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WHEREAS, the Housing Authority of the County of King (the "Authority") seeks to encourage the provision of long-term housing for low-income persons residing within King County, Washington; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.82.070(2) provides that a housing authority may "prepare, carry out, acquire, lease and operate housing projects" and "provide for the construction . . . of any housing project"; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.82.070(5) further provides that a housing authority may, among other things and if certain conditions are met, "lease or rent any dwellings . . . buildings, structures or facilities embraced in any housing project"; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.82.020 defines "housing project" to include, among other things, "any work or undertaking . . . to provide decent, safe and sanitary urban or rural dwellings, apartments, mobile home parks or other living accommodations for persons of low income"; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.82.070(18) provides that a housing authority may, among other things and if certain conditions are met, "make . . . loans for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, improvement, leasing or refinancing of land, buildings, or developments for housing for persons of low income"; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.82.020(11) and 35.82.130 together provide that a housing authority may issue bonds, notes or other obligations for any of its corporate purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Authority intends to form a Washington limited liability company (the "Borrower") of which the Authority will be the managing member to finance the construction of 91 units of housing constituting the Eastbridge phase of the Greenbridge Redevelopment project to be owned by the Authority and leased to the Borrower, located on two sites, one at 4th Ave SW between SW 99th Place and SW 100th St and the other off 6th Ave SW between Roxbury and SW 99th Place, each in unincorporated King County, Washington, to provide housing for low-income persons (the "Project"), the estimated cost of which is not expected to exceed \$25,825,000; and

WHEREAS, the Authority anticipates that the Borrower will request that the Authority issue and sell its revenue bonds for the purpose of assisting the Borrower in financing the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Authority desires to provide such assistance, if certain conditions are met; and

WHEREAS, Treasury Regulations Section 1.103-8(a)(5) requires that, in order for expenditures for an exempt facility that are made before the issue date of bonds issued to provide financing for that facility to qualify for tax-exempt financing, the issuer must declare an official intent under Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2 to reimburse any such expenditures from the proceeds of those bonds, and one of the purposes of this resolution is to satisfy the requirements of such regulations; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING, as follows:

Section 1. To assist in the financing of the Project, with the public benefits resulting therefrom, the Authority declares its intention, subject to the conditions and terms set forth herein, to issue and sell its revenue bonds or other obligations (the "Bonds") in a principal amount of not to exceed \$8,500,000, to use the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds to make a loan to the Borrower, and to permit the Borrower to reimburse itself from such proceeds for expenditures for the Project made by the Borrower before the issue date of the Bonds.

Section 2. The proceeds of the Bonds will be used to assist in financing the Project, and may also be used to pay all or part of the costs incident to the authorization, sale, issuance and delivery of the Bonds.

Section 3. The Bonds will be payable from the revenues derived as a result of the Project financed by the Bonds, including, without limitation, amounts received under the terms of any financing document or by reason of any additional security furnished by or on behalf of the Borrower in connection with the financing of the Project, as specified by resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Authority. The Bonds may be issued in one or more series, and shall bear such rate or rates of interest, payable at such times, shall mature at such time or times, in such amount or amounts, shall have such security, and shall contain such other terms, conditions and covenants as shall later be provided by resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Authority.

Section 4. The Bonds shall be issued subject to the conditions that (a) the Authority, the purchaser of the Bonds and, if applicable, the Borrower shall have first agreed to mutually acceptable terms for the Bonds and the sale and delivery thereof and mutually acceptable terms and conditions of the loan or other agreement for the Project, and (b) all governmental approvals and certifications and findings required by laws applicable to the Bonds first shall have been obtained. The Executive Director of the Authority or his or her designee is authorized to seek an allocation of

volume cap for the Bonds from the Washington State Department of Community, Trade and Economic Development.

Section 5. For purposes of applicable Treasury Regulations, the Borrower is authorized to commence financing of the Project and advance such funds as may be necessary therefor, subject to reimbursement for all expenditures to the extent provided herein out of proceeds, if any, of the issue of Bonds authorized herein. However, the adoption of this resolution does not constitute a guarantee that the Bonds will be issued or that the Project will be financed as described herein, or an endorsement of the Project by the Authority. The Board of Commissioners of the Authority shall have the absolute right to rescind this resolution at any time if it determines in its sole judgment that the risks associated with the issuance of the Bonds are unacceptable.

Section 6. It is intended that this resolution shall constitute a declaration of official intent to reimburse expenditures for the Project made before the issue date of the Bonds from proceeds of the Bonds, for the purposes of Treasury Regulations Sections 1.103-8(a)(5) and 1.150-2.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Housing Authority of the County of King at an open public meeting this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2008.

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By: Nancy Holland-Young, Chair Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Stephen J. Norman, Secretary-Treasurer and Executive Director

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#### **CERTIFICATE**

I, the undersigned, the duly chosen, qualified and acting Secretary-Treasurer and Executive Director of the Housing Authority of the County of King (the "Authority") and keeper of the records of the Authority, CERTIFY:

- 1. That the attached Resolution No. 5145 (the "Resolution") is a true and correct copy of the resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Authority, as adopted at a meeting of the Authority held on January 14, 2008, and duly recorded in the minute books of the Authority.
- 2. That such meeting was duly convened and held in all respects in accordance with law, and, to the extent required by law, due and proper notice of such meeting was given; that a quorum was present throughout the meeting and a majority of the members of the Board of Commissioners of the Authority present at the meeting voted in the proper manner for the adoption of the Resolution; that all other requirements and proceedings incident to the proper adoption of the Resolution have been duly fulfilled, carried out and otherwise observed, and that I am authorized to execute this Certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of January, 2008.

Stephen J. Norman, Secretary-Treasurer and Executive Director of the Authority

