# NEW JE EY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORIT

150 West State Street Trenton, New Jersey 08625 March 16, 2011 Via Conference Call 10:00 AM

## **MINUTES**

### **ATTENDANCE**

### Ex-Officio Members

Commissioner Lori Grifa, Chairperson, Department of Community Affairs
Susan Fischer, representing Paula T. Dow, Attorney General
Anthony Longo, representing Andrew P. Sidamon-Eristoff, State Treasurer
Anthony Findley, representing Bob Martin, Commissioner, Department of Environmental
Protection
James Ballentine, representing Christopher D. Cerf, Acting Commissioner, Department of
Education
April Aaronson, representing Jennifer Velez, Commissioner, Department of Human Services
Ana Montero, representing Harold J. Wirths, Commissioner, Department of Labor
James Lewis, representing James S. Simpson, Commissioner, Department of Transportation
Caren Franzini, Chief Executive Officer, Economic Development Authority

### • Public Members

Harold Nafash Raymond J. McDonough, Mayor of Harrison Town Cosmo Iacavazzi, Director of Business Development/Community Relations, Roma Bank Barry Vankat, Senior Vice President, Wells Fargo

#### Staff

Leslie A. Anderson, Executive Director
Antonio Henson, Director of Business Development
Roy Southerland, Jr., Loan Officer
Tammori Petty, Manager of Marketing, Communication & Tech.
Tiffany Mayers, Marketing & Communication Specialist
Marge Creely, Administrative Analyst
Enid L. Taylor, Executive Assistant

### Also Attending

Sudi Solomon, Deputy Attorney General Brandon Minde, Governor's Authorities Unit John V. Cavaliere, Esq., McManimon & Scotland, LLC

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Leslie A. Anderson called the meeting to order at 10:10 AM on behalf of Chairman Grifa who was suffering from laryngitis.

In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Enid Taylor announced that notice of this meeting had been sent to the Trenton Times, Star Ledger, and Asbury Park Press at least 48 hours prior to the meeting and that a meeting notice had been duly posted on the Secretary of State's bulletin board at the State House.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

January 19, 2011 & February 16, 2011

Motion to Approve: Mayor McDonough

Second: Anthony Findley

Yeas: 12

Nays: 0

Abstentions: 0

### **NEW BUSINESS**

PROJECT FINANCING

#### **RESOLUTION #11-03**

Approval of a Resolution:

Authorizing the Amendment and Restatement of Mortgage Revenue Bonds in an Aggregate Principal Amount not to exceed \$8,200,000 of the NJRA and Authorizing and Approving the Execution and Delivery of a Supplemental Loan Agreement, Supplemental Trust Indenture and Related Instruments and Determining Other Matters in Connection Therewith

Motion to Approve: James Ballentine

Second: Anthony Findley

Yeas: 12

Nays: 0

Abstentions: 0

Ana Montero joined the conference call and Barry Vankat excused himself from the call.

Caren Franzini thanked both the NJRA and Treasury for their participation in the project. The cooperation between state departments and agencies will result in a quality facility for children in urban communities to learn.

## **RESOLUTION #11-04**

Approval of a Resolution:

Approval of a Resolution Concerning Certain Matters

Regarding Puerto Rican Action Board

Motion to Approve: Anthony Findley

Second: April Aaronson

Yeas: 12

Nays: 0

Abstentions: 0

Leslie Anderson informed the Board that NJRA and NJEDA will review updated financials from Puerto Rican Action Board prior to finalizing the extension agreements.

### **RESOLUTION #11-05**

Approval of a Resolution:

Approval of the 2011 Administrative Budget

Motion to Approve: Mayor McDonough

Second: Harold Nafash

Yeas: 12

Nays: 0

Abstentions: 0

Leslie Anderson confirmed with the Board that the NJRA staff has not received raises since 2007 and will not be receiving raises in 2011.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn: Harold Nafash

The meeting was adjourned at 10:25 am.

Certification:

The foregoing and attachments represent a true and complete summary of the actions taken by the New

Jersey Redevelopment Authority at its March 16, 2011

(meeting.)

Leslie A. Anderson, Secretary

New Jersey Redevelopment Authority