CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

JANUARY 25, 2016 8:30 AM*

*Immediately following the Successor Agency to the Industry Urban-Development Agency Meeting



Mayor Mark Radecki Mayor Pro Tem Cory Moss Council Member Abraham Cruz Council Member Roy Haber, III Council Member Newell Ruggles

Location: City Council Chamber, 15651 East Stafford Street, City of Industry, California 91744

Addressing the City Council:

- Agenda Items: Members of the public may address the City Council on any matter listed on the Agenda. In order to conduct a timely meeting, there will be a three-minute time limit per person for any matter listed on the Agenda. Anyone wishing to speak to the City Council is asked to complete a Speaker's Card which can be found at the back of the room and at the podium. The completed card should be submitted to the City Clerk prior to the Agenda item being called and prior to the individual being heard by the City Council.
- Public Comments (Agenda Items Only): During public comments, if you wish to address the City Council during this Special Meeting, under Government Code Section 54954.3(a), you may only address the City Council concerning any item that has been described in the notice for the Special Meeting.

Americans with Disabilities Act:

In compliance with the ADA, if you need special assistance to participate in any City meeting (including assisted listening devices), please contact the City Clerk's Office (626) 333-2211. Notification of at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will assist staff in assuring that reasonable arrangements can be made to provide accessibility to the meeting.

Agendas and other writings:

- In compliance with SB 343, staff reports and other public records permissible for disclosure related to open session agenda items are available at City Hall, 15625 East Stafford Street, Suite 100, City of Industry, California, at the office of the City Clerk during regular business hours, Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Any person with a question concerning any agenda item may call the City Clerk's Office at (626) 333-2211.
- Call to Order
- Flag Salute
- 3. Roll Call
- 4. Public Comments

5. **ACTION ITEMS**

5.1 Consideration of Resolution No. CC 2016-05 - A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDUSTRY AFFIRMING ITS APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE INDUSTRY URBAN-DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND THE CITY FOR 150 HACIENDA BOULEVARD, CITY OF INDUSTRY AND MAKING THE REQUISITE CEQA FINDINGS

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Resolution No. CC 2016-05.

5.2 Consideration of Resolution No. CC 2016-06 - A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDUSTRY AFFIRMING ITS APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE INDUSTRY URBAN-DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND THE CITY FOR 220 HACIENDA BOULEVARD, CITY OF INDUSTRY AND MAKING THE REQUISITE CEQA FINDINGS

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Resolution No. CC 2016-06.

5.3 Consideration of Resolution No. CC 2016-07 - A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDUSTRY AFFIRMING ITS APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE INDUSTRY URBAN-DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND THE CITY FOR 242 HACIENDA BOULEVARD, CITY OF INDUSTRY AND MAKING THE REQUISITE CEQA FINDINGS

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt Resolution No. CC 2016-07.

6. Adjournment. Next regular meeting: Thursday, January 28, 2016 at 9:00 a.m.

CITY COUNCIL

ITEM NO. 5.1



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

James M. Casso, City Attorney

DATE:

January 20, 2016

SUBJECT:

Consideration of Resolution Affirming Approval of the Purchase & Sale Agreement

for 150 Hacienda Blvd., City of Industry and making CEQA Findings

BACKGROUND: As you recall, on November 17, 2015, the City Council ("City") and Successor Agency to the Industry Urban-Development Agency (Agency") unanimously adopted a Purchase & Sale Agreement for 150 Hacienda Boulevard. The City will pay to the Agency \$5,100,000.00.

Due to a computer glitch, the requisite findings pursuant to CEQA were not presented as a part of the Council and Agency's November 17 actions. The attached Resolution sets forth those findings and brings the purchase/sale, which awaits Oversight Board and Department of Finance approval, in compliance with California law.

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: The Agency has owned 150 Hacienda Boulevard for a number of years. The City wishes to acquire the property to add to and enhance the City Hall campus.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends that the City Council approve the Resolution.

Attachment

RESOLUTION NO. CC 2016-05

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDUSTRY AFFIRMING ITS APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE INDUSTRY URBAN-DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND THE CITY FOR 150 HACIENDA BOULEVARD, CITY OF INDUSTRY AND MAKING THE REQUISITE CEQA FINDINGS

- **WHEREAS,** on December 29, 2011, the California Supreme Court delivered its decision in *California Redevelopment Association v. Matosantos* ("*Matosantos*"), finding Assembly Bill X1 26 (the "Dissolution Act") largely constitutional; and
- **WHEREAS,** under the Dissolution Act and the California Supreme Court's decision in *Matosantos*, all California redevelopment agencies, including the Industry Urban-Development Agency of the City of Industry ("Agency"), were dissolved on February 1, 2012, and successor agencies, including the Agency, were designated and vested with the responsibility of winding down the business and fiscal affairs of the former redevelopment agencies; and
- **WHEREAS,** on September 22, 2011, the City Council of the City of Industry (the "City") adopted Resolution No. 2011-20 accepting for the City the role of Successor Agency, in accordance with the provisions of Health & Safety Code Section 34177(j); and
- **WHEREAS,** under the provisions of Health & Safety Code Section 34191.4, once the Department of Finance ("Department") issues a finding of completion, successor agencies are provided with additional authority to carry out the wind down process; and
- **WHEREAS,** in accordance with Health & Safety Code Section 34191.5, after the issuance of a finding of completion, successor agencies are required to prepare a Long Range Property Management Plan ("LRPMP"), which must identify all Agency-owned real property, and address the disposition and use of the real properties; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Agency received its Finding of Completion from the Department on April 26, 2013; and
- **WHEREAS,** the LRPMP was submitted to the Department, and was approved by the Department on February 21, 2014; and
- **WHEREAS,** upon approval of the LRPMP by the Department, all Agency property was transferred to the Agency's Community Redevelopment Property Trust Fund; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Agency owns certain property located at 150 Hacienda Boulevard. City of Industry, California; and
- **WHEREAS,** pursuant to the provisions of the LRPMP, the Agency desires to sell the Property at its highest and best use, maximizing its value, in furtherance of the economic goals and as provided for in the City's General Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to sell the Property to the City, via a Purchase and Sale Agreement (the "Agreement"), previously approved by both agencies on November 17, 2015. The purchase price is \$5,100,000.00, which represents an amount equal to or greater than the current fair market value of the Property, as determined by an appraisal performed by R.P Laurain & Associates, Inc., John P. Laurain, ASA; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of the Property is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines. Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines exempts projects covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA. The sale of the property does not involve any land use entitlements that will allow for development on the property. The sale would not create any public health or safety hazards and would not have a significant impact on the resources or services within the surrounding area, such as water, sanitary services, surrounding roadways and intersections. Any future development at the property will be subject to additional environmental review and independent analysis as required by CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered all terms and conditions of the proposed Agreement and believes that the redevelopment of the Property in accordance therewith is in the best interests of the City and the health, safety and welfare of its residents, maximizes value, is consistent with the provisions of the LRPMP, and is consistent with the public purposes and provisions of applicable state and local laws and requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. All necessary public hearings and opportunities for public testimony and comment have been conducted in compliance with State law and the Municipal Code of the City of Industry.

SECTION 3. The purchase of the Property is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") (Public Resources Code Section 21000 *et seq.*), pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines. Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines exempts projects covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA. The sale of the property does not involve any land use entitlements that will allow for development on the property. The sale would not create any public health or safety hazards and would not have a significant impact on the resources or services within the surrounding area, such as water, sanitary services, surrounding roadways and intersections. Any future development at the property will be subject to additional environmental review and independent analysis as required by CEQA.

Based on these findings, the City Council adopts the Notice of Exemption and direct staff to file same as required by law, and affirm their respective approval of the purchase and sale of the Property.

SECTION 4. The City Council hereby directs staff to comply with all applicable statutes regarding the distribution of the sales proceeds to the Los Angeles County Auditor-Controller for distribution to the taxing entities.

SECTION 5. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take such further actions as may be necessary to carry out the obligations set forth in this Resolution.

SECTION 6. The provisions of this Resolution are severable and if any provision, clause, sentence, word or part thereof is held illegal, invalid, unconstitutional, or inapplicable to any person or circumstances, such illegality, invalidity, unconstitutionality, or inapplicability shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, clauses, sentences, sections, words or parts thereof of the Resolution or their applicability to other persons or circumstances.

SECTION 7. Certification. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the respective book of original resolutions.

SECTION 8. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

COUNCILMEMBERS

AYES:

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 25th day of January 2016, by the following vote:

NOES:	COUNCILMEMBERS		
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEMBERS		
ABSTAIN:	COUNCILMEMBERS		
ATTEST:		Mark D. Radecki, Mayor	
ATTEST:			
Cecelia Dunla	p, Deputy City Clerk		

CITY COUNCIL

ITEM NO. 5.2



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

James M. Casso, City Attorney

DATE:

January 20, 2016

SUBJECT:

Consideration of Resolution Affirming Approval of the Purchase & Sale Agreement

for 220 Hacienda Blvd., City of Industry and making CEQA Findings

BACKGROUND: As you recall, on November 17, 2015, the City Council ("City") and Successor Agency to the Industry Urban-Development Agency (Agency") unanimously adopted a Purchase & Sale Agreement for 220 Hacienda Boulevard. The City will pay to the Agency \$1,850,000.00.

Due to a computer glitch, the requisite findings pursuant to CEQA were not presented as a part of the Council and Agency's November 17 actions. The attached Resolution sets forth those findings and brings the purchase/sale, which awaits Oversight Board and Department of Finance approval, in compliance with California law.

DISCUSSION: The Agency has owned 220 Hacienda Boulevard for a number of years. The City wishes to acquire the property to add to and enhance the City Hall campus.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends that the City Council approve the Resolution.

Attachment

RESOLUTION NO. CC 2016-06

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDUSTRY AFFIRMING ITS APPROVAL OF THE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUCCESSOR AGENCY TO THE INDUSTRY URBAN-DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND THE CITY FOR 220 HACIENDA BOULEVARD, CITY OF INDUSTRY AND MAKING THE REQUISITE CEQA FINDINGS

- **WHEREAS,** on December 29, 2011, the California Supreme Court delivered its decision in *California Redevelopment Association v. Matosantos* ("*Matosantos*"), finding Assembly Bill X1 26 (the "Dissolution Act") largely constitutional; and
- **WHEREAS,** under the Dissolution Act and the California Supreme Court's decision in *Matosantos*, all California redevelopment agencies, including the Industry Urban-Development Agency of the City of Industry ("Agency"), were dissolved on February 1, 2012, and successor agencies, including the Agency, were designated and vested with the responsibility of winding down the business and fiscal affairs of the former redevelopment agencies; and
- **WHEREAS,** on September 22, 2011, the City Council of the City of Industry (the "City") adopted Resolution No. 2011-20 accepting for the City the role of Successor Agency, in accordance with the provisions of Health & Safety Code Section 34177(j); and
- **WHEREAS,** under the provisions of Health & Safety Code Section 34191.4, once the Department of Finance ("Department") issues a finding of completion, successor agencies are provided with additional authority to carry out the wind down process; and
- **WHEREAS,** in accordance with Health & Safety Code Section 34191.5, after the issuance of a finding of completion, successor agencies are required to prepare a Long Range Property Management Plan ("LRPMP"), which must identify all Agency-owned real property, and address the disposition and use of the real properties; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Agency received its Finding of Completion from the Department on April 26, 2013; and
- **WHEREAS,** the LRPMP was submitted to the Department, and was approved by the Department on February 21, 2014; and
- **WHEREAS,** upon approval of the LRPMP by the Department, all Agency property was transferred to the Agency's Community Redevelopment Property Trust Fund; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Agency owns certain property located at 220 Hacienda Boulevard. City of Industry, California; and
- **WHEREAS,** pursuant to the provisions of the LRPMP, the Agency desires to sell the Property at its highest and best use, maximizing its value, in furtherance of the economic goals and as provided for in the City's General Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to sell the Property to the City, via a Purchase and Sale Agreement (the "Agreement"), previously approved by both agencies on November 17, 2015. The purchase price is \$1,850,000.00, which represents an amount equal to or greater than the current fair market value of the Property, as determined by an appraisal performed by R.P Laurain & Associates, Inc., John P. Laurain, ASA; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of the Property is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines. Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines exempts projects covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA. The sale of the property does not involve any land use entitlements that will allow for development on the property. The sale would not create any public health or safety hazards and would not have a significant impact on the resources or services within the surrounding area, such as water, sanitary services, surrounding roadways and intersections. Any future development at the property will be subject to additional environmental review and independent analysis as required by CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered all terms and conditions of the proposed Agreement and believes that the redevelopment of the Property in accordance therewith is in the best interests of the City and the health, safety and welfare of its residents, maximizes value, is consistent with the provisions of the LRPMP, and is consistent with the public purposes and provisions of applicable state and local laws and requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

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SECTION 2. All necessary public hearings and opportunities for public testimony and comment have been conducted in compliance with State law and the Municipal Code of the City of Industry.

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Based on these findings, the City Council adopts the Notice of Exemption and direct staff to file same as required by law, and affirm their respective approval of the purchase and sale of the Property.

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ATTEST:		Mark D. Radecki, Mayor	
ATTEST:			
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CITY COUNCIL

ITEM NO. 5.3



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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

James M. Casso, City Attorney

DATE:

January 20, 2016

SUBJECT:

Consideration of Resolution Affirming Approval of the Purchase & Sale Agreement

for 242 Hacienda Blvd., City of Industry and making CEQA Findings

BACKGROUND: As you recall, on November 17, 2015, the City Council ("City") and Successor Agency to the Industry Urban-Development Agency (Agency") unanimously adopted a Purchase & Sale Agreement for 242 Hacienda Boulevard. The City will pay to the Agency \$3,600,000.00.

Due to a computer glitch, the requisite findings pursuant to CEQA were not presented as a part of the Council and Agency's November 17 actions. The attached Resolution sets forth those findings and brings the purchase/sale, which awaits Oversight Board and Department of Finance approval, in compliance with California law.

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: The Agency has owned 242 Hacienda Boulevard for a number of years. The City wishes to acquire the property to add to and enhance the City Hall campus.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends that the City Council approve the Resolution.

Attachment

RESOLUTION NO. CC 2016-07

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Cecelia Dunla	p, Deputy City Clerk	
ATTEST:		Mark D. Radecki, Mayor
ABSTAIN:	COUNCILMEMBERS	
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEMBERS	
NOES:	COUNCILMEMBERS	
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