

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A NOT TO EXCEED \$3,350,000 TAX-EXEMPT NON-AD VALOREM REVENUE NOTE, SERIES 2025A OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COSTS OF VARIOUS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND A NOT TO EXCEED \$5,650,000 TAXABLE NON-AD VALOREM REVENUE NOTE, SERIES 2025B TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF REAL PROPERTY; PROVIDING THAT THE NOTES SHALL BE LIMITED OBLIGATIONS OF THE CITY PAYABLE FROM NON-AD VALOREM REVENUES BUDGETED, APPROPRIATED AND DEPOSITED AS PROVIDED HEREIN; MAKING SUCH DETERMINATIONS AS ARE REQUIRED TO AFFORD SERIES 2025A NOTE "BANK QUALIFIED" STATUS; PROVIDING FOR THE RIGHTS, SECURITIES AND REMEDIES FOR THE OWNER OF THE NOTES; APPROVING THE FORM OF AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AMENDED AND RESTATED DEBT SERVICE REIMBURSEMENT INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY; MAKING CERTAIN COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA IN SESSION DULY AND REGULARLY ASSEMBLED THAT:

**Section 1:** *Authority for this Resolution.* This resolution is adopted pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Florida (the "State"), Chapter 166, Florida Statutes, Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes, the municipal charter of the City of New Port Richey, Florida (the "Issuer"), an ordinance enacted by the City Council of the Issuer on even date herewith, and other applicable provisions of law (collectively, the "Act").

**Section 2:** *Definitions.* The following words and phrases shall have the following meanings when used herein:

"Act" shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in Section 1 hereof.

"Ad Valorem Revenues" shall mean all revenues of the Issuer derived from the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes that are allocated to and accounted for in the General Fund.

*"Adjusted General Government and Public Safety Expenditures"* shall mean (i) General Government and Public Safety Expenditures, less (ii) General Government and Public Safety Expenditures which are paid from Ad Valorem Revenues.

*"Agency"* shall mean The City of New Port Richey, Florida Community Redevelopment Agency.

*"Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement"* shall mean that certain Amended and Restated Debt Service Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit D between the Issuer and the Agency.

*"Available Non-Ad Valorem Revenues"* shall mean Non-Ad Valorem Revenues less Adjusted General Government and Public Safety Expenditures.

*"Business Day"* shall mean any day except any Saturday or Sunday or day on which the Owner is lawfully closed.

*"City Attorney"* shall mean the City Attorney or assistant City Attorney of the Issuer, or any special counsel appointed by the City Council of the Issuer.

*"City Manager"* shall mean the City Manager or assistant, deputy, interim or acting City Manager of the Issuer.

*"Clerk"* shall mean the City Clerk or assistant or deputy City Clerk of the Issuer, or such other person as may be duly authorized by the City Council of the Issuer to act on his or her behalf.

*"Code"* shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and any Treasury Regulations, whether temporary, proposed, or final, promulgated thereunder or applicable thereto.

*"Debt Service Fund"* shall mean the Debt Service Fund established with respect to the Notes pursuant to Section 8 hereof.

*"Default Rate"* shall mean the lesser of (i) the Series 2025A Interest Rate or the Series 2025B Interest Rate, as applicable, plus 2% per annum, or (ii) the maximum rate allowed by applicable law.

*"Finance Director"* shall mean the Finance Director of the Issuer, or such other person as may be duly authorized by the City Manager of the Issuer to act on his or her behalf.

*"Fiscal Year"* shall mean the period commencing on October 1 of each year and continuing through the next succeeding September 30, or such other period as may be prescribed by law.

*"General Fund"* shall mean the "General Fund" of the Issuer as described and identified in the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of the Issuer.

*"General Government and Public Safety Expenditures"* means general governmental and public safety services provided by the Issuer in the General Fund, the expenditures for which are currently set forth as the line items entitled "General Government," and "Public Safety" in the Issuer's Annual Comprehensive Financial Report for the Fiscal Year ended September 30, 2023, and any equivalent line items in any future financial statements of the Issuer.

*"Issuer"* shall mean the City of New Port Richey, Florida, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida.

*"Lender"* shall mean with respect to the Notes, Webster Bank, National Association.

*"Mayor"* shall mean the Mayor of the Issuer, or in his or her absence or inability to act, the Vice Mayor of the Issuer or such other person as may be duly authorized by the City Council to act on his or her behalf.

*"Non-Ad Valorem Revenues"* shall mean all revenues of the Issuer other than Ad Valorem Revenues, and which are lawfully available to be used to pay debt service on the Notes.

*"Notes"* shall mean, collectively, the Series 2025A Note and the Series 2025B Note.

*"Owner"* or *"Owners"* shall mean the Person or Persons in whose name or names the Notes shall be registered on the books of the Issuer kept for that purpose in accordance with provisions of this Resolution. The Lender shall be the initial Owner.

*"Permitted Lender"* shall mean (a) any affiliate of the Lender or (b) a bank, trust company, savings institution, insurance company, "qualified institutional buyer" under Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 ("1933 Act") or "accredited investor" under Rule 501(a) of Regulation D as promulgated under the 1933 Act, or their affiliates.

*"Person"* shall mean natural persons, firms, trusts, estates, associations, corporations, partnerships, and public bodies.

*"Pledged Revenues"* shall mean the Non-Ad Valorem Revenues budgeted, appropriated, and deposited as provided herein.

*"Project"* shall mean, collectively, the Series 2025A Project and the Series 2025B Project.

*"Project Funds"* shall mean, collectively, the Series 2025A Project Fund and the Series 2025B Project Fund.

*"Redevelopment Area"* shall mean the Community Redevelopment Area as declared by the Issuer in Resolution No. 89-7 adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on June 20, 1989, as amended by Resolution No. 01-05 adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on June 5, 2001 and by Resolution No. 2020-28 adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on July 7, 2020.

*"Resolution"* shall mean this Resolution, pursuant to which the Notes are authorized to be issued, including any Supplemental Resolution(s).

*"Series 2025A Interest Rate"* shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5 hereof and in the Series 2025A Note, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A-1.

*"Series 2025B Interest Rate"* shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5 hereof and in the Series 2025B Note, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A-2.

*"Series 2025A Maturity Date"* shall mean, for the Series 2025A Note, October 1, 2029, or such other date as set forth in the Series 2025A Note, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A-1.

*"Series 2025B Maturity Date"* shall mean, for the Series 2025B Note, October 1, 2028, or such other date as set forth in the Series 2025B Note, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A-2.

*"Series 2025A Note"* shall mean the Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A of the Issuer authorized by Section 4 hereof.

*"Series 2025B Note"* shall mean the Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B of the Issuer authorized by Section 4 hereof.

*"Series 2025A Project"* shall mean the financing of various capital improvements within the Redevelopment Area as described in the Redevelopment Work Plan adopted on April 2, 2019, as amended from time to time.

*"Series 2025B Project"* shall mean the acquisition of real property within the Redevelopment Area as described in the Redevelopment Work Plan adopted on April 2, 2019, as amended from time to time.

*"Series 2025A Project Fund"* shall mean Project Fund established with respect to the Series 2025A Note pursuant to Section 9 hereof.

"Series 2025B Project Fund" shall mean Project Fund established with respect to the Series 2025B Note pursuant to Section 9 hereof.

"State" shall mean the State of Florida.

**Section 3: Findings.**

(A) For the benefit of its inhabitants, the Issuer finds, determines, and declares that it is necessary for the continued preservation of the welfare, convenience and safety of the Issuer and its inhabitants to finance the costs of the Project. Issuance of the Notes to finance the Project satisfies a paramount public purpose.

(B) Debt service on the Notes will be secured by the Issuer's covenant to budget, appropriate and deposit Non-Ad Valorem Revenues in the manner and to the extent described herein, and by a pledge of the Pledged Revenues as provided herein. The Pledged Revenues are expected to be sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the Notes herein authorized, as the same become due, and to make all deposits required by this Resolution.

(C) Debt service on the Notes and all other payments hereunder shall be payable from and secured solely by moneys deposited in the manner and to the extent provided herein. The Issuer shall never be required to levy ad valorem taxes or use the proceeds thereof to pay debt service on the Notes or to make any other payments to be made hereunder or to maintain or continue any of the activities of the Issuer which generate user service charges, regulatory fees, or any other Non-Ad Valorem Revenues. The Notes shall not constitute a lien on any property owned by or situated within the limits of the Issuer, except the Pledged Revenues.

(D) It is estimated that the Non-Ad Valorem Revenues will be available after satisfying funding requirements for obligations having an express lien on or pledge thereof and after satisfying funding requirements for essential governmental services of the Issuer, in amounts sufficient to provide for the payment of the principal of and interest on Notes and all other payment obligations hereunder.

(E) The Issuer, after soliciting proposals in response to a request for loan proposals distributed by the Issuer on March 13, 2025 for financing the costs of the Project and received four responses complying with the structure described in such request, has selected the Lender to purchase the Notes.

**Section 4: Authorization of the Notes.** There is hereby authorized to be issued under and secured by this Resolution obligations of the Issuer to be known as (i) City of New Port Richey, Florida, Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A, in the principal amount of not to exceed \$3,350,000 for the purpose of financing the costs of the Series 2025A Project and paying the costs of issuing the Series 2025A Note and (ii) City of New Port Richey, Florida, Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B in the principal amount of not to exceed

\$5,650,000 for the purpose of financing the costs of the Series 2025B Project and paying the costs of issuing the Series 2025B Note. Because of the characteristics of the Notes, prevailing market conditions, and additional savings to be realized from an expeditious sale of the Notes, it is in the best interest of the Issuer to accept the offer of the Lender to purchase the Notes at a private negotiated sale. Prior to the issuance of the Notes, the Issuer shall receive from the Lender a Lender's Certificate, the form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B and the Disclosure Letter containing the information required by Section 218.385, Florida Statutes, a form of which is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

In consideration of the purchase and acceptance of the Notes authorized to be issued hereunder by those who shall be the Owner thereof from time to time, this Resolution shall constitute a contract between the Issuer and the Owner.

**Section 5: Description of the Notes.**

The Series 2025A Note shall be dated the date of its execution and delivery, which shall be a date agreed upon by the Issuer and the Lender, subject to the following terms:

(A) Series 2025A Interest Rate. The Series 2025A Note shall have an initial fixed interest rate equal to 3.745% per annum calculated on a 30/360-day basis (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 17 hereof and in the Series 2025A Note).

(B) Series 2025A Principal and Interest Payment Dates. Interest on the Series 2025A Note shall be paid semi-annually on each April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2025. Principal on the Series 2025A Note shall be paid in the amounts and on the dates set forth in the Series 2025A Note with a final maturity date of October 1, 2029.

(C) Prepayment of the Series 2025A Note. The Series 2025A Note shall be subject to prepayment as described in the Series 2025A Note.

(D) Form of the Series 2025A Note. The Series 2025A Note is to be in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit A-1 attached hereto, together with such non-material changes as shall be approved by the Mayor, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution thereof by the Mayor.

(E) Original Denomination of the Series 2025A Note. The Series 2025A Note shall originally be issued in a single denomination equal to the original principal amount authorized hereunder.

The Series 2025B Note shall be dated the date of its execution and delivery, which shall be a date agreed upon by the Issuer and the Lender, subject to the following terms:

(A) Series 2025B Interest Rate. The Series 2025B Note shall have a fixed interest rate equal to 4.76% per annum calculated on a 30/360-day basis (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 17 hereof and in the Series 2025BNote).

(B) Series 2025B Principal and Interest Payment Dates. Interest on the Series 2025B Note shall be paid semi-annually on each April 1 and October 1, commencing October 1, 2025. Principal on the Series 2025B Note shall be paid in the amounts and on the dates set forth in the Series 2025B Note with a final maturity date of October 1, 2028.

(C) Prepayment of the Series 2025B Note. The Series 2025B Note shall be subject to prepayment as described in the Series 2025B Note.

(D) Form of the Series 2025B Note. The Series 2025B Note is to be in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit A-2 attached hereto, together with such non-material changes as shall be approved by the Mayor, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution thereof by the Mayor.

(E) Original Denomination of the Series 2025B Note. The Series 2025B Note shall originally be issued in a single denomination equal to the original principal amount authorized hereunder.

The Notes shall be executed on behalf of the Issuer with the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor and the official seal of the Issuer, be attested with the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk and be approved as to legal form and correctness by the City Attorney. In case any one or more of the officers who shall have signed or sealed the Notes or whose facsimile signature shall appear thereon shall cease to be such officer of the Issuer before the Notes so signed and sealed have been actually sold and delivered, the Notes may nevertheless be sold and delivered as herein provided and may be issued as if the person who signed or sealed the Notes had not ceased to hold such office. The Notes may be signed and sealed on behalf of the Issuer by such person who at the actual time of the execution of the Notes shall hold the proper office of the Issuer, although, at the date of the Notes, such person may not have held such office or may not have been so authorized. The Issuer may adopt and use for such purposes the facsimile signatures of any such persons who shall have held such offices at any time after the date of the adoption of this Resolution, notwithstanding that either or both shall have ceased to hold such office at the time the Notes shall be actually sold and delivered.

**Section 6:** Registration and Exchange of the Notes; Persons Treated as Owners. The Notes are initially registered to the Lender. So long as the Notes shall remain unpaid, the Issuer will keep books for the registration and transfer of the Notes. The Notes shall be transferable only upon such registration books.

The Person in whose name the Notes shall be registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute Owners thereof for all purposes, and payment of principal and interest on the Notes shall be made only to or upon the written order of the Owners. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon the Notes to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

The Notes may only be transferred or participated by agreement by the Owner to a Permitted Lender (as defined herein) in whole and denominations not less than \$100,000 (or the total principal amount outstanding if less than \$100,000). Upon surrender to the Registrar for transfer or exchange of a Note accompanied by an assignment or written authorization for exchange, whichever is applicable, duly executed by the Owner or its attorney duly authorized in writing, the Issuer shall deliver in the name of the Owner or the transferee a new fully registered Note of the same series, amount, maturity and interest rate as the Note surrendered.

Upon surrender to the Registrar for transfer or exchange of a Note accompanied by an assignment or written authorization for exchange, whichever is applicable, duly executed by the Owner or its attorney duly authorized in writing, the Issuer shall deliver in the name of the Owner or the transferee a new fully registered Note of the same series, amount, maturity and interest rate as the Note surrendered.

The Note presented for transfer or exchange shall be accompanied by a written instrument or instruments of transfer or authorization for exchange, in form and with guaranty of signature satisfactory to the Issuer, duly executed by the Owner or by his duly authorized attorney and a Lender Certificate from such transferee in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B. Nothing herein shall limit the right of the Owner of a Note to sell or assign a participation interest in a Note to a Permitted Lender.

**Section 7: Payment of Principal and Interest; Limited Obligation.** The Issuer promises that it will promptly pay the principal of and interest on the Notes at the place, on the dates and in the manner provided therein according to the true intent and meaning hereof and thereof. The Notes shall not be or constitute a general obligation or indebtedness of the Issuer as a "bond" within the meaning of Article VII, Section 12 of the Constitution of Florida, but shall be payable from and secured solely by the Pledged Revenues in accordance with the terms hereof. No Owner shall ever have the right to compel the exercise of any ad valorem taxing power or taxation of any real or personal property thereon or the use or application of ad valorem tax revenues to pay the Notes or be entitled to payment of the Notes from any funds of the Issuer except from the Pledged Revenues as described herein.

**Section 8: Covenant to Budget and Appropriate; Notes Secured by Pledged Revenues.**

(A) Subject to the next paragraph, the Issuer covenants and agrees and has a positive and affirmative duty to appropriate in its annual budget, by amendment, if necessary, for each Fiscal Year in which the Notes remain outstanding, from Non-Ad Valorem Revenues, and to deposit into the Debt Service Fund hereinafter created, amounts sufficient to pay principal of

and interest on the Notes and all other payments due hereunder not being paid from other amounts as the same shall become due. Such covenant and agreement on the part of the Issuer to budget, appropriate and deposit such amounts of Non-Ad Valorem Revenues shall be cumulative to the extent not paid and shall continue until such Non-Ad Valorem Revenues or other legally available funds in amounts sufficient to make all such required payments shall have been budgeted, appropriated, deposited and actually paid. No lien upon or pledge of such budgeted Non-Ad Valorem Revenues shall be in effect until such monies are budgeted, appropriated, and deposited as provided herein. The Issuer further acknowledges and agrees that the obligations of the Issuer to include the amount of such amendments in each of its annual budgets and to pay such amounts from Non-Ad Valorem Revenues may be enforced in a court of competent jurisdiction in accordance with the remedies set forth herein.

Until such monies are budgeted, appropriated and deposited as provided herein, such covenant to budget and appropriate does not create any lien upon or pledge of such Non-Ad Valorem Revenues, nor does it preclude the Issuer from pledging in the future its Non-Ad Valorem Revenues (except as provided in Section 18 hereof), nor does it require the Issuer to levy and collect any particular Non-Ad Valorem Revenues, nor does it give the Owners of the Notes a prior claim on the Non-Ad Valorem Revenues as opposed to claims of general creditors of the Issuer. Such covenant to budget and appropriate Non-Ad Valorem Revenues is subject in all respects to the prior payment of obligations secured by a lien on and pledge of specific components of the Non-Ad Valorem Revenues heretofore or hereafter entered into (including the payment of debt service on bonds and other debt instruments). Anything in this Resolution to the contrary notwithstanding, it is understood and agreed that all obligations of the Issuer hereunder shall be payable solely from the portion of Non-Ad Valorem Revenues budgeted, appropriated and deposited as provided for herein and nothing herein shall be deemed to pledge ad valorem tax power or ad valorem taxing revenues or to permit or constitute a mortgage or lien upon any assets owned by the Issuer and no Owner nor any other person, may compel the levy of ad valorem taxes on real or personal property within the boundaries of the Issuer or the use or application of ad valorem tax revenues in order to satisfy any payment obligations hereunder or to maintain or continue any of the activities of the Issuer which generate user service charges, regulatory fees, or any other Non-Ad Valorem Revenues. Notwithstanding any provisions of this Resolution or the Notes to the contrary, the Issuer shall never be obligated to maintain or continue any of the activities of the Issuer which generate user service charges, regulatory fees, or any Non-Ad Valorem Revenues. The Issuer is prohibited by law from expending moneys not appropriated or in excess of its current budgeted revenues and surpluses. Until such monies are budgeted, appropriated and deposited as provided herein, neither this Resolution nor the obligations of the Issuer hereunder shall be construed as a pledge of or a lien on all or any Non-Ad Valorem Revenues of the Issuer, but shall be payable as provided herein subject to the availability of Non-Ad Valorem Revenues after satisfaction of funding requirements for obligations having an express lien on or pledge of such revenues and funding requirements for essential governmental services of the Issuer.

There is hereby created and established the City of New Port Richey, Florida Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Debt Service Fund (the "Debt Service Fund") which fund shall be a trust fund held by the Finance Director, which shall be held solely for the benefit of the Owners. The Debt Service Fund shall be deemed to be held in trust for the purposes provided herein for such Debt Service Fund. The money in such Debt Service Fund shall be continuously secured in the same manner as state and municipal deposits are authorized to be secured by the laws of the State. The designation and establishment of the Debt Service Fund in and by this Resolution shall not be construed to require the establishment of a completely independent, self-balancing fund as such term is commonly defined and used in governmental accounting, but rather is intended solely to constitute an earmarking of certain revenues and assets of the Issuer for certain purposes and to establish certain priorities for application of such revenues and assets as herein provided. The Issuer may at any time and from time to time appoint one or more depositories to hold, for the benefit of the Owners, the Debt Service Fund established hereby. Such depository or depositories shall perform at the direction of the Issuer the duties of the Issuer in depositing, transferring and disbursing moneys to and from such Debt Service Fund as herein set forth, and all records of such depository in performing such duties shall be open at all reasonable times to inspection by the Issuer and its agent and employees. Any such depository shall be a bank or trust company duly authorized to exercise corporate trust powers and subject to examination by federal or state authority, of good standing, and having a combined capital, surplus and undivided profits aggregating not less than fifty million dollars (\$50,000,000).

(B) Non-Ad Valorem Revenues in an amount sufficient to pay the debt service on the Notes shall be deposited into the Debt Service Fund at least three (3) Business Days prior to each date payment is due. Until applied in accordance with this Resolution, the Non-Ad Valorem Revenues of the Issuer on deposit in the Debt Service Fund and other amounts on deposit from time to time therein, plus any earnings thereon, are pledged to the repayment of the Notes, on parity and equal status with each other.

**Section 9: Application of Proceeds of Notes.**

(A) The proceeds received from the sale of the Series 2025A Note shall be deposited by the Issuer simultaneously with the delivery of the Series 2025A Note to the Lender, in the Series 2025A Project Fund hereinafter created, and used to pay (i) all costs and expenses in connection with the preparation, issuance and sale of the Series 2025A Note and (ii) costs of the Series 2025A Project.

(B) The proceeds received from the sale of the Series 2025B Note shall be deposited by the Issuer simultaneously with the delivery of the Series 2025B Note to the Lender, in the Series 2025B Project Fund hereinafter created, and used to pay (i) all costs and expenses in connection with the preparation, issuance and sale of the Series 2025B Note and (ii) costs of the Series 2025B Project.

The Issuer covenants and agrees to establish special funds to be designated "City of New Port Richey, Florida Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A Project Fund" (the "Series 2025A Project Fund") and "City of New Port Richey, Florida Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B, Project Fund" (the Series 2025B Project Fund"). The designation and establishment of the respective Project Funds by this Resolution shall not be construed to require the establishment of a completely independent, self-balancing funds as such term is commonly defined and used in governmental accounting, but rather is intended solely to constitute an earmarking of certain assets of the Issuer for certain purposes and to establish certain priorities for application of such assets as herein provided. Amounts on deposit from time to time in the respective Project Funds, plus any earnings thereon, are pledged to the repayment of the respective Notes.

**Section 10:** Tax Covenant. The Issuer covenants to the Owner of the Series 2025A Note that the Issuer will not make any use of the proceeds of the Series 2025A Note at any time during the term of the Series 2025A Note which would cause the Series 2025A Note to be an "arbitrage bond" within the meaning of the Code. The Issuer will comply with the requirements of the Code and any valid and applicable rules and regulations promulgated thereunder necessary to ensure the exclusion of interest on the Series 2025A Note from the gross income of the Owner thereof for purposes of federal income taxation.

**Section 11:** Bank Qualified. The Issuer hereby designates the Series 2025A Note as a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code, and as such, the Issuer and any subordinate entities of the Issuer and any issuer of "tax-exempt" debt that issues "on behalf of" the Issuer do not reasonably expect during the calendar year 2025 to issue more than \$10,000,000 of "tax-exempt" obligations including the Series 2025A Note, exclusive of any private activity bonds as defined in Section 141(a) of the Code (other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds as defined in Section 145 of the Code).

**Section 12:** Amendment. This Resolution shall not be modified or amended in any respect subsequent to the issuance of the Notes except with the written consent of all of the Owners.

**Section 13:** Limitation of Rights. With the exception of any rights herein expressly conferred, nothing expressed or mentioned in or to be implied from this Resolution or the Notes is intended or shall be construed to give to any Person other than the Issuer and the Owners any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under or with respect to this Resolution or any covenants, conditions and provisions herein contained; this Resolution and all of the covenants, conditions and provisions hereof being intended to be and being for the sole and exclusive benefit of the Issuer and the Owners.

**Section 14:** Note Mutilated, Destroyed, Stolen or Lost. In case any of the Notes shall become mutilated, or be destroyed, stolen or lost, the Issuer shall issue and deliver a new Series 2025A Note or the Series 2025B Note, as applicable, of like tenor as the Series 2025A Note or the

Series 2025B Note, as applicable, so mutilated, destroyed, stolen or lost, in exchange and in substitution for the mutilated Series 2025A Note or the Series 2025B Note, as applicable, or in lieu of and in substitution for the Series 2025A Note or the Series 2025B Note, as applicable, destroyed, stolen or lost and upon the Owner furnishing the Issuer proof of ownership thereof and indemnity reasonably satisfactory to the Issuer and complying with such other reasonable regulations and conditions as the Issuer may prescribe and paying such expenses as the Issuer may incur. The Notes so mutilated, destroyed, stolen, or lost shall be canceled and shall be of no further force and effect.

**Section 15:** *Impairment of Contract.* The Issuer covenants with the Owners that it will not, without the written consent of the Owners, enact any ordinance or adopt any resolution which repeals, impairs, or amends in any manner adverse to the Owners the rights granted to the Owners hereunder. Nothing hereunder shall be construed to limit the Issuer from being able to unilaterally change the boundaries of the Agency and/or reducing the term of the Agency, either of which could have the effect of reducing collections of tax increment revenues, or from relieving the Agency of any contractually obligation to reimburse the Issuer for any debt service paid by the Issuer on the Notes, subject, however, in all respects to the terms of the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement.

**Section 16:** *Budget and Financial Information.* At no cost to the Owners, the Issuer shall provide the Owners with annual financial statements (the "Audit") for each Fiscal Year of the Issuer when available and in no event later than June 30<sup>th</sup> following the end of such Fiscal Year, prepared in accordance with applicable law and generally accepted accounting principles and audited by an independent certified public accountant, which may be in electronic .PDF format. The electronic Audit or link may be sent to the following email address (or such other address as the Owner supplies to the Issuer in writing): PublicFinance@WebsterBank.com. If the Audit is not available by June 30<sup>th</sup> following the end of the Issuer's Fiscal Year, the Issuer will furnish unaudited financial statements to the Owner in the manner described in this Section 16 and will then furnish the Audit to the Owner immediately upon the availability thereof. In addition, the Issuer shall provide to the Owners (at no cost to the Owners) a copy of its annual budget within 30 days of its adoption, and such other financial and budget information as may be reasonably requested by the Owners from time to time. All accounting terms not specifically defined or specified herein shall have the meanings attributed to such terms under generally accepted accounting principles as in effect from time to time, consistently applied.

**Section 17:** *Events of Default; Remedies of Owners.* The following shall constitute Events of Default: (a) if the Issuer fails to pay any payment of principal of or interest on either of the Notes as the same becomes due and payable and such failure continues for five (5) Business Days (a "Payment Default"); or (b) if the Issuer defaults in the performance or observance of any covenant or agreement contained in this Resolution or the Notes (other than set forth in (a) above) and fails to cure the same within 30 days of knowledge of such event; or (c) filing of a petition by or against the Issuer relating to bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement or readjustment of debt of the Issuer or for any other relief relating to the Issuer under the United

States Bankruptcy Code, as amended, or any other insolvency act or law now or hereafter existing, or the involuntary appointment of a receiver or trustee for the Issuer, and the continuance of any such event for 30 days undismissed or undischarged (collectively, a "Bankruptcy"); or (d) any representation or warranty made in writing by or on behalf of the Issuer in this Resolution shall prove to have been false or incorrect in any material respect on the date made or reaffirmed; or (e) the Issuer shall fail to promptly remove any execution, garnishment or attachments of such consequence as will materially impair its ability to carry out its obligations hereunder and under the Notes.

Upon the occurrence and during the continuation of any Event of Default, the Owners may have a receiver appointed, and in addition to any other remedies set forth in this Resolution or the Notes, either at law or in equity, by suit, action, mandamus or other proceeding in any court of competent jurisdiction, protect and enforce any and all rights under the laws of the State, or granted or contained in this Resolution, and may enforce and compel the performance of all duties required by this Resolution, or by any applicable statutes to be performed by the Issuer or by any officer thereof, including, without limitation, the ability to petition the court to enforce and compel the performance by the Issuer of all duties of the Issuer under an ordinance enacted by the City Council of the Issuer on the date hereof, this Resolution and the Notes. The Owner remedies hereunder are exercisable independent of any other parties and require no consents or approvals of the holders of any other debt of the Issuer.

In the event of a Payment Default (as defined in this Section 17), any amount due on the Notes and not paid when due shall bear interest at the Default Rate for so long as such nonpayment continues.

**Section 18: *Anti-Dilution Test.*** As a condition precedent to the issuance of any debt or the incurrence of any other obligations which are secured by and/or payable from Non-Ad Valorem Revenues, the Issuer agrees to certify that it is in compliance with the following: the Available Non-Ad Valorem Revenues (for this purpose, the average of actual receipts over the prior two Fiscal Years) are not less than 1.50 times the maximum annual debt service on all debt and other obligations secured by and/or payable solely from such Non-Ad Valorem Revenues (taking into account such proposed debt or the incurrence of any other such obligations). Non-Ad Valorem Revenues may include, for this purpose, any amounts that the Agency is contractually obligated to pay and actually paid to the Issuer as a reimbursement of debt service payments made by the Issuer on the Notes; provided, however, any such reimbursement amounts are not pledged hereunder. For purposes of calculating "maximum annual debt service" for purposes of this Section 18, balloon indebtedness shall be assumed to amortize in up to 20 years on a level debt service basis. For purposes of this Section 18, "balloon indebtedness" includes indebtedness if 25% or more of the principal amount thereof comes due in any one year. As used in this Section 18, the term "maximum annual debt service" shall only include debt service that the Issuer reasonably expects to apply Non-Ad Valorem Revenues to actually pay; provided however, notwithstanding the foregoing, maximum annual debt service shall include any debt which has pledged any of the Issuer's Non-Ad Valorem Revenues or is

secured solely by a covenant to budget and appropriate Non-Ad Valorem Revenues. For the purpose of calculating maximum annual debt service for purposes of this Section 18 such indebtedness which bears interest at a variable rate or is proposed to bear interest at a variable rate, such indebtedness shall be deemed to bear interest at the greater of (a) 7% per annum or (b) the actual interest rate borne by the variable rate debt for the month immediately preceding such calculation.

**Section 19:** *Description of the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement.* The Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement is to be substantially in the form set forth in Exhibit D attached hereto, together with such non-material changes as shall be approved by the Issuer, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution thereof by the Issuer. The Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement shall be executed on behalf of the Issuer with the manual signature of the Mayor and the official seal of the Issuer, be attested with the manual signature of the Clerk and be approved as to form and correctness by the City Attorney. In case any one or more of the officers who shall have signed or sealed the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement shall cease to be such officer of the Issuer before the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement so signed and sealed has been actually delivered, the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement may nevertheless be delivered as herein provided and may be issued as if the person who signed or sealed the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement had not ceased to hold such office. The Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement may be signed and sealed on behalf of the Issuer by such person who at the actual time of the execution of the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement shall hold the proper office of the Issuer, although, at the date of the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement, such person may not have held such office or may not have been so authorized. The Issuer may adopt and use for such purposes the facsimile signatures of any such persons who shall have held such offices at any time after the date of the adoption of this Resolution, notwithstanding that either or both shall have ceased to hold such office at the time the Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement shall be actually delivered.

**Section 20:** *Severability.* If any provision of this Resolution shall be held or deemed to be or shall, in fact, be illegal, inoperative, or unenforceable in any context, the same shall not affect any other provision herein or render any other provision (or such provision in any other context) invalid, inoperative, or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

**Section 21:** *Business Days.* In any case where the due date of interest on or principal of the Notes is not a Business Day, then payment of such principal or interest need not be made on such date but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day, provided that credit for payments made shall not be given until the payment is actually received by the Owner.

**Section 22:** *Applicable Provisions of Law.* This Resolution and the Notes shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

**Section 23:** *Rules of Interpretation.* Unless expressly indicated otherwise, references to sections or articles are to be construed as references to sections or articles of this instrument as originally executed. Use of the words "herein," "hereby," "hereunder," "hereof," "hereinbefore," "hereinafter" and other equivalent words refer to this Resolution and not solely to the particular portion in which any such word are used.

**Section 24:** *Captions.* The captions and headings in this Resolution are for convenience only and in no way define, limit, or describe the scope or intent of any provisions or sections of this Resolution.

**Section 25:** *City Council Members of the Issuer Exempt from Personal Liability.* No recourse under or upon any obligation, covenant or agreement of this Resolution or the Notes or for any claim based thereon or otherwise in respect thereof, shall be had against any City Council members of the Issuer, as such, of the Issuer, past, present or future, either directly or through the Issuer it being expressly understood (a) that no personal liability whatsoever shall attach to, or is or shall be incurred by, the City Council members of the Issuer, as such, under or by reason of the obligations, covenants or agreements contained in this Resolution or implied therefrom, and (b) that any and all such personal liability, either at common law or in equity or by constitution or statute, of, and any and all such rights and claims against, every such City Council members of the Issuer, as such, are waived and released as a condition of, and as a consideration for, the execution of this Resolution and the issuance of the Notes, on the part of the Issuer.

**Section 26:** *Authorizations.* The Mayor and any member of the City Council, the City Manager, the City Attorney, the Clerk, the Finance Director and such other officials and employees of the Issuer as may be designated by the Issuer are each designated as agents of the Issuer in connection with the issuance and delivery of the Notes and are authorized and empowered, collectively or individually, to take all action and steps and to execute all instruments, documents, and contracts on behalf of the Issuer that are necessary or desirable in connection with the execution and delivery of the Notes, and which are specifically authorized or are not inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Resolution.

**Section 27:** *Repealer.* All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**Section 28.** *No Advisory or Fiduciary Relationship.* In connection with all aspects of each transaction contemplated hereunder (including in connection with any amendment, waiver or other modification hereof or of the Notes), the Issuer acknowledges and agrees, that: (a) (i) the Issuer has consulted its own legal, accounting, regulatory and tax advisors to the extent it has deemed appropriate, (ii) the Issuer is capable of evaluating, and understands and accepts, the terms, risks and conditions of the transactions contemplated hereby and by the Notes, (iii) the Lender is not acting as a municipal advisor or financial advisor to the Issuer, and (iv) the Lender has no fiduciary duty pursuant to Section 15B of the Securities Exchange Act to

the Issuer with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby and the discussions, undertakings and procedures leading thereto (irrespective of whether the Lender has provided other services or is currently providing other services to the Issuer on other matters); (b) (i) the Lender is and has been acting solely as a principal and, except as expressly agreed in writing by the relevant parties, has not been, is not, and will not be acting as an advisor, agent or fiduciary, for the Issuer or any other Person and (ii) the Lender has no obligation to the Issuer, with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby except those obligations expressly set forth herein and in the Note; and (c) the Lender may be engaged in a broad range of transactions that involve interests that differ from those of the Issuer, and the Lender has no obligation to disclose any of such interests to the Issuer. The Notes are purchased by the Lender pursuant to and in reliance upon the bank exemption and/or the institutional buyer exemption provided under the municipal advisor rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Rule 15Ba1-1 *et seq*, to the extent that such rules apply to the transaction contemplated hereunder.

**Section 29:** Waiver of Jury Trial. The Issuer and the Lender, by its acceptance of the Notes, each knowingly, voluntarily, and intentionally waives any right it may have to a trial by jury, with respect to any litigation or legal proceedings based on or arising out of this Resolution or the Notes, including any course of conduct, course of dealings, verbal or written statement or actions or omissions of any party which in any way relates to this Resolution or the Note.

**Section 30:** Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by City Council.

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The above and foregoing Resolution was read and adopted at a duly convened meeting of the City Council of the City of New Port Richey, Florida, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2025.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA

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Judy Meyers, MMC  
City Clerk

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Alfred C. Davis, Mayor

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:

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Timothy P. Driscoll, City Attorney

**EXHIBIT A-1**

**[FORM OF SERIES 2025A NOTE]**

May 9, 2025

\$3,273,000

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA  
TAX EXEMPT NON-AD VALOREM REVENUE NOTE,  
SERIES 2025A

Maturity Date: October 1, 2029

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the City of New Port Richey, Florida (the "Issuer"), a municipal corporation created and existing pursuant to the Constitution and the laws of the State of Florida, for value received, promises to pay from the sources hereinafter provided, to the order of Webster Bank, National Association or registered assigns (hereinafter, the "Owner"), the principal amount of \$3,273,000, together with interest at the Series 2025A Interest Rate. The Issuer shall pay interest upon the unpaid principal balance of this Note at the Series 2025A Interest Rate. Interest shall be calculated on a 30/360-day basis. This Note shall have a final maturity date of October 1, 2029 (the "Maturity Date").

Series 2025A Interest Rate" means an initial per annum rate equal to 3.745%, subject to adjustment as provided herein.

Principal of and interest on this Note is payable in lawful money of the United States of America at such place as the Owner may designate to the Issuer in writing.

The Issuer promises to pay the Owner interest on the principal amount outstanding hereunder from the date of this Note at the Series 2025A Interest Rate, but in no event shall it exceed the maximum interest rate permitted by applicable law. Such interest shall be paid on a semi-annual basis, commencing October 1, 2025, and on each April 1 and October 1 thereafter until the Maturity Date.

Principal on this Note shall amortize on the following dates and in the following amounts:

| <u>DATES</u> | <u>AMOUNTS</u> |
|--------------|----------------|
| 10/01/2027   | \$100,000      |
| 10/01/2028   | 1,261,000      |
| 10/01/2029   | 1,912,000      |

In the event of a Determination of Taxability (as defined below), the Owner shall have the right to adjust the rate of interest on this Note to the Taxable Rate. "Taxable Rate" shall

mean the interest rate per annum that shall provide the Owner with the same after-tax yield that the Owner would have otherwise received had the Determination of Taxability not occurred, taking into account the increased taxable income of the Owner. The Owner shall provide the Issuer with a written statement explaining the calculation of the Taxable Rate, which shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on the Issuer. This adjustment shall survive payment of this Note until such time as the federal statute of limitations under which the interest on this Note could be declared taxable under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), shall have expired.

"Determination of Taxability" shall mean, with respect to this Note, the circumstance that shall be deemed to have occurred if interest paid or payable on this Note becomes includable for federal income tax purposes in the gross income of the Owner solely as a consequence of any action or inaction by the Issuer. A Determination of Taxability will be deemed to have occurred upon (a) the receipt by the Issuer or the Owner of an original or a copy of an Internal Revenue Service Technical Advice Memorandum or Statutory Notice of Deficiency which holds that any interest payable on this Note is includable in the gross income of the Owner; (b) the issuance of any public or private ruling of the Internal Revenue Service that any interest payable on this Note is includable in the gross income of the Owner; or (c) receipt by the Issuer or the Owner of an opinion of an attorney at law or firm of attorneys of nationally recognized standing in matters pertaining to the federal tax exemption of interest on obligations issued by states and political subdivisions to the effect that any interest on this Note has become includable in the gross income of the Owner for federal income tax purposes. For all purposes of this definition, a Determination of Taxability will be deemed to occur on the date as of which the interest on this Note is deemed includable in the gross income of the Owner. A Determination of Taxability shall not occur in the event such interest is taken into account in determining adjusted current earnings for the purpose of the alternative minimum tax imposed on corporations.

In the case of (a) and (b) above, upon the Determination of Taxability and timely written notice thereof, the Issuer shall have an opportunity to participate in and seek, at its own expense, a final administrative determination or determination by a court of competent jurisdiction (from which no further right of appeal exists) as to the existence of such event of taxability; provided that the Issuer, at its own expense, delivers to the Owner an opinion of an attorney at law or firm of attorneys of nationally recognized standing in matters pertaining to the federal tax exemption of interest on obligations issued by states and political subdivisions acceptable to the Owner to the effect that such appeal or action for judicial or administrative review is not without merit and there is a reasonable possibility that the judgment, order, ruling or decision from which such appeal or action for judicial or administrative review is taken will be reversed, vacated or otherwise set aside.

This Note shall not be prepayable prior to October 1, 2028. On October 1, 2028 through and including September 30, 2029, and upon at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Owner, this Note shall be subject to prepayment at the option of the Issuer in whole or in part

on any payment date with a prepayment premium of 1%, by paying to the Owner the principal amount on this Note being prepaid, together with the unpaid interest accrued to the date of such prepayment, plus said prepayment premium of 1%. On or after October 1, 2029, and upon at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Owner, this Note shall be subject to prepayment at the option of the Issuer in whole or in part on any payment date with no penalty or premium, together with the unpaid interest accrued to the date of such prepayment. Any partial prepayment shall (i) occur no more than once during any consecutive 12-month period, (ii) be in a principal amount of not less than \$250,000; and (iii) be applied to the then remaining principal repayment schedule in inverse order of installments coming due.

A final payment in the amount of the entire unpaid principal balance, together with all accrued and unpaid interest hereon, shall be due and payable in full on the Maturity Date.

If any date for the payment of principal and interest hereon shall fall on a day which is not a Business Day (as defined in the Resolution hereinafter defined) the payment due on such date shall be due on the next succeeding day which is a Business Day, but the Issuer shall not receive credit for the payment until it is actually received by the Owner.

All payments by the Issuer pursuant to this Note shall apply first to accrued interest, then to other charges due the Owner, and the balance thereof shall apply to principal.

No presentment or delivery shall be required for partial prepayment or for interest or principal installment payments on this Note.

THIS NOTE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A GENERAL INDEBTEDNESS OF THE ISSUER WITHIN THE MEANING OF ANY CONSTITUTIONAL, STATUTORY OR CHARTER PROVISION OR LIMITATION, AND IT IS EXPRESSLY AGREED BY THE OWNER THAT SUCH OWNER SHALL NEVER HAVE THE RIGHT TO REQUIRE OR COMPEL THE EXERCISE OF THE AD VALOREM TAXING POWER OF THE ISSUER OR TAXATION OF ANY REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY THEREIN OR USE OR APPLICATION OF AD VALOREM TAX REVENUES OF THE ISSUER FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THIS NOTE OR THE MAKING OF ANY OTHER PAYMENTS PROVIDED FOR IN THE RESOLUTION.

This Note is issued pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Florida, Chapter 166, Florida Statutes, Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes (as to the authorized use of proceeds only), the Charter of the Issuer, an ordinance enacted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025, and other applicable provisions of law, and a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025, as from time to time amended and supplemented (herein referred to as the "Resolution"), and is subject to all the terms and conditions of the Resolution. All terms, conditions and provisions of the Resolution including without limitation remedies in the Event of Default are by this reference thereto incorporated herein as a part of this Note. Payment of the Note is secured by a covenant to budget, appropriate and deposit Non-Ad

Valorem Revenues of the Issuer, and a pledge of and lien upon the Pledged Revenues, on parity and equal status with the Issuer's Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B, in the manner and to the extent described in the Resolution.

This Note may be exchanged or transferred by the Owner hereof to any Permitted Lender but only upon the registration books maintained by the Issuer and in the manner provided in the Resolution.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and prerequisites required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the execution, delivery and the issuance of this Note do exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the issuance of this Note is in full compliance with and does not exceed or violate any constitutional or statutory limitation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of New Port Richey, Florida has caused this Note to be executed in its name by the manual signature of its Mayor, attested by the manual signature of its City Clerk and approved as to form and correctness by its City Attorney, and its seal to be impressed hereon, all as of this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA

(SEAL)

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Alfred C. Davis  
Title: Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Judy Meyers, MMC  
Title: City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM AND  
CORRECTNESS:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Timothy P. Driscoll  
Title: City Attorney

**ASSIGNMENT**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers to

\_\_\_\_\_  
PLEASE INSERT NAME, ADDRESS AND SOCIAL SECURITY OR OTHER IDENTIFYING  
NUMBER OF ASSIGNEE the within Series 2025A Note and does hereby irrevocably constitute  
and appoint \_\_\_\_\_

as his agent to transfer the Series 2025A Note on the books kept for registration thereof, with  
full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature guaranteed:

\_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: Signature must be guaranteed  
by an institution which is a participant  
Registered in the Securities Transfer Agent  
within Medallion Program (STAMP) or  
alternation or similar program.

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NOTICE: The signature to this assignment  
must correspond with the name of the  
Owner as it appears upon the face of the  
Note in every particular, without  
enlargement or change whatever.

\_\_\_\_\_

(Authorized Officer)

**EXHIBIT A-2**

**[FORM OF SERIES 2025B NOTE]**

May 9, 2025

\$5,556,000

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA  
TAXABLE NON-AD VALOREM REVENUE NOTE,  
SERIES 2025B

Maturity Date: October 1, 2028

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the City of New Port Richey, Florida (the "Issuer"), a municipal corporation created and existing pursuant to the Constitution and the laws of the State of Florida, for value received, promises to pay from the sources hereinafter provided, to the order of Webster Bank, National Association or registered assigns (hereinafter, the "Owner"), the principal amount of \$5,556,000, together with interest at the Series 2025B Interest Rate. The Issuer shall pay interest upon the unpaid principal balance of this Note at the Series 2025B Interest Rate. Interest shall be calculated on a 30/360-day basis. This Note shall have a final maturity date of October 1, 2028 (the "Maturity Date").

"Series 2025B Interest Rate" means an initial per annum rate equal to 4.760% subject to adjustment as provided herein.

Principal of and interest on this Note is payable in lawful money of the United States of America at such place as the Owner may designate to the Issuer in writing.

The Issuer promises to pay the Owner interest on the principal amount outstanding hereunder from the date of this Note at the Series 2025B Interest Rate, but in no event shall it exceed the maximum interest rate permitted by applicable law. Such interest shall be paid on a semi-annual basis, commencing October 1, 2025, and on each April 1 and October 1 thereafter until the Maturity Date.

Principal on this Note shall amortize on the following dates and in the following amounts:

| <u>DATES</u> | <u>AMOUNTS</u> |
|--------------|----------------|
| 10/01/2025   | \$1,641,000    |
| 10/01/2026   | 1,678,000      |
| 10/01/2027   | 1,659,000      |
| 10/01/2028   | 578,000        |

This Note shall not be prepayable prior to October 1, 2027. On October 1, 2027 through and including September 30, 2028, and upon at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Owner, this Note shall be subject to prepayment at the option of the Issuer in whole or in part on any payment date with a prepayment premium of 1%, by paying to the Owner the principal amount on this Note being prepaid, together with the unpaid interest accrued to the date of such prepayment, plus said prepayment premium of 1%. On or after October 1, 2028 and upon at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Owner, this Note shall be subject to prepayment at the option of the Issuer in whole or in part on any payment date with no penalty or premium, together with the unpaid interest accrued to the date of such prepayment. Any partial prepayment shall (i) occur no more than once during any consecutive 12-month period, (ii) be in a principal amount of not less than \$250,000; and (iii) be applied to the then remaining principal repayment schedule in inverse order of installments coming due.

A final payment in the amount of the entire unpaid principal balance, together with all accrued and unpaid interest hereon, shall be due and payable in full on the Maturity Date.

If any date for the payment of principal and interest hereon shall fall on a day which is not a Business Day (as defined in the Resolution hereinafter defined) the payment due on such date shall be due on the next succeeding day which is a Business Day, but the Issuer shall not receive credit for the payment until it is actually received by the Owner.

All payments by the Issuer pursuant to this Note shall apply first to accrued interest, then to other charges due the Owner, and the balance thereof shall apply to principal.

No presentment or delivery shall be required for partial prepayment or for interest or principal installment payments on this Note.

THIS NOTE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A GENERAL INDEBTEDNESS OF THE ISSUER WITHIN THE MEANING OF ANY CONSTITUTIONAL, STATUTORY OR CHARTER PROVISION OR LIMITATION, AND IT IS EXPRESSLY AGREED BY THE OWNER THAT SUCH OWNER SHALL NEVER HAVE THE RIGHT TO REQUIRE OR COMPEL THE EXERCISE OF THE AD VALOREM TAXING POWER OF THE ISSUER OR TAXATION OF ANY REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY THEREIN OR USE OR APPLICATION OF AD VALOREM TAX REVENUES OF THE ISSUER FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON THIS NOTE OR THE MAKING OF ANY OTHER PAYMENTS PROVIDED FOR IN THE RESOLUTION.

This Note is issued pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Florida, Chapter 166, Florida Statutes, Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes (as to the authorized use of proceeds only), the Charter of the Issuer, an ordinance enacted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025, and other applicable provisions of law, and a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025, as from time to time amended and supplemented (herein referred to as the "Resolution"), and is subject to all the terms and conditions of the Resolution.

All terms, conditions and provisions of the Resolution including without limitation remedies in the Event of Default are by this reference thereto incorporated herein as a part of this Note. Payment of the Note is secured by a covenant to budget, appropriate and deposit Non-Ad Valorem Revenues of the Issuer and a pledge of and lien upon the Pledged Revenues, on parity and equal status with the Issuer's Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A, in the manner and to the extent described in the Resolution.

This Note may be exchanged or transferred by the Owner hereof to any Permitted Lender but only upon the registration books maintained by the Issuer and in the manner provided in the Resolution.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and prerequisites required to exist, happen and be performed precedent to and in the execution, delivery and the issuance of this Note do exist, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law, and that the issuance of this Note is in full compliance with and does not exceed or violate any constitutional or statutory limitation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of New Port Richey, Florida has caused this Note to be executed in its name by the manual signature of its Mayor, attested by the manual signature of its City Clerk and approved as to form and correctness by its City Attorney, and its seal to be impressed hereon, all as of this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA

(SEAL)

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Alfred C. Davis

Title: Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Judy Meyers, MMC

Title: City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM AND  
CORRECTNESS:

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Timothy P. Driscoll

Title: City Attorney

**ASSIGNMENT**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned sells, assigns and transfers to

\_\_\_\_\_  
PLEASE INSERT NAME, ADDRESS AND SOCIAL SECURITY OR OTHER IDENTIFYING  
NUMBER OF ASSIGNEE the within Series 2025B Note and does hereby irrevocably constitute  
and appoint \_\_\_\_\_  
as his agent to transfer the Series 2025B Note on the books kept for registration thereof, with full  
power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature guaranteed:

\_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: Signature must be guaranteed  
by an institution which is a participant  
Registered in the Securities Transfer Agent  
within Medallion Program (STAMP) or  
alternation or similar program.

\_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: The signature to this assignment  
must correspond with the name of the  
Owner as it appears upon the face of the  
Note in every particular, without  
enlargement or change whatever.

\_\_\_\_\_

(Authorized Officer)

## EXHIBIT B

### FORM OF LENDER'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Webster Bank, National Association (the "Lender") is making a loan to the City of New Port Richey, Florida (the "Issuer"), evidenced by the Issuer's \$3,273,000 Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A (the "Series 2025A Note"), and \$5,556,000 Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B (the "Series 2025B Note," and together with the Series 2025A Note, the "Notes"). The Lender has not required the Issuer to deliver any offering document and has conducted its own investigation, to the extent it deems satisfactory or sufficient, into matters relating to business affairs or conditions (either financial or otherwise) of the Issuer in connection with the issuance of the Notes, and no inference should be drawn that the Lender, in the acceptance of the Notes, is relying on Bond Counsel or the Issuer Attorney as to any such matters other than the legal opinions rendered by Bond Counsel, Bryant Miller Olive P.A. and by the City Attorney. We have made such independent investigation of the source of security for the Notes as we, in the exercise of sound business judgment consider to be appropriate under the circumstances. We have received all financial and other information regarding the Issuer that we have requested and which we consider relevant or necessary to make an informed decision to purchase the Notes. We have made our own inquiry into the creditworthiness of the Issuer, we have received all the information that we have requested from the Issuer or any agents or representatives thereof, and we have been afforded a reasonable opportunity to ask questions about the terms and conditions of the offering, the Notes, the source of security, and the Issuer.

We have sufficient knowledge and experience in the financial and business matters, including the purchase and ownership of tax-exempt and taxable obligations, to be capable of evaluating the merits and risks of our purchase of the Notes. We are able to bear the economic risk of our purchase of the Notes.

Any capitalized undefined terms used herein not otherwise defined shall have the meaning set forth in a resolution duly adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "Resolution").

We acknowledge and understand that the Resolution is not being qualified under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended (the "1939 Act"), and is not being registered in reliance upon the exemption from registration under Section 3(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, Section 517.051(1), Florida Statutes, and/or Section 517.061(7), Florida Statutes, and that neither the Issuer, Bond Counsel nor the City Attorney shall have any obligation to effect any such registration or qualification.

We are not acting as a broker or other intermediary, and we are making the loan and purchasing the Notes for our own account and not with a present view to a resale or other distribution to the public. We intend to hold the Notes to the earlier of maturity or prepayment; provided, however, that we intend to sell a 100% participation interest in the Series 2025A Note

to a wholly-owned affiliate of the Lender on the date hereof, at par.

We understand that the Notes may only be transferred to a Permitted Lender (as defined herein), each in whole and not in part, and denominations not less than \$100,000 (or the total principal amount outstanding if less than \$100,000).

*"Permitted Lender"* shall mean (a) any affiliate of the Lender or (b) a bank, trust company, savings institution, insurance company, "qualified institutional buyer" under Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 ("1933 Act") or "accredited investor" under Rule 501(a) of Regulation D as promulgated under the 1933 Act, or their affiliates.

We are a bank as contemplated by Section 517.061(7), Florida Statutes. We are not purchasing the Notes for the direct or indirect promotion of any scheme or enterprise with the intent of violating or evading any provision of Chapter 517, Florida Statutes.

We understand that the Notes are not municipal securities and that, unless otherwise required, no filing will be made with respect to the Notes with EMMA, the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Boards continuing disclosure site.

We understand that there will be no CUSIP Number obtained for the Notes and that there will be no credit rating obtained for the Notes.

The Lender and the participation interest transferee referred to above is an "accredited investor" within the meaning of Rule 501(a) promulgated under the 1933 Act.

The representations in this Certificate shall not relieve the Issuer from any obligation to disclose any information required by the Resolution or as required by applicable law.

This Certificate is expressly for the benefit of the Issuer and may not be relied upon by any other party.

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DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> of May, 2025.

WEBSTER BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Kevin C. King

Title: Senior Managing Director

## EXHIBIT C

### FORM OF DISCLOSURE LETTER

The undersigned, Webster Bank, National Association (the "Lender"), proposes to negotiate with the City of New Port Richey, Florida (the "Issuer"), for the extension of a loan to the Issuer through the private purchase of its \$3,273,000 Tax Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A (the "Series 2025A Note") and its \$5,556,000 Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B (the "Series 2025B Note," and together with the Series 2025A Note, the "Notes"). Prior to the award of the Notes, the following information is hereby furnished to the Issuer:

1. Set forth is an itemized list of the nature and estimated amounts of expenses to be incurred for services rendered to the Lender in connection with the issuance of the Notes (such fees and expenses to be paid by the Issuer):

Gilmore & Bell, P.C.  
Lender Counsel Fee -- \$7,500

2. (a) No other fee, bonus or other compensation is estimated to be paid by the Lender in connection with the issuance of the Notes to any person not regularly employed or retained by the Lender (including any "finder" as defined in Section 218.386(1)(a), Florida Statutes), except as specifically enumerated as expenses to be incurred by the Lender, as set forth in paragraph (1) above.

(b) No person has entered into an understanding with the Lender, or to the knowledge of the Lender, with the Issuer, for any paid or promised compensation or valuable consideration, directly or indirectly, expressly or implied, to act solely as an intermediary between the Issuer and the Lender or to exercise or attempt to exercise any influence to effect any transaction in the purchase of the Notes by the Lender.

3. The amount of the underwriting spread expected to be realized by the Lender is \$0.

4. The management fee to be charged by the Lender is \$0.

5. Truth-in-Bonding Statement:

The Notes are being issued primarily by the Issuer to finance the cost of various capital improvements within the City of New Port Richey, Florida, to finance the acquisition of real property within the City of New Port Richey, Florida, and to pay associated costs of issuance.

Unless earlier prepaid by the Issuer prior to its scheduled maturity date, the Series 2025A Note is expected to be repaid on October 1, 2029. Based solely on calculations provided by Ford & Associates, Inc., the Issuer's financial advisor at an initial fixed interest rate of 3.745% (which assumes that the interest rate is never adjusted during the life of the Series 2025A Note), total interest paid over the life of the Series 2025A Note is estimated to be \$483,929.55.

Unless earlier prepaid by the Issuer prior to its scheduled maturity date, the Series 2025B Note is expected to be repaid on October 1, 2028. Based solely on calculations provided by Ford & Associates, Inc., the Issuer's financial advisor at an initial fixed interest rate of 4.760% (which assumes that the interest rate is never adjusted during the life of the Series 2025B Note), total interest paid over the life of the Series 2025B Note is estimated to be \$424,664.99.

The principal of and interest on the Notes will be payable solely from the Pledged Revenues as described in a resolution adopted by the City Council of the Issuer on April 15, 2025 (the "Resolution"). See the Resolution for a definition of Pledged Revenues. Based on the above assumptions, issuance of the Series 2025A Note is estimated to result in an annual average amount of approximately \$854,927.08 of Pledged Revenues of the Issuer not being available to finance the other services of the Issuer during the life of the Series A Note, and issuance of the Series 2025B Note is estimated to result in an annual average amount of approximately \$1,761,898.03 of Pledged Revenues of the Issuer not being available to finance the other services of the Issuer during the life of the Series 2025B Note. The representations in this paragraph are provided pursuant to Section 218.385, Florida Statutes for informational purposes only, and shall not affect the actual terms and conditions of the Notes.

6. The name and address of the Lender is as follows:

Webster Bank, National Association  
200 Elm Street  
Stamford, CT 06901  
Attention: Public Sector Finance

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Disclosure Letter on behalf of the Lender this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

WEBSTER BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Kevin C. King

Title: Senior Managing Director

**EXHIBIT D**

**FORM OF AMENDED AND RESTATED  
DEBT SERVICE REIMBURSEMENT INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT**

**AMENDED AND RESTATED  
DEBT SERVICE REIMBURSEMENT INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA  
AND  
THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA  
COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

This Amended and Restated Debt Service Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement (the "Agreement") is entered into as of the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025, by and between the CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA, a Florida municipal corporation (the "City"), and THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a body corporate and politic (the "Community Redevelopment Agency").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City created the Community Redevelopment Agency on November 15, 1988, by adopting Resolution No. 88-26 and established the funding of a Redevelopment Trust Fund through the enactment of Ordinance No. 1202 on June 29, 1989, as amended and supplemented from time to time (collectively, the "Trust Fund Ordinance") for the purpose of carrying out redevelopment pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes (the "Redevelopment Act"); and

WHEREAS, the City has found areas within its boundaries to be blighted, and in need of redevelopment; and

WHEREAS, the relevant blighted areas for purposes of this Agreement is known as the "Community Redevelopment Area" as designated by Resolution No. 89-7 adopted by the City Council of the City on June 20, 1989; and

WHEREAS, the City has adopted a community redevelopment plan for redevelopment of the Community Redevelopment Area (as amended from time to time, the "Redevelopment Work Plan); and

WHEREAS, the City amended the "Community Redevelopment Area" by Resolution 01-05 adopted by the City Council of the City on June 5, 2001, and Resolution No. 2020-28 adopted by the City Council of the City on July 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, such community redevelopment plan does not expire until September 30, 2049, which is after the final maturity of the City of New Port Richey, Florida Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025A (the "2025A Note") and City of New Port Richey, Florida Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2025B (the "2025B Note") (collectively, the "2025 Notes"); and

WHEREAS, the City has expended resources from its General Fund in furtherance of community redevelopment, and to assist the Community Redevelopment Agency in carrying out its responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, the City previously issued its Non-Ad Valorem Refunding Revenue Note, Series 2016 (the "2016 Note"); and

WHEREAS, the City previously issued its Taxable Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2020A and its Tax-Exempt Non-Ad Valorem Revenue Note, Series 2020B (collectively, the "2020 Notes"); and

WHEREAS, a portion of the 2020 Notes was allocable to a City-owned parking garage (the "CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes"); and

WHEREAS, the City and the Community Redevelopment Agency entered into an Interlocal Agreement dated as of July 21, 2010 (the "2010 Interlocal Agreement"), and the City and the Community Redevelopment Agency entered into an Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement dated as of July 18, 2012 (the "2012 Interlocal Agreement") which amended and restated the 2010 Interlocal Agreement in its entirety, and the City and the Community Redevelopment Agency entered into an Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement dated as of January 25, 2016 (the "2016 Interlocal Agreement") which amended and restated the 2012 Interlocal Agreement in its entirety and in connection with the issuance of the 2020 Notes and the City and the Community Redevelopment Agency entered into an Amended and Restated Interlocal Agreement dated as of November 10, 2020 (the "2020 Interlocal Agreement") which amended and restated the 2016 Interlocal Agreement in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, on the date hereof, pursuant to an ordinance enacted by the City Council of the City (the "City Council") on April 15, 2025, as supplemented by resolution (collectively, the "Ordinance"), the City is issuing the 2025A Note to finance the costs of various capital improvement projects and the City is issuing the 2025B Note to finance the acquisition of real property within the City, each of which are projects that are within the Redevelopment Area of the City of New Port Richey, Florida Community Redevelopment Agency and are described in the Redevelopment Work Plan; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the City's issuance of the 2025 Notes by the City on behalf of the Community Redevelopment Agency, the City hereby amends and restates the 2022 Interlocal Agreement in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Ordinance, the 2025 Notes are payable solely from Pledged Revenues (as such term is defined in the Ordinance); and

WHEREAS, the obligations of the Community Redevelopment Agency with respect to the 2025 Notes will be on parity and equal status with the obligations of the Community Redevelopment Agency with respect to the 2016 Note and the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes; and

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2020, the parties hereto entered into an Amended and Restated Advance Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement (the "Advance Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement") whereby the Community Redevelopment Agency agreed to reimburse the City for such costs incurred by the City on behalf of the Community Redevelopment Agency in furtherance of community redevelopment, which financial obligation is treated as indebtedness for purposes of applicable law; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement constitutes the "Original Interlocal Agreement" for all intents and purposes pursuant to the Advance Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of this Agreement and the obligations of the Community Redevelopment Agency hereunder shall be senior and superior in all respects to the rights of the City to receive tax increment revenues pursuant to the Advance Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement; and

WHEREAS, except with regard to the Community Redevelopment Agency's obligations pursuant to the Advance Reimbursement Interlocal Agreement, tax increment revenues are not subject to any other pledge or lien, and are free from all encumbrances; and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto desire to memorialize the terms under which the Community Redevelopment Agency shall reimburse the City for costs incurred by the City in furtherance of community redevelopment.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises set forth herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. Incorporation of Recitals. The above set forth recitals are hereby incorporated into the terms of this Agreement.

2. Obligation to Repay City. To the extent permitted by the Redevelopment Act, the Community Redevelopment Agency shall reimburse the City for all costs incurred by the City on behalf of the Community Redevelopment Agency in connection with the issuance of the

2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes as described in Section 3.C. hereof. In the event tax increment revenues are not sufficient to immediately reimburse the City for these payments, then, in addition to the amounts due the City as described in the immediately preceding sentence, the Community Redevelopment Agency shall pay the same interest rates due on the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes on amounts paid by the City from the date paid by the City until and including the date reimbursed by the Community Redevelopment Agency.

The Community Redevelopment Agency shall have no repayment obligations hereunder with respect to the portion of the 2020 Notes which are allocable to the fire station capital project or the library renovation capital project, which capital projects are also financed with a portion of the proceeds of the 2020 Notes.

3. Financing.

A. The City issued the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes and the 2025 Notes, and financing, amongst other capital projects, the costs of the acquisition, construction, and/or equipping of various capital improvements and the acquisition of real property within the Redevelopment Area of the City of New Port Richey, Florida Community Redevelopment Agency as described in the Redevelopment Work Plan, as amended from time to time, including without limitation the acquisition of an office building. The debt service on the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes, is not secured by any amounts pledged to the City hereunder.

B. In consideration of the payment of the tax increment revenues by the Community Redevelopment Agency to the City to pay the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes, the City has authorized the issuance of the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes.

C. Upon execution of this Agreement the Community Redevelopment Agency shall immediately deposit or cause to be deposited tax increment revenues received by the Community Redevelopment Agency with the City in amounts sufficient to pay the following (the "CRA Obligations"):

(i) all amounts paid or payable pursuant to the Ordinance, by reason of the issuance of the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes, including without limitation the costs of issuing the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes and the 2025 Notes, and;

(ii) all amounts necessary to reimburse the City for amounts expended by it to pay any of the items mentioned in clause (i) above and any interest thereon as prescribed in Section 2 hereof.

The obligation to transfer the tax increment revenues to the City to pay the CRA Obligations specified in clauses (i) and (ii) above shall survive the date on which the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes are no longer due and owing.

Any amounts received by the Community Redevelopment Agency in excess of the amount necessary to pay the CRA Obligations set forth above may be retained by the Community Redevelopment Agency and used for any lawful purpose of the Community Redevelopment Agency.

D. In order to secure its indebtedness to the City for the CRA Obligations, the Community Redevelopment Agency hereby pledges to the City the tax increment revenues which pledge shall be prior and superior to all other pledges thereof; provided, however, that the tax increment revenues which derive from any other redevelopment areas subsequently established by the Community Redevelopment Agency are not pledged in any manner to secure the CRA Obligations.

E. The Community Redevelopment Agency shall not pledge tax increment revenues to any entity other than the City, without the prior written consent of the owner or owners of the 2016 Note. The City shall not pledge amounts received pursuant to this Agreement to any entity, without the prior written consent of the owner or owners of the 2016 Note. The City and the Community Redevelopment Agency shall not amend (i) this Section 3.E in any manner, or (ii) any other provision of this Agreement in a manner that would reduce transfers from the Community Redevelopment Agency to the City, if such reduction would cause the City to drop below the 1.50 times coverage requirement described in Section 17.B. of Resolution No. 2016-06 adopted by the City Council of the City on January 19, 2016, in either case, without the prior written consent of the owner or owners of the 2016 Note. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, tax increment revenues and/or amounts payable hereunder to the City are not pledged in favor of the owner or owners of the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes or the 2025 Notes. The owner or owners of the 2016 Note are third party beneficiaries of this Agreement.

F. The Community Redevelopment Agency is presently entitled to receive the tax increment revenues to be deposited in the Redevelopment Trust Fund, and has taken all action required by law to entitle it to receive such tax increment revenues, and the Community Redevelopment Agency will diligently enforce the obligation of any "Taxing Authority" (as defined in Section 163.340(2), Florida Statutes) to appropriate its proportionate share of the tax increment revenues and will not take, or consent to or adversely permit, any action which will impair or adversely affect the obligation of each such Taxing Authority to appropriate its proportionate share of such tax increment revenues, impair or adversely affect in any manner the deposit of such tax increment revenues in the Redevelopment Trust Fund, or the pledge of such tax increment revenues hereby to the extent as described herein. The Community Redevelopment

Agency and the City shall be unconditionally and irrevocably obligated so long as the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and/or the 2025 Notes are outstanding, and until the payment in full by the Community Redevelopment Agency of its indebtedness to the City for the CRA Obligations, to take all lawful action necessary or required in order to ensure that each such Taxing Authority shall appropriate its proportionate share of the tax increment revenues as now or later required by law, and to make or cause to be made any deposits of tax increment revenues or other funds required by this Agreement.

G. The Community Redevelopment Agency does hereby authorize and consent to the exercise of full and complete control and custody of the Redevelopment Trust Fund, and any and all moneys therein, by the City for the purpose provided in the Ordinance and this Agreement, including payment of the CRA Obligations.

4. Severability. If any provision of this Agreement shall be held or deemed to be or shall, in fact, be illegal, inoperative or unenforceable in any context, the same shall not affect any other provision herein or render any other provision (or such provision in any other context) invalid, inoperative or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

5. Applicable Provisions of Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

6. Rules of Interpretation. Unless expressly indicated otherwise, references to sections or articles are to be construed as references to sections or articles of this instrument as originally executed. Use of the words "herein," "hereby," "hereunder," "hereof," "hereinbefore," "hereinafter" and other equivalent words refer to this Agreement and not solely to the particular portion in which any such word is used.

7. Captions. The captions and headings in this Agreement are for convenience only and in no way define, limit or describe the scope or intent of any provisions or sections of this Agreement.

8. City Council Members of the City Exempt from Personal Liability. No recourse under or upon any obligation, covenant or agreement of this Agreement the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, or the 2025 Notes or for any claim based thereon or otherwise in respect thereof, shall be had against any City Council members of the City, as such, of the City, past, present or future, either directly or through the City it being expressly understood (a) that no personal liability whatsoever shall attach to, or is or shall be incurred by, the City Council members of the City, as such, under or by reason of the obligations, covenants or agreements contained in this Agreement or implied therefrom, and (b) that any and all such personal liability, either at common law or in equity or by constitution or statute, of, and any and all such rights and claims against, every such City Council member of the City, as such, are waived and released as a condition of, and as a consideration for, the execution of this Agreement and the issuance of the 2025 Notes, on the part of the City.

9. Board Members of the Community Redevelopment Agency Exempt from Personal Liability. No recourse under or upon any obligation, covenant or agreement of this Agreement the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, or the 2025 Notes or for any claim based thereon or otherwise in respect thereof, shall be had against any board members of the Community Redevelopment Agency, as such, of the Community Redevelopment Agency, past, present or future, either directly or through the Community Redevelopment Agency it being expressly understood (a) that no personal liability whatsoever shall attach to, or is or shall be incurred by, the board members of the Community Redevelopment Agency, as such, under or by reason of the obligations, covenants or agreements contained in this Agreement or implied therefrom, and (b) that any and all such personal liability, either at common law or in equity or by constitution or statute, of, and any and all such rights and claims against, every such board member of the Community Redevelopment Agency, as such, are waived and released as a condition of, and as a consideration for, the execution of this Agreement.

10. Obligations Limited. By execution of this Agreement, the Community Redevelopment Agency hereby consents to all the provisions hereof. The obligation to pay to the City the CRA Obligations shall not be deemed to constitute a debt of the Community Redevelopment Agency or a pledge of the faith and credit of the Community Redevelopment Agency, but subject to Section 3.F. hereof, such CRA Obligations shall be payable from and secured solely by the tax increment revenues to be received by the Community Redevelopment Agency pursuant to the Redevelopment Act. The Community Redevelopment Agency has no taxing power.

11. Eligibility to Receive Tax Increment Revenues. The Community Redevelopment Agency shall comply with all applicable requirements set forth in the Redevelopment Act which are necessary in order for it to receive tax increment revenues and shall take all lawful action necessary or required to continue to receive such tax increment revenues so long as the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes are outstanding and shall not allow an impairment of its receipt of the tax increment revenues to the detriment of the City or the owner or owners of the 2016 Note, the CRA Portion of the 2020 Notes, and the 2025 Notes.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed and their signatures to be affixed hereto.

Date: May 9, 2025

CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY, FLORIDA

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Alfred C. Davis  
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
CORRECTNESS:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judy Meyers, MMC  
City Clerk

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Timothy P. Driscoll  
City Attorney

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THE CITY OF NEW PORT RICHEY,  
FLORIDA COMMUNITY  
REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Alfred C. Davis  
Chairman

ATTEST:

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Judy Meyers, MMC  
City Clerk - Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
CORRECTNESS:

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Timothy P. Driscoll  
General Counsel