









LAS VARAS PUBLIC FACILITY CORPORATION MEETING JAN. 23, 2020



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### LAS VARAS PUBLIC FACILITY CORPORATION \*BOARD MEETING

818 S. Flores St., San Antonio, TX 78204 2:00 p.m., Thursday, January 23, 2020

#### **MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

The Board of Directors may hold a closed meeting pursuant to Texas Government Code § 551.071-076 for consultation concerning attorney-client matters, real estate, litigation, personnel, and security matters. The Board reserves the right to enter into closed meeting at any time, during the course of the meeting.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

2. Public Comment - Citizens are provided three minutes each to speak to any agenda items.

#### **MINUTES**

- Minutes
  - Approval of the September 5, 2019, Las Varas Public Facility Corporation Board Meeting minutes

#### **OPERATIONS**

- 4. Consideration and appropriate action regarding Resolution 20LVPFC-02-06, concerning the application of Horizon Point LTD, relating to the proposed financing of up to \$35,000,000.00 of the costs of the acquisition, construction, and equipping of the Horizon Point Apartments, to be located at Woodlake Parkway and I-10, San Antonio, Texas; and other matters in connection therewith (Timothy E. Alcott, Real Estate and Legal Services Officer; Lorraine Robles, Director of Development Services and Neighborhood Revitalization)
- 5. Adjournment

\*Note: Whenever the Texas Open Meetings Act (Section 551.001 et seq. of the Texas Government Code) provides for a closed meeting in matters concerning legal advice, real estate, contracts, personnel matters, or security issues, the Board may find a closed meeting to be necessary. For the convenience of the citizens interested in an item preceded by an asterisk, notice is given that a closed meeting is contemplated. However, the Board reserves the right to go into a closed meeting on any other item, whether it has an asterisk, when the Board determines there is a need and a closed meeting is permitted.

"Pursuant to § 30.06, Penal Code, (trespass by holder license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not attend this meeting with a concealed handgun." "Pursuant to § 30.07, Penal Code, (trespass by holder license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not attend this meeting with a handgun that is carried openly.

# MINUTES LAS VARAS PUBLIC FACILITY CORPORATION September 5, 2019

SCHEDULED: 1:00 p.m. at the San Antonio Housing Authority, 818 S. Flores St., San Antonio, TX, 78204

**DIRECTORS PRESENT:** 

Morris A. Stribling, DPM, Chair Jessica Weaver, Vice Chair Charles Clack, Director Jo-Anne Kaplan, Director Sofia A. Lopez, Director Marie R. McClure, Director

COUNSEL: Doug Poneck, Escamilla &

Poneck, LLP

**STAFF:** 

David Nisivoccia, President and CEO Ed Hinojosa, Chief Financial Officer Muriel Rhoder, Chief Administrative Officer Timothy E. Alcott, Real Estate and Legal Services Officer

Jo Ana Alvarado, Director of Innovative Technology Kristi Baird, Director of Beacon Communities Diana Kollodziej Fiedler, Director of Finance and Accounting

Domingo Ibarra, Director of Security Aiyana Longoria, Director of Internal Audit **DIRECTORS ABSENT:** 

Jo-Anne Kaplan, Director

Adrian Lopez, Director of Community Development Initiatives Hector Martinez, Director of Construction Services and Sustainability Steven Morando, Director of Procurement and General Services Brandee Perez, Director of Federal Housing Programs

Lorraine Robles, Director of Development Services and Neighborhood Revitalization Janie Rodriguez, Director of Human Resources Thomas Roth, Director of Asset Management

Item 1: Meeting called to order

Chair Morris A. Stribling, DPM, called the meeting to order at 1:45 p.m.

Item 2: Minutes

• Approval of the August 15, 2019, Las Varas Public Facility Corporation Meeting minutes

Motion: Director Clack moved to approve the August 15, 2019, meeting minutes. Director Kaplan

seconded the motion. Approved.

Member	Aye	Nay	Absent At Time of Vote	Abstained
Morris A. Stribling, DPM, Chair	Х			
Jessica Weaver, Vice Chair	Χ			
Charles Clack, Director	Χ			
Jo-Anne Kaplan, Director	Χ			
Sofia A. Lopez, Director	Χ			

Marie R. McClure, Director	X		

#### **OPERATIONS**

Item 3:

Consideration and appropriate action regarding Resolution 19LVPFC-08-15, concerning the application of Tampico Apartments, L.P. or a similar Texas limited partnership, relating to the proposed financing of up to \$32,000,000.00 of the costs of the acquisition, construction, and equipping of the Tampico Apartments project, to be located at 210 Tampico Street, San Antonio, Texas; and other matters in connection therewith

Resolution 19LVPFC-08-15 corresponds with San Antonio Housing Authority Resolution 5962.

Motion:

Director Kaplan moved to approve Resolution 19LVPFC-08-15. Director Clack seconded the motion. Approved.

Member	Aye	Nay	Absent At Time of Vote	Abstained
Morris A. Stribling, DPM, Chair	Х			
Jessica Weaver, Vice Chair	X			
Charles Clack, Director	X			
Jo-Anne Kaplan, Director	X			
Sofia A. Lopez, Director	X			
Marie R. McClure, Director	X			

Adjournment.

With no objections, Chair Stribling, DPM, adjourned the meeting at 1:46 p.m.

ATTEST:		
 Jessica Weaver	 Date	
Vice Chair, Board of Directors		
David Nisivoccia	Date	
Secretary/Treasurer		

January 23, 2020

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

RESOLUTION 20LVPFC-02-06, CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF HORIZON POINT LTD. RELATING TO THE PROPOSED FINANCING OF UP TO \$35,000,000.00 OF THE COSTS OF THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, AND EQUIPPING OF THE HORIZON POINT APARTMENTS, TO BE LOCATED AT WOODLAKE PARKWAY AND I-10, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS; AND OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

David Nisivoccia

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President and CEO

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Timothy E. Alcott

Real Estate and Legal Services Officer

#### **REQUESTED ACTION:**

Consideration and appropriate action regarding Resolution 20LVPFC-02-06, concerning the application of Horizon Point LTD. relating to the proposed financing of up to \$35,000,000.00 of the costs of the acquisition, construction, and equipping of the Horizon Point Apartments, to be located at Woodlake Parkway and I-10, San Antonio, Texas; and other matters in connection therewith

#### **FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

None at this time. By authorizing SAHA staff to submit applications early for the aforementioned project, SAHA increases its chance to obtain the volume cap to complete the project and benefit from additional revenue.

#### **SUMMARY:**

SAHA is seeking authority to file applications relating to our proposed 2020 4% tax credit project for Horizon Point Apartments. All 4% tax credit projects must be financed in part with tax-exempt bonds. In order to issue tax-exempt bonds, the issuer must obtain a volume cap allocation from the Texas Bond Review Board. This is time sensitive and can be competitive. SAHA will be applying for volume cap, which will not be awarded until the middle of the year, if any volume cap is available. Certain state agencies have the right to use available volume cap before local agencies and last year the state agencies used most of the volume cap. Volume cap available to local agencies is awarded on a first come, first served basis according to when the application is submitted. Therefore, SAHA would need to submit applications as soon as possible. SAHA must also apply for tax credits to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Development. Accordingly, staff is requesting that the Board authorize these actions so that SAHA staff can begin the process, but SAHA is *not asking to specifically approve or be bound to this project. These are non-binding Resolutions*. This will enable us to move forward, make applications for volume cap and tax credits, begin to coordinate the financing and negotiate the specific terms of the deal, which we will be brought back for Board approval at a later time.

The Horizon Point project that we intend to seek volume cap for is named Horizon Point Apartments, an approximately 330-unit multifamily project located near Woodlake Parkway and I-10, requesting \$35,000,000.00 of volume cap. This project will be new construction and will target families averaging 60% of the area median income (AMI), with 10% of the units at 30% AMI.

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In this transaction, Las Varas Public Facility Corporation will be the proposed issuer of the bonds. The San Antonio Housing Facility Corporation will own the land and create a single member limited liability company to serve as the general partner of the tax credit partnership, which will own the project.

#### STRATEGIC GOAL:

Strategically expand the supply of affordable housing.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Resolution 20LVPFC-02-06 Maps of Site Location

### CERTIFICATE FOR RESOLUTION HORIZON POINT APARTMENTS

The undersigned officer of the Las Varas Public Facility Corporation, a Texas nonprofit corporation created pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas (LVPFC) hereby certifies as follows:

1. In accordance with its bylaws, the Board of Directors of LVPFC (Board) held a meeting on February 6, 2020 (Meeting), of the duly constituted officers and members of the Board, at which a duly constituted quorum was present. Whereupon among other business transacted at the Meeting, a written

RESOLUTION 20LVPFC-02-06, CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF HORIZON POINT LTD. RELATING TO THE PROPOSED FINANCING OF UP TO \$35,000,000.00 OF THE COSTS OF THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, AND EQUIPPING OF THE HORIZON POINT APARTMENTS, TO BE LOCATED AT WOODLAKE PARKWAY AND I-10, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS; AND OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

(Resolution) was duly introduced for the consideration of the Board and discussed. It was then duly moved and seconded that the Resolution be adopted; and, after due discussion, said motion, carrying with it the adoption of the Resolution, prevailed and carried by a majority vote of the Board.

2. A true, full, and correct copy of the Resolution adopted at the Meeting is attached to and follows this Certificate; the Resolution has been duly recorded in the Board's minutes of the Meeting; each of the officers and members of the Board was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place, and purpose of the Meeting; and the Meeting was held and conducted in accordance with the Bylaws of LVPFC.

SIGNED this 6th day of February 2020.

David Nisivoccia Secretary/Treasurer

### Las Varas Public Facility Corporation Resolution 20LVPFC-02-06

RESOLUTION 20LVPFC-02-11, CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF HORIZON POINT LTD. RELATING TO THE PROPOSED FINANCING OF UP TO \$35,000,000.00 OF THE COSTS OF THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, AND EQUIPPING OF THE HORIZON POINT APARTMENTS, TO BE LOCATED AT WOODLAKE PARKWAY AND I-10, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS; AND OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

**WHEREAS**, the Housing Authority of the City of San Antonio, Texas (Housing Authority), has, pursuant to the Texas Public Facility Corporations Act, Chapter 303, Texas Local Government Code, as amended (Act), approved and created the Las Varas Public Facility Corporation, a nonstock, nonprofit public facility corporation (Issuer); and

**WHEREAS**, the Issuer, on behalf of the Housing Authority, is empowered to finance the costs of residential ownership and development that will provide decent, safe, and sanitary housing at affordable prices for residents of the City by the issuance of housing revenue bonds; and

WHEREAS, Horizon Point Ltd., a Texas limited partnership (User), has filed an Application (Application), requesting that (i) the Issuer finance the acquisition, construction, and equipping of a proposed 330-unit multifamily housing facility to be located as shown on the attached map, San Antonio, Texas and known as the Horizon Point Apartments (Project); and (ii) the Issuer file a 2020 and/or 2021 Allocation Application (defined hereafter) and/or any carryforward applications associated with such Allocation Applications to the Texas Bond Review Board as described herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the User has advised the Issuer that a contributing factor that would further induce the User to proceed with providing for the acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project would be a commitment and agreement by the Board of Directors (Board) of the Issuer to issue housing revenue bonds pursuant to the Act (Bonds) to finance and pay any Development Costs, as defined in the Act, for the Project; and

**WHEREAS,** in view of rising construction costs and the necessity of compliance with administrative regulations, it is considered essential that acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project be completed at the earliest practicable date after satisfactory preliminary assurances from the Issuer that the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds, or other obligations, of the Issuer in an amount necessary to pay the Development Costs of the Project, will be made available to finance the Project; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution shall constitute the Issuer's commitment, subject to the terms hereof, to issue Bonds, or other obligations, pursuant to the Act in an amount prescribed by the User now contemplated not to exceed \$35,000,000.00 and to expend the proceeds thereof to pay Development Costs including costs of acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project, funding a debt service or other reserve fund for the Project, and paying expenses and costs in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, including costs of obtaining credit enhancement, if any; and

**WHEREAS,** the Bonds are "private activity bonds" as that term is defined in Subchapter A, Section 1372.001 of Chapter 1372, Texas Government Code, as amended, including the rules promulgated pursuant thereto in 34 Texas Administrative Code, Sections 190.1 through 190.8

(Allocation Act), and various provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (Code); and

**WHEREAS**, the Code requires that the applicable elected official of the City approve the issuance of the Bonds after a public hearing for which reasonable public notice shall have been given; and

WHEREAS, the Issuer is authorized by the provisions of the Act to issue the Bonds; and

**WHEREAS,** in order to issue the Bonds in the manner contemplated, the Issuer must seek an allocation of the State of Texas volume cap pertaining to private activity bonds in order to satisfy the provisions of the Code; and

**WHEREAS,** in order to satisfy, in part, the provisions of the Allocation Act, the Issuer must submit an "Application for Allocation of Private Activity Bonds" or an "Application for Carryforward for Private Activity Bonds" (Allocation Application) to the Texas Bond Review Board and adopt this Resolution authorizing the filing or refiling of the Allocation Application; and

**WHEREAS**, the Allocation Application and the Allocation Act require that the Issuer certify that the Bonds are not being issued for the same stated purpose for which the Issuer has received sufficient carryforward during a prior year or for which there exists unexpended proceeds from a prior issue or issues of bonds issued by the Issuer; and

**WHEREAS**, the User intends to make capital expenditures in connection with the acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project (Expenditures) and expects to reimburse the Expenditures with proceeds of the Bonds; and

**WHEREAS,** in order to allocate under Treasury Regulation §1.150-2 (Regulation) proceeds of the Bonds to the Expenditures, the Issuer must declare its reasonable expectation to reimburse the Expenditures; and

**WHEREAS**, the User has requested authorization to make all filings necessary to obtain and maintain debt financing and tax credits on the Project; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has determined that it is in the public interest and to the benefit of the citizens and residents of San Antonio for the various entities to enter into the transactions described above so that the User may construct the Project.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Directors of Las Varas Public Facility Corporation hereby:

Section 1. Subject to the terms hereof, the Issuer agrees that it will

- (a) subject to the negotiation of mutually acceptable agreements, issue the Bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$35,000,000.00;
- (b) cooperate with the User with respect to the issuance of the Bonds, and, if arrangements therefore satisfactory to the User and the Issuer can be made, take such action and authorize the execution of such documents and take such further action as may be necessary or advisable for the authorization, execution, and delivery of any contracts or agreements deemed necessary and desirable by the User or the Issuer in connection with the issuance of the Bonds (Contracts), providing among other things for payment of the principal of,

interest on, redemption premiums on, and paying agents' and trustee's fees and charges, if any, on the Bonds; payment of fees, charges, and expenses of the Issuer and the Housing Authority (including legal and financial advisory expenses); acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project; and use, operation, and maintenance of the Project (and the execution of any necessary guaranty agreements), all as shall be authorized, required, or permitted by law and as shall be satisfactory to the Issuer, the Housing Authority, and the User;

- (c) if the proceeds from the sale of the Bonds are insufficient to complete the acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project, take such actions and execute such documents as may be necessary to permit the issuance from time to time in the future of additional bonds on terms which shall be set forth therein, whether on a parity with other series of bonds or otherwise, for the purpose of paying the costs of completing the acquisition, construction, equipping, and improvement of the Project, as requested by the User and within then applicable limitations; and
- (d) take or cause to be taken such other actions as may be required to implement the aforesaid undertakings or as it may deem appropriate in pursuance thereof.

The Bonds shall specifically provide that neither the State of Texas (State), the Housing Authority, nor any political issuer, subdivision, or agency of the State shall be obligated to pay the same or the interest thereon and that neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the State, the Housing Authority, or any political issuer, subdivision, or agency thereof is pledged to the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds.

- Section 2. It is understood by the Issuer, and the User has represented to the Issuer, that in consideration of the Issuer's adoption of this Resolution and by filing the Application, and subject to the terms and conditions hereof, the User has agreed that
- (a) prior to or contemporaneously with the sale of the Bonds in one or more series or issues from time to time as the Issuer and the User shall hereafter agree to in writing, the User will enter into the Contracts with the Issuer under the terms of which the User will obligate itself, on a nonrecourse basis, to pay to the Issuer (or to a trustee, as the case may be) sums sufficient in the aggregate to pay the principal of, interest on, redemption premiums on, paying agents' and trustee's fees and charges, if any, on the Bonds, as and when the same become due and payable, with such Contracts to contain the provisions described in Section 1 hereof and such other provisions as may be required or permitted by law and to be mutually acceptable to the Issuer and the User;
- (b) the User will (1) pay all Project costs which are not or cannot be paid or reimbursed from the proceeds of the Bonds and (2) at all times from and after the issuance of the Bonds, indemnify and hold harmless the Issuer and the Housing Authority against all losses, costs, damages, expenses, and liabilities of whatsoever nature (including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees, litigation and court costs, amounts paid in settlement, and amounts paid to discharge judgments) directly or indirectly resulting from, arising out of or related to the issuance, offering, sale, or delivery of the Bonds, or the design, construction, equipping, installation, operation, use, occupancy, maintenance, or ownership of the Project (other than claims arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Issuer or the Housing Authority) and prior to or contemporaneously with the sale of the Bonds will agree to provide indemnification on terms satisfactory to the Issuer; and

- (c) no Bonds will be issued without the approval of the Housing Authority.
- Section 3. The User is hereby authorized to make all filings necessary to obtain and maintain tax credits on the Project.
- Section 4. Except as expressly extended by the Issuer, it is understood by the Issuer and the User that all commitments of the Issuer with respect to the Project and the Bonds are subject to the condition that the Bonds shall have been issued no later than two years from the date of this Resolution.
- Section 5. It is recognized and agreed by the Issuer that the User may exercise its rights and perform its obligations with respect to the financing of the Project either through (i) itself in its own name; (ii) any "related person" as defined in section 144(a)(3) of the Code; (iii) any legal successor thereto; (iv) an entity in which any of the above is a general partner or sole member; or (v) or any entity approved by the Issuer, provided that suitable guaranties necessary or convenient for the marketability of the Bonds shall be furnished, if required by the Issuer, and all references herein to the User shall be deemed to include the User acting directly through itself or any such approved entities.
- Section 6. This Resolution shall be deemed to constitute the acceptance of the User's proposal that it be further induced to proceed with providing the Project. The Allocation Application and this Resolution shall constitute an agreement between the Issuer and the User effective on the date that this Resolution is adopted. This Resolution is affirmative official action taken by the Issuer towards the issuance of the Bonds in order to comply with the requirements of the Code. Neither the User nor any other party is entitled to rely on this Resolution as a commitment to issue bonds or loan funds, and the Issuer reserves the right not to issue the Bonds either with or without cause and with or without notice, and in such event the Issuer shall not be subject to any liability or damages of any nature. Neither the User nor any one claiming by, through or under the User, nor any investment banking firm or potential purchaser of the Bonds shall have any claim against the Issuer whatsoever as a result of any decision by the Issuer not to issue the Bonds.
- Section 7. The Issuer hereby adopts this Resolution in order to satisfy the requirements of the Allocation Act pertaining to the issuance of the Bonds and authorizes any officer or designee of the Issuer to prepare and file a 2020 and/or 2021 Allocation Application and/or any carryforward applications associated with such Allocation Application, together with all required attachments (including obtaining the Issuer's Certificate of Good Standing from the Comptroller of Public Accounts for the State of Texas) in the form required by the Texas Bond Review Board.
- Section 8. The Issuer respectfully requests that the Allocation Application be accepted and approved by the Texas Bond Review Board.
- Section 9. Any officer of the Issuer (or his designee) is hereby authorized to execute the Allocation Application, to pay (or cause the User to pay) the Application Fee of \$5,000.00 for each Allocation Application (submitted to the Issuer by the User) to the Texas Bond Review Board and to submit any additional information or to make any necessary corrections or revisions requested by the Texas Bond Review Board in order to satisfy the requirements of the Allocation Act in connection with the Allocation Application.

Section 10. The Board certifies that the Bonds are not being issued for the same stated purpose for which the Issuer has received sufficient carryforward during a prior year or for which there exists unexpended proceeds from a prior issue or issues of bonds issued by the Issuer.

Section 11. In connection with the issuance of the Bonds, the Board hereby authorizes its bond counsel to arrange for the publication of a notice of public hearing in the City of San Antonio, Texas regarding the Bonds for the purpose of complying with section 147(f) of the Code. The form of notice of such hearing and the date, place, and manner of its publication shall be acceptable to the Corporation's bond counsel. The hearing shall be held by the Corporation's bond counsel.

Section 12. Based upon representations from the User, the Issuer reasonably expects to reimburse the Expenditures with proceeds of the Bonds in a principal amount that will not exceed \$35,000,000.00. This Resolution shall constitute a declaration of official intent under the Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 13. The Board authorizes the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary of the Board to execute any documents or certificates necessary to seek the approval of the Bonds by the Texas Attorney General.

Section 14. The recitals contained in the preamble hereof are hereby found to be true, and such recitals are hereby made a part of this Resolution for all purposes and are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the Board.

Section 15. All resolutions, or parts thereof, which are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Resolution shall be and remain controlling as to the matters resolved herein.

Section 16. If any provision of this Resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this Resolution and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the Board hereby declares that this Resolution would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

Section 17. This Resolution shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.

Section 18. This Resolution shall be in force and effect from and after its passage.

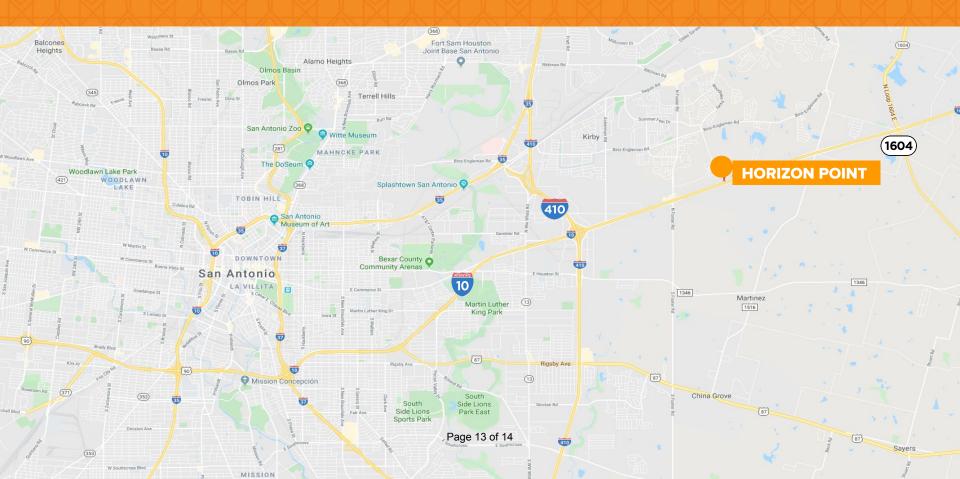
Passed and approved the 6th day of February 2020.

Jessica Weaver
Vice Chair, Board of Directors

Attested and approved as to form:

David Nisivoccia
Secretary/Treasurer

### **HORIZON POINT MAP**



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## HORIZON POINT MAP

