NEW YORK STATE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES CONTROL BOARD

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APPROVING AN INDIVIDUAL PROJECT OF THE URBAN DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (Buffalo Regional Innovation Cluster Fund)

WHEREAS, the New York State Public Authorities Control Board ("PACB"), created pursuant to Chapter 38, Laws of 1976, as amended, has been empowered by section 51 of the Public Authorities Law to receive applications from designated public benefit corporations, including the Urban Development Corporation ("UDC"), for approval of the acquisition, construction or financing of any project by any such public benefit corporation; and

WHEREAS, funding was appropriated in the 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 New York State Budgets (the "Enabling Legislation"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Enabling Legislation, UDC has made application to PACB to participate in the project listed below; and

WHEREAS, the Enabling Legislation provides <u>inter alia</u>, that UDC may fund the project hereinafter detailed; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the terms of the Enabling Legislation, UDC has for the project, made the requisite determinations; and

WHEREAS, the UDC Directors at their meeting held on June 26, 2025 made findings in accordance with the provisions of the UDC Act, the Enabling Legislation and the State Environmental Quality Review Act; and

WHEREAS, the application has been submitted to the Comptroller, and he has had the opportunity to comment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that PACB approves UDC's participation in the project in accordance with section 51 of the Public Authorities Law:

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PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

Name and Location	Proposed Improvements	Amount		Interest Rate/Term of Loan/ Security	Special Conditions
Buffalo	Construction and	ESD Grant (Regional		N/A	Standard
(Erie County)-	renovation of the	Capital Fund)	\$384,704		ESD
Explore & More	interior of existing	ESD-Grant	500,000		penalties
Safety and	museum building to	Grantee Equity	1,063,819		will
Security Capital-	maximize use of space,				apply.
Buffalo Regional	expand programming	Total	\$1,948,523		a = -
Innovation	offerings and enhance				*
Cluster 17-18	safety and security				
(Capital Fund)	recommended by the US				
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	Security.				

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This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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Blake G. Washington, Chair Public Authorities Control Board

Steven Otis, Member of the Board

Leroy Comrie, Member of the Board

25-UD-2160

Date: July 23, 2025

CERTIFICATION

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF ALBANY ss.

I, Elyse Young, Secretary of the New York State Public Authorities Control Board, do hereby certify that at a meeting of such Board, held on <u>July 23, 2025</u>, the attached resolution was duly adopted by the unanimous vote of the Members of the Board. The resolution attached is a true copy of the resolution and the certification of the determination made by such resolution and of the signatures thereto of each of the Members of the Board or their duly appointed representatives, the original of which is on file in my office. As of the date of this certification, such resolution has not been modified, superseded, amended or repealed and remains in full force and effect.

In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand this $\underline{23rd}$ day of July 2025.

Elyse Young

Secretary

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF ALBANY ss.

On this <u>23rd</u> day of <u>July 2025</u>, before me personally came Elyse Young to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she is the Secretary of the New York State Public Authorities Control Board, that she executed the foregoing certification and that the contents thereof are true.

Brittany N. Gleng

Notary Public, State of New York

No. 01GL6253075

Qualified in Rensselaer County Commission Expires: 12/19/2027