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March 19, 2019

Ms. Eva Carreon, Finance Director City of Irwindale 5050 North Irwindale Avenue Irwindale, CA 91706

Dear Ms. Carreon:

Subject: 2019-20 Annual Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule

Pursuant to Health and Safety Code (HSC) section 34177 (o) (1), the City of Irwindale Successor Agency (Agency) submitted an annual Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 (ROPS 19-20) to the California Department of Finance (Finance) on January 16, 2019. Finance has completed its review of the ROPS 19-20.

Based on a sample of line items reviewed and application of the law, Finance made the following determination:

Item No. 4 – 2006 Tax Allocation Refunding Parity Bonds, total requested amount of \$5,489,390, is partially allowed. The Agency requests the use of Reserve Balances in the amount of \$1,818,630 and Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund (RPTTF) in the same amount for debt service due for the July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019 (ROPS 19-20A) period. The Agency also requests the use of RPTTF in the amount of \$1,852,130 for the January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 (ROPS 19-20B) period. According to the debt service schedule provided by the Agency, the amount requested for the ROPS 19-20A period should be \$1,818,630 and \$1,852,130 for the ROPS 19-20B period. With the concurrence of the Agency, Finance made an adjustment of \$1,818,630 to decrease the ROPS 19-20A period requested in RPTTF to zero. Therefore, Finance approves Reserve Balances in the amount of \$1,818,630 for the ROPS 19-20A period and RPTTF of \$1,852,130 for the ROPS 19-20B period for a total of \$3,670,760.

Pursuant to HSC section 34186, successor agencies are required to report differences between actual payments and past estimated obligations. Reported differences in Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund (RPTTF) are used to offset current RPTTF distributions. The amount of RPTTF approved in the table on Page 3 includes the prior period adjustment resulting from the CAC's review of the prior period adjustment form submitted by the Agency.

Except for the item adjusted, Finance is not objecting to the remaining items listed on the ROPS 19-20. If the Agency disagrees with our determination with respect to any items on the ROPS 19-20, except items which are the subject of litigation disputing our previous or related determinations, the Agency may request a Meet and Confer within five business days of the date of this letter. The Meet and Confer process and guidelines are available on our website:

http://dof.ca.gov/Programs/Redevelopment/Meet And Confer/

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The Agency's maximum approved RPTTF distribution for the reporting period is \$8,345,715 as summarized in the Approved RPTTF Distribution table on Page 3 (see Attachment).

RPTTF distributions occur biannually, one distribution for the July 1 through December 31 period (ROPS A period), and one distribution for the January 1 through June 30 period (ROPS B period) based on Finance approved amounts. Since this determination is for the entire ROPS 19-20 period, the Agency is authorized to receive up to the maximum approved RPTTF through the combined ROPS A and B period distributions.

Absent a Meet and Confer, this is our final determination regarding the obligations listed on the ROPS 19-20. This determination only applies to items when funding was requested for the 12-month period. If a denial by Finance in a previous ROPS is currently the subject of litigation, the item will continue to be denied until the matter is resolved.

The ROPS 19-20 form submitted by the Agency and this determination letter will be posted on our website:

http://dof.ca.gov/Programs/Redevelopment/ROPS/

This determination is effective for the ROPS 19-20 period only and should not be conclusively relied upon for future ROPS periods. All items listed on a future ROPS are subject to review and may be denied even if not denied on this ROPS or a preceding ROPS. The only exception is for items that have received a Final and Conclusive determination from Finance pursuant to HSC section 34177.5 (i). Finance's review of Final and Conclusive items is limited to confirming the scheduled payments as required by the obligation.

The amount available from RPTTF is the same as the amount of property tax increment available prior to the enactment of redevelopment dissolution law. Therefore, as a practical matter, the ability to fund the items on the ROPS with property tax increment is limited to the amount of funding available to the Agency in RPTTF.

Please direct inquiries to Kylie Oltmann, Supervisor, or Brian Dunham, Lead Analyst at (916) 322-2985.

Sincerely,

JENNIFER WHITAKER Program Budget Manager

cc: Ms. Dominique Clark, Consultant, City of Irwindale
Ms. Kristina Burns, Manager, Department of Auditor-Controller, Los Angeles County

Attachment

Approved RPTTF Distribution For the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020						
	ROPS A Period		ROPS B Period		ROPS 19-20 Total	
RPTTF Requested	\$	1,838,780	\$	8,077,644	\$	9,916,424
Administrative RPTTF Requested		250,000		0		250,000
Total RPTTF Requested		2,088,780		8,077,644		10,166,424
RPTTF Requested		1,838,780		8,077,644		9,916,424
<u>Adjustment</u>						
Item No. 4		(1,818,630)		0		(1,818,630)
RPTTF Authorized		20,150		8,077,644		8,097,794
Administrative RPTTF Authorized		250,000		0		250,000
Total RPTTF Authorized for Obligations	- -	270,150		8,077,644		8,347,794
Prior Period Adjustment		(2,079)		0		(2,079)
Total RPTTF Approved for Distribution	\$	268,071	\$	8,077,644	\$	8,345,715