project Improvements"). The City will lease the Project Site and the Project Improvements (collectively, the "Project") to a company (the "Company"), under the terms of a Lease Agreement dated as of March 1, 2023 (said Lease Agreement, as amended and supplemented from time to time in accordance with the provisions thereof, being herein called the "Lease"), between the City and the Company, all pursuant to the authority of and in full compliance with the provisions, restrictions and limitations of the Constitution, the statutes of the State of Missouri, including particularly the Act, the charter of the City and pursuant to proceedings duly had by the Council of the City.

THE BONDS are issued under and are equally and ratably secured and entitled to the protection given by a Trust Indenture dated as of March 1, 2023 (said Trust Indenture, as amended and supplemented from time to time in accordance with the provisions thereof, being herein called the "Indenture"), between the City and BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, as trustee (the "Trustee"). Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Indenture.

Reference is hereby made to the Indenture for a description of the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security for the Bonds, the rights, duties and obligations of the City, the Trustee and the Owners, and the terms upon which the Bonds are issued and secured.

**THE BONDS** are subject to redemption and payment prior to maturity as provided in the Indenture.

THE BONDS, including interest thereon, are special obligations of the City and are payable solely out of the rents, revenues and receipts derived by the City from the Project and the Lease and not from any other fund or source of the City, and are secured by a pledge and assignment of the Project and of such rents, revenues and receipts, including all rentals and other amounts to be received by the City under and pursuant to the Lease, all as provided in the Indenture. The Bonds do not constitute a general obligation of the City or the State of Missouri, and neither the City nor said State shall be liable thereon, and the Bonds shall not constitute an indebtedness within the meaning of any constitutional, charter or statutory debt limitation or restriction, and are not payable in any manner by taxation. Pursuant to the provisions of the Lease, rental payments sufficient for the prompt payment when due of the principal of and interest on the Bonds are to be paid by the Company directly to the Trustee for the account of the City and deposited in a special fund created by the City and designated the "City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, Bond Fund – Town Centre Industrial Project"

THE OWNER of this Bond shall have no right to enforce the provisions of the Indenture or to institute action to enforce the covenants therein, or to take any action with respect to any Event of Default under the Indenture, or to institute, appear in or defend any suit or other proceedings with respect thereto, except as provided in the Indenture. In certain events, on the conditions, in the manner and with the effect set forth in the Indenture, the principal of all the Bonds issued under the Indenture and then Outstanding may become or may be declared due and payable before the stated maturity thereof, together with interest

accrued thereon. Modifications or alterations of this Bond or the Indenture may be made only to the extent and in the circumstances permitted by the Indenture.

**THIS BOND** is transferable, as provided in the Indenture, only upon the books of the City kept for that purpose at the above-mentioned office of the Trustee by the Owner hereof in Person or by such Person's duly authorized agent, upon surrender of this Bond together with a written instrument of transfer reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee duly executed by the Owner or such Person's duly authorized attorney, and thereupon a new fully registered Bond or Bonds, in the same aggregate principal amounts, shall be issued to the transferee in exchange therefor as provided in the Indenture, and upon payment of the charges therein prescribed. The City, the Trustee and any Paying Agent may deem and treat the Person in whose name this Bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of receiving payment of, or on account of, the principal or redemption price hereof and interest due hereon and for all other purposes.

**THE BONDS** are issuable in the form of one fully-registered Bond in the maximum principal amount of \$24,500,000.

**THIS BOND** shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purposes or be entitled to any security or benefit under the Indenture until the Certificate of Authentication hereon shall have been executed by the Trustee.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED AND DECLARED that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the execution and delivery of the Indenture and the issuance of this Bond do exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by the Constitution and laws of the State of Missouri.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri has caused this Bond to be executed in its name by the manual or facsimile signature of its Mayor, attested by the manual or facsimile signature of its City Clerk and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto or imprinted hereon, and has caused this Bond to be dated the date set forth above.

CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

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This Bond is one of the Bonds		
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# **SCHEDULE I**

# TABLE OF CUMULATIVE OUTSTANDING PRINCIPAL AMOUNT

# CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI TAXABLE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BOND (TOWN CENTRE INDUSTRIAL PROJECT) SERIES 2023

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# FORM OF ASSIGNMENT

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### **EXHIBIT D**

# FORM OF REPRESENTATION LETTER

City of Lee's Summit, Missouri 220 SE Green Street Lee's Summit, Missouri 64063 Attention: City Clerk

BOKF, N.A., as Trustee 2405 Grand Boulevard, Suite 840 Kansas City, Missouri 64108 Attention: Corporate Trust Department

Re: \$24,500,000 Maximum Principal Amount of Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023 of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

In connection with the purchase of the above-referenced Bonds (the "Bonds"), the undersigned purchaser of the Bonds (the "Purchaser") hereby represents, warrants and agrees as follows:

- 1. The Purchaser fully understands that (a) the Bonds have been issued under and pursuant to a Trust Indenture dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Indenture"), between the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "City") and BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, as trustee (the "Trustee"), and (b) the Bonds are payable solely out of certain rents, revenues and receipts to be derived from the leasing or sale of the Project (as defined in the Indenture) to Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a Missouri limited liability company (the "Company"), under a Lease Agreement dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Lease"), with the City, with certain of such rents, revenues and receipts being pledged and assigned by the City to the Trustee under the Indenture to secure the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.
- 2. The Purchaser understands that the Bonds have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"), or the securities laws of any state and will be sold to the Purchaser in reliance upon certain exemptions from registration and in reliance upon the representations and warranties of the Purchaser set forth herein.
- 3. The Purchaser understands that the Bonds are transferable only in the manner provided for in the Indenture and discussed below and warrants that it is acquiring the Bonds for its own account with the intent of holding the Bonds as an investment, and the acquisition of the Bonds is not made with a view toward their distribution or for the purpose of offering, selling or otherwise participating in a distribution of the Bonds.
- 4. The Purchaser agrees not to attempt to offer, sell, hypothecate or otherwise distribute the Bonds to others unless authorized by the terms of the Indenture or with the express written consent of the City.
- 5. The Company has (a) furnished to the Purchaser such information about itself as the Purchaser deems necessary in order for it to make an informed investment decision with respect to the

purchase of the Bonds, (b) made available to the Purchaser, during the course of this transaction, ample opportunity to ask questions of, and to receive answers from, appropriate officers of the City and the terms and conditions of the offering of the Bonds, and (c) provided to the undersigned all additional information which it has requested.

- 6. The Purchaser acknowledges that no offering document has been prepared in connection with the sale of the Bonds. The Purchaser further acknowledges that it has timely received in satisfactory form and manner all proceedings, certificates, opinions, letters and other documents required to be submitted to the Purchaser pursuant to the Bond Purchase Agreement prior to or on the date of the delivery of and payment for the Bonds, and that the City and the Company have in all respects complied with and satisfied all of their respective obligations to the Purchaser which are required under the Bond Purchase Agreement to be complied with and satisfied on or before such date.
- 7. The Purchaser is now, and was when it agreed to purchase the Bonds, familiar with the operations of the Company and fully aware of terms and risks of the Bonds and that the Purchaser is relying on its own knowledge and investigation of facts and circumstances relating to the purchase of the Bonds. The Purchaser believes that the Bonds being acquired are a security of the type that the Purchaser wishes to purchase and hold for investment and that the nature and amount thereof are consistent with its investment program.
- 8. The Purchaser is fully aware of and satisfied with (i) the current status of the title to the Project and any issues related thereto and (ii) the terms, amounts and providers of the insurance maintained pursuant to **Article VII** of the Lease, and the undersigned is purchasing the Bonds with full knowledge of such matters.
- 9. The Purchaser understands and agrees that the interest on the Bonds is subject to federal and state income taxation.
- 10. The Purchaser hereby directs the Trustee to hold the Bonds in trust for the undersigned pursuant to **Section 208(d)** of the Indenture.

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	[PURCHASER OF BONDS]
	By:
	Name:
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# CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, As Lessor,

# **AND**

# INDEPENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II, L.L.C., As Lessee

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# LEASE AGREEMENT

Dated as of March 1, 2023

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**Relating to:** 

\$24,500,000
(Aggregate Maximum Principal Amount)
City of Lee's Summit, Missouri
Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds
(Town Centre Industrial Project)
Series 2023

Certain rights of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "City"), in this Lease Agreement have been pledged and assigned to BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, as Trustee under the Trust Indenture dated as of March 1, 2023, between the City and the Trustee.

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## LEASE AGREEMENT

THIS LEASE AGREEMENT, dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Lease"), is between the CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, as lessor (the "City"), and INDEPENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II, L.L.C., a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, as lessee, and its successors or assigns, as permitted hereunder (the "Company");

#### **RECITALS:**

- 1. The City is authorized under Article VI, Section 27(b) of the Missouri Constitution and Sections 100.010 through 100.200 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended (the "Act"), to purchase, construct, extend and improve certain "projects" (as defined in the Act) and to issue industrial development revenue bonds for the purpose of providing funds to pay the costs of such projects and to lease or otherwise dispose of such projects to private persons or corporations for manufacturing, commercial, warehousing and industrial development purposes upon such terms and conditions as the City shall deem advisable.
- 2. Pursuant to the Act, the City Council passed an ordinance (the "Ordinance") on March \_\_\_\_\_, 2023, authorizing the City to issue its Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023, in the maximum principal amount of \$24,500,000 (the "Bonds"), for the purpose of acquiring and improving certain real property in the City (the "Project Site," as more fully described on Exhibit A hereto), including the construction and improvement of an industrial facility on the Project Site together with related public improvements (the "Project Improvements," as more fully described on Exhibit B hereto).
- 3. Pursuant to the Ordinance, the City is authorized to enter into a Trust Indenture of even date herewith (the "Indenture") with BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, as Trustee (the "Trustee"), for the purpose of issuing and securing the Bonds, as therein provided, and to enter into this Lease under which the City will construct and improve the Project Improvements, and lease the Project Site and the Project Improvements as they may at any time exist (the Project Site and the Project Improvements together being, the "Project"), to the Company in consideration of rental payments that will be sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, together with certain other payments.
  - **4.** The Ordinance authorizes the City to lease the Project to the Company.
- 5. Pursuant to the foregoing, the City desires to lease the Project to the Company and the Company desires to lease the Project from the City, for the rentals and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the premises and the mutual representations, covenants and agreements herein contained, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the City and the Company do hereby represent, covenant and agree as follows:

## ARTICLE I

## **DEFINITIONS**

- **Section 1.1. Definitions of Words and Terms**. In addition to any words and terms defined elsewhere in this Lease and the words and terms defined in **Section 101** of the Indenture which definitions are hereby incorporated herein by reference, and terms defined, the following words and terms as used in this Lease shall have the following meanings:
  - "Additional Rent" means the additional rental described in Sections 5.2 and 6.2 of this Lease.
  - "Basic Rent" means the rental described in Section 5.1 of this Lease.
- "Certificate of Insurance Compliance" means a certificate in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit D to this Lease evidencing compliance with the insurance requirements set forth in Article VII hereof, fully executed by the Authorized Company Representative, and upon which the Trustee may conclusively rely without further investigation or inquiry.
- **"Environmental Law"** means and includes the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986, any other "Superfund" or "Superlien" law, or any other federal, state or local statute, law, ordinance, code, rule, regulation, order or decree regulating, relating to, or imposing liability or standards of conduct concerning any Hazardous Materials, as now or at any time hereafter in effect.
- "Full Insurable Value" means the actual replacement cost of the Project less physical depreciation as determined in accordance with Section 7.1(a) hereof.
- "Lease Term" means the period from the effective date of this Lease until the expiration thereof pursuant to Section 3.2 hereof.
- **"Lender"** means any person who from time to time has made a loan to Company which is secured by a Mortgage.
- "Mortgage" means any mortgage or deed of trust (together with all related loan documents and security agreements) relating to the Project and permitted pursuant to the provisions of Section 10.4 hereof or existing prior to the date on which a memorandum of this Lease is recorded.
- "Net Proceeds" means, when used with respect to any insurance or condemnation award with respect to the Project, the gross proceeds from the insurance or condemnation award with respect to which that term is used remaining after payment of all expenses (including attorneys' fees, trustee's fees and any extraordinary expenses of the City and the Trustee) incurred in the collection of such gross proceeds.
- "PILOT Payments" or "PILOTS" means the payments in lieu of taxes provided for in Article VI hereof.
- "Permitted Encumbrances" means, as of any particular time, as the same may encumber the Project Site, (a) liens for ad valorem taxes and special assessments not then delinquent, (b) the Indenture and this Lease, (c) utility, access and other easements and rights-of-way, mineral rights, restrictions, exceptions and encumbrances that will not materially interfere with or impair the operations being

conducted on the Project Site or easements granted to the City that have been approved by the Company, (d) any Mortgage, (e) any assignment of leases and rents or similar security document delivered by the Company in favor of a Lender in connection with a Mortgage (delivered pursuant to **Section 10.4(b)** of this Lease), and (f) any encumbrance noted in a title report included in the transcript of proceedings relating to the Bonds.

- "Permitted Facility" means a facility operated or rented for warehousing, distribution and/or light industrial uses (including manufacturing), together with related ancillary uses.
- "Plans and Specifications" means the plans and specifications prepared for and showing the Project, as amended by the Company from time to time prior to the Completion Date, the same being duly certified by the Company, and on file with the Company, or with the architect/engineers retained by the Company for the Project, and which shall be available for reasonable inspection by the City, the Trustee and their duly appointed representatives.
- "Project Site" means the real property upon which the property comprising the Project is located as more fully described in Exhibit A.
- "Public Improvements" means the installation of an 8-inch diameter water line of approximately 1,702 linear feet following the road along the northern portion of the Project Site, and all additions, alterations, modifications and improvements thereof made pursuant to the Public Improvements Development Agreement.
  - "Public Improvements Assessment" has the meaning given in Section 6.12.
  - "Public Improvements Assessment Payments" has the meaning given in Section 6.12.
- "Public Improvements Assessment Schedule" means the schedule provided to the Company in accordance with Section 6.12 of this Lease.
- **"Public Improvements Development Agreement"** means an agreement between the City and the Site Developer relating to the Public Improvements.
- "Site Developer" means Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, and its affiliates, successors and assigns.

# **Section 1.2.** Rules of Interpretation.

- (a) Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders.
- (b) Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, words importing the singular number shall include the plural and vice versa, and words importing Persons shall include firms, associations and corporations, including governmental entities, as well as natural Persons.
- (c) Wherever in this Lease it is provided that either party shall or will make any payment or perform or refrain from performing any act or obligation, each such provision shall, even though not so expressed, be construed as an express covenant to make such payment or to perform, or not to perform, as the case may be, such act or obligation.

- (d) All references in this instrument to designated "Articles," "Sections" and other subdivisions are, unless otherwise specified, to the designated Articles, Sections and subdivisions of this instrument as originally executed. The words "herein," "hereof," "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Lease as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or other subdivision.
- (e) The Table of Contents and the Article and Section headings of this Lease shall not be treated as a part of this Lease or as affecting the true meaning of the provisions hereof.
- (f) Whenever an item or items are listed after the word "including," such listing is not intended to be a listing that excludes items not listed.
- **Section 1.3.** Acceptance of Indenture. The Company acknowledges that it has received an executed copy of the Indenture and that it is familiar with the terms and conditions of the Indenture. The Company further covenants that it will comply with all the conditions and covenants contained in the Indenture relating to the Company and the Project, and that it will not take any action which would cause a default thereunder or jeopardize the rights of the Trustee, the City or the Bondowners.

## ARTICLE II

#### REPRESENTATIONS

- **Section 2.1.** Representations by the City. The City makes the following representations as the basis for the undertakings on its part herein contained:
  - (a) The City is a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of Missouri. Under the provisions of the Act, the City has lawful power and authority to enter into the transactions contemplated by this Lease and to carry out its obligations hereunder. By proper action of its governing body, the City has been duly authorized to execute and deliver this Lease, acting by and through its duly authorized officers;
  - (b) Prior to the date of delivery hereof, the City has acquired the Project Site (subject to Permitted Encumbrances) and agrees to construct and improve, or cause to be constructed and improved, the Project Improvements. The City agrees to lease the Project to the Company and sell the Project to the Company if the Company exercises its option to purchase the Project or upon termination of this Lease as provided for herein, all for the purpose of furthering the public purposes of the Act;
  - (c) The purchase, construction, extension and improvement of the Project and the leasing of the Project by the City to the Company will further the public purposes of the Act;
  - (d) To the City's knowledge, no member of the City Council or any other officer of the City has any significant or conflicting interest, financial, employment or otherwise, in the Company or in the transactions contemplated hereby;
  - (e) To finance the costs of the Project, the City proposes to issue the Bonds which will be scheduled to mature as set forth in **Article II** of the Indenture and will be subject to redemption prior to maturity in accordance with the provisions of **Article III** of the Indenture;

- (f) The Bonds are to be issued under and secured by the Indenture, pursuant to which the Project and the net earnings therefrom, including all rents, revenues and receipts to be derived by the City from the leasing or sale of the Project, will be pledged and assigned to the Trustee as security for payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds and amounts owing pursuant to the Lease:
- (g) The City will not take any action as owner of the Project Site that would permit a lien, charge or other encumbrance to be placed on the Project or pledge the revenues derived therefrom for any bonds or other obligations, other than the Bonds, except at the written request of the Authorized Company Representative; and
- (h) The City shall have no authority to operate the Project as a business or in any other manner except as the lessor thereof, except subsequent to an Event of Default hereunder.
- **Section 2.2.** Representations by the Company. The Company makes the following representations as the basis for the undertakings on its part herein contained:
  - (a) The Company is a limited liability company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Missouri and is authorized to conduct business in the State of Missouri;
  - (b) The Company has lawful power and authority to enter into this Lease and to carry out its obligations hereunder and by proper action of its members the Company has been duly authorized to execute and deliver this Lease, acting by and through its duly authorized officers and representatives;
  - (c) The execution and delivery of this Lease, the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby, and the performance of or compliance with the terms and conditions of this Lease by the Company will not, to the best of the Company's knowledge, conflict with or result in a breach of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of, or constitute a default under, any mortgage, deed of trust, lease or any other restrictions or any agreement or instrument to which the Company is a party or by which it or any of its property is bound, or the Company's organizational documents, or any order, rule or regulation applicable to the Company or any of its property of any court or governmental body, or constitute a default under any of the foregoing, or result in the creation or imposition of any prohibited lien, charge or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of the property or assets of the Company under the terms of any instrument or agreement to which the Company is a party;
  - (d) The estimated costs of the construction and improvement of the Project are in accordance with sound engineering and accounting principles;
  - (e) The Project will comply in all material respects with all presently applicable building and zoning, health, environmental and safety orders and laws and all other applicable laws, rules and regulations; and
  - (f) The Project is located wholly within the corporate limits of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

#### **ARTICLE III**

# **GRANTING PROVISIONS**

- **Section 3.1. Granting of Leasehold Estate**. The City hereby exclusively rents, leases and lets the Project to the Company, and the Company hereby rents, leases and hires the Project from the City, subject to Permitted Encumbrances existing as of the date of the execution and delivery hereof, for the rentals and upon and subject to the terms and conditions herein contained.
- **Section 3.2.** Lease Term. This Lease shall become effective upon its delivery, and subject to sooner termination pursuant to the provisions of this Lease, shall have a term commencing as of the date of this Lease and terminating on **December 1, 2044**.

# Section 3.3. Possession and Use of the Project.

- (a) The City covenants and agrees that as long as neither the City nor the Trustee has exercised any of the remedies set forth in **Section 12.2(b)** following the occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default, the Company shall have sole and exclusive possession of the Project (subject to Permitted Encumbrances and the City's and the Trustee's right of access pursuant to **Section 10.3** hereof) and shall and may peaceably and quietly have, hold and enjoy the Project during the Lease Term. The City covenants and agrees that it will not take any action, other than expressly pursuant to **Article XII** hereof, to prevent the Company from having quiet and peaceable possession and enjoyment of the Project during the Lease Term and will, at the request and expense of the Company, cooperate with the Company in order that the Company may have quiet and peaceable possession and enjoyment of the Project and will defend the Company's enjoyment and possession thereof against all parties.
- Subject to the provisions of this Section, the Company shall have the right to use the Project for any lawful purpose allowed by law and contemplated by the Act and this Lease. The Company shall comply in all material respects with all statutes, laws, ordinances, orders, judgments, decrees, regulations, directions and requirements of all federal, state, local and other governments or governmental authorities, now or hereafter applicable to the Project or to any adjoining public ways, as to the manner of use or the condition of the Project or of adjoining public ways. In the event of demonstrated noncompliance with such statutes, laws, ordinances, orders, judgments, decrees, regulations, directions and requirements the Company will take all reasonable steps to comply with such statutes, laws, ordinances, orders, judgments, decrees, regulations, directions and requirements. The Company shall also comply with the mandatory requirements, rules and regulations of all insurers under the policies carried under the provisions of Article VII hereof. The Company shall pay all costs, expenses, claims, fines, penalties and damages that may in any manner arise out of, or be imposed as a result of, the failure of the Company to comply with the provisions of this Section. Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Section, however, the Company shall have the right, at its own cost and expense, to contest or review by legal or other appropriate procedures the validity or legality of any such governmental statute, law, ordinance, order, judgment, decree, regulation, direction or requirement, or any such requirement, rule or regulation of an insurer, and during such contest or review the Company may refrain from complying therewith.
- **Section 3.4. Title to the Project.** The City shall be the sole owner of the Project during the Lease Term, except for any portions of the Project released from this Lease pursuant to the terms hereof.

## **ARTICLE IV**

## CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE PROJECT

- Section 4.1. Issuance of the Bonds. To provide funds for the payment of Project Costs, the City agrees that, upon request of the Company, it will issue, sell and cause to be delivered the Bonds to the purchaser thereof in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture and the Bond Purchase Agreement. The proceeds of the sale of the Bonds, when received, shall be paid over to the Trustee for the account of the City. The Trustee shall promptly deposit such proceeds, when received, as provided in the Indenture, to be used and applied as hereinafter provided in this Lease and in the Indenture. Alternatively, the Trustee may, (pursuant to Section 208(d) of the Indenture) endorse the Bonds in an amount equal to the requisition certificates submitted pursuant to Section 4.4 below. In that event, the purchaser of the Bonds shall be deemed to have deposited funds with the Trustee in an amount equal to the amount stated in the requisition certificate.
- **Section 4.2. Construction and Improvement of the Project**. The City and the Company agree that the Company, as the agent of the City, shall construct and improve the Project as follows:
  - (a) The City has acquired the Project Site prior to the execution hereof. Concurrently with the execution of this Lease, the commitment for title insurance or ownership and encumbrance report required by **Article VII** hereof will be delivered to the City and the Trustee;
  - (b) On behalf of the City, the Company will construct and improve the Project Improvements on the Project Site and otherwise improve the Project Site in accordance with the Plans and Specifications and in a manner materially consistent with the description of the Project Improvements included in **Exhibit B** to this Lease. The Company may revise the Plans and Specifications from time to time as it deems necessary to carry out the Project, but revisions that would alter the intended purpose of the Project may be made only with the prior written approval of the City. The Company agrees that the aforesaid construction and improvement will, with such changes and additions as may be made hereunder, result in facilities suitable for use by the Company for its purposes, and that all real and personal property described in the Plans and Specifications, with such changes and additions as may be made hereunder, is desirable and appropriate in connection with the Project. The provisions of this paragraph are in addition to and do not supersede the provisions of **Section 8.2**;
  - (c) The Company will comply with the provisions of Section 107.170 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended, to the extent applicable to the construction of the Project and will not commence any portion of the Project for which a payment bond, to the extent so required, has not been delivered to the City; *provided that*, the Company may comply with this requirement by delivering a letter of credit in compliance with **Section 4.10** instead of a payment bond;
  - (d) The Company agrees that it will use reasonable efforts to cause the construction and improvement of the Project to be completed as soon as practicable with all reasonable dispatch. In the event such construction and improvement commences prior to the receipt of proceeds from the sale of the Bonds, the Company agrees to advance all funds necessary for such purpose; and

- (e) The Public Improvements (but not any other portion of the Project Improvements) may be constructed in or on land that is not part of the Project Site, so long as such land is owned by the City.
- **Section 4.3. Project Costs**. The City hereby agrees to pay for, but solely from the Project Fund, and hereby authorizes and directs the Trustee to pay for, but solely from the Project Fund, all Project Costs upon receipt by the Trustee of a certificate pursuant to **Section 4.4** hereof. The Company may not submit any requisition certificates for Project Costs incurred after the Completion Date. The Company must submit all requisitions for Project Costs incurred before the Completion Date within three months after the Completion Date.
- Section 4.4. Payment for Project Costs. All Project Costs as specified in Section 4.3 hereof shall be paid by the Trustee from the Project Fund as more fully provided in the Indenture, and the City hereby authorizes and directs the Trustee to make disbursements from the Project Fund, upon receipt by the Trustee of certificates in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit C, signed by an Authorized Company Representative, which disbursements may be recorded via a transaction entry on the trust records held by the Trustee. The Trustee may rely conclusively on any such certificate and shall not be required to make any independent investigation in connection therewith. The submission of any requisition certificate by an Authorized Company Representative shall constitute unto the Trustee an irrevocable determination that all conditions precedent to the payments requested have been satisfied.
- Section 4.5. Establishment of Completion Date. The Completion Date shall be evidenced to the Trustee by a certificate signed by the Authorized Company Representative stating (a) the construction and improvement of the Project has been completed in accordance with the Plans and Specifications, (b) that all costs and expenses incurred in the construction and improvement of the Project have been paid except costs and expenses the payment of which is not yet due or is being retained or contested in good faith by the Company, and (c) amounts to be retained by Trustee with respect to item (b) above. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such certificate shall state that it is given without prejudice to any rights against third parties which exist at the date of such certificate or which may subsequently come into being. The Company and the City agree to cooperate in causing such certificate to be furnished to the Trustee.

## Section 4.6. Surplus or Deficiency in Project Fund.

- (a) Upon receipt of the certificate described in **Section 4.5** hereof, the Trustee shall, as provided in **Section 504** of the Indenture, transfer any remaining moneys then in the Project Fund to the Bond Fund to be applied as directed by the Company solely to (1) the payment of principal and premium, if any, of the Bonds through the payment (including regularly scheduled principal payments, if any) or redemption thereof at the earliest date permissible under the terms of the Indenture, or (2) at the option of the Company, to the purchase of Bonds at such earlier date or dates as the Company may elect. Any amount so deposited in the Bond Fund may be invested as permitted by **Section 702** of the Indenture.
- (b) If the Project Fund shall be insufficient to pay fully all Project Costs and to complete the Project free of liens and encumbrances other than Permitted Encumbrances, the Company shall pay, in cash, the full amount of any such deficiency by making payments thereof directly to the contractors and to the suppliers of materials and services as the same shall become due, and the Company shall save the City and the Trustee whole and harmless from any obligation to pay such deficiency.
- **Section 4.7. Project Property of City**. The Project Site and the Project Improvements, if any, which the Company desires to convey to the City, including all work and materials on the Project Improvements as such work progresses, and all additions or enlargements thereto or thereof, the Project as

fully completed, anything under this Lease which becomes, is deemed to be, or constitutes a part of the Project, and the Project as repaired, rebuilt, rearranged, restored or replaced by the Company under the provisions of this Lease, except as otherwise specifically provided herein, shall immediately when erected or installed become the absolute property of the City, subject only to this Lease, the Indenture, any Permitted Encumbrances, and the Mortgage, if any.

Section 4.8. Non-Project Improvements, Machinery and Equipment Property of the Company. Any improvements or items of machinery or equipment which do not constitute part of the Project Improvements and the entire purchase price of which is paid for by the Company with the Company's own funds, and no part of the purchase price of which is paid for from funds deposited pursuant to the terms of this Lease in the Project Fund, shall be the property of the Company and shall not constitute a part of the Project for purposes of Section 6.4 hereof and therefore are subject to taxation, to the extent otherwise provided by law.

Section 4.9. Environmental Matters. The Company acknowledges that is it responsible for maintaining the Project in compliance with all Environmental Laws. In the event that the Company fails to undertake to comply with any final, non-appealable order issued by any local, state or federal authority under applicable Environmental Law, the City or the Trustee, immediately after notice to the Company, may elect (but shall not be required) to undertake such compliance. Any moneys expended by the City or the Trustee in efforts to comply with any applicable Environmental Law (including the reasonable cost of hiring consultants, undertaking sampling and testing, performing any cleanup necessary or useful in the compliance process and reasonable attorneys' fees) shall be due and payable as Additional Rent hereunder with interest thereon at the average rate of interest per annum on the Bonds, plus two (2) percentage points, from the date such cost is incurred. There shall be unlimited recourse to the Company to the extent of any liability incurred by the City or the Trustee with respect to any breaches of the provisions of this section.

The Company shall and does hereby indemnify the City, the Trustee and the Bondowners and agree to defend and hold them harmless from and against all loss, cost, damage and expense (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs associated incurred in the investigation, defense and settlement of claims) that they may incur, directly or indirectly, as a result of or in connection with the assertion against them or any of them of any claim relating to the presence on, escape or removal from the Project during the term of this Lease of any hazardous substance or other material regulated by any applicable Environmental Law, or compliance with any applicable Environmental Law, whether such claim is raised before, during or after the term of this Lease, including claims relating to personal injury or damage to property; provided, however, this indemnity shall only relate to claims resulting from the City's ownership of the Project or the Trustee's acceptance of its duties as Trustee hereunder.

#### Section 4.10. Letter of Credit.

(a) In lieu of delivering a payment bond to the City, the Company may comply with Section 4.2(c) of this Lease by delivering to the City, no later than the delivery date of this Lease, a letter of credit in a form mutually agreeable to the Company and the City, with a minimum term of project contract +1] years unless sooner terminated pursuant to this Section (the "Letter of Credit"). The initial amount of the Letter of Credit will be \$\_\_\_\_\_ (the "LOC Face Amount"). The Letter of Credit will guaranty the Company's (1) payment of any and all materials, incorporated, consumed or used in connection with the construction of the Project, the premiums for all insurance required by this Lease, and all labor performed with respect to the Project, whether by a contractor or a subcontractor or otherwise (the "Payment Obligations"), and (2) defense, indemnification and holding harmless of the City from all loss, cost, damage and expense (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs incurred in the investigation, defense and settlement of claims) that it may incur,

directly or indirectly, as a result of or in connection with any claim, demand, lien or suit by any person or entity seeking payment of the Payment Obligations (the "Indemnity Obligation").

- (b) If (1) the City receives a claim, demand, lien, suit or other notice by any person or entity seeking payment of a Payment Obligation (any such circumstance being referred to as a "Payment Obligation Notice" and the underlying claim or demand for payment being a "Payment Obligation Claim"); and (2) the City, within 10 days of receipt of such Payment Obligation Notice provides notice to the Company of such Payment Obligation Claim; then the Company shall either:
  - (1) Within 60 days of receipt of such notice from the City, provide payment of the Payment Obligation Claim to the claimant and provide proof of such payment to the City; or
  - (2) Within 60 days of receipt of such notice from the City, commence the defense of the City as part of the contest of such Payment Obligation Claim, provided that the Company (1) within such 60-day period, notifies the City in writing of its intention to defend and indemnify the City, (2) diligently prosecutes such contest, (3) at all times effectively stays or prevents any judgement from being entered against the City, (4) promptly pays or otherwise satisfies any final judgment adjudging or enforcing such contested Payment Obligation Claim or procures a discharge or judgement denying such Payment Obligation Claim, and (5) saves and holds harmless the City from any loss, costs or expenses the City may incur related to any such contest.
- (c) If the Company fails to comply with subsection (b), above, within the timeframe set out therein, or if any final judgement is entered against the City adjudging or enforcing any Payment Obligation Claim, the City shall be entitled to draw on the Letter of Credit in an amount sufficient to pay (1) the Payment Obligation Claim, (2) the amount of any judgement against the City relating to such Payment Obligation Claim (provided that this shall not result in duplicate payment of the Payment Obligation Claim), and (3) any remaining loss, cost, damage or expense subject to the Indemnity Obligation.
- (d) The Letter of Credit shall be released on the date (the "LOC Termination Date") that is the earlier of (1) one year after delivery to the City of a certificate, signed by an Authorized Company Representative, stating that (i) the construction and improvement of the Project has been completed in accordance with the Plans and Specifications, and (ii) that all costs and expenses incurred in the construction and improvement of the Project have been paid or (2) the date on which the LOC Face Amount has been reduced to \$-0- in accordance with subsection (e), below. Prior to the LOC Termination Date, the Company shall at all times maintain a Letter of Credit as described in this Section. Failure of the Company to maintain the Letter of Credit so required shall constitute an Event of Default under this Lease.
- (e) The LOC Face Amount may be reduced in connection with disbursements made by the Lender for Payment Obligations relating to the Project by an amount equal to the amount of such disbursements, but no more frequently than once each calendar month. The Company shall transmit to the City the desired amount of the reduction, accompanied by sufficient information and documentation to justify the requested reduction, including but not limited to a copy of the payment application submitted to the Lender and evidence of approval and payment of such application by the Lender. The City shall, within 15 days of receipt of such request for reduction, review the request to evaluate whether the reduction is warranted, and whether the remaining amount of the Letter of Credit will continue to put the City in a secured position regarding Payment Obligations. On or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day after receipt of such request, the City shall either approve such request in writing (signed by the City's Finance Director) or provide

written explanation to the Company of why the request is unsatisfactory, including specific reasons why the amount of the requested reduction is excessive or the supporting documentation is insufficient.

#### ARTICLE V

# **RENT PROVISIONS**

Section 5.1. Basic Rent. The Company covenants and agrees to pay to the Trustee in same day funds for the account of the City during this Lease Term, for deposit in the Bond Fund on or before 10:00 a.m., Trustee's local time, on or before each December 1, commencing December 1, 2023 and continuing until the principal of and interest on the Bonds shall have been fully paid, an amount which, when added to any collected funds then on deposit in the Bond Fund and available on such Payment Date, shall be equal to the total amount payable on each December 1 as interest on the Bonds. On December 1, 2044 (or such earlier date as the Company may elect or be required to redeem the Bonds), the Company shall also pay an amount equal to all principal then due on the Bonds in connection with such maturity or redemption. All payments of Basic Rent provided for in this Section shall be paid directly to the Trustee and shall be deposited in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture into the Bond Fund and shall be used and applied by the Trustee in the manner and for the purposes set forth in this Lease and the Indenture, provided that if the Company is the Owner of all the Bonds Outstanding, payment of Basic Rent as provided for in this Section may be made via a transaction entry on the trust records held by the Trustee and the Paying Agent consistent with Section 204(e) and Section 208(g) of the Indenture. Any Basic Rent paid by the Company which exceeds the total amount payable on such payment dates shall be immediately paid to the Company by wire transfer. At its option, on the final Payment Date, the Company may deliver to the Trustee for cancellation Bonds not previously paid and the Company shall receive a credit against the Basic Rent payable by the Company in an amount equal to the principal amount of the Bonds so tendered for cancellation plus accrued interest thereon.

In furtherance of the foregoing and of Section 204(e) and Section 208(g) of the Indenture, and notwithstanding any other provision in this Lease, the Indenture or the Bond Purchase Agreement, and provided that the Company is the sole Bondowner, the Company may set-off each Basic Rent payment against the City's obligation to the Company as Bondowner, in lieu of delivery of a payment of Basic Rent on any date on which principal of or interest on the Bonds is payable, without providing notice of such set-off to the Trustee. The Trustee may conclusively rely on the absence of any notice from the Company to the contrary as evidence that such set-off has occurred.

- **Section 5.2.** Additional Rent. The Company shall pay as Additional Rent, within 30 days after receiving an itemized invoice therefor, the following amounts as and when the same become due:
  - (a) all reasonable fees, charges and expenses, including agent and counsel fees, of the Trustee incurred under the Indenture, this Lease, or any other document entered into in connection with the Bonds, as and when the same become due:
  - (b) all costs incident to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same becomes due and payable, including all costs and expenses in connection with the call, redemption and payment of all outstanding Bonds;
  - (c) all reasonable costs which are reasonably incurred in connection with the enforcement of any rights against the Company or the Project or in connection with a failure of the

Company to perform its obligations under this Lease or the Indenture by the City, the Trustee or the Bondowners, including counsel fees and expenses;

- (d) the PILOT Payments required by **Article VI** of this Lease (provided that no invoice need be provided to the Company for the PILOT Payments after a PILOT Schedule in the form of **Appendix I** has been delivered to the Company in accordance with **Section 6.5**), which shall be due at such time and in such amount as described in **Article VI**;
- (e) the Public Improvements Assessment Payments required by **Article VI** of this Lease (provided that no invoice need be provided to the Company for the Public Improvements Assessment Payments after a Public Improvements Assessment in the form of **Appendix II** has been delivered to the Company in accordance with **Section 6.12**), which shall be due at such time and in such amount as described in **Article VI**;
- (f) all other payments of whatever nature which Company has agreed to pay or assume under the provisions of this Lease.

# Section 5.3. Obligations of Company Absolute and Unconditional.

- The obligations of the Company under this Lease to make payments of Basic Rent and (a) Additional Rent on or before the date the same become due, and to perform all of its other obligations, covenants and agreements hereunder shall be absolute and unconditional, without notice or demand, and without abatement, deduction, set-off, counterclaim, recoupment or defense or any right of termination or cancellation arising from any circumstance whatsoever, whether now existing or hereafter arising, and irrespective of whether the Project has been started or completed, or whether the City's title thereto or to any part thereof is defective or nonexistent, and notwithstanding any damage to, loss, theft or destruction of, the Project or any part thereof, any failure of consideration or frustration of commercial purpose, the taking by eminent domain of title to or of the right of temporary use of all or any part of the Project, legal curtailment of the Company's use thereof, the eviction or constructive eviction of the Company, any change in the tax or other laws of the United States of America, the State of Missouri or any political subdivision thereof, any change in the City's legal organization or status, or any default of the City hereunder, and regardless of the invalidity of any action of the City; provided, however, that nothing in this Section 5.3(a) or Section 5.3(b) is intended or shall be deemed to affect or impair in anyway the rights of the Company to tender Bonds for redemption in satisfaction of Basic Rent as provided in Section 5.1 and Section 5.4 hereof, nor the right of the Company to terminate this Lease and repurchase the Project as provided in Article XI hereof.
- (b) Nothing in this Lease shall be construed to release the City from the performance of any agreement on its part herein contained or as a waiver by the Company of any rights or claims the Company may have against the City under this Lease or otherwise, but any recovery upon such rights and claims shall be had from the City separately, it being the intent of this Lease that the Company shall be unconditionally and absolutely obligated to perform fully all of its obligations, agreements and covenants under this Lease (including the obligation to pay Basic Rent and Additional Rent) for the benefit of the Owners and the City. The Company may, however, at its own cost and expense and in its own name or in the name of the City, prosecute or defend any action or proceeding or take any other action involving third Persons which the Company deems reasonably necessary in order to secure or protect its right of possession, occupancy and use hereunder, and in such event the City hereby agrees to cooperate fully with the Company and to take all action necessary to effect the substitution of the Company for the City in any such action or proceeding if the Company shall so request.

Section 5.4. Prepayment of Basic Rent. The Company may at any time and from time to time prepay all or any portion of the Basic Rent provided for hereunder (subject to the limitations of Section 301(a) of the Indenture relating to the redemption of the Bonds. During such times as the amount held by the Trustee in the Bond Fund shall be sufficient to pay, at the time required, the principal of and interest on all the Bonds then remaining unpaid, the Company shall not be obligated to make payments of Basic Rent under the provisions of this Lease.

Subject to Section 301(a) of the Indenture relating to the redemption of Bonds, the Company, at its option, may deliver to the Trustee for cancellation Bonds owned by the Company and not previously paid, and the Company shall receive a credit against amounts payable by the Company for the redemption of Bonds in an amount equal to the principal amount of the Bonds so tendered for cancellation, plus accrued interest thereon.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

# MAINTENANCE, TAXES AND UTILITIES; TAX ABATEMENT

**Section 6.1. Maintenance and Repairs**. Throughout the Lease Term the Company shall, at its own expense, keep the Project in as reasonably safe condition as the operation thereof will permit, and keep the Project in good repair and in good operating condition (reasonable wear, tear, depreciation, and obsolescence excepted), making from time to time all necessary repairs thereto and renewals and replacements thereof it determines to be necessary. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company shall at all times remain in compliance with all provisions of the City's code relating to maintenance and appearance.

# Section 6.2. Taxes, Assessments and Other Governmental Charges.

- (a) Subject to subsection (b) of this Section, the Company shall promptly pay and discharge, as the same become due, all taxes and assessments, general and special, and other governmental charges of any kind whatsoever that may be lawfully taxed, charged, levied, assessed or imposed upon or against or be payable for or in respect of the Project, or any part thereof or interest therein (including the leasehold estate of the Company therein) or any buildings, improvements, machinery and equipment at any time installed thereon by the Company, or the income therefrom, including any new taxes and assessments not of the kind enumerated above to the extent that the same are lawfully made, levied or assessed in lieu of or in addition to taxes or assessments now customarily levied against real or personal property, and further including all utility charges, assessments and other general governmental charges and impositions whatsoever, foreseen or unforeseen, which if not paid when due would impair the security of the Bonds or encumber the City's title to the Project; provided that with respect to any special assessments or other governmental charges that are lawfully levied and assessed which may be paid in installments, the Company shall be obligated to pay only such installments thereof as become due and payable during the Lease Term.
- (b) The Company may, in its own name or in the City's name, contest the validity or amount of any tax, assessment or other governmental charge which the Company is required to bear, pay and discharge pursuant to the terms of this Article by appropriate legal proceedings instituted at least 10 days before the tax, assessment or other governmental charge complained of becomes delinquent if and provided (1) the Company, before instituting any such contest, gives the City and the Trustee written notice of its intention to do so, (2) the Company diligently prosecutes any such contest, at all times effectively stays or prevents any official or judicial sale therefor, under execution or otherwise, and (3) the Company promptly pays any final judgment enforcing the tax, assessment or other governmental charge so contested and

thereafter promptly procures record release or satisfaction thereof. The City agrees to cooperate fully with the Company in connection with any and all administrative or judicial proceedings related to any tax, assessment or other governmental charge. The Company shall save and hold harmless the City and the Trustee from any costs and expenses the City and the Trustee may incur related to any of the above.

- (c) Nothing in this Lease shall be construed to require the Company to make duplicate tax payments. The Company shall receive a credit against any PILOT Payments due under this Lease to the extent of any ad valorem taxes imposed and paid by the Company with respect to the Project pursuant to this Section.
- **Section 6.3. Utilities.** All utilities and utility services used by the Company in, on or about the Project shall be paid for by the Company and shall be contracted for by the Company in the Company's own name (or the name(s) of its affiliates), and the Company shall, at its sole cost and expense, procure any and all permits, licenses or authorizations necessary in connection therewith.
- Section 6.4. Property Tax Exemption. So long as the City owns title to the Project, the City expects that the Project will be exempt from ad valorem taxes on real property. The first year of the exemption period for purposes of this Lease shall be 2023. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Lease to the contrary, the last year of such exemption period shall be no later than 2044. The Company covenants and agrees that, during each year the Project is exempt from ad valorem taxes by reason hereof, the Company will make annual payments in lieu of taxes to the City (each such payment, a "PILOT") as described in this Article VI. The City and the Company hereby agree that the tax abatement provided by this Lease shall only apply to property financed with the proceeds of the Bonds and shall not apply to property not financed with proceeds of the Bonds (and specifically shall not apply to personal property relating to the Project other than construction materials).
- **Section 6.5.** Payments In Lieu of Taxes for Project. The Company covenants and agrees to make PILOT Payments to the City on or before each December 1, commencing December 1, 2023, in the amounts, and in the years, set forth below. Any PILOT Payments due under this Lease which are not paid when due shall bear interest at the interest rate imposed by Missouri law on overdue *ad valorem* real estate taxes from the date such payment was first due. For the purposes of this **Section 6.5**, the following terms have the following definitions:
  - "Abatement Period" means the period starting the day after the end of the Construction Period and running for 20 calendar years, ending on December 31<sup>st</sup> in the 20<sup>th</sup> calendar year of the Abatement Period, *provided that*, the Abatement Period shall begin no later than January 1, 2025. For avoidance of doubt, if the end of the Construction Period is December 31, 2023, the first year of the Abatement Period would be 2024 and the last year of the abatement period would be 2043.
  - "Aggregate Tax Rate" means, at the time of calculation, the total of all *ad valorem* real property tax levy rates imposed by taxing jurisdictions that would be applicable to commercial real property located at the Project Site were it not for ownership thereof by the City.
  - "AV Assumption" shall have the following meaning for the following years (note that the years shown may extend beyond the Abatement Period depending on the year in which the Construction Period ends and that this table shall in no way serve to extend the Abatement Period if it would otherwise terminate prior to the last year shown below):

Year	AV Assumption	Year	<b>AV Assumption</b>
2023	\$15.00	2034	\$17.39
2024	15.00	2035	17.91
2025	15.45	2036	17.91
2026	15.45	2037	18.45
2027	15.91	2038	18.45
2028	15.91	2039	19.00
2029	16.39	2040	19.00
2030	16.39	2041	19.57
2031	16.88	2042	19.57
2032	16.88	2043	20.16
2033	17.39	2044	20.16

"Completion Percentage" means the percentage of completion certified by the Company in accordance with this Section 6.5, as described below.

"Construction Period" means the period starting on the date of delivery of this Lease and ending on December 31st of the year in which a certificate of occupancy has been issued by the City for the Project, *provided that*, the Construction Period shall end no later than December 31, 2024.

"PILOT Rate" means, (1) during the Construction Period, 22%, (2) during years 1 through 10 of the Abatement Period, 22%, and (3) during years 11 through 20 of the Abatement Period, 50%.

"Square Footage" means the building square footage completed or under construction on the Project Site at the time of the applicable calculation, as certified by the Company in accordance with this Section 6.5, as described below. The entire square footage of a building under construction, according to the Plans and Specifications for such building, will be considered to be "under construction" from and after the point that foundation work has commenced on such building.

"Taxes Otherwise Due" means the *ad valorem* real property taxes that would have been due on the Project for the year were it not for ownership thereof by the City, as calculated by the City from assessed valuation estimates provided by Jackson County, Missouri and using the thencurrent Aggregate Tax Rate.

In each year of the Construction Period and the Abatement Period, PILOT Payments shall be calculated and paid as follows:

1) In each year of the Construction Period, a PILOT Payment shall be made in the amount calculated as follows (*provided that*, the minimum PILOT Payment for any year of the Construction Period shall be \$70,052):

((((AV Assumption x Square Footage) x Completion Percentage) / 100) x Aggregate Tax Rate) x PILOT Rate

2) In each year of the Abatement Period, a PILOT Payment shall be made in the amount shown on the schedule calculated as described below, and provided to the Company by the City in the form of **Appendix I** hereto.

3) In any year after the end of the Abatement Period that the Project remains in City ownership, a PILOT Payment shall be made in the amount equal to the Taxes Otherwise Due.

For the purpose of calculating the PILOT Payment, the Company shall certify in good faith to the City, by August 15 of each year during the Construction Period and of the first year of the Abatement Period, (1) the Square Footage, and (2) the percentage of completion for the Project as of January 1 of that year (the "Completion Percentage").

On or before November 15 of the first year of the Abatement Period, the City shall calculate the PILOT Schedule in the form of **Appendix I** hereto for the Project and provide such completed schedule to the Company. The PILOT Payment shown for each year in such PILOT Schedule shall be calculated as follows:

(((AV Assumption x Square Footage) / 100) x Aggregate Tax Rate) x PILOT Rate

provided that, the Aggregate Tax Rate applied to each year shall be equal to the Aggregate Tax Rate in the year in which the calculation is performed (the first year of the Abatement Period).

- **Section 6.6. Distribution of PILOT Payments.** Within 30 days of the date of receipt of each PILOT Payment, the City or designated billing/collection agent shall distribute each PILOT Payment among the taxing jurisdictions in accordance with the Act.
- Section 6.7. Obligation of City to Effect Tax Abatement. The City agrees to take all actions within its control to obtain and/or maintain in effect the exemption referred to in Section 6.4 above, including any filing required with any governmental authorities, and shall, at the Company's request and at the Company's expense, fully cooperate with the Company in all reasonable ways to obtain/and or maintain in effect such exemption; provided, however, the City shall not be liable for any failure of Jackson County, Missouri or any other governmental taxing authority to recognize the exemption provided herein. The City covenants that it will not voluntarily take any action that may cause or induce the levy or assessment of ad valorem taxes on the Project. In the event such a levy or assessment should occur, the City shall, at the Company's request and at the Company's expense, fully cooperate with the Company in all reasonable ways to prevent and/or remove any such levy or assessment against the Project.
- **Section 6.8.** Administration Costs. Under Section 100.050 of the Act, the City may require the Company to reimburse the City for its actual costs of issuing the Bonds and administering the plan including costs associated with this Lease, in an amount of no greater than \$1,000 per year. The City will provide a statement for such costs to the Company not later than November 15th of each year and the Company will reimburse the City for its costs on or before December 1 of each year continuing until December 1 of the year in which this Lease expires or is terminated.
- **Section 6.9. No Abatement on Special Assessments, Licenses or Fees.** The City and the Company hereby agree that the property tax exemptions described in this Lease shall not apply to special assessments and shall not serve to reduce or eliminate any other licenses or fees owing to the City or any other taxing jurisdiction with respect to the Project. The Company hereby agrees to make payments with respect to all special assessments, licenses and fees which would otherwise be due with respect to the Project if such Project was not owned by the City.

## **Section 6.10. PILOT Increases Due to Certain Events.**

- (a) If for any reason the Company ceases operations of the Project during the term of this Lease, the PILOT Payments set forth in **Section 6.5** shall be increased to 100% of the ad valorem real property taxes that would otherwise have been due on the Project for each year following such cessation of operations including the year of cessation of operations. "Ceases operations" or "cessation of operations" for the purpose of this paragraph means the Company completely vacates, abandons and permanently ceases operations for a period of 90 consecutive days during the term of this Lease, unless the Project has been subject to a casualty and the Company is intending to rebuild the Project or the Company's interest in this Lease has been transferred pursuant to this Lease and the Project continues in operation thereafter. The Company shall not be found to have ceased operations during any time in which the Company is maintaining and advertising the Project for lease as a Permitted Facility.
- (b) If for any reason the Company operates or allows the operation of the Project for a use other than as a Permitted Facility for a period of 90 consecutive days during the term of this Lease, the PILOT Payments set forth in **Section 6.5** shall be increased to 100% of the ad valorem real property taxes that would otherwise have been due on the Project for each year in which the Project is operated as other than a Permitted Facility, starting with the year in which such non-complying use exceeds 89 consecutive days. However, if the non-complying use ceases, the amount of the PILOT Payments shall return to the schedule set forth in **Appendix I** attached hereto, starting with the first year in which the non-complying use persists for less than 90 consecutive days.
- Section 6.11. Sales Tax Exemption. Upon request of the Company after the issuance of the Bonds, the City will issue a sales tax exemption certificate to the Company for construction materials to be purchased for the Project and the City shall provide such other documentation as may be necessary from time to time to effect said sales tax exemption. The Company shall use the exemption certificate only for the purchase of construction materials to be incorporated into the Project on the Project Site (or incorporated into the Public Improvements on land owned by the City) and shall not use the exemption certificate for the purchase of any personal property other than construction materials. The Company shall indemnify and defend the City and its respective officers, employees and agents against and from any and all causes of action or actions in law or equity, liens, claims damages, loss, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever by any person or entity, arising out of the City's furnishing of the exemption certificate.

Section 6.12. Public Improvements Assessment. The Company understands that the Site Developer has agreed with the City to complete or cause to be completed the Public Improvements in accordance with the Public Improvements Development Agreement and that the costs of the Public Improvements are to be certified by the Site Developer to the City in accordance with the requirements of the Public Improvements Development Agreement. The Company and the City agree that the Project Site is benefitted by the Public Improvements and that the value of such benefit is equal to the total costs of the Public Improvements. At the completion of the Public Improvements (which shall be determined by the Public Improvements Development Agreement), the costs of such improvements certified under the Public Improvements Development Agreement, plus interest at the rate of 6.0% per annum, shall be assessed to the Project Site over a 20-year period coterminous with the Abatement Period (the "Public Improvements Assessment"). At completion of the Public Improvements, the City shall provide a completed Public Improvements Assessment Schedule in the form of Appendix II attached to this Lease to the Company. The Public Improvements Assessment Schedule shall provide for the payment of the Public Improvements Assessment over a 20-year period coterminous with the Abatement Period in substantially equal annual payments.

The Company covenants and agrees to pay the amounts shown on the Public Improvements Assessment Schedule (the "Public Improvements Assessment Payments") to the City on or before each

December 1 in the years set forth in the Public Improvements Assessment Schedule. Any Public Improvements Assessment Payments which are not paid when due shall bear interest at the interest rate imposed by Missouri law on overdue ad valorem real estate taxes from the date such payment was first due.

#### ARTICLE VII

## **INSURANCE**

**Section 7.1. Title Report**. Before conveying title to any real property to the City, the Company will provide a report reasonably acceptable to the City showing the ownership of and encumbrances on the Project Site. Copies of such report shall be provided to the City and the Trustee.

# Section 7.2. Property Insurance.

- (a) The Company shall at its sole cost and expense obtain and shall maintain throughout the Lease Term, a policy or policies of insurance (including, if appropriate, builder's risk insurance) to keep the Project constantly insured against loss or damage by fire, lightning and all other risks covered by the extended coverage insurance endorsement then in use in the State of Missouri in an amount equal to the Full Insurable Value thereof (subject to reasonable loss deductible provisions). The insurance required pursuant to this Section shall be maintained with a generally recognized responsible insurance company or companies authorized to do business in the State of Missouri or generally recognized international insurers or reinsurers with an A.M. Best rating of B+ or the equivalent thereof or better as may be selected by the Company. All such policies of insurance pursuant to this Section, and all renewals thereof, shall name the Company as insured and the City and the Trustee shall be named as loss payees, as their respective interests may appear, and shall contain a provision that the issuer of such insurance will provide at least 10 days' advance written notice to, the Company of the cancellation of such insurance. Company agrees it shall immediately forward any notice of cancellation it receives from the issuer of such insurance to the City and Trustee.
- (b) In the event of loss or damage to the Project, the Net Proceeds of property insurance carried pursuant to this Section shall be applied as provided in **Article IX** of this Lease, or as may be directed by, or on behalf of, the Owners of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds outstanding.

# Section 7.3. Commercial General Liability Insurance.

- (a) The Company shall at its sole cost and expense maintain or cause to be maintained at all times during the Lease Term general accident and commercial general liability insurance under which the City, the Company and the Trustee shall be named as additional insureds, properly protecting and indemnifying the City and the Trustee, in an amount not less than the limits of liability set by Section 537.610 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri (subject to loss deductible clauses not to exceed \$25,000). The policies of said insurance shall contain a provision that the issuer of such insurance will provide at least 10 days' advance written notice to the Company of the cancellation of such insurance. The Company agrees it shall immediately forward any notice of cancellation it receives from the issuer of such insurance to the City and Trustee.
- (b) In the event of a public liability occurrence, and subject to the rights of Lender under and pursuant to the terms of the Mortgage (except that no right of the Lender under the Mortgage shall affect the right of the City or the Trustee to the protection and indemnification provided as additional insureds pursuant to subsection(a), above), the Net Proceeds of liability insurance carried pursuant to this Section

shall be applied toward the extinguishment or satisfaction of the liability with respect to which such proceeds have been paid.

- **Section 7.4. Workers' Compensation.** The Company agrees throughout the Lease Term to maintain or cause to be maintained Workers' Compensation coverage to the extent required by the laws of the State of Missouri.
- Section 7.5. Blanket Insurance Policies; Self-Insurance. The Company may satisfy any of the insurance requirements set forth in this Article by using blanket policies of insurance, provided each and all of the requirements and specifications of this Article respecting insurance are complied with. Nothing in this Lease shall be construed from prohibiting the Company from self-insuring provided the Company, or in combination with its parent corporation, has a net worth in excess of \$200,000,000, as determined by generally accepted accounting principles.
- **Section 7.6.** Certificate of Compliance. The Company shall provide the City and the Trustee, on an annual basis, commencing on December 1, 2023 with a Certificate of Insurance Compliance in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit D**. The Trustee shall be entitled to rely upon said Certificate of Insurance Compliance as to the Company's compliance with the insurance requirements. The Trustee makes no representation as to, and shall have no responsibility for the sufficiency or adequacy of, the insurance.

## ARTICLE VIII

#### ALTERATION OF THE PROJECT

- Section 8.1. Additions, Modifications and Improvements to the Project. The Company shall have and is hereby given the right, at its sole cost and expense, to make such additions, modifications and improvements in and to any part of the Project as the Company from time to time may deem necessary or desirable for its business purposes. All additions, modifications and improvements made by the Company pursuant to the authority of this Section shall (a) be made in workmanlike manner and will comply in all material respects with all laws and ordinances applicable thereto, (b) when commenced, be prosecuted to completion with reasonable due diligence, and (c) when completed, be deemed a part of the Project; provided, however, that additions of machinery and equipment installed on the Project Site by the Company not purchased or acquired from funds deposited with the Trustee hereunder and not constituting repairs, renewals or replacements of the Project shall remain the property of the Company and may be removed by the Company. Such property shall be subject to *ad valorem* taxes.
- Section 8.2. Additional Improvements on the Project Site. The Company may, at its sole cost and expense, construct on portions of the Project Site not theretofore occupied by buildings or improvements such additional buildings and improvements as the Company from time to time may deem necessary or desirable for its business purposes. All additional buildings and improvements constructed on the Project Site by the Company, and not paid for with Bond proceeds, pursuant to the authority of this Section shall not be included as Project Improvements and, during the life of this Lease, shall remain the property of the Company and may be added to, altered or razed and removed by the Company at any time. All additional buildings and improvements shall be made in a good and workmanlike manner and in strict compliance with all material laws, orders and ordinances applicable thereto and when commenced shall be prosecuted to completion with due diligence. The Company covenants and agrees (a) to make any repairs and restorations required to be made to the Project because of the construction of, addition to, alteration or removal of said additional buildings or improvements, and (b) to promptly and with due diligence either raze and remove or repair, replace or restore any of said additional buildings and improvements as may

from time to time be damaged by fire or other casualty. The Company shall pay all ad valorem taxes and assessments payable with respect to such additional buildings and improvements which remain the property of the Company. If for any reason the County Assessor determines that such additional buildings and improvements are not subject to ad valorem taxes, the Company shall make payments in lieu of taxes in an amount equal to the taxes that would otherwise be due under this Section.

**Section 8.3. Permits and Authorizations**. The Company shall not do or permit others under its control to do any work on the Project related to any repair, rebuilding, restoration, replacement, modification or addition to the Project, or any part thereof, unless all requisite municipal and other governmental permits and authorizations shall have been first procured. All such work shall be done in a good and workmanlike manner and in material compliance with all applicable building, zoning and other laws, ordinances, governmental regulations. In the event of demonstrated noncompliance with such laws, ordinances, governmental regulations and requirements the Company will take all reasonable steps to comply with laws, ordinances, governmental regulations and requirements.

#### Section 8.4. Mechanics' Liens.

- (a) The Company will not directly or indirectly create, incur, assume or suffer to exist any lien on or with respect to the Project, except Permitted Encumbrances, and the Company shall promptly notify the City of the imposition of such lien of which the Company is aware and shall promptly, at its own expense, take such action as may be necessary to fully discharge or release any such lien. Whenever and as often as any mechanics' or other similar lien is filed against the Project, or any part thereof, purporting to be for or on account of any labor done or materials or services furnished in connection with any work in or about the Project, the Company shall discharge the same of record. Notice is hereby given that the City shall not be liable for any labor or materials furnished the Company or anyone claiming by, through or under the Company upon credit, and that no mechanics' or other similar lien for any such labor, services or materials shall attach to or affect the reversionary or other estate of the City in and to the Project or any part thereof.
- (b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) above, and subject to the terms of the Mortgage, the Company may contest any such mechanics' or other similar lien if the Company (1) within 60 days after the Company becomes aware of any such lien notifies the City and the Trustee in writing of its intention so to do, (2) diligently prosecutes such contest, (3) at all times effectively stays or prevents any official or judicial sale of the Project, or any part thereof or interest therein, under execution or otherwise, (4) promptly pays or otherwise satisfies any final judgment adjudging or enforcing such contested lien claim and (5) thereafter promptly procures record release or satisfaction thereof. The Company may permit the lien so contested to remain unpaid during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom unless the Company is notified by the City that, in the opinion of counsel, by nonpayment of any such items, the interest of the City in the Project will be subject to loss or forfeiture. In that event, the Company shall promptly, at its own expense, take such action as may be reasonably necessary to duly discharge or remove any such pledge, lien, charge, encumbrance or claim if the same shall arise at any time. The Company shall save and hold harmless the City from any loss, costs or expenses the City may incur related to any such contest. The Company shall reimburse the City for any expense incurred by it in connection with the imposition of any such lien or in order to discharge or remove any such pledge, lien, charge, encumbrance or claim. The City shall cooperate fully with the Company in any such contest.

# ARTICLE IX

## DAMAGE, DESTRUCTION AND CONDEMNATION

# Section 9.1. Damage or Destruction.

(a) If the Project is damaged or destroyed by fire or any other casualty, whether or not covered by insurance, the Company, as promptly as practicable and subject to delay to the extent caused by such fire or other casualty, shall either (i) make the determination described in subsection (f) below, or (ii) repair, restore, replace or rebuild the same so that upon completion of such repairs, restoration, replacement or rebuilding the Project is of a value not less than the value thereof immediately before the occurrence of such damage or destruction or, at the Company's option, construct upon the Project Site new buildings and improvements thereafter together with all new machinery, equipment and fixtures which are either to be attached to or are to be used in connection with the operation or maintenance thereof, provided that (A) the value thereof shall not be less than the value of such destroyed or damaged Project Improvements immediately before the occurrence of such damage or destruction and (B) the nature of such new buildings, improvements, machinery, equipment and fixtures will not impair the character of the Project as an enterprise permitted by the Act.

If the Company elects to construct any such new buildings and improvements, for all purposes of this Lease, any reference to the words "Project Improvements" shall be deemed to also include any such new buildings and improvements and all additions thereto and all replacements and alterations thereof.

Unless the Company makes the determination described in subsection (f) below, the Net Proceeds of casualty insurance required by **Article VII** hereof received with respect to such damage or loss to the Project shall be used to pay the cost of repairing, restoring, replacing or rebuilding the Project or any part thereof. Insurance monies in an amount less than \$1,000,000 may be paid to or retained by the Company to be held in trust and used as provided herein. Insurance monies in any amount of \$1,000,000 or more shall be (i) paid to the Trustee and deposited in the Project Fund and shall be disbursed as provided in **Section 4.4** hereof to pay the cost of repairing, restoring, replacing or rebuilding the Project or any part thereof, or (ii) if determined by the Owners of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding, applied as directed by, or on behalf of, such Owners of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding. If the Company makes the determination described in subsection (f) below, the Net Proceeds shall be deposited with the Trustee and used to redeem Bonds as provided in subsection (f).

- (b) Unless the Company makes the determination described in subsection (f) below, if any of the insurance monies paid by the insurance company as hereinabove provided remain after the completion of such repairs, restoration, replacement or rebuilding, and this Lease has not been terminated, the excess shall be deposited in the Bond Fund, subject to the rights of any Lender under the terms of the Mortgage. Completion of such repairs, restoration, replacement or rebuilding shall be evidenced by a certificate of completion in accordance with the provisions of **Section 4.5** hereof. If the Net Proceeds are insufficient to pay the entire cost of such repairs, restoration, replacement or rebuilding, the Company shall pay the deficiency.
- (c) Except as otherwise provided in this Lease, in the event of any such damage by fire or any other casualty, the provisions of this Lease shall be unaffected and the Company shall remain and continue liable for the payment of all Basic Rent and Additional Rent and all other charges required hereunder to be paid by the Company, as though no damage by fire or any other casualty has occurred.
- (d) The City and the Company agree that they will cooperate with each other, to such extent as such other party may reasonably require, in connection with the prosecution or defense of any action or proceeding arising out of, or for the collection of any insurance monies that may be due in the event of, any

loss or damage, and that they will execute and deliver to such other parties such instruments as may be required to facilitate the recovery of any insurance monies.

- (e) The Company agrees to give prompt notice to the City and the Trustee with respect to all fires and any other casualties occurring in, on, at or about the Project Site which damages a material portion of the Project.
- (f) If the Company determines that rebuilding, repairing, restoring or replacing the Project is not practicable or desirable, or if the Company does not have the right under any Mortgage to use any Net Proceeds for repair or restoration of the Project, any Net Proceeds of casualty insurance required by **Article VII** hereof received with respect to such damage or loss shall, after payment of all Additional Rent then due and payable, be paid into the Bond Fund and shall be used to redeem Bonds on the earliest practicable redemption date or to pay the principal of any Bonds as the same become due, all subject to rights of any Lender under a Mortgage (if any). The Company agrees to be reasonable in exercising its judgment pursuant to this subsection (f). Alternatively, if the Company is the sole owner of the Bonds and it has determined that rebuilding, repairing, restoring or replacing the Project is not practicable or desirable, it may tender Bonds to the Trustee for cancellation in a principal amount equal to the Net Proceeds of the casualty insurance, and retain such proceeds for its own account.
- (g) The Company shall not, by reason of its inability to use all or any part of the Project during any period in which the Project is damaged or destroyed or is being repaired, rebuilt, restored or replaced, nor by reason of the payment of the costs of such rebuilding, repairing, restoring or replacing, be entitled to any reimbursement from the City, the Trustee or the Owners or to any abatement or diminution of the rentals payable by the Company under this Lease or of any other obligations of the Company under this Lease except as expressly provided in this Section.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein, the City shall have no right, for its own account, to the Net Proceeds of any property insurance maintained in accordance with **Section 7.2** of this Lease; provided that such Net Proceeds shall be applied in accordance with this Lease and the Mortgage (if any).

#### Section 9.2. Condemnation.

- (a) If during the Lease Term, title to, or the temporary use of, all or any part of the Project is condemned by or sold under threat of condemnation to any authority possessing the power of eminent domain, to such extent that the claim or loss resulting from such condemnation is greater than \$1,000,000, the Company shall, within 90 days after the date of entry of a final order in any eminent domain proceedings granting condemnation or the date of sale under threat of condemnation, notify the City, the Trustee, and any Lender under a Mortgage (if any) in writing as to the nature and extent of such condemnation or loss of title and whether it is practicable and desirable to acquire or construct substitute improvements.
- (b) If the Company determines that such substitution is practicable and desirable, the Company shall proceed promptly with and complete with reasonable dispatch the acquisition or construction of such substitute improvements, so as to place the Project in substantially the same condition as existed before the exercise of the said power of eminent domain, including the acquisition or construction of other improvements suitable for the Company's operations at the Project (which improvements will be deemed a part of the Project and available for use and occupancy by the Company without the payment of any rent other than herein provided, to the same extent as if such other improvements were specifically described herein and demised hereby); provided, that such improvements will be acquired by the City subject to no liens, security interests or encumbrances before the lien and/or security interest afforded by the Indenture

and this Lease other than Permitted Encumbrances. In such case, any Net Proceeds received from any award or awards with respect to the Project or any part thereof made in such condemnation or eminent domain proceedings, or of the sale proceeds, shall be applied in the same manner as provided in **Section 9.1** hereof (with respect to the receipt of casualty insurance proceeds).

- (c) If the Company determines that it is not practicable or desirable to acquire or construct substitute improvements, any Net Proceeds of condemnation awards received by the Company shall, after payment of all Additional Rent then due and payable, be paid into the Bond Fund and shall be used to redeem Bonds on the earliest practicable redemption date or to pay the principal of any Bonds as the same becomes due and payable, provided that if the Company is the sole owner of the Bonds and it has determined that acquiring and constructing substitute improvements is not practicable or desirable, it may tender Bonds to the Trustee for cancellation in a principal amount equal to the Net Proceeds of the condemnation awards, and retain such proceeds for its own account, all subject to the rights of any Lender under a Mortgage (if any).
- (d) The Company shall not, by reason of its inability to use all or any part of the Project during any such period of restoration or acquisition nor by reason of the payment of the costs of such restoration or acquisition, be entitled to any reimbursement from the City, the Trustee or the Owners or to any abatement or diminution of the rentals payable by the Company under this Lease nor of any other obligations hereunder except as expressly provided in this Section.
- (e) The City shall cooperate fully with the Company in the handling and conduct of any prospective or pending condemnation proceedings with respect to the Project or any part thereof, and shall, to the extent it may lawfully do so, permit the Company to litigate in any such proceeding in the name and on behalf of the City. In no event will the City voluntarily settle or consent to the settlement of any prospective or pending condemnation proceedings with respect to the Project or any part thereof without the prior written consent of the Company and the Lender.
- **Section 9.3. Bondowner Approval**. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this **Article IX**, and subject to the rights of the Lender, the proceeds of any insurance received subsequent to a casualty or of any condemnation proceedings (or threats thereof) may prior to the application thereof by the City or the Trustee be applied as directed by the Owners of 100% of the principal amount of Bonds Outstanding, subject and subordinate to (a) the terms and conditions of the Mortgage; (b) the rights of the City and the Trustee to be paid all their expenses (including attorneys' fees, trustee's fees and any extraordinary expenses of the City and the Trustee) incurred in the collection of such gross proceeds.

#### ARTICLE X

# SPECIAL COVENANTS

Section 10.1. No Warranty of Condition or Suitability by the City; Exculpation and Indemnification. The City makes no warranty, either express or implied, as to the condition of the Project or that it will be suitable for the Company's purposes or needs. The Company releases the City and the Trustee from, agrees that the City and the Trustee shall not be liable for and agrees to hold the City and the Trustee harmless against, any loss or damage to property or any injury to or death of any Person that may be occasioned by any cause whatsoever pertaining to the Project or the Company's use thereof, unless such loss is the result of the City's or the Trustee's gross negligence or willful misconduct. This provision shall survive termination of this Lease.

Section 10.2. Surrender of Possession. Upon accrual of the City's right of re-entry to the extent provided in Section 12.2(b) hereof, the Company shall peacefully surrender possession of the Project to the City in good condition and repair; provided, however, the Company may within 90 days (or such later date as the City may agree to) after the termination of this Lease remove from the Project Site any buildings, improvements, furniture, trade fixtures, machinery and equipment owned by the Company and not constituting part of the Project. All repairs to and restorations of the Project required to be made because of such removal shall be made by and at the sole cost and expense of the Company, and during said 90-day (or extended) period the Company shall bear the sole responsibility for and bear the sole risk of loss for said buildings, improvements, furniture, trade fixtures, machinery and equipment owned by the Company and not constituting part of the Project. All buildings, improvements, furniture, trade fixtures, machinery and equipment owned by the Company and which are not so removed from the Project before the expiration of said period shall be the separate and absolute property of the City.

**Section 10.3.** City's Right of Access to the Project. The Company agrees that the City and the Trustee and their duly authorized agents shall have the right at reasonable times during business hours, subject to 24 hours' advance written notice and the Company's usual safety and security requirements, to enter upon the Project Site (a) to examine and inspect the Project without interference or prejudice to the Company's operations, (b) as may be reasonably necessary to cause to be completed the purchase and installation provided for in **Section 4.2** hereof, (c) performing such work in and about the Project Site made necessary by reason of the Company's default under any of the provisions of this Lease, and (d) exhibiting the Project to prospective purchasers, lessees or trustees subsequent to an Event of Default.

## Section 10.4. Granting of Easements; Mortgages and Financing Arrangements.

(a) Subject to **Sections 10.4(b)** and **(c)**, if no Event of Default under this Lease has happened and is continuing, the Company may at any time or times (i) grant subleases (as permitted in **Section 13.1(b)** hereof), easements, licenses, rights-of-way (including the dedication of public highways) and other rights or privileges in the nature of easements that are for the direct use of the Project, or part thereof, by the grantee, (ii) release or terminate existing subleases, easements, licenses, rights-of-way and other rights or privileges, all with or without consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Company shall determine, or (iii) incur Permitted Encumbrances. The Company may take such actions and may execute any applicable documents in the Company's own name. No separate signature of or authorization from the City shall be required for the execution and delivery of any such document, although the City agrees to execute and deliver such confirming documents as are described below, under the procedures described below, if the Company chooses to make such a request. All third parties entering into agreements with the Company or receiving delivery of or the benefit of such agreements or documents shall be entitled to rely

upon the same as having been executed and delivered by the City, unless such third party has actual or constructive notice, expressly in writing, that the agency herein granted by the City to the Company has been terminated by the City because of an uncured Event of Default hereunder. The City agrees that it will execute and deliver and will cause and direct the Trustee to execute and deliver any instrument necessary or appropriate to confirm and grant, release or terminate any such sublease, easement, license, right-of-way or other right or privilege or any such agreement or other arrangement, upon receipt by the City and the Trustee of: (i) a copy of the instrument of grant, release or termination or of the agreement or other arrangement, (ii) a written application signed by an Authorized Company Representative requesting such instrument, and (iii) a certificate executed by an Authorized Company Representative stating that such grant or release is not detrimental to the proper conduct of the business of the Company, will not impair the effective use or interfere with the efficient and economical operation of the Project, will not materially adversely affect the security intended to be given by or under the Indenture and will be a Permitted Encumbrance. If no Event of Default has happened and is continuing beyond any applicable grace period, any payments or other consideration received by the Company for any such grant or with respect to or under any such agreement or other arrangement shall be and remain the property of the Company; but, subject to Sections 10.4(b) and (c), upon (i) termination of this Lease for any reason other than the redemption of the Bonds and/or the purchase of the Project by the Company or (ii) the occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default by the Company, all rights then existing of the Company with respect to or under such grant shall inure to the benefit of and be exercisable by the City and the Trustee.

- (b) The right of a Lender to foreclose upon the lien of a Mortgage or accept a deed in lieu of foreclosure from the Company shall not require the consent of the City, if written notice of the proposed sale or assignment is provided to the City at least fifteen (15) days prior thereto. The City acknowledges and agrees that the Company may further finance and refinance its rights and interests in the Project, this Lease, and the leasehold estate created hereby with prior notice to but without the consent of the City, provided and upon condition that a duplicate original or certified copy or photostatic copy of each such Mortgage, and the note or other obligation secured thereby, is delivered to the City within thirty (30) days after the execution thereof. The Company may mortgage the fee estate held by the City with the consent of the City, not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned, or delayed. In connection with any Mortgage, the Company shall have the right to assign this Lease, the leasehold estate, any sublease, and any rights in connection therewith, and/or grant liens or security interests therein, to any Lender. Any further sublease or assignment by any Lender shall be subject to the provisions of **Section 13.1(c)**.
- (c) With respect to a future Mortgage, upon notice by the Company to the City in writing that it has executed a Mortgage under which it has granted rights in this Lease to a Lender which includes the name and address of such Lender, the following provisions shall apply in respect of each such Lender:
  - (1) there shall be no merger of this Lease or of the leasehold estate created hereby with the fee title to the Project, notwithstanding that this Lease or said leasehold estate and said fee title shall be owned by the same Person or Persons, without the prior written consent of such Lender;
  - (2) the City shall serve upon each such Lender (at the address, if any, provided to the City) a copy of each notice of the occurrence of an Event of Default and each notice of termination given to the Company under this Lease, at the same time as such notice is served upon the Company. No such notice to the Company shall be effective unless a copy thereof is thus served upon each Lender (at the address, if any, provided to the City);
  - (3) each Lender shall have the same period of time which the Company has, after the service of any required notice upon it, within which to remedy or cause to be remedied any payment

default under this Lease which is the basis of the notice plus thirty (30) days, and the City shall accept performance by such Lender as timely performance by the Company;

- (4) the City may exercise any of its rights or remedies with respect to any other Event of Default by the Company, subject to the rights of each Lender under this **Section 10.4(c)** as to such other events of default. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any Lender holding a Mortgage of the fee simple interest or leasehold interest in the Project may cause the sale of the fee simple interest or any leasehold interest of the Company, as applicable, to be sold at foreclosure sale conducted in accordance with applicable law and the terms of the Mortgage, may accept assignment of this Lease in lieu of foreclosure and may appoint a receiver for the Project, all without obtaining the prior written consent of the City (provided that the City's right to exercise remedies under this Lease against any successor in interest shall not be reduced by virtue of such transfer);
- (5) upon the occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default by the Company under this Lease, other than a default in the payment of money, the City shall take no action to effect a termination of this Lease by service of a notice or otherwise, without first giving notice thereof to each such Lender and permitting such Lender (or its designee, nominee, assignee, or transferee) a reasonable time within which to remedy such default in the case of an Event of Default which is susceptible of being cured (provided that the period to remedy such event of default shall continue beyond any period set forth in the Lease to effect said cure so long as the Lender (or its designee, nominee, assignee, or transferee) is diligently prosecuting such cure); provided that the Lender (or its designee, nominee, assignee, or transferee) shall pay or cause to be paid to the City and the Trustee all expenses, including reasonable counsel fees, court costs and disbursements incurred by the City or the Trustee in connection with any such default; and
- (6) such Lenders (and their designees, nominees, assignees, or transferees) shall have the right to enter, possess and use the Project at such reasonable times and manner as are necessary or desirable to effectuate the remedies and enforce their respective rights under the Mortgage(s).
- (d) In connection with the execution of one or more Mortgages, upon the request of the Company, the City agrees to execute such documents as shall be reasonably requested by a Lender and which are usual and customary in connection with the closing of the financing or refinancing pursuant to the Mortgage, provided that the City shall not be required to undertake any duties or payment obligations under such documents and shall make only such representations as it deems appropriate in its sole discretion. The Company agrees to reimburse the City for any and all costs and expenses incurred by the City pursuant to this Section, including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, in complying with such request.
  - (e) This Lease is subject to any Mortgage executed or consented to by the Company.
- (f) Notwithstanding anything contained to the contrary in this Lease, (a) the Company shall have the right to assign this Lease and any subleases to a Lender or to the designee or nominee of a Lender, without the consent of the City, and (b) if a Lender or its designee or nominee shall acquire ownership of the leasehold estate, either following foreclosure of the applicable Mortgage or in liquidation of the indebtedness and in lieu of foreclosure thereof, said Lender or its designee or nominee shall have the further right to further assign this Lease and any subleases and any purchase money mortgage accepted in connection therewith, without the consent of the City and such assignee shall enjoy all rights, powers and privileges granted herein to said Lender; provided, however, that such Lender or its assignee or nominee, or their assignee or nominee, shall assume in writing all rights, duties and obligations of the Company under this Lease.

- (g) During the term of any Mortgage, the following provisions shall apply:
- (i) this Lease may not be modified, amended, canceled or surrendered by agreement between the City and the Company, without the prior written consent of the applicable Lender;
- (ii) if this Lease shall terminate prior to the expiration of the Lease Term, the City shall enter into a new lease for the Project with the applicable Lender or its designee or nominee, for the remainder of the Lease Term, effective as of the date of such termination, at the same rent and upon the same terms, covenants and conditions contained herein, except that such new lease shall not guarantee possession of the Project to the new tenant as against the Company and/or anyone claiming under the Company, and the City, simultaneously with the execution and delivery of such new lease, shall turn over to the new tenant all monies, if any, then held by the City under the Lease on behalf of the Company, on condition that:
  - (A) The applicable Lender shall make written request for such new lease within thirty (30) days after the date of such termination, and
  - (B) on the commencement date of the term of the new lease, the applicable Lender shall cure all defaults of the Company under the Lease (susceptible of being cured by such Lender) which remain uncured on that date, and shall pay or cause to be paid all unpaid sums which at such time would have been payable under this Lease but for such termination, and shall pay or cause to be paid to the City on that date all fees, costs, charges and expenses, including, without limitation, reasonable counsel fees, court costs and disbursements, incurred by the City or the Trustee in connection with any such default and termination as well as in connection with the execution and delivery of such new lease;
- (iii) if a Lender or its designee or nominee shall become the owner of this Lease either following foreclosure of a Mortgage or in liquidation of the indebtedness and in lieu of foreclosure thereof and said Lender or its designee or nominee shall have assigned this Lease, said Lender or its designee or nominee so assigning shall be released from all liability accruing from and after the date of such assignment.
- (h) The City agrees that any requested consent or signature of the City to any Mortgage under this Section (including any related document, including but not limited to documents subordinating the City's fee interest in the Project Site or any portion thereof to a Mortgage) may be given by the City Manager, in his or her discretion, without further approval of the City Council. The City agrees that if a Mortgage on the fee interest in the Project Site is granted that this Lease shall be subject to, and subordinate to, any such Mortgage and that the Lender will not be required to grant any rights of nondisturbance with respect to this Lease.
- Section 10.5. Indemnification of City and Trustee. The Company shall indemnify and save and hold harmless the City and the Trustee and their governing body members, officers, agents and employees (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties") from and against all claims, demands, costs, liabilities, damages or expenses, including attorneys' fees, by or on behalf of any person, firm or corporation arising from the issuance of the Bonds and the execution of this Lease, the Indenture or any other documents entered into in connection with the Bonds and from the conduct or management of, or from any work or thing done in or on the Project during the Lease Term, and against and from all claims, demands, costs, liabilities, damages or expenses, including attorneys' fees, arising during the Lease Term from (a) any condition of the Project, (b) any breach or default on the part of the Company in the performance of any of its obligations under this Lease or any related document, (c) any contract entered into by the Company in

connection with the purchase, construction, extension or improvement of the Project, (d) any act of negligence of the Company or of any of its agents, contractors, servants, employees or licensees, (e) any liability of an Indemnified Party resulting from a failure to comply with Section 107.170 of the Revised Statues of Missouri, as amended, with respect to the Project, (f) unless the Company has been released from liability pursuant to Section 13.1(c), any act of negligence of any assignee or sublessee of the Company, or of any agents, contractors, servants, employees or licensees of any assignee or sublessee of the Company, (g) obtaining any applicable state and local sales and use tax exemptions for materials or goods that become part of the Project, and (h) any claim relating to the presence on, escape or removal from the Project during the term of the Lease of any hazardous substance or other material regulated by any applicable Environmental Law, or compliance with any applicable Environmental Law, whether such claim arises before, during or after the term of this Lease, including claims relating to personal injury or damage to property; provided, however, the indemnification contained in this Section 10.5 shall not extend to (i) the City if such claims, demands, costs, liabilities, damages or expenses, including attorneys' fees, are the result of work being performed at the Project by employees of the City or the result of negligence or willful misconduct by the City (except in the case of failure to comply with Section 107.170), or (ii) the Trustee if such claims, demands, costs, liabilities, damages or expenses, including attorneys' fees, are the result of the negligence or willful misconduct of the Trustee or (iii) the City for any claim relating to the failure of such party to perform its obligations under this Lease or the Indenture. Upon notice from the City or the Trustee, the Company shall defend them or either of them in any such action or proceeding. This Section 10.5 shall survive any termination of this Lease or the satisfaction and discharge of the Indenture.

In case any action shall be brought against one or more of the Indemnified Parties based upon the foregoing indemnification and in respect of which indemnity may be sought against the Company, the Indemnified Parties shall promptly notify the Company in writing and the Company shall promptly assume the defense thereof, including the employment of counsel satisfactory to the Indemnified Parties, the payment of all reasonable expenses and the right to negotiate and consent to settlement. If the Company shall have wrongfully failed to assume the defense of such action, the reasonable fees and expenses of counsel retained by the Indemnified Party shall be paid by the Company. If any of the Indemnified Parties is advised by counsel retained by the Company to defend such action that there may be legal defenses available to it which are adverse to or in conflict with those available to the Company or any other Indemnified Party, and that the defense of such Indemnified Party should be handled by separate counsel, the Company shall not have the right to assume the defense of such Indemnified Party, but shall be responsible for the reasonable fees and expenses of counsel retained by such Indemnified Party in assuming its own defense. Any one or more of the Indemnified Parties shall have the right to employ separate counsel in any such action and to participate in the defense thereof, but except as otherwise set forth in this Section, the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such Indemnified Party or Indemnified Parties unless employment of such counsel has been specifically authorized by the Company. The Company shall not be liable for any settlement of any such action effected without its consent by any of the Indemnified Parties, but if settled with the consent of the Company or if there be a final judgment for the plaintiff in any such action against the Company or any of the Indemnified Parties, with or without the consent of the Company, the provided that the Company was given prompt written notice and the ability to assume the defense thereof as required by this paragraph, the Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties to the extent provided herein.

Section 10.6. Depreciation, Investment Tax Credit and Other Tax Benefits. The City agrees that any depreciation, investment tax credit or any other tax benefits with respect to the Project or any part thereof shall be made available to the Company, and the City will fully cooperate with the Company in any effort by the Company to avail itself of any such depreciation, investment tax credit or other tax benefits.

Section 10.7. Company to Maintain its Corporate Existence. The Company agrees that until the Bonds are paid or payment is provided for in accordance with the terms of the Indenture, it will maintain its corporate existence, and will not dissolve or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its assets; provided, however, that the Company may, without violating the agreement contained in this Section, consolidate with or merge into another domestic corporation (i.e., a corporation incorporated and existing under the laws of one of the states of the United States) or permit one or more other domestic corporations to consolidate with or merge into it, or may sell or otherwise transfer to another domestic corporation all or substantially all of its assets as an entirety and thereafter dissolve, provided, the surviving, resulting or transferee corporation either (A) becomes, in connection with the consolidation, merger or sale of assets becomes the Owner of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds outstanding and expressly assumes in writing all of the obligations of the Company contained in this Lease, or (B) if not the Owner of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds outstanding, expressly assumes in writing all the obligations of the Company contained in this Lease; and, further provided, that if not the Owner of 100% in principal amount of the Bonds outstanding, the surviving, resulting or transferee corporation, as the case may be, has a consolidated net worth (after giving effect to said consolidation, merger or transfer) at least (i) equal to or greater than that of the Company immediately prior to said consolidation, merger or transfer, or (ii) \$50,000,000. The term "net worth," as used in this Section, shall mean the difference obtained by subtracting total liabilities (not including as a liability any capital or surplus item) from total assets of the Company and all of its subsidiaries. In any such consolidation, merger or transfer the Company shall comply with the provisions of **Section 13.1** hereof to the extent applicable.

Section 10.8. Security Interests. At the written request of the Owner of the Bonds, the City and the Company agree to enter into all instruments (including financing statements and statements of continuation) necessary for perfection of and continuance of the perfection of the security interests of the City and the Trustee in the Project. Upon the written instructions of the Owner of the Bonds, the Trustee, at the Company's expense, shall file all instruments the Owner of the Bonds shall deem necessary to be filed. The Trustee shall, pursuant to Section 805 of the Indenture, file continuation statements of originally filed financing statements for so long as the Bonds shall be Outstanding provided a copy of such originally financing statements is timely delivered to the Trustee. The City and the Company shall cooperate with the Trustee in this regard by executing such continuation statements and providing such information as the Trustee may require to renew such liens.

# Section 10.9. Release of Portions of the Project under Specific Circumstances.

- (a) Upon completion of any Public Improvements, such Public Improvements and the portion(s) of the Project Site on which such Public Improvements are located may be, by agreement of the Company and the City, released from this Lease, the Indenture and the other documents relating to the Bonds, including by execution of documents described in **Section 11.2** sufficient to convey such property to the Company for purposes of dedication to the City.
- (b) Property (including any Public Improvements located thereon) conveyed to the Company and released from this Lease pursuant to subsection (a) above, shall no longer constitute a part of the Project Improvements, the Project Site or the Project from and after such conveyance and release.

## **ARTICLE XI**

# OPTION AND OBLIGATION TO PURCHASE THE PROJECT

**Section 11.1. Option to Purchase the Project**. The Company shall have, and is hereby granted, the option to purchase the Project at any time, upon payment in full of all Bonds then outstanding or

provision for their payment having been made pursuant to **Article XIII** of the Indenture. To exercise such option the Company shall give written notice to the City and to the Trustee, and shall specify therein the date of closing such purchase, which date shall be not less than 15 nor more than 90 days from the date such notice is mailed, and in case of a redemption of the Bonds in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture, the Company shall make arrangements satisfactory to the Trustee for the giving of the required notice of redemption. Such notice may be waived by the City and the Trustee in their discretion. Notwithstanding the forgoing, if the City or the Trustee provides notice of its intent to exercise its remedies hereunder (a "Remedies Notice"), the Company shall be deemed to have exercised its repurchase option under this Section on the 29<sup>th</sup> day following the issuance of the Remedies Notice without any further action by the Company; provided said notice has not been rescinded by such date (such option to take place on the 29<sup>th</sup> day following the issuance of the Remedies Notice). The Company may rescind such exercise by providing written notice to the City and the Trustee on or prior to the 29<sup>th</sup> and by taking such action as may be required to cure the default that led to the giving of the Remedies Notice. The purchase price payable by the Company in the event of its exercise of the option granted in this Section shall be the sum of the following:

- (a) an amount of money which, when added to the amount then on deposit in the Bond Fund, will be sufficient to redeem all the then outstanding Bonds on the earliest redemption date next succeeding the closing date, including, without limitation, principal and interest to accrue to said redemption date and redemption expense; plus
- (b) an amount of money equal to the Trustee's reasonable fees, charges and expenses under the Indenture accrued and to accrue until such redemption of the Bonds; plus
- (c) an amount of money equal to all PILOT Payments and other payments due and payable pursuant to **Article VI** hereof through the end of the calendar year in which the date of purchase occurs; plus
  - (d) the sum of \$100.00.

At its option, to be exercised at least 5 days prior to the date of closing such purchase, the Company may deliver to the Trustee for cancellation Bonds not previously paid, and the Company shall receive a credit against the purchase price payable by the Company in an amount equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Bonds so delivered for cancellation, plus the accrued interest thereon.

- **Section 11.2.** Conveyance of the Project. At the closing of the purchase of the Project pursuant to this Article, the City will upon receipt of the purchase price deliver to the Company the following:
  - (a) If the Indenture shall not at the time have been satisfied in full, a release from the Trustee of the Project from the lien and/or security interest of the Indenture and this Lease and appropriate termination of financing statements as required under the Uniform Commercial Code; and
  - (b) Documents, including without limitation a special warranty deed as to the Project Site, conveying to the Company legal title to the Project, as it then exists, in recordable form, subject to the following: (i) those liens and encumbrances, if any, to which title to the Project was subject when conveyed to the City (such that the City shall not have placed any mortgage, deed of trust, or any other similar instrument upon the Project without the prior written consent of the Company); (ii) those liens and encumbrances created by the Company or to the creation or suffering of which the Company consented; (iii) those liens and encumbrances resulting from the failure of

the Company to perform or observe any of the agreements on its part contained in this Lease; (iv) Permitted Encumbrances other than the Indenture and this Lease; and (v) if the Project or any part thereof is being condemned, the rights and title of any condemning authority.

Any deed of trust, mortgage, or any other similar instrument placed upon the Project by the City without the prior written consent of the Company shall be removed prior to conveyance of the Project to the Company.

Section 11.3. Relative Position of Option and Indenture. The options and obligation to purchase the Project granted to the Company in this Article shall be and remain prior and superior to the Indenture and may be exercised whether or not the Company is in default under this Lease, provided that such default will not result in nonfulfillment of any condition to the exercise of any such option and further provided that all options herein granted shall terminate upon the termination of this Lease.

# Section 11.4. Obligation to Purchase the Project.

- (a) As additional consideration for the Company's use of the Project, the Company hereby agrees to purchase, and the City hereby agrees to sell, the Project upon the occurrence of (a) the expiration of the Lease Term following full payment of the Bonds or provision for payment thereof having been made in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture, and (b) the final payments due under **Article VI** of this Lease. The amount of the purchase price under this Section shall be \$100 plus an amount sufficient to redeem all the then Outstanding Bonds, plus accrued interest and the reasonable fees and expenses of the City and the Trustee.
- (b) If the Abatement Period ends prior to **2044**, the Company shall exercise the option to purchase the Project under **Section 11.1** of this Lease in December of the final year of the Abatement Period.

## **ARTICLE XII**

## **DEFAULTS AND REMEDIES**

- **Section 12.1.** Events of Default. If any one or more of the following events shall occur and be continuing, it is hereby defined as and declared to be and to constitute an "Event of Default" or "default" under this Lease:
  - (a) Default in the due and punctual payment of Basic Rent for a period of 5 days following written notice to the Company by the City or the Trustee; or
  - (b) Default in the due and punctual payment of Additional Rent for a period of 30 days following written notice to the Company by the City or the Trustee or the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding provided, however, at any time the Company is the owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding, said notice must also have been given by the Owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding or it shall not be effective; or
  - (c) Default in the due observance or performance of any other covenant, agreement, obligation or provision of this Lease on the Company's part to be observed or performed, and such default shall continue for 30 days after the City or the Trustee or the Owners of 25% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding has given the Company written notice specifying such

default (or such longer period as shall be reasonably required to cure such default provided that (1) the Company has commenced such cure within said 30-day period, and (2) the Company diligently prosecutes such cure to completion) provided, however, at any time the Company is the owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding, said notice must also have been given by the Owner of 100% in aggregate principal amount of all Bonds Outstanding or it shall not be effective; or

- The Company: (1) admits in writing its inability to pay its debts as they become (d) due; or (2) files a petition in bankruptcy or for reorganization, arrangement, composition, readjustment, liquidation, dissolution or similar relief under the Bankruptcy Code as now or in the future amended or any other similar present or future federal or state statute or regulation, or files a pleading asking for such relief; or (3) make an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or (4) consents to the appointment of a trustee, receiver or liquidator for all or a major portion of its property or fails to have the appointment of any trustee, receiver or liquidator made without the Company's consent or acquiescence, vacated or set aside; or (5) is finally adjudicated as bankrupt or insolvent under any federal or state law; or (6) is subject to any proceeding, or suffers the entry of a final and non-appealable court order, under any federal or state law appointing a trustee, receiver or liquidator for all or a major part of its property or ordering the winding-up or liquidation of its affairs, or approving a petition filed against it under the Bankruptcy Code, as now or in the future amended, which order or proceeding, if not consented to by it, is not dismissed, vacated, denied, set aside or stayed within 90 days after the day of entry or commencement; or (7) suffers a writ or warrant of attachment or any similar process to be issued by any court against all or any substantial portion of its property, and such writ or warrant of attachment or any similar process is not contested, stayed, or is not released within 60 days after the final entry, or levy or after any contest is finally adjudicated or any stay is vacated or set aside; or
- (e) the Company vacates, abandons, ceases operations, fails to occupy or is ejected from the Project Site or any material portion thereof, and the same remains uncared for or abandoned for a period of 90 days (unless the Project has been subject to a casualty and the Company is intending to rebuild the Project in accordance with **Section 9.1** hereof) or any situation arises that triggers an increase to the PILOT Payments under **Section 6.10** of this Lease.

With regard to any alleged default concerning which notice is given to the Company under the provisions of this Section, the City hereby grants the Company full authority for account of the City to perform any covenant or obligation, the nonperformance of which is alleged in said notice to constitute a default, in the name and stead of the City, with full power to do any and all things and acts to the same extent that the City could do and perform any such things and acts in order to remedy such default.

- **Section 12.2.** Remedies on Default. If any Event of Default referred to in Section 12.1 hereof has occurred and continues beyond the period provided to cure, then the City may at the City's election (subject, however, to any restrictions against acceleration of the maturity of the Bonds or termination of this Lease in the Indenture), then or at any time thereafter, and while such default continues, take any one or more of the following actions:
  - (a) cause all amounts payable with respect to the Bonds for the remainder of the term of this Lease to become due and payable after giving ten (10) days prior written notice thereof to the Company, as provided in the Indenture; or
  - (b) give the Company written notice of the City's intention to terminate this Lease on a date specified therein, which date shall not be earlier than 30 days after such notice is given, and

if all defaults have not then been cured, on the date so specified, the Owners shall tender or be deemed to have tendered the outstanding principal amount of the Bonds for cancellation with instruction that such tender is in lieu of payment in accordance with **Section 11.1** hereof and this Lease shall thereupon be terminated, and the City will promptly convey the Project in accordance with **Section 11.2** hereof.

**Section 12.3. Survival of Obligations**. The Company covenants and agrees with the City and Owners that those of its obligations under this Lease which by their nature require performance after the end of the term of this Lease, or which are expressly stated herein as intended to survive expiration or termination of this Lease, shall survive the cancellation and termination of this Lease, for any cause.

Section 12.4. Performance of the Company's Obligations by the City. If the Company shall fail to keep or perform any of its obligations as provided in this Lease in the making of any payment or performance of any obligation, then the City, or the Trustee in the City's name, may (but shall not be obligated so to do) upon the continuance of such failure on the Company's part for 30 days after written notice of such failure is given the Company by the City or the Trustee, and without waiving or releasing the Company from any obligation hereunder, as an additional but not exclusive remedy, make any such payment or perform any such obligation, and all reasonable sums so paid by the City or the Trustee and all incidental reasonable costs and expenses incurred by the City or the Trustee (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and expenses) in performing such obligations shall be deemed Additional Rent and shall be paid to the City or the Trustee on demand, and if not so paid by the Company, the City or the Trustee shall have the same rights and remedies provided for in Section 12.2 hereof in the case of default by the Company in the payment of Basic Rent.

Section 12.5. Rights and Remedies Cumulative. The rights and remedies reserved by the Trustee, the City and the Company hereunder and those provided by law shall be construed as cumulative and continuing rights. No one of them shall be exhausted by the exercise thereof on one or more occasions. The Trustee, the City and the Company shall each be entitled to specific performance and injunctive or other equitable relief for any breach or threatened breach of any of the provisions of this Lease, notwithstanding availability of an adequate remedy at law, and each party hereby waives the right to raise such defense in any proceeding in equity. Notwithstanding anything in this Section or elsewhere in this Lease to the contrary, the Company's option to purchase the Project as provided in Article XI shall not be terminated upon an Event of Default unless and until this Lease is terminated to the extent permitted pursuant to Section 12.2(b).

Section 12.6. Waiver of Breach. No waiver of any breach of any covenant or agreement herein contained shall operate as a waiver of any subsequent breach of the same covenant or agreement or as a waiver of any breach of any other covenant or agreement, and in case of a breach by the Company of any covenant, agreement or undertaking by the Company, the Trustee or the City may nevertheless accept from the Company any payment or payments hereunder without in any way waiving the Trustee or the City's right to exercise any of its rights and remedies provided for herein with respect to any such breach or breaches of the Company which were in existence at the time such payment or payments were accepted by the Trustee or the City.

Section 12.7. Trustee's Exercise of the City's Remedies. Whenever any Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Trustee may, but except as otherwise provided in the Indenture shall not be obliged to, exercise any or all of the rights of the City under this Article, upon notice as required of the City unless the City has already given the required notice. In addition, the Trustee shall have available to it all of the remedies prescribed by the Indenture.

## **ARTICLE XIII**

#### ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLEASE

# Section 13.1. Assignment; Sublease.

- (a) The Company may assign, transfer, encumber or dispose of this Lease or any interest therein or part thereof for any lawful purpose under the Act. With respect to any assignment, the Company shall comply with the following conditions:
  - (1) Such assignment shall be in writing, duly executed and acknowledged by the assignor and in proper form for recording;
    - (2) Such assignment shall include the entire then unexpired term of this Lease; and
  - (3) A duplicate original of such assignment shall be delivered to the City and the Trustee within 10 days after the execution thereof, together with an assumption agreement, duly executed and acknowledged by the assignee in proper form for recording, by which the assignee shall assume all of the terms, covenants and conditions of this Lease on the part of the Company to be performed and observed.
- (b) The Company shall have the right to sublet all or any part of the Project to a single entity for any lawful purpose under the Act. The Company shall, within 10 days after the delivery thereof, furnish or cause to be furnished to the City and the Trustee a true and correct copy of each such sublease. Any sublease may provide, at the Company's option, that the City's consent shall not be required in respect of any further subletting thereunder if such further subletting is for a similar purpose as the original sublease and is for a purpose permissible under the Act. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company may, in the ordinary course of its business, and without the prior approval of, or notice to, the City, enter into leases or subleases with one or more persons or entities for the various parcels, units or space within the Project to be used for purposes commonly associated with the use of a Permitted Facility.

If for any reason this Lease and the leasehold estate of the Company hereunder is terminated by the City by summary proceedings or otherwise in accordance with the terms of this Lease, the City covenants and agrees that such termination of this Lease shall not result in a termination of any sublease affecting the Project or any part or parts thereof and that they shall all continue for the duration of their respective terms and any extensions thereof as a direct lease between the City hereunder and the sublessee thereunder, with the same force and effect as if the City hereunder had originally entered into such sublease as landlord thereunder; provided that, the City shall have no liability for any loss associated with or any monetary obligation or other obligation of the landlord under any such sublease. Any such sublessee shall not be named or joined in any action or proceeding by the City under this Lease to recover possession of the Project or for any other relief if such sublessee is not then in default under the terms of its sublease beyond any applicable grace period for curing the same.

(c) For any assignment of this Lease (except as otherwise allowed under **Section 10.4** with respect to a Lender and/or Mortgage), the Company shall obtain the prior written consent of the City, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed, unless such assignment is to an entity controlled by or under common control with or controlling the party making such assignment, in which event no written consent of the City shall be required. The City may require that any assignee for which

consent is required demonstrate to the City's reasonable satisfaction that it has sufficient financial, management, property ownership and operation capabilities, and that it is interested in the long-term viability of the Project.

- (d) The City agrees that any requested consent or signature of the City to any sublease or assignment under this Article, including any related document, may be given by the City Manager, in his or her discretion, without further approval of the City Council.
- **Section 13.2. Assignment of Revenues by City**. The City shall assign and pledge any rents, revenues and receipts receivable under this Lease, to the Trustee pursuant to the Indenture as security for payment of the principal of, interest and premium, if any, on the Bonds and the Company hereby consents to such pledge and assignment. The City and the Company recognize that the Trustee is a third party creditor beneficiary of this Lease.
- **Section 13.3. Prohibition Against Fee Mortgage of Project**. Except as otherwise set forth in Section 10.4, the City shall not mortgage its fee interest in the Project, but may assign its interest in and pledge any moneys receivable under this Lease to the Trustee pursuant to the Indenture as security for payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.
- Section 13.4. Restrictions on Sale or Encumbrance of Project by City. During this Lease Term, the City agrees that, except to secure the Bonds to be issued pursuant to the Indenture, it will not sell, assign, encumber, transfer or convey the Project or any interest therein, but may assign its interest in and pledge any moneys receivable under this Lease to the Trustee pursuant to the Indenture as security for payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

## ARTICLE XIV

# AMENDMENTS, CHANGES AND MODIFICATIONS

**Section 14.1. Amendments, Changes and Modifications**. Except as otherwise provided in this Lease or in the Indenture, subsequent to the issuance of Bonds and prior to the payment in full of the Bonds (or provision for the payment thereof having been made in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture), this Lease may not be effectively amended, changed, modified, altered or terminated without the prior written consent of the Trustee, given in accordance with the provisions of the Indenture.

## ARTICLE XV

#### MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- **Section 15.1. Notices.** All notices, certificates or other communications required or desired to be given hereunder shall be in writing and shall be governed by **Section 1403** of the Indenture.
- Section 15.2. City Shall Not Unreasonably Withhold Consents and Approvals. Wherever in this Lease it is provided that the City shall, may or must give its approval or consent, or execute supplemental agreements or schedules, the City shall not unreasonably, arbitrarily or unnecessarily withhold or refuse to give such approvals or consents or refuse to execute such supplemental agreements or schedules; provided, however, that nothing in this Lease shall be interpreted to affect the City's rights to

approve or deny any additional project or matter unrelated to the Project subject to zoning, building permit or other regulatory approvals by the City.

- Section 15.3. Net Lease. The parties hereto agree (a) that this Lease shall be deemed and construed to be a net lease, (b) that the payments of Basic Rent are designed to provide the City and the Trustee funds adequate in amount to pay all principal of and interest accruing on the Bonds as the same become due and payable, (c) that to the extent that the payments of Basic Rent are not sufficient to provide the City and the Trustee with funds sufficient for the purposes aforesaid, the Company shall be obligated to pay, and it does hereby covenant and agree to pay, upon demand therefor, as Additional Rent, such further sums of money, in cash, as may from time to time be required for such purposes, and (d) that if after the principal of and interest on the Bonds and all costs incident to the payment of the Bonds (including the fees and expenses of the City and the Trustee) have been paid in full the Trustee or the City holds unexpended funds received in accordance with the terms hereof such unexpended funds shall, after payment therefrom of all sums then due and owing by the Company under the terms of this Lease, and except as otherwise provided in this Lease and the Indenture, become the absolute property of and be paid over forthwith to the Company.
- **Section 15.4.** Limitation on Liability of City. No provision, covenant or agreement contained in this Lease, the Indenture or the Bonds, or any obligation herein or therein imposed upon the City, or the breach thereof, shall constitute or give rise to or impose upon the City a pecuniary liability or a charge upon the general credit or taxing powers of the City or the State of Missouri.
- **Section 15.5. Governing Law**. This Lease shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Missouri.
- **Section 15.6. Binding Effect**. This Lease shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the City and the Company and their respective successors and assigns. Any Lender shall be a third party beneficiary of any provisions contained herein granting rights to any such Lender.
- **Section 15.7. Severability**. If for any reason any provision of this Lease shall be determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the validity and enforceability of the other provisions hereof shall not be affected thereby.
- **Section 15.8. Execution in Counterparts**. This Lease may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.
- **Section 15.9. Electronic Storage**. The parties hereto agree that the transaction described herein may be conducted and related documents may be sent, received or stored by electronic means. Copies, telecopies, facsimiles, electronic files and other reproductions of original executed documents shall be deemed to be authentic and valid counterparts of such original documents for all purposes, including the filing of any claim, action or suit in the appropriate court of law.
- **Section 15.10. Satisfaction of the Company's Obligations.** Any obligation of the Company under this Lease, including, but not limited to, the obligations of the Company to pay Basic Rent, Additional Rent and to maintain insurance as required herein, may be performed by a member of the Company, and such performance by a member of the Company shall be treated as though the obligation were performed by the Company.

Section 15.11 Complete Agreement. THE COMPANY AND THE CITY UNDERSTAND THAT ORAL OR UNEXECUTED AGREEMENTS OR COMMITMENTS TO LOAN MONEY, EXTEND CREDIT OR TO FORBEAR FROM ENFORCING REPAYMENT OF A DEBT INCLUDING PROMISES TO EXTEND OR RENEW SUCH DEBT ARE NOT ENFORCEABLE. TO PROTECT THE COMPANY AND THE CITY FROM MISUNDERSTANDING OR DISAPPOINTMENT, ANY AGREEMENTS THE COMPANY AND THE CITY REACH COVERING SUCH MATTERS ARE CONTAINED IN THIS LEASE, WHICH ARE THE COMPANY AND EXCLUSIVE STATEMENTS OF THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COMPANY AND THE CITY, EXCEPT AS THE COMPANY AND THE CITY MAY LATER AGREE IN WRITING TO MODIFY THIS LEASE.

**Section 15.12.** Employee Verification. The Company will comply with and satisfy the requirements of Section 285.530.2, RSMo., as amended, which requires (1) any business entity receiving tax abatement to, by sworn affidavit and provision of documentation, annually affirm its enrollment and participation in a federal work authorization program with respect to the employees working in connection with the business entity receiving tax abatement, and (2) every such business entity to annually sign an affidavit affirming that it does not knowingly employ any person who is an unauthorized alien in connection with the entity receiving tax abatement. The Company shall provide such affidavits and documentation to the City on or before December 1 of each year during the term of this Lease, beginning December 1, 2023, and also upon execution of this Lease.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have caused this Lease to be executed in their respective names by their duly authorized signatories, all as of the date first above written.

	CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI
[SEAL]	
	By:
ATTEST:	Approved as to form:
By: Name: Trisha Fowler Arcuri Title: City Clerk	By:  David Bushek, Chief Counsel of Economic Development & Planning

Lease Agreement Lee's Summit (Town Centre Industrial Project) Series 2023

# **INDEPENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II, L.L.C.**, a Missouri limited liability company

Lease Agreement Lee's Summit (Town Centre Industrial Project) Series 2023

# **EXHIBIT A**

# PROJECT SITE

The following described real estate located in Jackson County, Missouri:

[\*\*INSERT LEGAL DESCRIPTION\*\*]

# **EXHIBIT B**

# PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS

The Project Improvements consist of the following, to the extent paid for in whole with Bond proceeds: a 250,000 square foot facility which will be used for warehousing, distribution, and / or manufacturing purposes, and installation of a water main following the road along the northern portion of the Project Site.

#### **EXHIBIT C**

## FORM OF REQUISITION CERTIFICATE

Requi	sition No.	
Date:		

#### **REQUISITION CERTIFICATE**

TO: BOKF, N.A., AS TRUSTEE UNDER A TRUST INDENTURE DATED AS OF MARCH 1, 2023, BETWEEN CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, AND THE TRUSTEE, AND THE LEASE AGREEMENT DATED AS OF MARCH 1, 2023, BETWEEN CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI AND INDEPENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II, L.L.C..

The undersigned Authorized Company Representative hereby states and certifies that:

1. The total shown below is requested to pay for Project Costs (as defined in the Indenture) of the Project Improvements. The total amount of this requisition and all prior requisitions are as follows:

Date of Project Costs	Amount Submitted in this Requisition	Requisitions Submitted to Date (Including this Requisition)

- 2. Said Project Costs shall be paid in whole from Bond proceeds in such amounts, to such payees and for such purposes as set forth on **Schedule 1** hereto.
- 3. Each of the items for which payment is requested are or were desirable and appropriate in connection with the construction and improvement of the Project (as defined in the Trust Indenture), have been properly incurred and are a proper charge against the Project Fund, and have been paid by the Company or are justly due to the Persons whose names and addresses are stated on **Schedule 1**, and have not been the basis of any previous requisition from the Project Fund.
- 4. As of this date, except for the amounts referred to above, to the best of my knowledge there are no outstanding disputed statements for which payment is requested for labor, wages, materials, supplies or services in connection with the construction and improvement of the Project which, if unpaid, might become the basis of a vendors', mechanics', laborers' or materialmen's statutory or similar lien upon the Project or any part thereof.
- 5. With respect to this disbursement, the undersigned (i) certifies it has reviewed any wire instructions set forth herein to confirm such wire instructions are accurate, and (ii) agrees it will not seek recourse from the Trustee as a result of losses incurred by it for making the disbursement in accordance with its instructions herein.

INDEF L.L.C.	PENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II,
By:	Authorized Company Representative

# SCHEDULE 1 TO REQUISITION CERTIFICATE PROJECT COSTS

Payee and Address <u>Description</u> <u>Amount</u>

#### **EXHIBIT D**

#### FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE COMPLIANCE

The undersigned, being the Authorized Company Representative for Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., as tenant (the "Company"), under a certain Lease Agreement dated as of March 1, 2023, between the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "City"), and the Company (the "Lease"), and as beneficiary of the City's Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (Town Centre Industrial Project), Series 2023, issued pursuant to a certain Trust Indenture dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Indenture"), hereby certifies pursuant to Article VII of Lease:

- 1. All capitalized terms used in this Certificate and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Lease.
- 2. The policies of insurance required to in place pursuant to Article VII of the Lease are effective and the premiums with respect thereto have been paid in full as of the date set forth below. Such policies comply with the terms and provisions set forth in Article VII, and the Company is in compliance with the provisions of Article VII.
- 3. The undersigned will notify the Trustee 10 days prior to any cancellation or material change to such policies; the policies currently in effect have an expiration date of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.
- 4. The Trustee may conclusively rely on this Certificate of Insurance Compliance without further investigation.
- 5. Attached hereto are insurance certificates showing compliance with the <u>liability</u> and casualty insurance requirements of Article VII of the Lease.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the undersigned Authorized Company Representative has signed this Certificate, and the statements of fact made in this Certificate are true and correct.

Date:	Authorized Company Representative

#### ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. Liability insurance certificate(s)
- 2. Casualty insurance certificate(s)

Note: all insurance certificates must show the City and the Trustee as additional insureds.

# APPENDIX I

# FORM OF PILOT SCHEDULE

Abatement Year	Calendar Year	Amount
1	20	\$
2 3	20 20	\$ \$
4	20	\$ \$
5	20	\$
6	20	\$
7	20	\$
8	20	\$
9	20	\$
10	20	\$
11	20	\$
12	20	\$
13	20	\$
14	20	\$
15	20	\$
16	20	\$
17	20	\$
18	20	\$
19	20	\$
20	20	\$

APPENDIX II
FORM OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

Abatement <u>Year</u>	Calendar <u>Year</u>	Public Improvements <u>Assessment Payments</u>
1	20	\$
2	20	\$
3	20	\$
4	20	\$
5	20	\$
6	20	\$
7	20	\$
8	20	\$
9	20	\$
10	20	\$
11	20	\$
12	20	\$
13	20	\$
14	20	\$
15	20	\$ \$
16	20	\$ \$
17	20	\$ \$
18	20	\$ \$
19	20	\$
20	20	\$

#### \$24,500,000

# (AGGREGATE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT) CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI TAXABLE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS (TOWN CENTRE INDUSTRIAL PROJECT) SERIES 2023

#### **DATED AS OF MARCH 1, 2023**

#### BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT

Mayor and City Council Lee's Summit, Missouri

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

On the basis of the representations, and covenants and upon the terms and conditions contained in this Bond Purchase Agreement, Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a Missouri limited liability company (the "Purchaser"), offers to purchase from the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "City"), the above-referenced series of Taxable Industrial Development Revenue Bonds (the "Bonds"), to be issued by the City, under and pursuant to an ordinance passed by the governing body of the City on March \_\_\_\_\_, 2023 (the "Ordinance") and a Trust Indenture dated as of March 1, 2023 (the "Indenture"), by and between the City and BOKF, N.A., Kansas City, Missouri, as trustee (the "Trustee"). Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in **Section 101** of the Indenture.

#### SECTION 1. REPRESENTATIONS AND AGREEMENTS

- (a) By the City's acceptance hereof, the City hereby represents to the Purchaser that:
- (1) The City is a constitutional charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of Missouri. The City is authorized under Article VI, Section 27(b) of the Missouri Constitution and Sections 100.010 through 100.200 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, as amended, and its Charter to authorize, issue and deliver the Bonds and to consummate all transactions contemplated by this Bond Purchase Agreement, the Ordinance, the Indenture, the Lease and any and all other agreements relating thereto. The proceeds of the Bonds shall be used to finance the Project for Independence Safety Storage North II, L.L.C., a Missouri limited liability company (the "Company"), and to pay for the costs incurred in connection with the issuance of the Bonds;
- (2) There is no controversy, suit or other proceeding of any kind pending or threatened wherein or whereby any question is raised or may be raised, questioning, disputing or affecting in any way the legal organization of the City or its boundaries, or the right or title of any of its officers to their respective offices, or the legality of any official act leading up to the issuance of the Bonds or the constitutionality or validity of the indebtedness represented by the Bonds or the validity of the Bonds, the Ordinance, the Lease, or the Indenture; and

(3) Any certificate signed by an authorized representative of the City and delivered to the Purchaser shall be deemed a representation and warranty by the City to such party as to the statements made therein.

#### (b) The Purchaser represents as follows:

- (1) The Purchaser is a limited liability company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Missouri and is authorized to conduct business in the State of Missouri;
- (2) The execution, delivery and performance of this Bond Purchase Agreement by the Purchaser has been duly authorized by all necessary action of the Purchaser and does not and will not conflict with or result in the breach of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of, or constitute a default under, its organizational documents, or to the best of Purchaser's knowledge, any law, court or administrative regulation, decree or order applicable to or binding upon the Purchaser, or, to the best of its knowledge, any agreement, indenture, mortgage, lease or instrument to which the Purchaser is a party or by which it is bound;
- (3) When executed and delivered by the Purchaser, this Bond Purchase Agreement will be, and is, with regard to Purchaser, a legal, valid and binding obligation, enforceable in accordance with its terms, subject, as to enforcement, to any applicable bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, moratorium or other laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and further subject to the availability of equitable remedies; and
- (4) Any certificate signed by an authorized officer or agent of the Purchaser and delivered to the City shall be deemed a representation and warranty by the Purchaser to such party as to the statements made therein.

#### SECTION 2. PURCHASE, SALE AND DELIVERY OF THE BONDS

On the basis of the representations and covenants contained herein and in the other agreements referred to herein, and subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth and in the Indenture, the Purchaser agrees to purchase from the City and the City agrees to sell to the Purchaser the Bonds on the terms and conditions set forth herein.

The Bonds shall be sold to the Purchaser by the City on the Closing Date (hereinafter defined) upon payment of an amount equal to the Closing Price (hereinafter defined) for the Bonds, which amount shall be deposited in the Project Fund as provided in **Section 502** of the Indenture and shall thereafter on the Closing Date immediately be applied to the payment of Project Costs as provided in **Section 4.4** of the Lease. From time to time after the Closing Date as additional Project Costs are incurred, the Purchaser may make additional payments with respect to the Bonds ("Additional Payments") to the Trustee, which Additional Payments shall be deposited in the Project Fund and applied to the payment of Project Costs and the outstanding principal amount of the Bonds shall increase by each such Additional Payment; provided that the sum of the Closing Price and all such Additional Payments for the Bonds shall not, in the aggregate, exceed \$24,500,000.

As used herein, the term "Closing Date" shall mean March \_\_\_\_, 2023, or such other date as shall be mutually agreed upon by the City and the Purchaser; the term "Closing Price" shall mean \$\_\_\_\_\_.

The Bonds shall be issued under and secured as provided in the Ordinance, the Indenture and the Lease authorized thereby and the Bonds shall have the maturity, interest rate and shall be subject to redemption as set forth therein. The delivery of the Bonds shall be made in definitive form as a fully registered bond in the maximum aggregate principal denomination of \$24,500,000; provided, that the principal amount of the Bonds outstanding at any time shall be that amount recorded in the official bond registration records of the Trustee and further provided that interest shall be payable on the Bonds only on the outstanding principal amount of the Bonds, as more fully provided in the Indenture.

The Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City, the Trustee, and any member, officer, official or employee of the City or of the Trustee and any person controlling the Trustee within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties"), against any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses whatsoever to the extent caused by any violation by the Company of, or failure by the Company to comply with, any federal or state securities laws in connection with the Bonds; provided, however, the indemnification contained in this paragraph shall not extend to such Indemnified Party if such loss, claim, damage, liability or expense is (a) the result of the Indemnified Party's negligence or willful misconduct, or (b) the Indemnified Party is not following the written instructions of the Owner of the Bonds.

In case any action shall be brought against one or more of the Indemnified Parties based upon the foregoing indemnification and in respect of which indemnity may be sought against the Company, the Indemnified Parties shall promptly notify the Company in writing and the Company shall promptly assume the defense thereof, including the employment of counsel, the payment of all expenses and the right to negotiate and consent to settlement. Any one or more of the Indemnified Parties shall have the right to employ separate counsel in any such action and to participate in the defense thereof, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such Indemnified Party or Indemnified Parties unless employment of such counsel has been specifically authorized by the Company. The Company shall not be liable for any settlement of any such action effected without its consent by any of the Indemnified Parties, but if settled with the consent of the Company or if there be a final judgment for the plaintiff in any such action against the Company or any of the Indemnified Parties, with or without the consent of the Company, then provided that the Company was given prompt written notice and the ability to assume the defense thereof as required by this paragraph, the Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties to the extent provided herein.

## SECTION 3. CONDITIONS TO THE PURCHASER'S OBLIGATIONS

The Purchaser's obligations hereunder shall be subject to the due performance by the City of the City's obligations and agreements to be performed hereunder on or prior to the Closing Date and to the accuracy of and compliance with the City's representations contained herein, as of the date hereof and as of the Closing Date, and are also subject to the following conditions:

- (a) There shall be delivered to the Purchaser on or prior to the Closing Date a duly executed copy of the Ordinance, the Indenture, this Agreement and the Lease and any other instrument contemplated thereby and they shall be in full force and effect and shall not have been modified or changed except as may have been agreed to in writing by the Purchaser;
- (b) The City shall confirm on the Closing Date by a certificate that at and as of the Closing Date the City has taken all action necessary to issue the Bonds and that there is no controversy, suit or other proceeding of any kind pending or threatened wherein any question is raised affecting in any way the legal organization of the City or the legality of any official act shown to have been done in the transcript of proceedings leading up to the issuance of the Bonds,

or the constitutionality or validity of the indebtedness represented by the Bonds or the validity of the Bonds or any proceedings in relation to the issuance or sale thereof;

- (c) The Company shall execute a certificate, dated the Closing Date, to the effect that (i) no litigation, proceeding or investigation is pending against the Company or its affiliates or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened which would (A) contest, affect, restrain or enjoin the issuance, validity, execution, delivery or performance of the Bonds, or (B) in any way contest the existence or powers of the Company, (ii) no litigation, proceeding or investigation is pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against the Company that could reasonably be expected to adversely affect its ability to perform its obligations hereunder, (iii) the representations and warranties of the Company herein were and are true and correct in all material respects and not misleading as of the date made and as of the Closing Date, and (iv) such other matters as are reasonably requested by the other parties in connection with the issuance of the Bonds; and
- (d) Receipt by the Purchaser and the Company of an approving opinion from Gilmore & Bell, P.C., in form and substance satisfactory to the Purchaser and the Company.

#### SECTION 4. THE PURCHASER'S RIGHT TO CANCEL

The Purchaser shall have the right to cancel its obligation hereunder to purchase the Bonds by notifying the City in writing of its election to make such cancellation at any time prior to the Closing Date.

#### SECTION 5. CONDITIONS OF OBLIGATIONS

The obligations of the parties hereto are subject to the receipt of the approving opinion of Gilmore & Bell, P.C., Bond Counsel, with respect to the validity of the authorization and issuance of the Bonds.

## SECTION 6. REPRESENTATIONS AND AGREEMENTS TO SURVIVE DELIVERY

All of the representations and agreements by either party shall remain operative and in full force and effect, and shall survive delivery of the Bonds to the Purchaser.

#### SECTION 7. PAYMENT OF EXPENSES

The Company shall pay all reasonable expenses and costs to effect the authorization, preparation, issuance, delivery and sale of the Bonds.

#### **SECTION 8. NOTICE**

Any notice or other communication to be given to the City under this Agreement may be given by mailing or delivering the same in writing to the address of the City as provided in the Indenture for notices to the City required thereunder; any notice or other communication to be given to the Purchaser or the Company under this Agreement may be given by delivering the same in writing to the address of the Company as provided in the Indenture for notices to the Company thereunder.

#### SECTION 9. APPLICABLE LAW; ASSIGNABILITY

This Bond Purchase Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Missouri and may be assigned by the Purchaser to any party to which the Lease is assigned, or otherwise may be assigned with the written consent of the City, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed.

#### SECTION 10. EXECUTION OF COUNTERPARTS; ELECTRONIC STORAGE

This Bond Purchase Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be regarded as an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same document. The parties agree that the transaction described herein may be conducted and related documents may be sent, received or stored by electronic means. Copies, telecopies, facsimiles, electronic files and other reproductions of original executed documents shall be deemed to be authentic and valid counterparts of such original documents for all purposes, including the filing of any claim, action or suit in the appropriate court of law.

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Very truly yours,

# **INDEPENDENCE SAFETY STORAGE NORTH II, L.L.C.**, a Missouri limited liability company,

as Purchaser and Company

By:		

Name: Anthony Ward Title: Authorized Member

Accepted and Agreed to:	
[SEAL]	CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI
	By:
ATTEST:	Approved as to form:
By:Name: Trisha Fowler Arcuri Title: City Clerk	By:  David Bushek, Chief Counsel of Economic Development & Planning