

WHEREAS, the City of Dallas seeks to increase the supply of new affordable workforce housing in order to attract and retain economic growth; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2003, the City Council approved the designation of five (5) census tracts, (CT 25.00, CT 39.02, CT 49.00, CT 89.00, and CT 101.01) as Neighborhood Investment Program (NIP) target areas for two years beginning October 1, 2003; and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2005, the City Council approved the redesignation and expansion of three of the existing five NIP targeted areas as follows: CT 25.00 expanded to include CT 27.01 and CT 27.02; CT 39.02 expanded to include CT 115.00 (part); and CT 101.01 expanded to include CT 101.02. These census tracts were designated for a minimum of three years, beginning October 1, 2005; and

WHEREAS, on August 9, 2006, the City Council approved an ordinance ordering a bond election to be held in the City of Dallas on November 7, 2006, for the purpose of submitting propositions for the issuance of general obligation bonds for funding permanent public improvements; and

WHEREAS, On November 7, 2006, the voters of Dallas approved a \$1.35 billion General Obligation Bond Program of which \$41,495,000 was set aside for the purpose of providing funds for promoting economic development in the Southern area of the city, and promoting economic development in other areas of the city in connection with transit-oriented development; and

WHEREAS, on December 12, 2007, the City Council approved an amendment to the Public/Private Partnership Program to include a special category for an Economic Development General Obligation Bond Program for Southern Dallas; and

WHEREAS, on January 22, 2008, the Housing Committee of the City Council was briefed on the Frazier Neighborhood Investment Area and the Spring Avenue Revitalization Project; and

WHEREAS, on February 20, 2008, the City Council approved an economic development loan in the amount of \$500,000 at 0% interest to South Dallas/Fair Park Innercity Community Development Corporation; and

WHEREAS, On August 26, 2009, April 28, 2010, and September 22, 2010, the City Council approved increases in the economic development loan to ICDC from \$500,000 to \$2,500,000 to further the redevelopment efforts; and

WHEREAS, South Dallas/Fair Park Inncity Community Development Corporation (ICDC) proposes to continue to work with the City of Dallas for the Frazier Neighborhood Investment Program Area-Spring Avenue Revitalization Project;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

Section 1. That the City Manager or designee, upon approval as to form by the City Attorney, is hereby authorized to increase the loan amount by \$600,000, from \$2,500,000 to \$3,100,000 on an existing economic development loan with South Dallas/Fair Park Inncity Community Development Corporation (ICDC) for the acquisition of improved and unimproved properties, located within the Frazier Neighborhood Investment Program (NIP) area, including associated closing costs, relocation, environmental remediation, demolition costs, predevelopment costs and development costs for the purpose of constructing residential, retail, commercial, or mixed-use redevelopment as part of the Economic Development Plan for the Frazier area.

Section 2. That the City Manager, upon approval as to form by the City Attorney, is authorized to execute modifications to South Dallas/Fair Park Inncity Community Development Corporation's (ICDC's) loan documents.

Section 3. That the Controller is hereby authorized to encumber and disburse funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contracts as follows:

South Dallas/Fair Park Inncity Development Corp. Vendor # 266539
Fund 9T52, Dept HOU, Unit T808, Act AQDM, Obj 3015
Program # FRAZIER1, CT HOUT807J277 - in an amount not to exceed \$600,000

Section 4. That the City Controller is hereby authorized to set up receivable balance sheet account (033F) and an allowance for uncollectible debt (022D) in fund 9T52 for the amount of the loan.

Section 5. That nothing in this resolution shall be construed as a binding contract or agreement upon the City, that it is subject to available bond funding, and there will be no liability or obligation on the City until final contract documents are approved, executed, and final closing completed.

Section 6. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.

