#### **§** WATSONVILLE PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY LEASE REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025

#### **BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2025

Watsonville Public Finance Authority 250 Main St. Watsonville, CA 95076

City of Watsonville 250 Main St. Watsonville, CA 95076

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned Samuel A. Ramirez & Co., Inc. (the "Underwriter"), acting not as a fiduciary or agent for you, but on behalf of itself, offers to enter into this Bond Purchase Agreement (which, together with Exhibit A, is referred to as this "Purchase Agreement") with the Watsonville Public Finance Authority (the "Authority") and the City of Watsonville (the "City"), which, upon the acceptance by the Authority and the City, will be binding upon the parties hereto. By execution of this Purchase Agreement, the Authority, the City and the Underwriter acknowledge the terms hereof and recognize that they will be bound by certain of the provisions hereof, and to the extent binding thereupon, acknowledge and agree to such terms. This offer is made subject to acceptance by the Authority and by the City by the execution of this Purchase Agreement and delivery of the same to the Underwriter prior to 11:59 P.M., Pacific time, on the date hereof, and, if not so accepted, will be subject to withdrawal by the Underwriter upon notice delivered to the Authority and the City at any time prior to the acceptance hereof by the Authority and the City. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings set forth in the Indenture (defined herein).

The City and Authority acknowledge and agree that: (i) the purchase and sale of the Bonds (defined herein), pursuant to this Purchase Agreement is an arm's-length commercial transaction between the City and the Authority, on one hand, and the Underwriter, on the other; (ii) in connection therewith and with the discussions, undertakings and procedures leading up to the consummation of such transaction, the Underwriter is and has been acting solely as principal and is not acting as a Municipal Advisor (as defined in Section 15B of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended); (iii) the Underwriter has not assumed an advisory or fiduciary responsibility in favor of the City or the Authority with respect to the offering contemplated hereby or the discussions, undertakings and procedures leading thereto (irrespective of whether the Underwriter has provided other services or is currently providing other services to the City or the Authority on other matters); (iv) the Underwriter has financial and other interests that differ from those of the City and the Authority; and (v) the City and the Authority have consulted their own legal, financial and other advisors to the extent they have deemed appropriate.

Section 1. Purchase and Sale. Upon the terms and conditions and upon the basis of the representations, warranties and agreements herein set forth, the Underwriter hereby agrees to purchase from the Authority, and the Authority hereby agrees to issue, sell and deliver to the Underwriter all (but not less than all) of the Watsonville Public Finance Authority Lease Revenue Bonds, Series 2025 (the "Bonds"). The Bonds will be dated as of their date of delivery. Interest on the Bonds shall be payable semiannually in each year on May 1 and November 1, commencing November 1, 2025 (each an "Interest Payment Date"), and will bear interest at the rates and on the dates as set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto.

The purchase price for the Bonds shall be \$\_\_\_\_\_ (which represents the principal amount of the Bonds, plus a net original issue premium in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, less an Underwriter's discount of \$\_\_\_\_\_) (the "Purchase Price").

The Underwriter agrees to make a *bona fide* public offering of the Bonds at the initial offering yields set forth in the Official Statement (defined herein); however, the Underwriter reserves the right to make concessions to dealers and to change such initial offering yields as the Underwriter shall deem necessary in connection with the marketing of the Bonds. The Underwriter agrees that, in connection with the public offering and initial delivery of the Bonds to the purchasers thereof from the Underwriter, the Underwriter will deliver or cause to be delivered to each purchaser a copy of the final Official Statement prepared in connection with the Bonds, for the time period required under Rule 15c2-12 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Rule 15c2-12"). Terms defined in the Official Statement are used herein as so defined.

**Section 2.** The Bonds. The Bonds shall be secured by revenues consisting primarily of base rental payments (the "Base Rental Payments") to be paid by the City pursuant to the Lease Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2025 (the Lease Agreement"), by and between the Authority and the City. The Authority's right to receive the Base Rental Payments due under the Lease Agreement and to exercise remedies upon default under such Lease Agreement shall be assigned to U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee") for the benefit of the owners of the Bonds pursuant to an Assignment Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2025 (the "Assignment Agreement"), by and between the Authority and the Trustee. The Bonds shall be as described in and secured under and pursuant to an Indenture, dated as of June 1, 2025 (the "Indenture"), by and among the Authority, the City, and the Trustee. The Bonds will be subject to redemption as set forth in the Indenture and Official Statement herein described.

The Bonds are being issued to provide funds to: (i) finance a portion of the costs of the design, acquisition, construction and installation of certain public capital improvements to be located at [\_\_\_\_\_], and related infrastructure improvements; and (ii) pay the costs incurred in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 3. Public Offering. The Underwriter agrees to make an initial public offering of all the Bonds at the public offering prices (or yields) set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Subsequent to the initial public offering, the Underwriter reserves the right to change the public offering prices (or yields) as it deems necessary in connection with the marketing of the Bonds, provided that the Underwriter shall not change the interest rates set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto. The Bonds may be offered and sold to certain dealers at prices lower than such initial public offering prices.

#### Section 4. Establishment of Issue Price of the Bonds.

(a) The Underwriter agrees to assist the Authority in establishing the issue price of the Bonds and shall execute and deliver to the Authority at Closing an "issue price" or similar certificate, together with the supporting pricing wires or equivalent communications, substantially in the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit B</u>, with such modifications as may be appropriate or necessary, in the reasonable judgment of the Underwriter, the Authority and Bond Counsel, to accurately reflect, as applicable, the sales price or prices or the initial offering price or prices to the public of the Bonds.

(b) Except as otherwise set forth in Exhibit B, the Authority will treat the first price at which 10% of each maturity of the Bonds (the "10% test") is sold to the public as the issue price of that maturity. At or promptly after the execution of this Purchase Agreement, the Underwriter shall report to the Authority the price or prices at which it has sold to the public each maturity of Bonds. If at that time the 10% test has not been satisfied as to any maturity of the Bonds, the Underwriter agrees to promptly report to the Authority the prices at which it sells the unsold Bonds of that maturity to the public. That reporting obligation shall continue, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either (i) the Underwriter has sold all Bonds of that maturity or (ii) the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the Underwriter's reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic intervals or otherwise upon request of the Authority or Bond Counsel. For purposes of this Section, if Bonds mature on the same date but have different interest rates, each separate CUSIP number within that maturity will be treated as a separate maturity of the Bonds.

(c) The Underwriter confirms that it has offered the Bonds to the public on or before the date of this Purchase Agreement at the offering price or prices (the "initial offering price"), or at the corresponding yield or yields, set forth in <u>Exhibit A</u>, except as otherwise set forth therein. <u>Exhibit A</u> also sets forth, as of the date of this Purchase Agreement, the maturities, if any, of the Bonds for which the 10% test has not been satisfied and for which the Authority and the Underwriter agree that the restrictions set forth in the next sentence shall apply, which will allow the Authority to treat the initial offering price to the public of each such maturity as of the sale date as the issue price of that maturity (the "hold-the-offering-price rule").

So long as the hold-the-offering-price rule remains applicable to any maturity of the Bonds, the Underwriter will neither offer nor sell unsold Bonds of that maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the initial offering price to the public during the period starting on the sale date and ending on the earlier of the following: (i) the close of the 5th business day after the sale date; or (ii) the date on which the Underwriter has sold at least 10% of that maturity of the Bonds to the public at a price that is no higher than the initial offering price to the public.

The Underwriter will advise the Authority promptly after the close of the 5th business day after the sale date whether it has sold 10% of that maturity of the Bonds to the public at a price that is no higher than the initial offering price to the public.

(d) The Underwriter confirms that:

(i) any selling group agreement and any third-party distribution agreement relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each dealer who is a member of the selling group and each broker-dealer that is a party to such third-party distribution agreement, as applicable:

(A)(i) to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allocated to it, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either all Bonds of that maturity allocated to it have been sold or it is notified by the Underwriter that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic intervals or otherwise upon request of the Underwriter, and (ii) to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, if and for so long as directed by the Underwriter,

(B) to promptly notify the Underwriter of any sales of Bonds that, to its knowledge, are made to a purchaser who is a related party to an underwriter participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (each such term being used as defined below), and

(C) to acknowledge that, unless otherwise advised by the dealer or brokerdealer, the Underwriter shall assume that each order submitted by the dealer or broker-dealer is a sale to the public.

(ii) any selling group agreement relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each dealer that is a party to a third-party distribution agreement to be employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public to require each broker-dealer that is a party to such third-party distribution agreement to (A) report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allocated to it, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until either all Bonds of that maturity allocated to it have been sold or it is notified by the Underwriter or the dealer that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity, provided that, the reporting obligation after the Closing Date may be at reasonable periodic intervals or otherwise upon request of the Underwriter or the dealer, and (B) comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, if and for so long as directed by the Underwriter or the dealer and as set forth in the related pricing wires.

(e) The Authority acknowledges that, in making the representations set forth in this section, the Underwriter will rely on (i) in the event a selling group has been created in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, the agreement of each dealer who is a member of the selling group to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in a selling group agreement and the related pricing wires, and (ii) in the event that a third-party distribution agreement was employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, the agreement of each broker-dealer that is a party to such agreement to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, as set forth in a selling issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable to the Bonds, as set forth in the third-party distribution agreement and the related pricing wires. The Authority further

acknowledges that the Underwriter shall not be liable for the failure of any dealer who is a member of a selling group, or of any broker-dealer that is a party to a third-party distribution agreement, to comply with its corresponding agreement to comply with the requirements for establishing issue price of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, its agreement to comply with the hold-the-offeringprice rule, if applicable to the Bonds.

(f) The Underwriter acknowledges that sales of any Bonds to any person that is a related party to an underwriter participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (each such term being used as defined below) shall not constitute sales to the public for purposes of this section. Further, for purposes of this section:

(i) "public" means any person other than an underwriter or a related party,

(ii) "underwriter" means (A) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Authority (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public and (B) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (A) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a third-party distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public),

(iii) a purchaser of any of the Bonds is a "related party" to an underwriter if the underwriter and the purchaser are subject, directly or indirectly, to (A) more than 50% common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (B) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profits interests, if both entities are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (C) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the other), and

(iv) "sale date" means the date of execution of this Purchase Agreement by all parties.

**Section 5.** The Official Statement. By their acceptance of this Purchase Agreement, the Authority and the City ratify, confirm and approve of the use and distribution by the Underwriter prior to the date hereof of the Preliminary Official Statement relating to the Bonds, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2025 (including the cover page, all appendices and all information incorporated therein and any supplements or amendments thereto and as disseminated in its printed physical form or in electronic form in all respects materially consistent with such physical form, the "Preliminary Official Statement") that authorized officers of the City deemed "final" as of its date, for purposes of Rule 15c2-12 except for certain omissions permitted to be omitted therefrom by Rule 15c2-12. The Authority and the City hereby agree to deliver or cause to be delivered to the Underwriter, within seven (7) business days of the date hereof, copies of the final official statement, dated the date hereof, relating to the Bonds (including all information previously permitted to have been omitted by Rule 15c2-12, the cover page, all appendices, all information incorporated therein and any amendments or supplements as have been approved by the Authority, the City and the Underwriter (the "Official Statement") in such quantity as the Underwriter shall reasonably request to comply

with Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12(b)(4) and the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB").

The Underwriter hereby agrees that it will not request that payment be made by any purchaser of the Bonds prior to delivery by the Underwriter to the purchaser of a copy of the Official Statement. The Underwriter agrees to (i) provide the Authority and the City with final pricing information on the Bonds on a timely basis and (ii) promptly file a copy of the final Official Statement, including any supplements prepared by the Authority or the City with the MSRB on its Electronic Municipal Markets Access ("EMMA") system at *http://emma.msrb.org*. The Authority and the City hereby approve of the use and distribution by the Underwriter of the final Official Statement in connection with the offer and sale of the Bonds. The Authority and the City will cooperate with the Underwriter in the filing by the Underwriter of the Official Statement with EMMA.

**Section 6. Closing.** At 8:00 a.m., California time, on [Closing Date], or at such other time or date as the Authority, the City and the Underwriter agree upon, the Authority shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the Trustee, and the Trustee shall deliver or cause to be delivered through the facilities of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), the Bonds in definitive form, duly executed and authenticated. Concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds, the Authority and the City shall deliver the documents hereinafter mentioned at the offices of Anzel Galvan LLP, San Francisco, California or another place to be mutually agreed upon by the Authority, the City and the Underwriter. The Underwriter will accept such delivery and pay the purchase price of the Bonds as set forth in Section 1 hereof by wire transfer in immediately available funds. This payment for and delivery of the Bonds, together with the delivery of the aforementioned documents referenced herein, is called the "Closing."

The Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC in denominations of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) or any integral multiple thereof, and shall be made available to the Underwriter at least one (1) business day before the Closing for purposes of inspection and packaging. The Authority and the City acknowledge that the services of DTC will be used initially by the Underwriter to permit the issuance of the Bonds in book-entry form, and agree to cooperate fully with the Underwriter in employing such services.

Section 7. Representations, Warranties and Covenants of the Authority. The Authority represents, warrants and covenants to the Underwriter and the City that:

(a) The Authority is and will be at the date of Closing a joint exercise of powers authority organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, including Section 6500 et seq. of the California Government Code (the "JPA Act") with all necessary power and authority to enter into and perform its duties under the Ground Lease, dated as of June 1, 2025 (the "Ground Lease"), by and between the City and the Authority, the Lease Agreement, the Indenture, the Assignment Agreement and this Purchase Agreement. The Ground Lease, Lease Agreement, Indenture, Assignment Agreement and this Purchase Agreement are collectively referred to herein as the "Authority Documents".

(b) The Authority has complied with all filing requirements of the JPA Act.

(c) By official action of the Authority prior to or concurrently with the acceptance hereof, the Authority has duly approved the distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the distribution of the Official Statement (including in electronic form), and has duly

authorized and approved the execution and delivery of, and the performance by the Authority of the obligations on its part contained, in the Authority Documents. When executed and delivered, each Authority Document will constitute the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Authority enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws or equitable principles relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally.

(d) Prior to the date hereof, the Authority has provided to the Underwriter for its review the Preliminary Official Statement that an authorized officer of the Authority has deemed final for purposes of Rule 15c2-12, has approved the distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement and has duly authorized the execution and delivery of the Official Statement (including in electronic form). The Preliminary Official Statement, at the date thereof, did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein (other than the information relating to DTC and its bookentry system, as to which no view is expressed), in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. At the date hereof and on the Closing, the final Official Statement did not and will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein (other than the information relating to DTC and its bookentry system, as to which no view is expressed), in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. At the date hereof and on the Closing, the final Official Statement did not and will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein (other than the information relating to DTC and its book-entry system, as to which no view is expressed), in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

(e) To the knowledge of the undersigned officer of the Authority, the execution and delivery by the Authority of the Authority Documents and the approval and execution by the Authority of the Official Statement and compliance with the provisions on the Authority's part contained in the Authority Documents, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any law, administrative regulation, judgment, decree, loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or is otherwise subject to, which conflict, breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Authority to carry out its obligations under the Authority Documents, nor will any such execution, delivery, adoption or compliance result in the creation or imposition of any material lien, charge or other security interest or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of the properties or assets of the Authority under the terms of any such law, administrative regulation, judgment, decree, loan agreement, indenture, trust agreement, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument, except as provided by the Authority Documents.

(f) The Authority will advise the Underwriter promptly of any proposal to amend or supplement the Official Statement. The Authority will advise the Underwriter promptly of the institution of any proceedings known to it by any governmental agency prohibiting or otherwise affecting the use of the Official Statement in connection with the offering, sale or distribution of the Bonds.

(g) To the knowledge of the undersigned officer of the Authority, the Authority is not in breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative regulation of the State of California or the United States or any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, indenture, trust agreement, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or is otherwise subject, and no event has occurred and is continuing which, with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute a default or an event of default under any such instrument, in each case which breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Authority to perform its obligations under the Authority Documents.

As of the time of acceptance hereof and as of the date of Closing, no action, (h) suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, government agency, public board or body, is pending or, to the knowledge of the officers of the Authority, threatened (i) in any way questioning the corporate existence of the Authority or the titles of the officers of the Authority to their respective offices, (ii) affecting, contesting or seeking to prohibit, restrain or enjoin the execution or delivery of any of the Bonds, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Bonds or the Authority Documents or the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereby, or contesting the exclusion of the interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes or contesting the powers of the Authority to enter into the Authority Documents or (iii) contesting the completeness or accuracy of the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement or any supplement or amendment thereto or asserting that the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement contained any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and there is no basis for any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation of the nature described in clause (i) through (iii) of this sentence.

(i) Any certificate signed by any officer of the Authority authorized to execute such certificate in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds and delivered to the Underwriter shall be deemed a representation and warranty of the Authority to the Underwriter and the City as to the statements made therein but not of the person signing such certificate.

Section 8. Representations, Warranties and Covenants of the City. The City represents, warrants and covenants to the Underwriter and the Authority that:

(a) The City is and will be at the date of Closing a charter city and municipal corporation duly organized and existing pursuant to and under the Constitution and laws of the State of California and has all necessary power and authority to enter into and perform its duties under the Continuing Disclosure Certificate relating to the Bonds (the "Continuing Disclosure Certificate"), the Indenture, the Ground Lease, the Lease Agreement and this Purchase Agreement (together, the "City Documents" and, together with the Authority Documents, the "Legal Documents") and has by official action duly authorized and approved the execution and delivery of, and the performance by the City of the obligations on its part contained in the City Documents for the purpose of refinancing the Prior Certificates.

(b) By official action of the City prior to or concurrently with the acceptance hereof, the City has duly approved the distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the distribution of the Official Statement (including in electronic form), and has duly authorized and approved the execution and delivery of, and the performance by the City of the obligations on its part contained, in the City Documents. When executed and delivered, each City Document will constitute the legally valid and binding obligation of the City enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws or equitable principles relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally.

(c) The Preliminary Official Statement heretofore delivered to the Underwriter is hereby deemed final by the City as of its date and as of the date hereof, except for the omission of such information as is permitted to be omitted in accordance with paragraph (b)(i) of Rule 15c2-12. The Preliminary Official Statement, at the date thereof, did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein (other than the information relating to DTC and its book-entry system, as to which no view is expressed), in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. At the date hereof and on the Closing, the final Official Statement did not and will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein (other than the information relating to DTC and its book-entry system, as to which no view is expressed), in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

(d) To the knowledge of the undersigned officer of the City, the execution and delivery by the City of the City Documents and the approval by the City of the Official Statement and compliance with the provisions on the City's part contained in the City Documents, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any law, administrative regulation, judgment, decree, loan agreement, indenture, trust agreement, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the City is a party or is otherwise subject to, which conflict, breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the City to carry out its obligations under the City Documents, nor will any such execution, delivery, adoption or compliance result in the creation or imposition of any material lien, charge or other security interest or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of the properties or assets of the City under the terms of any such law, administrative regulation, judgment, decree, loan agreement, indenture, trust agreement, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument, except as provided by the City Documents.

(e) The City will advise the Underwriter promptly of any proposal to amend or supplement the Official Statement. The City will advise the Underwriter promptly of the institution of any proceedings known to it by any governmental Authority prohibiting or otherwise affecting the use of the Official Statement in connection with the offering, sale or distribution of the Bonds.

(f) To the knowledge of the undersigned officer of the City, after reasonable inquiry, the City is not in breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative regulation of the State of California or the United States or any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the City is a party or is otherwise subject, and no event has occurred and is continuing which, with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute a default or an event of default under any such instrument, in each case which breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the City to perform its obligations under the City Documents.

(g) The financial statements relating to the receipts, expenditures and cash balances of the City as of June 30, 2024 as set forth in the Official Statement fairly represent the revenues, expenditures and fund balances of the General Fund. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, the Official Statement or otherwise disclosed in writing to the Underwriter, there has not been any materially adverse change in the financial condition of the General Fund or in its operations since June 30, 2024 and, except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, the Official Statement or otherwise disclosed in writing to the Underwriter, there has been no occurrence, circumstance or combination thereof which is reasonably expected to result in any such materially adverse change.

(h) As of the time of acceptance hereof and as of the date of Closing, no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, government agency, public board or body, is pending or, to the knowledge of the officers of the City, threatened (i) in any way questioning the corporate existence of the City or the titles of the officers of the City to their respective offices; (ii) affecting, contesting or seeking to prohibit, restrain or enjoin the execution or delivery of any of the Bonds, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Bonds or the City Documents or the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereby, or contesting the exclusion of the interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes or contesting the power of the City to enter into the City Documents; (iii) which may result in any material adverse change to the financial condition of the City or to its ability to pay the Base Rental Payments when due; or (iv) contesting the completeness or accuracy of the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement or any supplement or amendment thereto or asserting that the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement contained any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and there is no basis for any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation of the nature described in clause (i) through (iv) of this sentence.

(i) To the extent required by law, the City will undertake, pursuant to the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, to provide annual reports and notices of certain events. A description of this undertaking is set forth as an appendix to the Preliminary Official Statement and will also be set forth in an appendix to the final Official Statement. Except as otherwise disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement, the City has never failed to comply in all material respects with any previous undertakings with regard to Rule 15c2-12 to provide annual reports or notices of enumerated events with respect to the last five years.

(j) Any certificate signed by any officer of the City authorized to execute such certificate in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds and delivered to the Underwriter shall be deemed a representation and warranty of the City to the Underwriter and the Authority as to the statements made therein but not of the person signing such certificate.

(k) As of the date hereof, the City does not have any material obligations secured by payments from the General Fund of the City, except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement.

Section 9. Conditions to the Obligations of the Underwriter. The Underwriter has entered into this Purchase Agreement in reliance upon the representations and warranties of the Authority and the City contained herein. The obligations of the Underwriter to accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds on the date of the Closing shall be subject, at the option of the Underwriter, to the accuracy in all material respects of the statements of the officers and other officials of the Authority and of the City, as well as authorized representatives of Bond Counsel, the Trustee, Disclosure Counsel and the municipal advisor made in any Bonds or other documents furnished pursuant to the provisions hereof; to the performance by the Authority and the City of their obligations to be performed hereunder at or prior to the date of the Closing; and to the following additional conditions:

(a) The representations, warranties and covenants of the City and the Authority contained herein shall be true, complete and correct at the date hereof and at the time of the Closing, as if made on the date of the Closing;

(b) At the time of Closing, the Legal Documents shall be in full force and effect as valid and binding agreements between or among the various parties thereto, and the Legal Documents and the Official Statement shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented except as may have been agreed to in writing by the Underwriter, and all such reasonable actions as, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, shall reasonably deem necessary in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby; (c) At the time of the Closing, no default shall have occurred or be existing under the Authority Documents, the City Documents, or any other agreement or document pursuant to which any of the City's financial obligations were executed and delivered, and the City shall not be in default in the payment of principal or interest with respect to any of its financial obligations, which default would adversely impact the ability of the City to make the Base Rental Payments;

(d) In recognition of the desire of the Authority, the City and the Underwriter to effect a successful public offering of the Bonds, and in view of the potential adverse impact of any of the following events on such a public offering, this Purchase Agreement shall be subject to termination in the absolute discretion of the Underwriter by notification, in writing, to the Authority and the City prior to delivery of and payment for the Bonds, if at any time prior to such time, regardless of whether any of the following statements of fact were in existence or known of on the date of this Purchase Agreement:

(i) any event shall occur which makes untrue any statement or results in an omission to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the Official Statement, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, which event, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter would materially or adversely affect the ability of the Underwriter to market the Bonds;

(ii) the marketability of the Bonds or the market price thereof, in the opinion of the Underwriter, has been materially adversely affected by an amendment to the Constitution of the United States or by any legislation in or by the Congress of the United States or by the State of California, or the amendment of legislation pending as of the date of this Purchase Agreement in the Congress of the United States, or the recommendation to Congress or endorsement for passage (by press release, other form of notice or otherwise) of legislation by the President of the United States, the Treasury Department of the United States, the Internal Revenue Service or the Chairman or ranking minority member of the Committee on Finance of the United States Senate or the Committee on Ways and Means of the United States House of Representatives, or the proposal for consideration of legislation by either such Committee or by any member thereof, or the presentment of legislation for consideration as an option by either such Committee, or by the staff of the Joint Committee on Taxation of the Congress of the United States, or the favorable reporting for passage of legislation to either House of the Congress of the United States by a Committee of such House to which such legislation has been referred for consideration, or any decision of any federal or state court or any ruling or regulation (final, temporary or proposed) or official statement on behalf of the United States Treasury Department, the Internal Revenue Service or other federal or State authority affecting the federal or State tax status of the Authority or the City, or the interest on or with respect to bonds or notes (including the Bonds);

(iii) any proceeding shall be pending or threatened by the Securities and Exchange Commission against the Authority or the City;

(iv) any legislation, ordinance, rule or regulation shall be introduced in, or be enacted by any governmental body, department or agency of the State of California, or a decision by any court of competent jurisdiction within the State of California shall be rendered which materially adversely affects the market price of the Bonds;

(v) an order, decree or injunction issued by any court of competent jurisdiction, or order, ruling, regulation (final, temporary or proposed), official statement or other form of notice or communication issued or made by or on behalf of the Securities and Exchange Commission, or any other governmental agency having jurisdiction of the subject matter, to the effect that: (i) obligations of the general character of the Bonds, or the Bonds, including any or all underlying arrangements, are not exempt from registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or that the Indenture is not exempt from qualification under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended; or (ii) the issuance, offering or sale of obligations of the general character of the Bonds, or the issuance, offering or sale of the Bonds, including any or all underlying obligations, as contemplated hereby or by the Official Statement, is or would be in violation of the federal securities laws as amended and then in effect;

(vi) a decision by a court of the United States shall be rendered, or a stop order, release, regulation or no-action letter by or on behalf of the SEC or any other governmental agency having jurisdiction of the subject matter shall have been issued or made, to the effect that the issuance, offering or sale of the Bonds, including the underlying obligations as contemplated by this Bond Purchase Agreement or by the Official Statement, or any document relating to the issuance, offering or sale of the Bonds, is or would be in violation of any provision of the federal securities laws at the Closing Date, including the Securities Act, the Exchange Act and the Trust Indenture Act;

(vii) legislation shall be enacted by the Congress of the United States, or a decision by a court of the United States shall be rendered, to the effect that obligations of the general character of the Bonds, or the Bonds are not exempt from registration under or other requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and as then in effect, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended and as then in effect, or that the Indenture is not exempt from qualification under or other requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended and as then in effect;

(viii) additional material restrictions not in force as of the date hereof shall have been imposed upon trading in securities generally by any domestic governmental authority or by any domestic national securities exchange, which are material to the marketability of the Bonds;

(ix) there shall have occurred (1) an outbreak or escalation of hostilities or the declaration by the United States of a national emergency or war or (2) any other calamity or crisis in the financial markets of the United States or elsewhere or the escalation of such calamity or crisis;

(x) a general suspension of trading on the New York Stock Exchange or other major exchange shall be in force, or minimum or maximum prices for trading shall have been fixed and be in force, or maximum ranges for prices for securities shall have been required and be in force on any such exchange, whether by virtue of determination by that exchange or by order of the SEC or any other governmental authority having jurisdiction;

(xi) the New York Stock Exchange or other national securities exchange, or any governmental or regulatory authority, shall impose, as to the Bonds or obligations of the general character of the Bonds, any material restrictions not now in force, or increase materially those now in force, with respect to the extension of credit by, or the charge to the net capital requirements of the Underwriter;

(xii) any rating of the Bonds or the rating of any obligations of the City secured by the City's general fund shall have been downgraded, suspended or withdrawn by a national rating service, which, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, materially adversely affects the market price of the Bonds;

(xiii) a general banking moratorium shall have been established by federal or State authorities;

(xiv) a material disruption in securities settlement, payment or clearance services affecting the Bonds shall have occurred; or

(xv) the commencement of any action, suit or proceeding described in Section 7(h) or Section 8(h).

(e) At or prior to the Closing, the Underwriter shall receive the following documents, in each case to the reasonable satisfaction in form and substance of the Underwriter:

(i) all resolutions relating to the Bonds adopted by the Authority and certified by an authorized official of the Authority authorizing the issuance of the Bonds, the Authority Documents and the Official Statement;

(ii) all resolutions relating to the Bonds adopted by the City and certified by an authorized official of the City authorizing the execution and delivery of the City Documents and the issuance of the Bonds and the Official Statement;

(iii) the Legal Documents duly executed and delivered by the respective parties thereto, with only such amendments, modifications or supplements as may have been agreed to in writing by the Underwriter;

(iv) the approving opinion of Bond Counsel, dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Authority and the City, in substantially the form attached as Appendix D to the Official Statement, and a reliance letter thereon addressed to the Underwriter;

(v) a supplemental opinion of Bond Counsel dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit  $\underline{C}$ ;

(vi) the Official Statement, executed on behalf of the Authority and the City;

(vii) evidence that the rating on the Bonds is as described in the Official Statement;

a certificate, dated the date of Closing, signed by a duly authorized (viii) officer of the Authority satisfactory in form and substance to the Underwriter to the effect that: (A) the representations, warranties and covenants of the Authority contained in this Purchase Agreement are true and correct in all material respects on and as of the date of Closing with the same effect as if made on the date of the Closing by the Authority, and the Authority has complied with all of the terms and conditions of this Purchase Agreement required to be complied with by the Authority at or prior to the date of Closing; (B) to such officer's knowledge, no event affecting the Authority has occurred since the date of the Official Statement which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purposes for which it is to be used or which is necessary to disclose therein in order to make the statements and information therein not misleading in any material respect; (C) the information and statements contained in the Official Statement (other than information relating to DTC and its book-entry system) did not as of its date and do not as of the Closing contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any material respect; and (D) to its knowledge, the Authority is not in breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative regulation of the State of California or the United States or any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or is otherwise subject, which would have a material adverse impact on the Authority's ability to perform its obligations under the Authority Documents, and no event has occurred and is continuing which, with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute a default or an event of default under any such instrument;

a certificate, dated the date of Closing, signed by a duly authorized (ix) officer of the City satisfactory in form and substance to the Underwriter to the effect that: (A) the representations, warranties and covenants of the City contained in this Purchase Agreement are true and correct in all material respects on and as of the date of Closing with the same effect as if made on the date of the Closing by the City, and the City has complied with all of the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement required to be complied with by the City at or prior to the date of Closing; (B) to such officer's knowledge, no event affecting the City has occurred since the date of the Official Statement which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purposes for which it is to be used or which is necessary to disclose therein in order to make the statements and information therein not misleading in any material respect; (C) the information and statements contained in the Official Statement (other than information relating to DTC and its book-entry system) did not as of its date and do not as of the Closing contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any material respect; (D) to its knowledge after reasonable investigation, the City is not in breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative regulation of the State of California or the United States or any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement (including but not limited to

the Lease Agreement) or other instrument to which the City is a party or is otherwise subject, which would have a material adverse impact on the City's ability to perform its obligations under the City Documents, and no event has occurred and is continuing which, with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute a default or an event of default under any such instrument; and (E) no further consent is required for inclusion of its audited financial statements in the Official Statement;

(x) an opinion dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, the Trustee and Bond Counsel, of the City Attorney of the City, as counsel to the Authority, to the effect that:

(A) the Authority is a joint exercise of powers authority organized and existing under the laws of the State of California;

(B) the resolution of the Authority approving and authorizing the execution and delivery of the Authority Documents, the Bonds and the Official Statement and other actions of the Authority was duly adopted at a meeting of the governing body of the Authority which was called and held pursuant to law and with all public notice required by law and at which a quorum was present and acting throughout, and the resolution is now in full force and effect and has not been amended or superseded in any way;

(C) to the knowledge of such counsel there is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity before or by any court or public body pending with respect to which the Authority has been served or, to such counsel's knowledge, threatened against or affecting the Authority, except as may be disclosed in the Official Statement, which would materially adversely impact the Authority's ability to complete the transactions contemplated by the Authority Documents, the Official Statement or any other document or certificate related to such transactions, restrain or enjoin the collection of Base Rental Payments with respect to the Lease Agreement, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Bonds, the Official Statement, the Authority Documents or the transactions described in and contemplated thereby wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would materially adversely affect the validity and enforceability of the Bonds or the Authority Documents or in which a final adverse decision could materially adversely affect the operations of the Authority;

(D) the Authority Documents have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Authority, and (assuming due execution and delivery by parties other than the Authority) are valid, legal and binding agreements of the Authority enforceable in accordance with their terms, except that the rights and obligations under the Authority Documents are subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles if equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to limitations on legal remedies against public agencies in the State;

(E) the execution and delivery of the Authority Documents and the issuance of the Bonds and compliance with the provisions thereof, do not and will not in any material respect conflict with or constitute on the part of the Authority a breach of or default under any agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or by which it is bound or any existing law, regulation, court order or consent decree to which the Authority is subject, which breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Authority to perform its obligations under the Authority Documents;

(F) no authorization, approval, consent, or other order of the State of California or any other governmental body within the State of California is required for the valid authorization, execution and delivery of the Authority Documents or the Official Statement by the Authority or the consummation by the Authority of the transactions on its part contemplated therein, except such as have been obtained and except such as may be required under state securities or blue sky laws in connection with the purchase and distribution of the Bonds by the Underwriter; and

(G) based on the information made available to such counsel in its role as counsel to the Authority, and without having undertaken to determine independently or assume any responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the statements contained in the Official Statement under the caption entitled "THE AUTHORITY," nothing has come to its attention which would lead it to believe that the statements contained in the above-referenced caption as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the date of Closing contained or contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted or omits to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(xi) an opinion dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, the Trustee and the Bond Counsel, of the City Attorney, to the effect that:

(A) the City is duly organized and validly existing as a charter city and municipal corporation under the Constitution and laws of the State of California;

(B) the resolution of the City approving and authorizing the execution and delivery of the City Documents and approving and authorizing the issuance of the Bonds and the delivery of the Official Statement and other actions of the City was duly adopted at a meeting of the governing body of the City which was called and held pursuant to law and with all public notice required by law and at which a quorum was present and acting throughout,

and the resolution is now in full force and effect and has not been amended or superseded in any way;

(C) there is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity before or by any court or public body pending with respect to which the City has been served or, to such counsel's knowledge, threatened against or affecting the City, except as may be disclosed in the Official Statement, which would materially adversely impact the City's ability to complete the transactions contemplated by the City Documents, the Official Statement or any other document or certificate related to such transactions, restrain or enjoin the collection of Base Rental Payments with respect to the Lease Agreement, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Bonds, the Official Statement or the City Documents;

(D) the execution and delivery of the City Documents and compliance with the provisions thereof, do not and will not in any material respect conflict with or constitute on the part of the City a breach of or default under any agreement or other instrument to which the City is a party or by which it is bound or any existing law, regulation, court order or consent decree to which the City is subject, which breach or default has or may have a material adverse effect on the ability of the City to perform its obligations under the City Documents;

(E) the City Documents have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the City, and (assuming due execution and delivery by parties other than the City) are valid, legal and binding agreements of the City enforceable in accordance with their terms, except that the rights and obligations under the City Documents are subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles if equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to limitations on legal remedies against public agencies in the State; and

(F) no authorization, approval, consent, or other order of the State of California or any other governmental body within the State of California is required for the valid authorization, execution and delivery of the City Documents, except such as have been obtained and except such as may be required under state securities or blue sky laws in connection with the purchase and distribution of the Bonds by the Underwriter.

(xii) a letter of Anzel Galvan LLP, Disclosure Counsel to the Authority and the City dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, in substantially the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit D</u>; (xiii) an opinion of counsel to the Trustee, addressed to the Underwriter and the Authority, dated the date of the Closing, to the effect that:

(A) the Trustee is a national banking association duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the United States, having full corporate power to undertake the trust created under the Indenture;

(B) the Indenture and the Assignment Agreement (together, the "Trustee Documents") have each been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Trustee and, assuming due authorization, execution and delivery by the other parties thereto, the Trustee Documents constitute the valid, legal and binding obligations of the Trustee enforceable in accordance with their terms, except as enforcement thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and by the application of equitable principles, if equitable remedies are sought;

(C) the Trustee has duly authenticated the Bonds upon the order of Authority;

(D) the Trustee's actions in executing and delivering the Trustee Documents are in full compliance with, and do not conflict with any applicable law or governmental regulation and, to the best of such counsel's knowledge, after reasonable inquiry with respect thereto, do not conflict with or violate any contract to which the Trustee is a party or any administrative or judicial decision by which the Trustee is bound; and

(E) no consent, approval, authorization or other action by any governmental or regulatory authority having jurisdiction over the banking or trust powers of the Trustee that has not been obtained is or will be required for the execution and delivery of the Bonds or the consummation by the Trustee of its obligations under the Trustee Documents;

(xiv) a certificate, dated the date of Closing, signed by a duly authorized officer of the Trustee satisfactory in form and substance to the Underwriter, to the effect that:

(A) the Trustee is duly organized and existing as a national banking association under the laws of the United States of America, having the full corporate power and authority to enter into and perform its duties under the Trustee Documents;

(B) the Trustee is duly authorized to enter into the Trustee Documents and has duly executed and delivered the Trustee Documents, and assuming due authorization and execution by the other parties thereto, the Trustee Documents are legal, valid and binding upon the Trustee and enforceable against such party in accordance with its terms; (C) the Trustee has duly authenticated the Bonds under the Indenture and delivered the Bonds to or upon the order of the Underwriter; and

(D) no consent, approval, authorization or other action by any governmental or regulatory authority having jurisdiction over the banking or trust powers of the Trustee that has not been obtained is required for the execution and delivery of the Bonds or the consummation by the Trustee of its obligations under the Trustee Documents;

(xv) the preliminary and final Statement of Sale required to be delivered to the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission pursuant to Section 53583 of the California Government Code and Section 8855(g) of the Government Code;

(xvi) a copy of the executed Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations by and between the City or the Authority and DTC relating to the book-entry system;

(xvii) the tax certificate executed by the Authority and the City relating to the Bonds in form and substance to the reasonable satisfaction of Bond Counsel and the Underwriter;

(xviii) a title policy with respect to the Property in form and substance acceptable to Bond Counsel, the Underwriter and Underwriter's Counsel;

(xix) evidence of insurance in compliance with the requirements of the Lease Agreement in form and substance acceptable to the Underwriter;

(xx) an opinion of Kutak Rock LLP ("Underwriter's Counsel") in form and substance acceptable to the Underwriter;

(xxi) a certificate, dated the date of the Preliminary Official Statement, of the City, as required under Rule 15c2-12;

(xxii) a certificate, dated the date of the Preliminary Official Statement, of the Authority, as required under Rule 15c2-12; and

(xxiii) such additional legal opinions, Bonds, proceedings, instruments or other documents as the Underwriter or Underwriter's Counsel may reasonably request.

Section 10. Changes in Official Statement. Within 90 days after the Closing or within 25 days following the "end of the underwriting period" (as defined in Rule 15c2-12), whichever occurs first, if any event shall occur as a result of which it is necessary, in the reasonable opinion of the Underwriter, to amend or supplement the Official Statement in order to make the Official Statement not misleading in any material respect in the light of the circumstances existing at the time it is delivered to a purchaser, the Authority will forthwith prepare and furnish to the Underwriter an amendment or supplement that will amend or supplement the Official Statement so that it will not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances existing at the time the Official Statement is delivered to purchaser, not misleading. The City and the Authority shall cooperate with

the Underwriter in the filing by the Underwriter of such amendment or supplement to the Official Statement with the EMMA. The Underwriter acknowledges that the "end of the underwriting period" will be the date of Closing unless the Underwriter otherwise notifies the City in writing that it still owns some or all of the Bonds.

Expenses. Whether or not the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Section 11. Agreement are consummated, the Underwriter shall be under no obligation to pay, and the Authority shall pay only from the proceeds of the Bonds, but only as the Authority and such other party providing such services may agree, all expenses and costs of the Authority and the City incident to the performance of their obligations in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds to the Underwriter, including, without limitation, printing costs, rating agency fees and charges, initial fees of the Trustee, including fees and disbursements of its counsel, if any, fees and disbursements of Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel, the municipal advisor and other professional advisors employed by the Authority or the City, title insurance and costs of preparation, printing, signing, transportation, delivery and safekeeping of the Bonds. The Underwriter shall pay all out-ofpocket expenses of the Underwriter, including, without limitation, the fees and expenses of its counsel, advertising expenses, the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission fee, CUSIP Services Bureau charges, regulatory fees imposed on new securities issuers and any and all other expenses incurred by the Underwriter in connection with the public offering and distribution of the Bonds.

Section 12. Notices. Any notice or other communication to be given to the Underwriter under this Purchase Agreement may be given by delivering the same in writing to Samuel A. Ramirez & Co., Inc., 12130 Millennium Drive, Suite 300, Los Angeles, California 90094; Attention: Public Finance. Any notice or other communication to be given to the Authority or the City pursuant to this Purchase Agreement may be given by delivering the same in writing to such entity, at the addresses set forth on the cover page hereof.

Section 13. Parties in Interest. This Purchase Agreement is made solely for the benefit of the Authority, the City and the Underwriter (including the successors or assigns thereof) and no other person shall acquire or have any right hereunder or by virtue hereof. All representations, warranties and agreements of the Authority and the City in this Purchase Agreement shall remain operative and in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of the Underwriter and shall survive the delivery of and payment for the Bonds.

Section 14. Counterparts. This Purchase Agreement may be executed by the parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

Governing Law. This Purchase Agreement shall be governed by and Section 15. construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

### SAMUEL A. RAMIREZ & CO., INC.

By:

Managing Director

The foregoing is hereby agreed to and accepted as of the date first above written:

### WATSONVILLE PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY

By:\_\_\_\_\_Authorized Officer

Time of Execution: \_\_\_\_\_\_ p.m. California time

Accepted:

### **CITY OF WATSONVILLE**

By:\_\_\_\_\_\_Authorized Officer

Time of Execution: \_\_\_\_\_\_ p.m. California time

### **EXHIBIT A**

### **MATURITY SCHEDULE**

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# WATSONVILLE PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY **LEASE REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025**

Maturity (May 1)	Principal Amount	Interest Rate	Yield	Price	10% Test Satisfied <sup>*</sup>	10% Test Not Satisfied	Subject to Hold-The- Offering- Price Rule
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(<sup>1</sup>) Term Bond.
(<sup>C</sup>) Priced to optional call at [par] on May 1, 20\_\_.
\* At the time of execution of this Purchase Agreement and assuming orders are confirmed by the close of the business day immediately following the date of this Purchase Agreement.

#### EXHIBIT B

#### FORM OF ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

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# WATSONVILLE PUBLIC FINANCE AUTHORITY LEASE REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 2025

The undersigned, Samuel A. Ramirez & Co., Inc. ("Ramirez"), hereby certifies as set forth below with respect to the sale and issuance of the above-captioned obligations (the "Bonds").

1. *Sale of the General Rule Maturities.* As of the date of this certificate, for each Maturity of the General Rule Maturities, the first price at which at least 10% of such Maturity was sold to the Public is the respective price listed in Schedule A.

### 2. Initial Offering Price of the Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities.

(a) Ramirez offered the Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities to the Public for purchase at the respective initial offering prices listed in Schedule A (the "Initial Offering Prices") on or before the Sale Date. A copy of the pricing wire or equivalent communication for the Bonds is attached to this certificate as Schedule B.

(b) As set forth in the Bond Purchase Agreement, dated [BPA Date], by and among Ramirez, the Issuer and the City of Watsonville, Ramirez has agreed in writing that, (i) for each Maturity of the Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities, it would neither offer nor sell any of the Bonds of such Maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the Initial Offering Price for such Maturity during the Holding Period for such Maturity (the "hold-the-offering-price rule"), and (ii) any selling group agreement shall contain the agreement of each dealer who is a member of the selling group, and any retail distribution agreement, to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule. Pursuant to such agreement, no Underwriter (as defined below) has offered or sold any Maturity of the Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities at a price that is higher than the respective Initial Offering Price for that Maturity of the Bonds during the Holding Period.

### 3. **Defined Terms**.

(a) *Issuer* means the Watsonville Public Finance Authority.

(b) *General Rule Maturities* means those Maturities of the Bonds listed in Schedule A hereto as the "General Rule Maturities."

(c) *Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities* means those Maturities of the Bonds listed in Schedule A hereto as the "Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturities."

(d) *Holding Period* means, with respect to a Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturity, the period starting on the Sale Date and ending on the earlier of (i) the close of the fifth business day after the Sale Date, or (ii) the date on which Ramirez has sold at least 10% of such Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturity to the Public at prices that are no higher than the Initial Offering Price for such Hold-the-Offering-Price Maturity.

(e) *Maturity* means Bonds with the same credit and payment terms. Bonds with different maturity dates, or Bonds with the same maturity date but different stated interest rates, are treated as separate maturities.

(f) *Public* means any person (including an individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, company, or corporation) other than an Underwriter or a related party to an Underwriter. The term "related party" for purposes of this certificate generally means any two or more persons who have greater than 50 percent common ownership, directly or indirectly.

(g) *Sale Date* means the first day on which there is a binding contract in writing for the sale of a Maturity of the Bonds. The Sale Date of the Bonds is [BPA Date].

(h) Underwriter means (i) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, and (ii) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (i) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public).

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents the interpretation by Ramirez of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the Issuer with respect to certain of the representations set forth in the attached Tax Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Bond Counsel, in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax advice that it may give to the Issuer from time to time relating to the Bonds. Except as expressly set forth above, the certifications set forth herein may not be relied upon or used by any third party or for any other purpose.

Dated: [Closing Date]

SAMUEL A. RAMIREZ & CO., INC., as underwriter

By:

Authorized Signatory

# SCHEDULE A

### SALE PRICES OF THE GENERAL RULE MATURITIES AND INITIAL OFFERING PRICES OF THE HOLD-THE-OFFERING-PRICE MATURITIES

[TO BE ATTACHED]

# **SCHEDULE B**

# PRICING WIRE OR EQUIVALENT COMMUNICATION

# EXHIBIT C

### FORM OF SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION OF BOND COUNSEL

On the Closing Date, Bond Counsel expects to deliver a supplemental opinion in substantially the following form:

[TO COME FROM BOND COUNSEL]

# EXHIBIT D

#### FORM OF DISCLOSURE COUNSEL LETTER

On the Closing Date, Disclosure Counsel expects to deliver a negative assurance letter in substantially the following form:

[TO COME FROM DISCLOSURE COUNSEL]