

amount so collected is deficient by more than 5% of the total amount of the Special Tax levied in such Fiscal Year, it will within 60 days thereafter institute foreclosure proceedings as authorized by the Mello-Roos Act in order to enforce the lien of the delinquent installments of the Special Tax against each lot or parcel of land in the Improvement Area, and will diligently prosecute and pursue such foreclosure proceedings to judgment and sale; provided, that irrespective of the foregoing if the District determines on the basis of such review that property owned by any single property owner in the Improvement Area is delinquent by more than \$4,000 with respect to the Special Tax due and payable by such property owner by such delinquency date, then the District will institute, prosecute and pursue such foreclosure proceedings in the time and manner provided herein against such property owner; and provided further, that any actions taken to enforce delinquent Special Tax liens shall be taken only consistent with Sections 53356.1 through 53356.7, both inclusive, of the Mello-Roos Act.

In the event that sales or foreclosures of property are necessary, there could be a delay in payments to Owners of the Bonds pending such sales or the prosecution of foreclosure proceedings and receipt by the District of the proceeds of sale if the Local Obligations Reserve Account with respect to the Local Obligations is depleted. See "SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS—Covenant for Foreclosure."

The District may be unable to make full or timely payment of debt service on the Local Obligations if property owners in the Improvement Area fail to pay installments of the Special Tax when due, if the Local Obligations Reserve Account is depleted, or if the District is unable to sell related foreclosed parcels for amounts sufficient to cover the delinquent installments of the Special Tax.

### **Shapiro v. San Diego**

On August 1, 2014, the California Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division One, issued its opinion in *Shapiro v. San Diego City Council*, 117 Cal. Rptr. 2d 631, 96 Cal. App. 4th 904 (2002). The case involved a Convention Center Facilities District (the "CCFD") established by the City of San Diego, much like a community facilities district established under the provisions of the Mello-Roos Act. The CCFD is comprised of all of the real property in all of the City of San Diego. However, the special tax to be levied within the CCFD was to be levied only on hotel properties.

At the election to authorize such special tax, the electorate was limited to owners of hotel properties and lessees of certain of such hotel properties. Thus, the election was a landowner election limited to owners and lessees of properties on which the special tax would be levied, and not a registered voter election. Such approach to determining who would constitute the qualified electors of the CCFD was based on Section 53326(c) of the Mello-Roos Act, which generally provides that, if a special tax will not be apportioned in any tax year on residential property, the legislative body may provide that the vote shall be by the landowners of the proposed district whose property would be subject to the special tax. The Court held that the CCFD special tax election was invalid under the California Constitution because Article XIII A, Section 4 thereof and Article XIII C, Section 2 thereof require that the electors in such an election be the registered voters within the district.

In the case of the CCFD, at the time of the election there were many, many registered voters within the CCFD (viz., all of the registered voters in the City of San Diego). There were no registered voters within the Improvement Area at the time of the election to authorize the Special Tax. In City of San Diego, the Court expressly stated that it was not addressing the validity of landowner voting to impose special taxes pursuant to the Mello-Roos Act in situations where there are fewer than 12 registered voters. Thus, by its terms, the Court's holding does not apply to the Special Tax election in the Improvement Area. Moreover, Section 53341 of the Mello-Roos Act provides that any "action or proceeding to attack, review, set aside, void or annul the levy of a special tax...shall be commenced

within 30 days after the special tax is approved by the voters.” The Special Tax with respect to the Improvement Area was approved by the voters on May 26, 2020. Based on Section 53341 of the Mello-Roos Act and its analysis of existing laws, regulations, rulings and court decisions, the District does not believe that a challenge to the Special Tax may now be brought.

### **Concentration of Ownership**

Currently, a large portion of the Taxable Property in the Improvement Area is owned by ECIC, and consequently, a large portion of the Special Tax within the Improvement Area will be paid by ECIC until the land is developed and sold. Additional land within the Improvement Area is owned by Folsom Real Estate South. ECIC and Folsom Real Estate South are managed by the same three individuals. See “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Property Ownership.”

ECIC has entered into purchase and sale agreements to sell a portion of the Improvement Area to merchant builders, and both ECIC and Folsom Real Estate South expect to enter into agreements with merchant builders in the future to sell certain of their properties within the Improvement Area. No assurance can be given that the property sales will close when anticipated. See “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Property Ownership.” Generally, the risk of delinquency or nonpayment of Special Taxes at levels which do not permit the timely payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds is inversely correlated to the diversity of ownership of Taxable Property within the Improvement Area. The fact that a substantial portion of the property providing the ultimate security for the payment of Local Obligations is controlled by only one owner means that timely payment of the respective Special Tax and, therefore, the Bonds, will depend initially upon the willingness and ability of this single owner to pay the Special Tax when due. The only assets of ECIC that constitute security for the Local Obligations are ECIC’s real property holdings located within the Improvement Area.

There can be no assurance that the undeveloped property will be fully developed and that property ownership will be further diversified as a result. See “CERTAIN RISKS TO BONDHOLDERS—Failure to Develop.”

### **Payment of the Special Tax is Not a Personal Obligation of a Property Owner**

A PROPERTY OWNER IS NOT PERSONALLY OBLIGATED TO PAY THE SPECIAL TAX. RATHER, THE SPECIAL TAXES ARE OBLIGATIONS ONLY AGAINST THE PROPERTY. IF THE VALUE OF THE PARCELS OF PROPERTY IS NOT SUFFICIENT, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT OTHER OBLIGATIONS ALSO PAYABLE THEREBY, TO FULLY DISCHARGE THE SPECIAL TAX, THE DISTRICT WILL HAVE NO RECOURSE AGAINST THE PROPERTY OWNER.

### **Potential Early Redemption of Bonds from Prepaid Special Taxes**

Property owners within the Improvement Area are permitted to prepay their Special Taxes at any time. Such prepayments could also be made from the proceeds of bonds issued by or on behalf of an overlapping special assessment district or community facilities district. Such payments will result in a redemption of the Bonds on the Interest Payment Date for which timely notice may be given under the Trust Agreement following the receipt of the prepayment. The resulting redemption of Bonds purchased at a price greater than par could reduce the otherwise expected yield on such Bonds. See “THE BONDS—Redemption Provisions—Extraordinary redemption from Prepayment of Special Taxes.”

## **Special Tax Delinquencies**

The Special Taxes are billed to the properties within the Improvement Area on the *ad valorem* property tax bills sent to owners of such properties. Such Special Tax installments are due and payable, and bear the same penalties and interest for non-payment, as do *ad valorem* property tax installments. In each year the County includes the Improvement Area in the Teeter Plan, the County will be obligated to pay the District 100% of the amount of the Special Taxes actually levied in the Improvement Area, regardless of any delinquencies. However, the County is required to terminate the Teeter Plan if two-thirds of the participants so petition the Board of Supervisors and may discontinue the Teeter Plan as to the Improvement Area if the delinquency rate in the Improvement Area exceeds 3%. Moreover, the County determines annually whether to include a particular district in the Teeter Plan. See “—Teeter Plan Termination” and “SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS—The Teeter Plan.” Significant delinquencies in the payment of annual Special Tax installments, or delays in the prosecution of foreclosure proceedings to collect such Special Taxes, could result in a default in the payment of the debt service on the Bonds. See “—Bankruptcy” and “—FDIC/Federal Government Interests in Properties” below, for a discussion of the limitations on the District’s ability to foreclose on the lien of the Special Taxes in certain circumstances and the policy of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation regarding the payment of special taxes.

## **Teeter Plan Termination**

The County has implemented its Teeter Plan as an alternate procedure for the distribution of certain property tax and assessment levies on the secured roll. The County determines annually which special taxes and assessment levies to include in the Teeter Plan. Pursuant to its Teeter Plan, once the County determines to include special taxes and assessment levies in the Teeter Plan, the County provides the local agency and taxing area with full tax and assessment levies instead of actual tax and assessment collections. In return, the County is entitled to retain all delinquent tax and assessment payments, penalties and interest. Thus, the County’s Teeter Plan may help protect Owners from the risk of delinquencies in the payment of Special Taxes. However, the County is entitled, and under certain circumstances could be required, to terminate its Teeter Plan with respect to all or part of the local agencies and taxing areas covered thereby. In addition, the County may decide not to include certain special taxes and assessment levies, including the Improvement Area, in the Teeter Plan in any fiscal year. Any termination of the Teeter Plan with respect to the Improvement Area would eliminate such protection from delinquent Special Taxes. See “SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS—The Teeter Plan.”

## **Land Values**

If a property owner defaults in the payment of the Special Tax, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds are derived, the District’s only remedy is to foreclose on the delinquent property in an attempt to obtain funds with which to pay the delinquent Special Tax. The value of taxable property in the Improvement Area is therefore an important consideration in evaluating the security for the Bonds. Land values could be adversely affected by economic factors beyond the District’s control, such as relocation of employers out of the area, stricter land use regulations, the absence of water, or destruction of property caused by, among other eventualities, earthquake, flood or other natural disaster, or by environmental pollution or contamination.

## **Appraisal Risks**

The Appraiser has estimated the market value of the property in the Improvement Area on the basis of certain assumptions which the Appraiser believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. See

the Appraisal included in APPENDIX G hereto. However, certain of the assumptions made by the Appraiser may prove to be untrue.

Although the District believes that the Appraiser's methodology and assumptions are reasonable under the circumstances, the Appraiser's aggregate value conclusions are expressions of professional opinion only. No assurance can be given that the aggregate values of property in the Improvement Area are equal to or greater than the Appraiser's estimated values, nor can any assurance be given that such aggregate values will not decline during the period of time the Bonds are Outstanding. The values of the property in the Improvement Area can be adversely affected by a variety of factors, including, but not limited to, the occurrence of one or more of the special risk events discussed herein. A decline in the value of a parcel in the Improvement Area could lower the ability or willingness of the owner of such parcel to pay Special Taxes when due and would decrease the amount recoverable at a foreclosure sale of such parcel.

See "THE IMPROVEMENT AREA—Property Values" for a further discussion of estimated property values in the Improvement Area.

### **Zoning and Land Use Decisions**

The Special Taxes, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds are derived, are to be levied annually based upon the land use categories in effect for the property. Decisions made by the City Council, which has control over zoning and land use decisions for property in the City, will affect the prospective use of the property and, therefore, the tax base for the Special Tax. The Rate and Method does not permit land use changes to reduce the tax base to below the Special Tax Requirement.

### **Exempt Properties**

Certain properties within the Improvement Area are or may become exempt from the Special Tax in accordance with the Rate and Method of Apportionment. In addition, the Mello-Roos Act provides that properties or entities of the state, federal or local government are exempt from Special Tax; provided, however, that property acquired by a public entity through a negotiated transaction or by gift or devise, which is not otherwise exempt from the Special Tax, will continue to be subject to the Special Tax. In addition, the Mello-Roos Act provides that if property subject to Special Tax is acquired by a public entity through eminent domain proceedings, the obligation to pay Special Tax with respect to that property is to be treated as if it were a special assessment. Further, properties receiving a welfare exemption under subsection (g) of Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code are exempt from the Special Tax unless debt is outstanding and the property was subject to the Special Tax prior to receiving the exemption. Neither the District or ECIC are aware of any property within the Improvement Area currently receiving a welfare exemption. The constitutionality and operation of these provisions of the Mello-Roos Act have not been tested.

In particular, insofar as the Mello-Roos Act requires payment of a special tax by a federal entity acquiring property within the community facilities district, it may be unconstitutional. If for any reason property within the Improvement Area becomes exempt from taxation, then, subject to the Rate and Method of Apportionment, including the limitation on the maximum special tax rates set out in the Rate and Method of Apportionment, the special tax will be reallocated to the remaining taxable properties within the Improvement Area. This would result in the owners of such property paying a greater amount of the Special Tax and could have an adverse impact upon the timely payment of the Special Tax. Moreover, if a substantial portion of land within the Improvement Area becomes exempt from the Special Tax because of public ownership, or otherwise, the maximum rate that could be levied upon the remaining property might not be sufficient to pay principal of and interest on the related Local

Obligations and could adversely affect the ability of the District to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds when due.

### **Maximum Special Tax**

Within the limits of the Special Tax, the District may adjust the Special Tax on all property in the Improvement Area to provide an amount required to pay interest on, principal of, Minimum Sinking Fund Payments for and redemption premiums, if any, on the Local Obligations, and the amount, if any, necessary to cure delinquencies and replenish the Local Obligations Reserve Account to an amount equal to the Required Bond Reserve, and to pay all current Expenses.

Although the Maximum Special Tax is designed to provide Special Tax revenues on an annual basis, there is no assurance that the Maximum Special Tax on the property in the Improvement Area will be sufficient to pay the amounts required to be paid by the Local Obligations Indenture at all times, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds are derived. See “SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS—Special Tax Authorization” and APPENDIX A—“RATE, METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT AND MANNER OF COLLECTION OF SPECIAL TAX.”

Pursuant to Section 53321 of the Mello-Roos Act as applied to the Improvement Area, under no circumstances will the special tax levied in any fiscal year against any parcel used for private residential purposes be increased as a consequence of delinquency or default by the owner or owners of any other parcel or parcels within the Improvement Area by more than 10% above the amount that would have been levied in that fiscal year had there never been any such delinquencies or defaults. Under the Rate and Method of Apportionment, property is considered “Residential Property” and is subject to the aforementioned limitation once a building permit could be issued for the purposes of constructing one or more residential units.

### **Ballot Initiatives and Measures**

From time to time constitutional initiatives or other initiative measures may be adopted by State voters or voters of the City. For example, Measure W, adopted by City residents in November 2004, required, among other things, that residents north of State Highway 50 not bear the cost for infrastructure and public facilities serving the Folsom Plan Area. The adoption of any such initiative in the future might place limitations on the ability of the State or any political subdivisions thereof, including the Authority or the City, to increase revenues or to increase appropriations, the ability of the landowners to complete their developments, or the ability of the District to collect the Special Tax.

### **Recent Changes to Federal Income Tax Law**

H.R. 1 of the 115<sup>th</sup> U.S. Congress was enacted into law on December 22, 2017 (the “Tax Act”). The Tax Act makes significant changes to many aspects of the Code. The District, the City, the Authority, ECIC and the other property owners within the Improvement Area cannot predict the effect that the Tax Act may have on the cost of home ownership, the price of homes in the Improvement Area, the rate at which homes in the Improvement Area are sold to individual homeowners by ECIC or merchant builders, the ability or willingness of homeowners to pay Special Tax or property taxes on Taxable Property within the Improvement Area, or the values contained in this Official Statement or in the Appraisal.

## **Disclosures to Future Purchasers**

The District has recorded notice of the Special Tax Lien in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Sacramento. While title companies normally refer to such notices in title reports, there can be no guarantee that such reference will be made or, if made, that a prospective purchaser or lender will consider such Special Tax obligation in the purchase of a parcel of land, a home or a commercial or industrial facility in the Improvement Area or the lending of money thereon. The Mello-Roos Act requires the subdivider (or its agent or representative) of a subdivision to notify a prospective purchaser or long-term lessor of any lot, parcel, or unit subject to a Mello-Roos special tax of the existence and maximum amount of such special tax using a statutorily prescribed form. State Civil Code Section 1102.6b requires that in the case of transfers other than those covered by the above requirement, the seller must at least make a good faith effort to notify the prospective purchaser of the special tax lien in a format prescribed by statute. Failure by an owner of the property to comply with the above requirements, or failure by a purchaser or lessor to consider or understand the nature and existence of the Special Tax, could adversely affect the willingness and ability of the purchaser or lessor to pay the Special Tax, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds are derived, when due.

## **Parity Taxes and Special Assessments**

The ability or willingness of a property owner in the Improvement Area to pay the Special Tax, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds are derived, could be affected by the existence of other taxes and assessments imposed upon the property either currently existing or imposed in the future. The assessments and any penalties thereon constitute a lien against the lots and parcels of land on which they have been levied until they are paid. Such lien is on parity with all special taxes and special assessments levied by other agencies and is co-equal to and independent of the lien for general property taxes and other special assessments regardless of when they are imposed upon the same property. The Special Tax has priority over all existing and future private liens imposed on the property. In addition, other public agencies whose boundaries overlap those of the Improvement Area could, with or in some circumstances without the consent of the owners of the land in the Improvement Area, impose additional taxes or assessment liens on the property in the Improvement Area in order to finance public improvements to be located inside or outside of the Improvement Area.

Although the District has covenanted not to impose additional special taxes or assessments on property within the Improvement Area except in accordance with the Local Obligations Indenture, the Authority and the District have no control over the ability of other entities and districts to issue indebtedness secured by special taxes or assessments payable from all or a portion of the property in the Improvement Area. The imposition of additional liens on parity with the assessments could reduce the ability or willingness of the owners of parcels in the Improvement Area to pay the Special Tax and increases the possibility that foreclosure proceeds will not be adequate to pay delinquent Special Taxes or the principal of and interest on the Local Obligations when due. As described under “FOLSOM PLAN AREA—Public Facilities Financing Plan,” and “THE IMPROVEMENT AREA—Overlapping Debt” the City plans to issue additional obligations secured by special taxes from time to time to finance backbone infrastructure and public improvements within the Folsom Plan Area and the boundaries of the Improvement Area. For example, CFD 18 authorized the issuance of up to \$200,000,000 in obligations. The special taxes securing such additional obligations would be payable on parity with the Special Taxes. In addition, property owners may choose to participate in a residential PACE program (a mechanism for financing energy efficiency and renewable energy improvements on private property), consenting to assessments on their parcels that would be on a parity with the Special Taxes. The District does not currently have a timeline as to when any such obligations would be issued.

## **Bankruptcy**

The payment of the Special Tax and the ability of the District to foreclose the lien of a delinquent unpaid tax, as discussed in "SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS," may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws generally affecting creditors' rights or by the laws of the State relating to judicial foreclosure. In addition, the prosecution of a foreclosure action could be delayed due to crowded local court calendars or delays in the legal process. The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds (including Bond Counsel's approving legal opinion) will be qualified as to the enforceability of the various legal instruments by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights, by the application of equitable principles and by the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

Although bankruptcy proceedings would not cause the lien of the Special Tax to become extinguished, bankruptcy of a property owner could result in a delay in prosecuting superior court foreclosure proceedings. The federal bankruptcy laws provide for an automatic stay of foreclosure and sale of tax sale proceedings, thereby delaying such proceedings perhaps for an extended period. Any such delays would increase the likelihood of a delay or default in payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds and the possibility of delinquent tax installments not being paid in full. To the extent that property in the Improvement Area continues to be owned by a limited number of property owners, the chances are increased that the Local Obligations Reserve Fund could be fully depleted during any such delay in obtaining payment of delinquent Special Taxes. As a result, sufficient moneys would not be available in the Local Obligations Reserve Account to make up shortfalls resulting from delinquent payments of the Special Tax and thereby to pay principal of and interest on the Local Obligations on a timely basis. The payment of the Special Tax and the ability of the District to foreclose the lien of a delinquent unpaid tax could be delayed by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, moratorium or other similar laws affecting rights of creditors generally or by the laws of the State relating to judicial foreclosure. Further, should remedies be exercised under the federal bankruptcy laws against parcels in the Improvement Area, payment of the Special Tax may be subordinated to bankruptcy law priorities. Thus, certain claims may have priority over the Special Tax in a bankruptcy proceeding even though they would not outside of a bankruptcy proceeding.

## **Geologic, Topographic and Climatic Conditions**

The value of the property in the Improvement Area in the future can be adversely affected by a variety of additional factors, particularly those which may affect infrastructure and other public improvements and private improvements on property and the continued habitability and enjoyment of such private improvements. Such additional factors include, without limitation, geologic conditions such as earthquakes, topographic conditions such as earth movements, landslides and floods and climatic conditions such as droughts and wildfire.

The occurrence of seismic activity in the Improvement Area could result in substantial damage to properties in the Improvement Area which, in turn, could substantially reduce the value of such properties and could affect the ability or willingness of the property owners to pay the Special Tax on their property. The Improvement Area is not located in any existing special study zone delineated by the Chief of the Division of Mines and Geology of the State of California as an area of known active faults and is not otherwise known to be located within an area of any significant seismic activity. However, it may be expected that one or more of such conditions may occur and may result in damage to improvements of varying seriousness, that the damage may entail significant repair or replacement costs and that repair or replacement may never occur either because of the cost or because repair or replacement will not facilitate habitability or other use, or because other considerations preclude such repair or replacement. Under any of these circumstances, the value of the property may decline.

In recent years, wildfires have caused extensive damage throughout the State. In some instances, entire neighborhoods have been destroyed. Several of the fires that occurred in recent years damaged or destroyed property in areas that were not previously considered to be at risk from such events. Some commentators believe that climate change will lead to even more frequent and more damaging wildfires in the future. In general, property damage due to wildfire could result in a significant decrease in the market value of property in the Improvement Area and in the ability or willingness of property owners to pay Special Taxes.

The Improvement Area is located within an area identified as a moderate fire hazard severity zone. More information regarding Fire Hazard Severity Zones can be found at the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection website at <https://frap.fire.ca.gov>, though such website is not incorporated herein by reference. The development within the Improvement Area is subject to mitigation measures set forth in a fuel modification plan approved by the City Fire Department. The mitigation measures include, among others, limitations on the type of vegetation that may be planted within fuel modification zones established in open space areas along certain portions of the perimeter of the Improvement Area, minimum setback of structures and irrigation requirements of the fuel modification zones. Maintenance of such zones is expected to initially be the responsibility of the property owners but upon build-out of the Improvement Area and dedication of the open space to the City will be maintained by the City from funds provided through CFD 18. Homeowner's insurance is expected to be available to property owners within the Improvement Area, and the coverage provided by such insurance typically insures against fire damage, although there is no assurance that homeowners within the Improvement Area will purchase or maintain such insurance.

In the event of a wildfire, flood or other natural disaster, there may be significant damage to both property and infrastructure in the Improvement Area. As a result, a substantial portion of the property owners may be unable or unwilling to pay the Special Taxes when due. In addition, the value of land in the Improvement Area could be diminished in the aftermath of such a natural disaster, reducing the resulting proceeds of foreclosure sales in the event of delinquencies in the payment of the Special Taxes.

Folsom Dam, located on the American River within the jurisdictional boundaries of the City, was built in 1955 by the United States Army Corps of Engineers and is owned by the United States Bureau of Reclamation. An auxiliary spillway to enable the dam to more easily release water as it nears capacity was completed by the Army Corps of Engineers in October 2017. The City, together with the County and other local agencies, have established a hazard mitigation plan in the event of a dam failure. Geologic, topographic and climatic conditions, if severe, could result in damage to the dam which could further cause damage to the surrounding region and may limit water supply for the City and the Improvement Area.

### **COVID-19 and Impact of the Novel Coronavirus**

The outbreak of COVID-19, a respiratory disease caused by a novel coronavirus, has been declared a pandemic by the World Health Organization. In addition, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency on March 4, 2020, and President Donald Trump declared a national emergency on March 13, 2020, each relating to the coronavirus. Governor Newsom has issued an order for all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence except in certain circumstances, with no stated end date. Multiple counties, including the County, have issued similar stay-at-home orders. Although the State and many counties, including the County, have begun phasing out restrictions, a resurgence of the prevalence of COVID-19 has resulted in a reversal of the phase-outs and postponements to reopening businesses. According to ECIC, KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes, residential construction workers are exempt from the stay-at-home orders and development of the property within the Improvement Area has continued. As of September 15, 2020, neither ECIC, KB



Home Sacramento or Signature Homes have experienced any delays with obtaining the necessary approvals from the City for development to proceed, but neither ECIC, KB Home Sacramento, Signature Homes, the City nor the District can guarantee that the spread of COVID-19 will not cause delays in the future.

The current spread of COVID-19 is altering the behavior of businesses and people in a manner that has had significant negative effects on global, national and local economies. Additionally, stock markets in the U.S. and globally have seen significant recent volatility attributed to concerns about COVID-19. There can be no assurances that the spread of COVID-19 or other highly contagious or epidemic disease, will not materially affect the state and national economies nor otherwise materially adversely impact the ability of ECIC to develop the property in the Improvement Area in accordance with the schedule specified herein or otherwise adversely impact the Improvement Area or the ability or willingness of property owners to pay the Special Tax. See “SPECIAL RISK FACTORS – Potential Impact of Global Health Concerns.”

### **Potential Impact of Global Health Concerns**

The ability or willingness of property owners to develop property in the Improvement Area, the speed at which property owners develop property in the Improvement Area, the ability or willingness of property owners to sell property in the Improvement Area, the speed at which property owners are able sell property in the Improvement Area, the ability or willingness of property owners to pay the Special Tax on property in the Improvement Area when due, the value of the property in the Improvement Area, or the ability of the District to collect delinquent Special Taxes through judicial foreclosure could be adversely affected by a global, national or localized outbreak of an infectious disease, such as COVID-19, a new strain of coronavirus, or by the fear of such an outbreak. The construction industry in the United States relies heavily on international trade for myriad construction materials. A global, national or localized outbreak could impact the availability of workers in countries producing construction materials, potentially resulting in supply chain shutdowns, which may result in substantial construction delays and project cost overruns. Further, the spread of COVID-19 and the response to its spread has altered the behavior of businesses and people in a manner that is having a negative impact on global and local economies, and which has resulted in a volatile stock market response. These events and other factors resulting from such an outbreak, particularly if prolonged, could result in, or increase the likelihood of, the occurrence of certain of the other potential adverse effects described in this Official Statement, including those relating to declines in the value of property, the failure to complete the development of property, the inability to sell property, the inability or unwillingness to pay the Special Tax, and delays in (or insufficient funds received from) the collection of delinquent Special Taxes through judicial foreclosure. A future outbreak of COVID-19 or another infectious disease or the fear of any such outbreak could have similar or additional adverse effects. The Authority cannot predict the ultimate effects of the COVID-19 outbreak or any future outbreak or potential future outbreak of an infectious disease, or whether any such effects would have a material adverse effect on the ability to develop the Improvement Area as planned, the ability or willingness of property owners to pay Special Taxes when due, or the ability of the Authority to pay debt service on the Bonds when due.

### **Failure to Develop**

Land development operations are subject to comprehensive federal, State and local regulations. Approval is required from various agencies in connection with the layout and design of developments, the nature and extent of improvements, construction activity, land use, zoning, school and health requirements, as well as numerous other matters. It is possible that the approvals necessary to complete development of all taxable property within the Improvement Area are not obtained on a timely basis or that litigation could be filed regarding approvals. Failure to obtain any such agency approval or satisfy

any such government requirement or any litigation concerning such agency approval or government requirement could adversely affect land development operations. In addition, current and future governmental restrictions, including, but not limited to, governmental policies restricting or controlling development within the Improvement Area, could be enacted, and future land use initiatives approved by the voters in the City could add more restrictions and requirements on development within the Improvement Area, which restrictions may increase the cost to develop the Improvement Area. One such governmental restriction is the requirement to install rooftop photovoltaic solar systems for residential buildings under three stories constructed starting in 2020. Costs associated with the installation of solar to the homebuilders may reduce the willingness of homebuilders to construct homes and increased costs of those homes may decrease the willingness of homeowners to buy such homes.

Moreover, there can be no assurance that the means and incentive to conduct land development operations within the Improvement Area will not be adversely affected by a deterioration of the real estate market or economic conditions generally, future local, State and federal governmental policies relating to real estate development, the income tax treatment of real property ownership, acts of war or terrorism, or other factors.

The Taxable Property in the Improvement Area is presently undeveloped or undergoing development. Undeveloped property is less valuable per acre than developed property, especially if there are no plans to develop such property or if there are severe restrictions on the development of such property, and therefore provides less security to the owners of the Bonds should it be necessary for the District to foreclose due to the nonpayment of the Special Taxes. Delays in any property owner's ability to obtain discretionary approvals (including any delays caused by litigation) would in turn delay the construction of improvements and development of the Taxable Property within the Improvement Area. Furthermore, an inability to develop the land within the Improvement Area as currently proposed would result in slower rates of diversification of property ownership within the Improvement Area. Concentration of ownership increases the risk of a failure to collect sufficient Special Taxes to pay debt service on the Bonds, all other things being equal. The timely payment of Special Taxes levied on undeveloped property depends primarily upon the ability and willingness of owners of such property to pay such taxes when due. Certain infrastructure improvements are required before development in the Improvement Area can progress intract. The Phase 2 water infrastructure described under the heading "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Development Entitlements—*Water Supply*" is required to be developed before the approximately 2,800<sup>th</sup> building permit may be pulled in the Folsom Plan Area. A slowdown in or cessation of the development of land within the Improvement Area could reduce the ability and willingness of such owners to make Special Tax payments, and could greatly reduce the value of such property in the event it has to be foreclosed upon to collect delinquent special taxes. See "—Bankruptcy" above for a discussion of certain limitations on the ability of the District to pursue judicial foreclosure proceedings with respect to taxpayers with delinquent Special Taxes.

### **Future Private Indebtedness**

At the present time, all of the property in the Improvement Area is undeveloped or undergoing development. In order to develop any improvements on that land, the property owners will need to construct private improvements, the cost of which may increase the private debt for which the land in the Improvement Area or other land or collateral owned by the property owners is security over that contemplated by the Local Obligations, and such increased debt could reduce the ability or desire of the property owners to pay the Special Tax secured by the land in the Improvement Area. It should be noted however, that the lien of any private financing secured by the land within the Improvement Area would be subordinate to the lien of the Special Tax.

## **No Independent Review of Valuation or Viability of Completed Projects**

Property within the Improvement Area is comprised of separate and distinct projects as described above. Payment of Special Taxes are inherently dependent upon the development within the Improvement Area, and, with respect to residential properties, the ability of the buyers of completed homes to pay. The Authority, the District, and the Underwriter have not reviewed any business plan for continued ownership, development and/or operation of the property within the Improvement Area. Similarly, the Authority, the District and the Underwriter have not conducted any independent evaluation of the existing or projected economic viability or profitability of any of the plans for development, including review and/or evaluation of financial statements of any owner or developer of any parcel subject to the Special Tax. The information contained herein regarding the proposed development and the owners of the parcels within the Improvement Area has been supplied by such owners and the Underwriter has not independently verified, makes no representation regarding, and does not accept any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of such information.

In the event an owner or developer experiences financial difficulties, including difficulties resulting from construction or operation of the development within the Improvement Area, the value of the affected parcel within the Improvement Area may decline and/or such owner or developer may elect to refrain from payment of future Special Taxes for such parcel. See also “—Failure to Develop.”

## **Endangered Species**

During recent years, there has been an increase in activity at the State of California and federal level related to the possible listing of certain plant and animal species found in California as endangered species. An increase in the number of endangered species is expected to curtail development in a number of areas. The property within the Improvement Area contains protected habitat and species, including but not limited to Swainson’s hawk and tri-colored blackbird foraging habitats and wetlands regulated by state and federal agencies. Foraging habitat mitigation credits have been satisfied by ECIC or Folsom Real Estate South for all backbone projects and all Improvement Area No. 1 project phases. At present, the property within the Improvement Area is not known to be inhabited by any other plant or animal species listed as threatened or endangered under either the State or federal endangered species acts or which either the California Fish and Game Commission or the United States Fish and Wildlife Service has proposed for addition to the respective endangered species list. Notwithstanding this fact, new species are proposed to be added to the State and federal protected lists on a regular basis. Any action by the State or federal governments to protect species located on or adjacent to undeveloped property could negatively affect the developer’s ability to complete development as planned. This, in turn, could reduce the likelihood of timely payment of the Special Tax, from which funds for the payment of the Bonds is derived, and would likely reduce the value of the land and the potential revenues available at a foreclosure sale for delinquent Special Taxes. See “CERTAIN RISKS TO BONDHOLDERS—Land Values.”

## **Hazardous Substances**

While governmental taxes, assessments, and charges are a common claim against the value of a parcel, other less common claims may be relevant. One of the most serious in terms of the potential reduction in the value of a parcel in the Improvement Area is a claim with regard to a hazardous substance. In general, the owners and operators of a parcel may be required by law to remedy conditions of the parcel relating to releases or threatened releases of hazardous substances. The federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, sometimes referred to as “CERCLA” or the “Superfund Act,” is the most well-known and widely applicable of these laws, but laws with regard to hazardous substances are also stringent and similar. Under many of these laws, the owner (or operator) is obligated to remedy a hazardous substance condition of property whether or not the

owner (or operator) has anything to do with creating or handling the hazardous substance. The effect, therefore, should any of the parcels in the Improvement Area be affected by a hazardous substance is to reduce the marketability and value of the parcel by the costs of remedying the condition, because the purchaser, upon becoming owner, will become obligated to remedy the condition just as is the seller. Further, such liabilities may arise not simply from the existence of a hazardous substance but from the method of handling it. All of these possibilities could significantly affect the financial and legal liability of a property owner to develop the affected parcel or other parcels, as well as the value of the property that is realizable upon a delinquency and foreclosure.

The appraised value of property in the Improvement Area does not take into account the possible reduction in marketability and value of any of the parcels by reason of the possible liability of the owner (or operator) for the remedy of a hazardous substance condition of the parcel. While the District is not aware that the owner (or operator) of any of parcels has such a current liability with respect to any of the parcels, it is possible that such liabilities do currently exist and that the District is not aware of them.

Further, it is possible that liabilities may arise in the future with respect to any of the parcels resulting from the existence, currently, on the parcel of a substance presently classified as hazardous but which has not been released or the release of which is not presently threatened, or may arise in the future resulting from the existence, currently, on the parcel of a substance not presently classified as hazardous but which may in the future be so classified. Further, such liabilities may arise not simply from the existence of a hazardous substance but from the method of handling it. All of these possibilities could significantly affect the value of a parcel within the Improvement Area that is realizable upon a delinquency.

### **Naturally Occurring Asbestos**

California Air Resource Board (“CARB”) adopted the Airborne Toxic Control Measure (“ATCM”) for Construction, Grading, Quarrying and Surface Mining Operations. This statewide regulation is applicable to grading or any other projects disturbing soil in areas of California where asbestos may exist, as determined by the California Geological Survey (“CGS”). The ATCM applies to any size construction project although there are additional notification requirements for projects that exceed one acre. Areas and parcels moderately likely to contain naturally occurring asbestos are located in the eastern parts of Sacramento County, including in the City.

Natural weathering or human disturbance can break the asbestiform minerals down to microscopic fibers, which are easily suspended in air. There is no health threat if asbestos fibers in soil remain undisturbed and do not become airborne. When inhaled, these thin fibers irritate tissues and resist the body’s natural defenses. Asbestos causes cancers of the lung (such as mesothelioma) and the lining of internal organs, asbestosis, and other diseases that inhibit lung function. Scientists consider certain types of asbestos fibers (i.e., tremolite fibers and similarly structured amphibole asbestos particles) that are frequently identified in the City to be more potent than other types in causing mesothelioma.

The EIR for the Folsom Plan Area required all new development to undertake a site investigation to determine the presence of naturally occurring asbestos and, if necessary, prepare and implement an asbestos dust control plan. ECIC has undertaken an asbestos dust control plan with respect to development within the Improvement Area and the costs of development in this Official Statement reflect the costs associated with asbestos mitigation.

The health concerns associated with the presence of naturally occurring asbestos in the Improvement Area may adversely affect the marketability of property in the area.

## **Naturally Occurring Arsenic**

Arsenic is a naturally occurring element that is commonly found in soil, among other locations, and is considered to be a cancer-causing. Arsenic traces, in elevated concentrations as compared to naturally occurring background levels, were identified in open space areas adjacent to Village 1. No grading has occurred, nor is any planned in this portion of the Improvement Area. Additionally, ECIC has implemented monitoring protocols and identified mitigation measures should naturally occurring arsenic be found during any grading activities nearby.

The health concerns associated with the presence of naturally occurring arsenic in the Improvement Area may adversely affect the marketability of property in the area.

## **FDIC/Federal Government Interests in Properties**

The ability of the District to foreclose the lien of delinquent unpaid Special Tax installments may be limited with regard to properties in which the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the "FDIC"), the Drug Enforcement Agency, the Internal Revenue Service, or other federal agency has or obtains an interest.

Under the Supremacy Clause of the United States Constitution, unless Congress has otherwise provided, if a federal governmental entity owns a parcel that is subject to Special Taxes within the Improvement Area but does not pay taxes and assessments levied on the parcel (including Special Taxes), the applicable state and local governments cannot foreclose on the parcel to collect the delinquent taxes and assessments. Moreover, unless Congress has otherwise provided, if the federal government has a mortgage interest in the parcel and the District wishes to foreclose on the parcel as a result of delinquent Special Taxes, the property cannot be sold at a foreclosure sale unless it can be sold for an amount sufficient to pay delinquent taxes and assessments on parity with the Special Taxes and preserve the federal government's mortgage interest. In *Rust v. Johnson*, 597 F.2d 174 (1979), the United States Court of Appeal, Ninth Circuit held that the Federal National Mortgage Association ("FNMA") is a federal instrumentality for purposes of this doctrine, and not a private entity, and that, as a result, an exercise of state power over a mortgage interest held by FNMA constitutes an exercise of state power over property of the United States.

Neither the Authority nor the District have undertaken to determine whether any federal governmental entity currently has, or is likely to acquire, any interest (including a mortgage interest) in any of the parcels subject to the Special Taxes within the Improvement Area, and therefore expresses no view concerning the likelihood that the risks described above will materialize while the Bonds are outstanding.

In the event that any financial institution making any loan which is secured by real property within the Improvement Area is taken over by the FDIC, and prior thereto or thereafter the loan or loans go into default, then the ability of the Authority to collect interest and penalties specified by State law and to foreclose the lien of delinquent unpaid Special Taxes may be limited.

The FDIC's policy statement regarding the payment of state and local real property taxes (the "Policy Statement") provides that property owned by the FDIC is subject to state and local real property taxes only if those taxes are assessed according to the property's value, and that the FDIC is immune from real property taxes assessed on any basis other than property value. According to the Policy Statement, the FDIC will pay its property tax obligations when they become due and payable and will pay claims for delinquent property taxes as promptly as is consistent with sound business practice and the orderly administration of the institution's affairs, unless abandonment of the FDIC's interest in the property is

appropriate. The FDIC will pay claims for interest on delinquent property taxes owed at the rate provided under state law, to the extent the interest payment obligation is secured by a valid lien. The FDIC will not pay any amounts in the nature of fines or penalties and will not pay nor recognize liens for such amounts. If any property taxes (including interest) on FDIC-owned property are secured by a valid lien (in effect before the property became owned by the FDIC), the FDIC will pay those claims. The Policy Statement further provides that no property of the FDIC is subject to levy, attachment, garnishment, foreclosure or sale without the FDIC's consent. In addition, the FDIC will not permit a lien or security interest held by the FDIC to be eliminated by foreclosure without the FDIC's consent.

The Policy Statement states that the FDIC generally will not pay non-ad *valorem* taxes, including special assessments, on property in which it has a fee interest unless the amount of tax is fixed at the time that the FDIC acquires its fee interest in the property, nor will it recognize the validity of any lien to the extent it purports to secure the payment of any such amounts. Special taxes imposed under the Mello-Roos Act and a special tax formula which determines the special tax due each year are specifically identified in the Policy Statement as being imposed each year and therefore covered by the FDIC's federal immunity. The Ninth Circuit has issued a ruling on August 28, 2001, in which it determined that the FDIC, as a federal agency, is exempt from Mello-Roos special taxes. According to information available from the Sacramento County assessment roll, the FDIC does not currently own any of the property in the Improvement Area.

The Authority and the District are unable to predict what effect the application of the Policy Statement would have in the event of a delinquency in the payment of Special Taxes on a parcel within the Improvement Area in which the FDIC has or obtains an interest, although prohibiting the lien of the FDIC to be foreclosed out at a judicial foreclosure sale could reduce or eliminate the number of persons willing to purchase a parcel at foreclosure sale. Such an outcome could cause a draw on the reserve account for the Local Obligations and perhaps, ultimately, if enough property were to become owned by the FDIC, a default in payment on the Local Obligations and the Bonds.

#### **No Acceleration Provision**

The Local Obligations Indenture does not contain a provision allowing for the acceleration of the Bonds in the event of a payment default or other default under the terms thereof.

#### **Loss of Tax Exemption**

As discussed under "TAX MATTERS," interest on the Bonds could become includable in gross income for purposes of federal income taxation retroactive to the date of issuance, as a result of acts or omissions of the District subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in violation of the District's covenants with respect to the Bonds. Should interest become includable in gross income, the Bonds are not subject to redemption by reason thereof and will remain outstanding until maturity or unless earlier redeemed pursuant to optional or mandatory redemption.

### **LEGAL MATTERS**

The validity of the Bonds, the Local Obligations and certain other legal matters are subject to the approving legal opinion of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Bond Counsel to the Authority ("Bond Counsel"). Bond Counsel has not undertaken any responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or fairness of this Official Statement and expresses no opinion as to the matters set forth herein. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the District and the Authority by the City Attorney. Certain legal matters relating to the Local Obligations will be passed upon by Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, as

bond counsel to the District. The fees of Bond Counsel and Disclosure Counsel are contingent upon the issuance of the Bonds.

## TAX MATTERS

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, based upon an analysis of existing laws, regulations, rulings and court decisions, and assuming, among other matters, the accuracy of certain representations and compliance with certain covenants, interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code") and is exempt from State of California personal income taxes. Bond Counsel is of the further opinion that interest on the Bonds is not a specific preference item for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax. A complete copy of the proposed form of opinion of Bond Counsel is set forth as APPENDIX E hereto.

To the extent the issue price of any maturity of the Bonds is less than the amount to be paid at maturity of such Bonds (excluding amounts stated to be interest and payable at least annually over the term of such Bonds), the difference constitutes "original issue discount," the accrual of which, to the extent properly allocable to each Beneficial Owner thereof, is treated as interest on the Bonds which is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and State of California personal income taxes. For this purpose, the issue price of a particular maturity of the Bonds is the first price at which a substantial amount of such maturity of the Bonds is sold to the public (excluding bond houses, brokers, or similar persons or organizations acting in the capacity of underwriters, placement agents or wholesalers). The original issue discount with respect to any maturity of the Bonds accrues daily over the term to maturity of such Bonds on the basis of a constant interest rate compounded semiannually (with straight-line interpolations between compounding dates). The accruing original issue discount is added to the adjusted basis of such Bonds to determine taxable gain or loss upon disposition (including sale, redemption, or payment on maturity) of such Bonds. Beneficial Owners of the Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the tax consequences of ownership of Bonds with original issue discount, including the treatment of Beneficial Owners who do not purchase such Bonds in the original offering to the public at the first price at which a substantial amount of such Bonds is sold to the public.

Bonds purchased, whether at original issuance or otherwise, for an amount higher than their principal amount payable at maturity (or, in some cases, at their earlier call date) ("Premium Bonds") will be treated as having amortizable bond premium. No deduction is allowable for the amortizable bond premium in the case of bonds, like the Premium Bonds, the interest on which is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. However, the amount of tax-exempt interest received, and a Beneficial Owner's basis in a Premium Bond, will be reduced by the amount of amortizable bond premium properly allocable to such Beneficial Owner. Beneficial Owners of Premium Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the proper treatment of amortizable bond premium in their particular circumstances.

The Code imposes various restrictions, conditions and requirements relating to the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on obligations such as the Bonds. The Authority, the City and the District have made certain representations and covenanted to comply with certain restrictions, conditions and requirements designed to ensure that interest on the Bonds will not be included in federal gross income. Inaccuracy of these representations or failure to comply with these covenants may result in interest on the Bonds being included in gross income for federal income tax purposes, possibly from the date of original issuance of the Bonds. The opinion of Bond Counsel assumes the accuracy of these representations and compliance with these covenants. Bond Counsel has not undertaken to determine (or to inform any person) whether any actions taken (or not taken), or events occurring (or not occurring), or any other matters coming to Bond Counsel's attention after the date of issuance of the Bonds may adversely affect the value of, or the tax status of interest on, the Bonds.

Accordingly, the opinion of Bond Counsel is not intended to, and may not, be relied upon in connection with any such actions, events or matters.

Although Bond Counsel is of the opinion that interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is exempt from State of California personal income taxes, the ownership or disposition of, or the accrual or receipt of amounts treated as interest on, the Bonds may otherwise affect a Beneficial Owner's federal, state or local tax liability. The nature and extent of these other tax consequences depends upon the particular tax status of the Beneficial Owner or the Beneficial Owner's other items of income or deduction. Bond Counsel expresses no opinion regarding any such other tax consequences.

Current and future legislative proposals, if enacted into law, clarification of the Code or court decisions may cause interest on the Bonds to be subject, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, to federal income taxation or to be subject to or exempted from state income taxation, or otherwise prevent Beneficial Owners from realizing the full current benefit of the tax status of such interest. The introduction or enactment of any such legislative proposals or clarification of the Code or court decisions may also affect, perhaps significantly, the market price for, or marketability of, the Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult their own tax advisors regarding the potential impact of any pending or proposed federal or state tax legislation, regulations or litigation, as to which Bond Counsel is expected to express no opinion.

The opinion of Bond Counsel is based on current legal authority, covers certain matters not directly addressed by such authorities, and represents Bond Counsel's judgment as to the proper treatment of the Bonds for federal income tax purposes. It is not binding on the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") or the courts. Furthermore, Bond Counsel cannot give and has not given any opinion or assurance about the future activities of the Authority, the City or the District, or about the effect of future changes in the Code, the applicable regulations, the interpretation thereof or the enforcement thereof by the IRS. The Authority, the City and the District have covenanted, however, to comply with the requirements of the Code.

Bond Counsel's engagement with respect to the Bonds ends with the issuance of the Bonds, and, unless separately engaged, Bond Counsel is not obligated to defend the Authority, the City, the District or the Beneficial Owners regarding the tax-exempt status of the Bonds in the event of an audit examination by the IRS. Under current procedures, parties other than the Authority, the District and their appointed counsel, including the Beneficial Owners, would have little, if any, right to participate in the audit examination process. Moreover, because achieving judicial review in connection with an audit examination of tax-exempt bonds is difficult, obtaining an independent review of IRS positions with which the Authority, the City or the District legitimately disagrees, may not be practicable. Any action of the IRS, including but not limited to selection of the Bonds for audit, or the course or result of such audit, or an audit of bonds presenting similar tax issues may affect the market price for, or the marketability of, the Bonds, and may cause the Authority, the City, the District or the Beneficial Owners to incur significant expense.

#### **NO LITIGATION**

At the time of delivery of and payment for the Bonds and the Local Obligations, the Authority and/or the District, as applicable, will certify that there is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court or regulatory agency, public board or body pending or threatened against the Authority or the District affecting their existence, or the titles of their respective officers, or seeking to restrain or to enjoin the issuance, sale or delivery of the Bonds or the Local Obligations, the application of the proceeds thereof in accordance with the Trust Agreement, or the



collection or levy of the Special Taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Local Obligations, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity or enforceability of the Local Obligations and the Bonds, the Trust Agreement, the Local Obligations Indenture, the Bond Purchase Contract entered into among the Authority, the District and the Underwriter or any other applicable agreements or any action of the Authority or the District contemplated by any of said documents, or in any way contesting the completeness or accuracy of this Official Statement or any amendment or supplement thereto, or contesting the powers of the Authority or the District or their authority with respect to the Bonds or the Local Obligations or any action of the Authority or the District contemplated by any of said documents, nor, to the knowledge of the Authority, is there any basis therefor.

### **NO RATING**

The Authority has not made, and does not contemplate making, application to any rating agency for the assignment of a rating to the Bonds. The absence of a rating may significantly adversely affect the ability of the owner of Bonds to sell such Bonds.

### **MUNICIPAL ADVISOR**

The District has retained Fieldman, Rolapp & Associates, Inc. as municipal advisor (the “Municipal Advisor”) with respect to the issuance of the Bonds. The Municipal Advisor is not obligated to undertake, and has not undertaken to make, an independent verification or assume responsibility for the accuracy, completeness, or fairness of the information contained in this Official Statement.

Compensation of the Municipal Advisor relating to the issuance of the Bonds is contingent upon the issuance of the Bonds.

### **UNDERWRITING**

The Bonds are being purchased by Piper Sandler & Co. (the “Underwriter”) pursuant to a Bond Purchase Contract (the “Purchase Contract”), by and among the Authority, the District and the Underwriter. Pursuant to the Purchase Contract, the Underwriter has agreed to purchase all of the Bonds from the Authority at a purchase price of \$\_\_\_\_\_, being the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds of \$\_\_\_\_\_, [plus/less] [an/ a net] original issue [premium/discount] of \$\_\_\_\_\_ and less an Underwriter’s discount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. The Underwriter may offer and sell the Bonds to certain dealers and others at prices lower than the public offering prices set forth on the inside front cover page hereof.

### **CONTINUING DISCLOSURE**

#### **The District**

The District has covenanted for the benefit of the Owners to provide certain financial information and operating data relating to the Bonds by not later than nine months following the end of the District’s fiscal year (which fiscal year currently ends June 30) commencing with the report for the 2019-20 Fiscal Year (the “Annual Report”), which is due April 1, 2021, and to provide notices of the occurrence of certain enumerated events. The Annual Report and the notices of enumerated events will be filed with EMMA, and the first Annual Report may include the filing of or reference to this Official Statement. The specific nature of the information to be contained in the Annual Report or the notices of enumerated events is contained within APPENDIX D—“FORMS OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKINGS.” These covenants have been made in order to assist the Underwriter in complying with S.E.C. Rule 15c2-12(b)(5).

The District is committed to complete and accurate continuing disclosure in accordance with its continuing disclosure obligations under the federal securities laws, including rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC and the MSRB, as those rules may be amended from time to time. However, during the past five years, there were specific instances where complete and accurate disclosure was not achieved by the City or its related agencies, including, (1) the City failed to include revenue fund balances for certain of the Folsom Public Financing Authority's revenue bonds issued in 2007 in the annual reports for Fiscal Years 2015 through 2017, and (2) a notice of listed event for a ratings upgrade on October 12, 2018, was not timely filed for certain of the Folsom Public Financing Authority's water revenue bonds. The description of these instances of non-compliance in this Official Statement is not an acknowledgement that any such non-compliance was material. [Further, the City has made remedial filings to address these instances of non-compliance for those issues that are still outstanding, and has policies and procedures in place in order to achieve compliance with its continuing disclosure undertakings.]

### **ECIC, KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes**

Pursuant to separate certificates, ECIC, KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes have each covenanted for the benefit of the Bondholders to provide certain information relating to it, its development plan and its financing plan (the "Disclosure Reports"), and to provide notices of the occurrence of certain enumerated events until the obligation to so provide such information, data and notices is otherwise terminated in accordance with the provisions of such certificate. A form of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate for ECIC and a form of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate for KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes is included in APPENDIX D—"FORMS OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKINGS." Such information is to be provided semiannually not later than March 31 and September 30 of each year, commencing with the Disclosure Report due March 31, 2021. The Disclosure Reports are to be filed with EMMA.

The Authority and the District have not considered, or reached any conclusion as to, whether or not ECIC, KB Home Sacramento or Signature Homes are an obligated person under the Rule. The Authority takes no responsibility for the form or content or for the adequacy of the respective Continuing Disclosure Certificates for ECIC, KB Home Sacramento or Signature Homes for their intended purpose.

*ECIC.* The obligations of ECIC under its Continuing Disclosure Certificate will terminate when upon the occurrence of certain events set forth in ECIC's Continuing Disclosure Certificate, including when the property within the Improvement Area owned by ECIC is developed to the planned development stage. Other than as set forth in the following sentence, ECIC represents that, to the actual knowledge of ECIC, ECIC has not failed in any material respect to comply with any previous undertaking by it to provide periodic continuing disclosure reports or notices of material events within the past five years. ECIC has reported that in connection with a continuing disclosure undertaking dated August 23, 2017 executed in connection with the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2017, MIC, an affiliate of ECIC, filed its semiannual report that was due by December 31, 2018 on March 15, 2019.

*KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes.* The obligations of KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes under the respective Continuing Disclosure Certificate will terminate when the property within the Improvement Area owned by KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes, respectively, is no longer obligated to pay 20% or more of the Special Taxes within the Improvement Area.

KB Home Sacramento and Signature Homes each represent that, to the actual knowledge of KB Home Sacramento or Signature Homes, respectively, neither KB Home Sacramento or Signature Homes

has failed in any material respect to comply with any previous undertaking by it to provide periodic continuing disclosure reports or notices of material events within the past five years.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

This Official Statement is not to be construed as a contract or agreement among the Authority, the District and the purchasers of the Bonds. Any statements made in this Official Statement involving matters of opinion or of estimates, whether or not so expressly stated, are set forth as such and not as representations of fact, and no representation is made that any of the estimates will be realized. The information and expressions of opinion herein are subject to change without notice and neither the delivery of the Official Statement nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the Authority, the City or the District since the date hereof.

References are made herein to certain documents and reports which are brief summaries thereof which do not purport to be complete or definitive and reference is made to such documents and reports for full and complete statements of the contents thereof. Copies of such documents and reports are available for inspection at the office of the Finance Director, City of Folsom, City Hall, 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, California 95630.

The execution and delivery of the Official Statement by the Authority and the District has been duly authorized by the Board of Directors of the Authority and the City Council, respectively.

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Treasurer

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES  
DISTRICT NO. 23 (FOLSOM RANCH)**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
City of Folsom Finance Director

**APPENDIX A**

**RATE, METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT AND MANNER OF  
COLLECTION OF SPECIAL TAX**

**APPENDIX B**

**ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION RELATING TO THE CITY OF FOLSOM**

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**SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL DOCUMENTS**

## APPENDIX D

### FORMS OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKINGS

#### DISTRICT CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

THIS DISTRICT CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE (this “Disclosure Certificate”), dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, is executed and delivered by the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “District”) relative to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”) in connection with the issuance by the Authority of the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to a Trust Agreement (the “Trust Agreement”), among the District, the Authority and MUFG Union Bank, N.A. (the “Trustee”). The City covenants and agrees as follows.

**SECTION 1. Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate.** The Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the City of Folsom (the “City”) for the benefit of the Holders and Beneficial Owners of the Bonds and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with S.E.C. Rule 15c2-12(b)(5).

**SECTION 2. Definitions.** In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

“Annual Report” means any Annual Report provided by the City pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 hereof.

“Annual Report Date” means the date in each year that is nine months after the end of the City’s fiscal year, which date, as of the date of this Disclosure Certificate, is April 1.

“Dissemination Agent” shall mean NBS, or any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the City and which has filed with the City a written acceptance of such designation.

“EMMA System” means the MSRB’s Electronic Municipal Market Access system, or such other electronic system designated by the MSRB.

“Financial Obligation” means, for purposes of the Listed Events set out in Section 5(a)(10) and Section 5(b)(7), a (i) debt obligation; (ii) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (iii) guarantee of (i) or (ii). The term “Financial Obligation” shall not include Municipal Securities (as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

“Listed Events” means any of the events listed in subsection (a) of Section 5 hereof.

“MSRB” means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, or any successor thereto.

“Official Statement” means the Official Statement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, relating to the Bonds.



“Participating Underwriter” means the original underwriter of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with the offering of the Bonds.

“Rule” means Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

SECTION 3. Provision of Annual Reports.

(a) The City shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, provide to the MSRB through the EMMA System, in an electronic format and accompanied by identifying information all as prescribed by the MSRB, an Annual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 hereof, not later than the Annual Report Date, commencing with the report for the 2019-20 Fiscal Year. The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may include by reference other information as provided in Section 4 hereof; provided, however, that the audited financial statements of the City may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report, and later than the date required above for the filing of the Annual Report if not available by that date. If the City’s fiscal year changes, it shall, or shall instruct the Dissemination Agent to, give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof. The first Annual Report may include the filing of or reference to the Official Statement.

(b) Not later than 15 business days prior to the date specified in subsection (a) of this Section for the providing of the Annual Report to the MSRB, the City shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent.

(c) If the Dissemination Agent is other than the City, then not later than fifteen (15) Business Days prior to said date, the City shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent. If the City is unable to provide the Annual Report to the MSRB by the Annual Report Date, the City shall send a notice to the MSRB in substantially the form attached as Exhibit A to the Disclosure Certificate.

(d) The Dissemination Agent shall:

(i) provide any Annual Report received by it to the MSRB, as provided herein; and

(ii) file a report with the City certifying that the Annual Report has been provided pursuant to this Disclosure Certificate and stating the date it was so provided.

SECTION 4. Content of Annual Reports. The City’s Annual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following:

(a) The District’s audited financial statements, if any, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as promulgated to apply to governmental entities from time to time by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. If the District’s audited financial statements, if any, are not available by the time the Annual Report is required to be filed pursuant to subsection (a) of Section 3 hereof, the Annual Report shall contain unaudited financial statements, and the audited financial statements, if any, shall be filed in the same manner as the Annual Report when they become available. If the District’s financial statement is included or consolidated with the financial statement for the City of Folsom, then the District shall file the City’s audited financial statements as its own.

(b) The following information:

(i) The principal amount of Bonds Outstanding as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date along with a debt service schedule for the Bonds Outstanding as of such date;

(ii) The balance in each reserve account for the Local Obligations, and a statement of the required bond reserve amount, as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(iii) The total assessed value of all parcels within the Improvement Area on which the Special Taxes are levied, as shown on the assessment roll of the Sacramento County Assessor last equalized prior to the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date, and a statement of assessed value-to-lien ratios therefor based on special tax and assessment debt, either by individual parcel or by categories (e.g., "below 3:1," "3:1 to 4:1" etc.);

(iv) The Special Tax delinquency rate for the Improvement Area as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; the number of parcels within the Improvement Area delinquent in payment of special taxes as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; the amount of each delinquency; the length of time delinquent and the date on which foreclosure was commenced, or similar information pertaining to delinquencies deemed appropriate by the City; provided, however, that parcels with aggregate delinquencies of \$1,000 or less (excluding penalties and interest) may be grouped together and such information may be provided by category;

(v) The status of foreclosure proceedings and a summary of the results of any foreclosure sales in the Improvement Area as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(vi) The identity of any property owner, representing more than 5% of the Special Tax levy, delinquent in payment of special taxes as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(vii) All tentative and final maps approved and/or recorded within the Improvement Area, describing the gross acres, the planned commercial acres and the number and type of planned residential dwelling units;

(viii) The number of new building permits issued and a description of the purpose of such permits (e.g., new single-family, new multi-family, new commercial, new industrial);

(ix) A land ownership summary listing the top ten Special Tax payers for the Improvement Area, as shown on the assessment roll of the Sacramento County Assessor last equalized prior to the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; and

(x) For each immediately preceding Fiscal Year, the amount of the Maximum Special Tax and the actual Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area, with such amounts reported separately for Developed Property, Small Lot Final Map Property and Large Lot Property; provided, however, that once all Taxable Property within the Improvement Area is Developed Property, the Maximum Special Tax and the actual Special Tax levied may each be shown on an aggregate basis in the Annual Report. For the purposes of this subparagraph (x), all capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Rate and Method of Apportionment for the Improvement Area.

In addition to any of the information expressly required to be provided under this Section, as set forth above, the City shall provide such further information, if any, as may be necessary to make the specifically required statements, in the light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the City or related public entities, which have been submitted to the MSRB through the EMMA System. The City shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events.

(a) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the City shall give notice, or cause notice to be given, not less than ten Business Days after the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds:

- (i) Principal and interest payment delinquencies.
- (ii) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties.
- (iii) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties.
- (iv) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform.

(v) Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue IRS Form 5701 TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax-exempt status of the security.

- (vi) Defeasances.
- (vii) Tender offers.
- (viii) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the obligated person.

Note: For the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (ix), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, trustee or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governmental body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person.

- (ix) Rating changes.

(x) Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms or other similar events under the terms of a financial Obligation of the District, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

(b) The City shall give notice, or cause notice to be given, not less than ten Business Days after the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds, if material:

(i) Modifications to rights of Bond holders.

(ii) Bond calls.

(iii) Release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds.

(iv) Non-payment related defaults.

(v) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving an obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms.

(vi) Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee.

(vii) Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the District, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the District, any of which affect Bondholders.

(c) Whenever the City obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in subsection (b) above, the City shall determine if such event would be material under applicable federal securities laws.

(d) If the City learns of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in subsection (a) of this Section, or determines that knowledge of a Listed Event described in subsection (b) of this Section would be material under applicable federal securities laws, the City shall notify the Dissemination Agent thereof in writing and instruct the Dissemination Agent to report the occurrence pursuant to subsection (e) of this Section. If in response to a request under subsection (b) of this Section, the City determines that the Listed Event would not be material under applicable Federal securities law, the City shall so notify the Dissemination Agent in writing and instruct the Dissemination Agent not to report the occurrence pursuant to subsection (e) of this Section.

(e) If the Dissemination Agent has been instructed by the City to report the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Dissemination Agent shall file a notice of such occurrence with the MSRB through the EMMA System. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice of Listed Events described in paragraph (vii) of subsection (a) of this Section and paragraph (ii) of subsection (b) of this Section need not be given under this subsection any earlier than the notice (if any) of the underlying event is given to holders of affected Bonds pursuant to the Trust Agreement.

SECTION 6. Termination of Reporting Obligation. The City's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the

Bonds. If such termination occurs prior to the final maturity of the Bonds, the City shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 7. Dissemination Agent. The City may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for the content of any notice or report prepared by the City pursuant to the Disclosure Certificate.

SECTION 8. Amendment; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Certificate, the City may amend this Disclosure Certificate, and any provision of this Disclosure Certificate may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:

(a) if the amendment or waiver relates to the provisions of subsection (a) of Section 3 hereof, Section 4 hereof or subsections (a) and (b) of Section 5 hereof, it may only be made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature or status of an obligated person with respect to the Bonds, or type of business conducted;

(b) the undertakings herein, as proposed to be amended or waived, would, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the primary offering of the Bonds, after taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances; and

(c) the proposed amendment or waiver (i) is approved by Owners of the Bonds in the manner provided in the Trust Agreement for amendments to the Trust Agreement with the consent of Owners, or (ii) does not, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, materially impair the interests of Owners or Beneficial Owners of the Bonds.

If the annual financial information or operating data to be provided in the Annual Report is amended pursuant to the provisions hereof, the annual financial information containing the amended operating data or financial information shall explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the amendment and the impact of the change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

If an amendment is made to the undertaking specifying the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements, the annual financial information for the year in which the change is made shall present a comparison between the financial statements or information prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles. The comparison shall include a qualitative discussion of the differences in the accounting principles and the impact of the change in the accounting principles on the presentation of the financial statements or information, in order to provide information to investors to enable them to evaluate the ability of the City to meet its obligations. To the extent reasonably feasible, the comparison shall be quantitative. A notice of the change in the accounting principles shall be given in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the City from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the City chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure

Certificate, the City shall have no obligation under this Disclosure Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. Default. In the event of a failure of the City or the Dissemination Agent to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any Holder or Beneficial Owner of outstanding Bonds may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the City to comply with its obligations under the Disclosure Certificate. A default under the Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under the Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the City to comply with the Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance.

SECTION 11. Duties, Immunities and Liabilities of Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall be entitled to the protections and limitations from liability afforded to the Trustee under the Trust Agreement. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible for the form or content of any Annual Report or notice of Listed Event. The Dissemination Agent shall receive reasonable compensation for its services provided under this Disclosure Certificate. The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Certificate, and the City agrees to indemnify and save the Dissemination Agent, its officers, directors, employees and agents, harmless against any loss, expense and liabilities which it may incur arising out of or in the exercise or performance of its powers and duties hereunder, including the costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) of defending against any claim of liability, but excluding liabilities due to the Dissemination Agent's negligence or willful misconduct. The obligations of the City under this Section shall survive resignation or removal of the Dissemination Agent and payment of the Bonds.

SECTION 12. Beneficiaries. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the City, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriter and Owners and Beneficial Owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

SECTION 13. Counterparts. This Disclosure Certificate may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the District has executed this Disclosure Certificate as of the date first above written.

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY  
FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A**

**NOTICE OF FAILURE TO FILE ANNUAL REPORT**

Name of Issuer: Folsom Ranch Financing Authority

Name of Issue: Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020

Date of Issuance: \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "District") has not provided an Annual Report with respect to the above-named Bonds as required by Section 3 of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, executed by the District for the benefit of the Holders and Beneficial Owners of the above-referenced bonds. [The District anticipates that the Annual Report will be filed by \_\_\_\_\_.]

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY  
FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Finance Director

## CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE - DEVELOPER

This Continuing Disclosure Certificate – Developer (the “Disclosure Certificate”) dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, is executed and delivered by East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC (the “Developer”) in connection with the issuance of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ aggregate principal amount of Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to a Trust Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “Trust Agreement”), among the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Issuer”), the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “District”) and MUFJ Union Bank, N.A., as trustee (the “Trustee”).

SECTION 1. Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate. This Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the Developer for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The Developer acknowledges that the Issuer and the District have undertaken no responsibility with respect to any reports, notices or disclosures provided or required under this Disclosure Certificate, and has no liability to any person, including any holder or beneficial owner of the Bonds, with respect to this Disclosure Certificate.

SECTION 2. Definitions. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined herein, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

“Affiliate” of another Person means (a) any Person directly or indirectly owning, controlling, or holding with power to vote, 50% or more of the outstanding voting securities of such other Person, (b) any Person 50% or more of whose outstanding voting securities are directly or indirectly owned, controlled, or held with power to vote, by such other Person, and (c) any Person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, or under common control with, such other Person; for purposes hereof, control means the power to exercise a controlling influence over the management or policies of a Person, unless such power is solely the result of an official position with such Person.

“Assumption Agreement” means an agreement containing terms substantially similar to this Disclosure Certificate, whereby a Major Developer agrees to provide Semi-Annual Reports and notices of significant events with respect to the portion of the Property owned by such Major Developer and its Affiliates, and with respect to the improvements or payments necessary to cause the Planned Development Stage to be reached that such Major Developer, or an Affiliate thereof, intends or is obligated (contractually or otherwise) to make or cause to be made.

“Bonds” means the \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020.

“Developer” means East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC.

“Development Plan” means with respect to a Major Developer, the specific improvements such Major Developer intends to make, or cause to be made, in order for the Planned Development Stage to be reached, the time frame in which such improvements are intended to be made and the estimated costs of such improvements; the Developer’s Development Plan, as of the date hereof, is described in the Official Statement under the captions “PLAN OF FINANCE,” “FOLSOM PLAN AREA” and “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT.”



“Disclosure Certificate” means this Disclosure Certificate as the same may be amended from time to time.

“Dissemination Agent” means the Developer, and any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the Developer and which has filed with the District a written acceptance of such designation.

“District” means City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch), as the same may be modified by the City Council of the City from time to time.

“Event of Bankruptcy” means, with respect to a Person, that such Person files a petition or institutes a proceeding under any act or acts, state or federal, dealing with or relating to the subject or subjects of bankruptcy or insolvency, or under any amendment of such act or acts, either as a bankrupt or as an insolvent, or as a debtor, or in any similar capacity, wherein or whereby such Person asks or seeks or prays to be adjudicated a bankrupt, or is to be discharged from any or all of such Person’s debts or obligations, or offers to such Person’s creditors to effect a composition or extension of time to pay such Person’s debts or asks, seeks or prays for reorganization or to effect a plan of reorganization, or for a readjustment of such Person’s debts, or for any other similar relief, or if any such petition or any such proceedings of the same or similar kind or character is filed or instituted or taken against such Person, or if a receiver of the business or of the property or assets of such Person is appointed by any court, or if such Person makes a general assignment for the benefit of such Person’s creditors.

“Financing Plan” means, with respect to a Major Developer, the method by which such Major Developer intends to finance its Development Plan, including specific sources of funding for such Development Plan; the Developer’s Financing Plan, as of the date hereof, is described in the Official Statement under the captions “PLAN OF FINANCE” and “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT.”

“Improvement Area” means Improvement Area No. 1 of the District.

“Listed Event” means any of the events listed in Section 5 hereof.

“Major Developer” means any property owner, which owns (itself or through Affiliates) Taxable Property that represents 20% or more of the Special Tax levy on all of the Taxable Property for the then current Fiscal Year.

“MSRB” shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board or any other entity designated or authorized by the Securities and Exchange Commission to receive reports pursuant to the Rule. Until otherwise designated by the MSRB or the Securities and Exchange Commission, filings with the MSRB are to be made through the Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA) website of the MSRB, currently located at <http://emma.msrb.org>.

“Official Statement” means the final, executed Official Statement relating to the Bonds.

“Participating Underwriter” shall mean Piper Sandler & Co., the original underwriter of the Bonds.

“Person” means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, an association, a joint stock company, a trust, any unincorporated organization or a government or political subdivision thereof.

“Planned Development Stage” means, with respect to any portion of the Property, the stage of development at which such portion of the Property is ready to be presented to the marketplace as a

finished residential unit; provided that with respect to the Developer Planned Development Stage shall mean the stage of development when the Developer is no longer a Major Developer and has completed all of the facilities described in the Official Statement under the caption "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT – Development Plans of Finance."

"Residential Lot" means a residential dwelling unit or home lot located within the Improvement Area for which a final subdivision public report was or will be required by the California Department of Real Estate.

"Rule" means Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

"Semiannual Report" shall mean any Semiannual Report provided by the Developer pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Certificate.

"Special Taxes" means the special taxes levied on the Taxable Property within the Improvement Area.

"State" shall mean the State of California.

"Taxable Property" means the real property within the boundaries of the Improvement Area that is not exempt from the Special Taxes authorized to be levied in the Improvement Area.

"Trust Agreement" means the Trust Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020, among the Issuer, the District and the Trustee, and as further amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Trustee" means MUFG Union Bank, N.A., as trustee under the Trust Agreement, or any successor as trustee.

SECTION 3. Provision of Semiannual Reports. So long as the Developer's obligations hereunder have not been terminated pursuant to Section 7, the Developer shall provide to the MSRB and the District a Semiannual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4, not later than March 31 for the six-month period ending on the prior December 31, and not later than September 30 for the six-month period ending the prior June 30, commencing with the Semiannual Report for the six month period ending March 31, 2021. The Semiannual Report must be submitted in electronic format, accompanied by such identifying information as is prescribed by the MSRB, and may cross-reference other information as provided in Sections 4 or 5 hereof.

SECTION 4. Content of Semiannual Reports. The Developer's Semiannual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following information:

(a) If information regarding such Major Developer has not previously been included in a Semi-Annual Report or in the Official Statement, the Development Plan and Financing Plan of such Major Developer or, if information regarding such Major Developer has previously been included in a Semi-Annual Report or in the Official Statement, a description of the progress made in the Development Plan of such Major Developer since the date of such information and a description of any significant changes in such Development Plan and the Financing Plan and the causes or rationale for such changes.

(b) Identification of any portion of the Taxable Property owned by the Developer consisting of 20% or more of the Special Tax levy on all of the Taxable Property within the Improvement Area that

is conveyed by the Developer to an entity that is not an Affiliate since the date of the most recent Semiannual Report.

(c) The number of building permits issued with respect to such Major Developer's Property during the six-month period ending on April 30 and October 31 for the respective Semiannual Report date.

(d) The number of lots that have not reached the Planned Development Stage sold within the Taxable Property owned by the Developer since the date of the Official Statement or a more recent Semiannual Report, and, if any such lots were sold to a Major Developer, the identity of the Major Developer.

(e) The number of finished homes sold and conveyed to individual homeowners by the Developer in the Improvement Area during the six-month period ending on April 30 and October 31 for the respective Semiannual Report date.

(f) Any material amendments to land use entitlements for Taxable Property of the Developer, if such amendments would prevent or significantly delay the implementation of the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

(g) The information required to be provided under Section 5 hereof during the six-month period ending on the respective April 30 and October 31 prior to the date by which such Semiannual Report must be filed in accordance with Section 3.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events. Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the Developer shall promptly give, or cause to be given, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Developer:

(a) Any failure of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer, to pay by the date due general property taxes or assessments with respect to its Taxable Property.

(b) Any denial or termination of credit, any denial or termination of, or default under, any line of credit or loan or any other loss of a source of funds that could have a material adverse effect on the Developer's most recently disclosed Financing Plan or Development Plan or on the ability of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer owning any Taxable Property, to pay any Special Taxes with respect to its Taxable Property when due.

(c) The occurrence of an Event of Bankruptcy with respect to the Developer, or any Affiliate, that could have a material adverse effect on the Developer's most recently disclosed Financing Plan or Development Plan or on the ability of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer owning any Taxable Property, to pay Special Taxes with respect to its Taxable Property when due.

(d) Any previously undisclosed governmentally-imposed preconditions to commencement or continuation of development on the Developer's Taxable Property, if such preconditions would prevent or significantly delay the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

(e) Any previously undisclosed legislative, administrative or judicial challenges to development on the Developer's Taxable Property, if such challenges would prevent or significantly

delay the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

Whenever the Developer obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Developer shall promptly report the occurrence of the Listed Event by filing a notice of such occurrence with the MSRB in electronic format, accompanied by such identifying information as is prescribed by the MSRB.

SECTION 6. Assumption of Obligations. If any portion of the Taxable Property owned by the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer, is conveyed such that, upon such conveyance, such new owner will be a Major Developer, the obligations of the Developer under this Disclosure Certificate with respect to the Taxable Property transferred by the Developer shall be assumed by such Major Developer pursuant to an Assumption Agreement.

SECTION 7. Termination of Reporting Obligation. All of the Developer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all the Bonds. The Developer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the earliest to occur of (a)(1) the date on which the Planned Development Stage has been reached and (2) the date on which the Developer is no longer a Major Developer, as defined herein, or (b) the date on which all of the Developer's obligations are assumed under one or more Assumption Agreements entered into pursuant to Section 6 hereof, or (c) the date on which all Special Taxes levied on the Taxable Property owned by the Developer and its Affiliates are paid or prepaid in full. Upon the occurrence of any such termination prior to the final maturity of the Bonds, the Developer shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 8. Amendment; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, the Developer may amend provisions of this Disclosure Certificate and any provision hereof may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:

(a) If the amendment or waiver relates to the provisions of Sections 3, 4 or 5 hereof, it may be made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature, or status of an obligated person (as defined in the Rule) with respect to the Bonds, or type of business conducted; and

(b) The proposed amendment or waiver either (i) is approved by holders of the Bonds in the manner provided in the Trust Agreement for amendments to the Trust Agreement with the consent of holders, or (ii) does not, in the opinion of bond counsel approved by the District, materially impair the interests of the holders or beneficial owners of the Bonds.

If the semiannual financial information or operating data to be provided in the Semiannual Report is amended pursuant to the provisions hereof, the first semiannual financial information filed pursuant hereto containing the amended operating data or financial information shall explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the amendment and the impact of the change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the Developer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the Developer chooses to include any information in any Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Certificate, the Developer shall have no obligation under this Disclosure

Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. Dissemination Agent. The Developer may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent may resign by providing 30 days' written notice to the Developer. The Developer shall be responsible for paying the fees and expenses of the Dissemination Agent.

SECTION 11. Default. In the event of a failure of the Developer to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any holder or beneficial owner of the Bonds may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the Developer to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate. A default under this Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the Developer to comply with this Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance.

SECTION 12. Beneficiaries. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the Developer, the Participating Underwriter, the District and holders and beneficial owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other Person.

SECTION 13. Notices. Any notices or communications to the Developer may be given as set forth in Exhibit A hereto or such other address that shall be specified by the Developer to the District from time to time.

SECTION 14. Governing Law. This Disclosure Certificate and any dispute arising hereunder shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Disclosure Certificate as of the day and year written above.

East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A TO CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE - DEVELOPER**

Any notices or communications to or among any of the parties to this Disclosure Certificate may be given as follows:

To Developer: East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC

Attn: [ \_\_\_\_\_ ]

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[ \_\_\_\_\_ ]

## CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE – HOME BUILDER

This Continuing Disclosure Certificate – Home Builder (the “Disclosure Certificate”) dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, is executed and delivered by [KB Home Sacramento, Inc./Signature Homes, Inc.] (the “Developer”) in connection with the issuance of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ aggregate principal amount of Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to a Trust Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “Trust Agreement”), among the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Issuer”), the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “District”) and MUFJ Union Bank, N.A., as trustee (the “Trustee”).

SECTION 1. Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate. This Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the Developer for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The Developer acknowledges that the Issuer and the District have undertaken no responsibility with respect to any reports, notices or disclosures provided or required under this Disclosure Certificate, and has no liability to any person, including any holder or beneficial owner of the Bonds, with respect to this Disclosure Certificate.

SECTION 2. Definitions. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined herein, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

“Affiliate” of another Person means (a) any Person directly or indirectly owning, controlling, or holding with power to vote, 50% or more of the outstanding voting securities of such other Person, (b) any Person 50% or more of whose outstanding voting securities are directly or indirectly owned, controlled, or held with power to vote, by such other Person, and (c) any Person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, or under common control with, such other Person; for purposes hereof, control means the power to exercise a controlling influence over the management or policies of a Person, unless such power is solely the result of an official position with such Person.

“Assumption Agreement” means an agreement containing terms substantially similar to this Disclosure Certificate, whereby a Major Developer agrees to provide Semi-Annual Reports and notices of significant events with respect to the portion of the Property owned by such Major Developer and its Affiliates, and with respect to the improvements or payments necessary to cause the Planned Development Stage to be reached that such Major Developer, or an Affiliate thereof, intends or is obligated (contractually or otherwise) to make or cause to be made.

“Bonds” means the \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020.

“Developer” means [KB Home Sacramento, Inc./Signature Homes, Inc.].

“Development Plan” means with respect to a Major Developer, the specific improvements such Major Developer intends to make, or cause to be made, in order for the Planned Development Stage to be reached, and the time frame in which such improvements are intended to be made; the Developer’s Development Plan, as of the date hereof, is described in the Official Statement under the caption [KB Home Sacramento: “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Development Plan and Status of Development—*KB Home Sacramento*”/Signature Homes: “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Development Plan and Status of Development—*Signature Homes*.”]



“Disclosure Certificate” means this Disclosure Certificate as the same may be amended from time to time.

“Dissemination Agent” means initially, the Developer, and any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the Developer and which has filed with the District a written acceptance of such designation.

“District” means City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch), as the same may be modified by the City Council of the City from time to time.

“Event of Bankruptcy” means, with respect to a Person, that such Person files a petition or institutes a proceeding under any act or acts, state or federal, dealing with or relating to the subject or subjects of bankruptcy or insolvency, or under any amendment of such act or acts, either as a bankrupt or as an insolvent, or as a debtor, or in any similar capacity, wherein or whereby such Person asks or seeks or prays to be adjudicated a bankrupt, or is to be discharged from any or all of such Person’s debts or obligations, or offers to such Person’s creditors to effect a composition or extension of time to pay such Person’s debts or asks, seeks or prays for reorganization or to effect a plan of reorganization, or for a readjustment of such Person’s debts, or for any other similar relief, or if any such petition or any such proceedings of the same or similar kind or character is filed or instituted or taken against such Person, or if a receiver of the business or of the property or assets of such Person is appointed by any court, or if such Person makes a general assignment for the benefit of such Person’s creditors.

“Financing Plan” means, with respect to a Major Developer, the method by which such Major Developer intends to finance its Development Plan, including specific sources of funding for such Development Plan; the Developer’s Financing Plan, as of the date hereof, is described in the Official Statement under the caption [KB Home Sacramento: “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT – Development Plans of Finance – *KB Home Sacramento Plan of Finance*”/Signature Homes: “PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT – Development Plans of Finance – *Signature Homes Plan of Finance*.”]

“Improvement Area” means Improvement Area No. 1 of the District.

“Listed Event” means any of the events listed in Section 5 hereof.

“Major Developer” means any property owner, which owns (itself or through Affiliates) Taxable Property that is responsible in the aggregate for 20% or more of the Special Taxes levied on all of the Taxable Property for the then current Fiscal Year.

“MSRB” shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board or any other entity designated or authorized by the Securities and Exchange Commission as a repository of disclosure information. Until otherwise designated by the MSRB or the Securities and Exchange Commission, filings with the MSRB are to be made through the Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA) website of the MSRB, currently located at <http://emma.msrb.org>.

“Official Statement” means the final, executed Official Statement relating to the Bonds.

“Participating Underwriter” shall mean Piper Sandler & Co., the original underwriter of the Bonds.

“Person” means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, an association, a joint stock company, a trust, any unincorporated organization or a government or political subdivision thereof.

“Planned Development Stage” means, with respect to any portion of the Property, the stage of development at which such portion of the Property is ready to be presented to the marketplace as a finished residential unit.

“Rule” means Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

“Semiannual Report” shall mean any Semiannual Report provided by the Developer on or prior to March 31 and September 30 of each year, commencing with the Semiannual Report due September 30, 2020, pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Certificate.

“Special Taxes” means the special taxes levied on the Taxable Property within the Improvement Area.

“State” shall mean the State of California.

“Taxable Property” means the real property within the boundaries of the Improvement Area that is not exempt from the Special Taxes authorized to be levied in the Improvement Area.

“Trust Agreement” means the Trust Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020, among the Issuer, the District and the Trustee, and as further amended and supplemented from time to time.

“Trustee” means MUFG Union Bank, N.A., as trustee under the Trust Agreement, or any successor as trustee.

SECTION 3. Provision of Semiannual Reports. So long as the Developer’s obligations hereunder have not been terminated pursuant to Section 7, the Developer shall provide to the MSRB and the District a Semiannual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4, not later than March 31 and September 30 of each year, commencing March 31, 2021. If, in any year, March 31 or September 30 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, such deadline shall be extended to the next following business day. The Semiannual Report must be submitted in electronic format, accompanied by such identifying information as is prescribed by the MSRB, and may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may include by reference other information as provided in Sections 4 or 5 hereof.

SECTION 4. Content of Semiannual Reports. The Developer’s Semiannual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following information:

(a) If information regarding such Major Developer has not previously been included in a Semiannual Report or in the Official Statement, the Development Plan and Financing Plan of such Major Developer or, if information regarding such Major Developer has previously been included in a Semiannual Report or in the Official Statement, a description of the progress made in the Development Plan of such Major Developer since the date of such information and a description of any significant changes in such Development Plan and the Financing Plan and the causes or rationale for such changes.

(b) Identification of the conveyance by the Developer of any portion of its Taxable Property that is responsible in the aggregate for 20% or more of the Special Taxes levied on all of the Taxable Property within the Improvement Area to an entity that is not an Affiliate since the Official Statement or a more recent Semiannual Report.

(c) The number of building permits issued with respect to such Major Developer's Taxable Property during the six-month period ending on December 31 and June 30 for the respective Semiannual Report date.

(d) The number of lots that have not reached the Planned Development Stage sold within the Taxable Property owned by the Developer since the date of the Official Statement or a more recent Semiannual Report, and, if any such lots were sold to a Major Developer, the identity of the Major Developer.

(e) The number of finished homes sold and conveyed to individual homeowners by the Developer in the Improvement Area during the six-month period ending on December 31 and June 30 for the respective Semiannual Report date.

(f) Any material amendments to land use entitlements for Taxable Property of the Developer, if such amendments would prevent or significantly delay the implementation of the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

The Developer's Semiannual Reports required to be provided under Section 4 hereof must be filed in accordance with Section 3.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events. Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the Developer shall promptly give, or cause to be given, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Developer:

(a) Any failure of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer, to pay by the date due general property taxes or assessments due with respect to its Taxable Property, to the extent such failure is not promptly cured by the Developer upon discovery thereof.

(b) Any denial or termination of credit, any denial or termination of, or default under, any line of credit or loan or any other loss of a source of funds that could have a material adverse effect on the Developer's most recently disclosed Financing Plan or Development Plan or on the ability of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer owning any Taxable Property, to pay any Special Taxes with respect to its Taxable Property when due.

(c) The occurrence of an Event of Bankruptcy with respect to the Developer, or any Affiliate, that could have a material adverse effect on the Developer's most recently disclosed Financing Plan or Development Plan or on the ability of the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer owning any Taxable Property, to pay Special Taxes with respect to its Taxable Property when due.

(d) Any previously undisclosed governmentally-imposed preconditions to commencement or continuation of development on the Developer's Taxable Property, if such preconditions would prevent or significantly delay the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

(e) Any previously undisclosed legislative, administrative or judicial challenges to development on the Developer's Taxable Property, if such challenges would prevent or significantly delay the Developer's Development Plan as described in the Official Statement or in any previous Semiannual Report.

Whenever the Developer obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Developer shall promptly report the occurrence of the Listed Event by filing a notice of such occurrence with the MSRB in electronic format, accompanied by such identifying information as is prescribed by the MSRB.

SECTION 6. Assumption of Obligations. If any portion of the Taxable Property owned by the Developer, or any Affiliate of the Developer, is conveyed such that, upon such conveyance, such new owner will be a Major Developer, the obligations of the Developer under this Disclosure Certificate with respect to the Taxable Property transferred by the Developer shall be assumed by such Major Developer pursuant to an Assumption Agreement.

SECTION 7. Termination of Reporting Obligation. All of the Developer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all the Bonds. The Developer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the earliest to occur of (a) the date on which the Developer is no longer a Major Developer, as defined herein, or (b) the date on which all of the Developer's obligations are assumed under one or more Assumption Agreements entered into pursuant to Section 6 hereof, or (c) the date on which all Special Taxes levied on the Taxable Property owned by the Developer and its Affiliates are paid or prepaid in full. Upon the occurrence of any such termination prior to the final maturity of the Bonds, the Developer shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 8. Amendment; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, the Developer may amend provisions of this Disclosure Certificate and any provision hereof may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:

(a) If the amendment or waiver relates to the provisions of Sections 3, 4 or 5 hereof, it may be made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law; and

(b) The proposed amendment or waiver either (i) is approved by holders of the Bonds in the manner provided in the Trust Agreement for amendments to the Trust Agreement with the consent of holders, or (ii) does not, in the opinion of bond counsel approved by the District, materially impair the interests of the holders or beneficial owners of the Bonds.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the Developer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the Developer chooses to include any information in any Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Certificate, the Developer shall have no obligation under this Disclosure Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Semiannual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. Dissemination Agent. The Developer may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent may resign by providing 30 days' written notice to the Developer. The Developer shall be responsible for paying the fees and expenses of the Dissemination Agent.

SECTION 11. Default. In the event of a failure of the Developer to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any holder or beneficial owner of the Bonds may take such actions as may

be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the Developer to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate. A default under this Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the Developer to comply with this Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance.

SECTION 12. Beneficiaries. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the Developer, the Participating Underwriter, the District and holders and beneficial owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other Person.

SECTION 13. Notices. Any notices or communications to the Developer and the other parties described herein may be given as set forth in Exhibit A hereto or such other address that shall be specified by the Developer or the other parties described herein from time to time.

SECTION 14. Governing Law. This Disclosure Certificate and any dispute arising hereunder shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Disclosure Certificate as of the day and year written above.

[KB Home Sacramento, Inc./Signature Homes, Inc.]

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**EXHIBIT A TO CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE – HOME BUILDER**

Any notices or communications to the Developer or the other parties described in the Continuing Disclosure Certificate – Home Builder may be given as follows:

To the Developer: [KB Home Sacramento, Inc./Signature Homes, Inc.]


To the Issuer:

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Attention: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

To the Dissemination Agent:

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Attention: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

To the Participating Underwriter:

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Attention: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX E

### PROPOSED FORM OF OPINION OF BOND COUNSEL

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
Folsom, California

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch)  
Improvement Area No. 1  
Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020  
(Final Opinion)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as bond counsel to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Issuer”) in connection with the issuance of \$\_\_\_\_\_ aggregate principal amount of Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”), issued pursuant to the provisions of the Marks-Roos Local Bond Pooling Act of 1985 (constituting Article 4, Chapter 5, Division 7, Title 1 of the California Government Code) and a trust agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “Trust Agreement”), among the Issuer, the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “Community Facilities District”) and MUFG Union Bank, N.A., as trustee (the “Trustee”). The Trust Agreement provides that the Bonds are issued for the purpose of enabling the Issuer to acquire certain local obligations to be issued by the Community Facilities District and to pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds. Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Trust Agreement.

In such connection, we have reviewed the Trust Agreement; the Tax Certificate; opinions of counsel to the Issuer, the Community Facilities District and the Trustee; certificates of the Issuer, the Community Facilities District, the Trustee and others; and such other documents, opinions and matters to the extent we deemed necessary to render the opinions set forth herein.

The opinions expressed herein are based on an analysis of existing laws, regulations, rulings and court decisions and cover certain matters not directly addressed by such authorities. Such opinions may be affected by actions taken or omitted or events occurring after original delivery of the Bonds on the date hereof. We have not undertaken to determine, or to inform any person, whether any such actions are taken or omitted or events do occur or any other matters come to our attention after original delivery of the Bonds on the date hereof. Accordingly, this letter speaks only as of its date and is not intended to, and may not, be relied upon or otherwise used in connection with any such actions, events or matters. Our engagement with respect to the Bonds has concluded with their issuance, and we disclaim any obligation to update this letter. We have assumed the genuineness of all documents and signatures presented to us (whether as originals or as copies) and the due and legal execution and delivery thereof by, and validity against, any parties other than the Issuer. We have assumed, without undertaking to verify, the accuracy of the factual matters represented, warranted or certified in the documents, and of the legal conclusions contained in the opinions, referred to in the second paragraph hereof. Furthermore, we have assumed compliance with all covenants and agreements contained in the Trust Agreement and the Tax Certificate, including (without limitation) covenants and agreements compliance with which is necessary to assure that future actions, omissions or events will not cause interest on the Bonds to be included in gross income for federal income tax purposes.



We call attention to the fact that the rights and obligations under the Bonds, the Trust Agreement and the Tax Certificate and their enforceability may be subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, reorganization, arrangement, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium and other laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to the limitations on legal remedies against joint powers authorities in the State of California. We express no opinion with respect to any indemnification, contribution, liquidated damages, penalty (including any remedy deemed to constitute a penalty), right of set-off, arbitration, judicial reference, choice of law, choice of forum, choice of venue, non-exclusivity of remedies, waiver or severability provisions contained in the foregoing documents, nor do we express any opinion with respect to the state or quality of title to or interest in any of the assets described in or as subject to the lien of the Trust Agreement or the accuracy or sufficiency of the description contained therein of, or the remedies available to enforce liens on, any such assets. Our services did not include financial or other non-legal advice. Finally, we undertake no responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the Official Statement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, or other offering material relating to the Bonds and express no opinion with respect thereto.

Based on and subject to the foregoing, and in reliance thereon, as of the date hereof, we are of the following opinions:

1. The Bonds constitute the valid and binding limited obligations of the Issuer.
2. The Trust Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by, and constitutes the valid and binding obligation of, the Issuer. The Trust Agreement creates a valid pledge, to secure the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, of the Trust Estate, including the Revenues and any other amounts (including proceeds of the sale of the Bonds) held by the Trustee in the Funds established pursuant to the Trust Agreement (except the Rebate Fund), subject to the provisions of the Trust Agreement permitting the application thereof for the purposes and on the terms and conditions set forth in the Trust Agreement.
3. Interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and is exempt from State of California personal income taxes. Interest on the Bonds is not a specific preference item for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax. We express no opinion regarding other tax consequences related to the ownership or disposition of, or the amount, accrual or receipt of interest on, the Bonds.

Faithfully yours,

ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP

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## APPENDIX F

### DTC AND THE BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM

*The description that follows of the procedures and recordkeeping with respect to beneficial ownership interests in the Bonds, payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to Participants or Beneficial Owners, confirmation and transfer of beneficial ownership interests in the Bonds, and other related transactions by and between DTC, Participants and Beneficial Owners, is based on information furnished by DTC which the Authority believes to be reliable, but the Authority does not take responsibility for the completeness or accuracy thereof. The Authority cannot and does not give any assurances that DTC, DTC Participants or Indirect Participants will distribute to the Beneficial Owners either (a) payments of principal, premium, if any, and interest with respect to the Bonds or (b) certificates representing ownership interests in or other confirmation of ownership interests in the Bonds, or that they will so do on a timely basis or that DTC, DTC Participants or DTC Indirect Participants will act in the manner described in this Official Statement. The current "Rules" applicable to DTC are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the current "Procedures" of DTC to be followed in dealing with DTC Participants are on file with DTC.*

The Depository Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The Bonds will be issued as fully-registered securities registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee) or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. One fully-registered bond certificate will be issued for each maturity of the Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of such maturity, and will be deposited with DTC. If, however, the aggregate principal amount of any maturity exceeds \$500 million, one certificate will be issued with respect to each \$500 million of principal amount, and an additional certificate will be issued with respect to any remaining principal amount of such maturity.

DTC, the world's largest securities depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a Standard & Poor's rating of AA+. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at [www.dtcc.com](http://www.dtcc.com).

Purchases of the Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Bond (the "Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of the Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. (or such other DTC nominee) do not effect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Bonds are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults and proposed amendments to the Bond documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the Bonds for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the registrar and request that copies of notices be provided directly to them.

Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Bonds within a maturity are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of the interest of each Direct Participant in such maturity to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to the Bonds unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's MMI Procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the Authority as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts the Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Principal, redemption price, and interest payments with respect to the Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the Authority on a payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC or its nominee, the Trustee, or the Authority, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of principal, redemption price and interest to Cede & Co. (or such

other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the Authority or the Trustee, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants shall be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners shall be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.

DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the Authority or the Trustee. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered.

The Authority may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry-only transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, bond certificates will be printed and delivered to DTC.

The information in this section concerning DTC and DTC's book-entry system has been obtained from sources that the Authority deems reliable, but the Authority takes no responsibility for the accuracy thereof.

THE TRUSTEE, AS LONG AS A BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM IS USED FOR THE BONDS, WILL SEND ANY NOTICE OF REDEMPTION OR OTHER NOTICES ONLY TO CEDE & CO., OR ITS SUCCESSOR AS DTC'S PARTNERSHIP NOMINEE. ANY FAILURE OF CEDE & CO., OR ITS SUCCESSOR AS DTC'S PARTNERSHIP NOMINEE TO ADVISE ANY PARTICIPANT, OR OF ANY PARTICIPANT TO NOTIFY ANY BENEFICIAL OWNER OF ANY NOTICE AND ITS CONTENT OR EFFECT WILL NOT AFFECT THE VALIDITY OR SUFFICIENCY OF THE PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS CALLED FOR REDEMPTION OR OF ANY OTHER ACTION PREMISED ON SUCH NOTICE.

**APPENDIX G**

**APPRAISAL**

**APPENDIX H**  
**MARKET ABSORPTION STUDY**

## ATTACHMENT 6

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX BONDS, SERIES 2020**

**LOCAL OBLIGATION PURCHASE CONTRACT**

[\_\_\_\_\_] , 2020

City of Folsom  
Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch)  
City of Folsom, City Hall  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”) offers to enter into this Local Obligation Purchase Contract (the “Local Obligation Purchase Contract”) with you, the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “Community Facilities District”), which, upon acceptance, will be binding upon the Community Facilities District and the Authority; and except as otherwise provided herein, all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings attributed to them in the Indenture, dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “Indenture”), between the Community Facilities District and MUFG Union Bank, N.A., as trustee (the “Trustee”).

1. Purchase, Sale and Delivery of the Obligations.

(a) Subject to the terms and conditions and in reliance upon the representations and agreements set forth herein, the Authority hereby agrees to purchase from the Community Facilities District, and the Community Facilities District hereby agrees to sell to the Authority, all (but not less than all) of the \$[PAR] aggregate principal amount of the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Local Obligations”) issued under the Indenture, dated the date of their initial delivery, bearing interest payable on the dates and at the interest rates, and maturing on the dates and in the amounts and subject to the [optional, extraordinary and mandatory redemption] provisions, as set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein.

The purchase price for the Local Obligations shall be \$[\_\_\_\_\_] , which purchase price shall be paid from the proceeds of sale of the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020, issued under the Trust Agreement, dated as of



November 1, 2020, by and among the Authority, the Community Facilities District and MUFJ Union Bank, N.A., as Trustee (the "Trust Agreement"), which bonds issued under the Trust Agreement are referred to herein as the "Authority Bonds."

The Local Obligations shall be substantially in the form described in, shall be issued and secured under the provisions of, and shall be payable as provided in the Indenture.

(b) At [8:00] a.m., California time, on [\_\_\_\_], 2020, or at such earlier or later time or date as shall be agreed by the Community Facilities District and the Authority (such time and date being herein referred to as the "Closing Date"), the Community Facilities District will deliver to the Authority at the offices of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, Sacramento, California (or such other location as may be designated by the Authority and approved by the Community Facilities District) the Local Obligations in definitive forms, duly executed by the Community Facilities District and authenticated by the Trustee, and will deliver to the Authority the other documents herein mentioned; and the Authority will accept such delivery and pay the total purchase price of the Local Obligations as set forth in paragraph (a) of this section as provided in the Indenture (such delivery and payment being herein referred to as the "Closing").

2. Representations and Agreements of the Community Facilities District.  
The Community Facilities District represents to and agrees with the Authority that:

(a) The Community Facilities District is and will be at the Closing Date duly organized and existing as a community facilities district under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, with full power and authority to issue the Local Obligations and to carry out and consummate the transactions contemplated by the Local Obligations, this Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Indenture and the Trust Agreement (collectively, the "Financing Documents"), and the Financing Documents are and will be at the Closing Date valid and binding obligations of the Community Facilities District;

(b) When delivered to and paid for by the Authority at the Closing in accordance with the provisions of this Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Local Obligations will have been duly authorized, executed, issued and delivered and will constitute valid and binding obligations of the Community Facilities District in conformity with, and entitled to the benefit and security of, the Indenture;

(c) By official action of the Community Facilities District, prior to or concurrently with the acceptance hereof, the Community Facilities District has authorized and approved the execution and delivery of the Financing Documents, and authorized and approved the performance by the Community Facilities District of the obligations on its part contained in the Financing Documents and has authorized and approved the consummation by the Community Facilities District of all other transactions contemplated by this Local Obligation Purchase Contract;

(d) There is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, governmental agency, public board or body, pending or, to the knowledge of the Community Facilities District, threatened against the Community Facilities

District or its properties or operations (i) seeking to restrain or enjoin the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the Local Obligations, (ii) in any way contesting or affecting the validity or enforceability of any of the Financing Documents, any proceedings of the Community Facilities District taken concerning the issuance or sale of the Local Obligations, the collection of the special tax securing the Local Obligations (the "Special Tax") or the existence or powers of the Community Facilities District relating to the issuance of the Local Obligations or (iii) which, if determined adversely to the Community Facilities District or its interests, would have a material and adverse effect on the consummation of the transactions contemplated by or the validity of the Financing Documents or on the operations of the Community Facilities District with respect to the Local Obligations;

(e) The execution and delivery of the Financing Documents, and the consummation of the transactions therein and herein contemplated, and the fulfillment of or compliance with the terms and conditions thereof and hereof, will not conflict with or constitute a violation or breach of or default (with due notice or the passage of time or both) under any applicable law or administrative rule or regulation, or any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, loan agreement, lease, contract or other agreement or instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or by which it or its properties are otherwise subject or bound, or result in the creation or imposition of any prohibited lien, charge or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of the property or assets of the Community Facilities District, which conflict, violation, breach, default, lien, charge or encumbrance might have consequences that would materially and adversely affect the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Financing Documents or the operations of the Community Facilities District with respect to the Local Obligations;

(f) The Community Facilities District 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 Community Facilities District is a party or is otherwise subject, which breach or default may have consequences that would materially and adversely affect the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Financing Documents, and no event has occurred and is continuing which, with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute such a breach or default under any such instrument;

(g) All approvals, consents, authorizations, certifications and other orders of any governmental authority, board, agency or commission having jurisdiction, and all filings with any such entities, which would constitute conditions precedent to or the failure to obtain which would materially adversely affect the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations under the Financing Documents have been duly obtained, and no further consent, approval, authorization or other action or filing with or by any governmental or regulatory authority having jurisdiction over the Community Facilities District is or will be required for the issue and sale of the Local Obligations or the consummation by the Community Facilities District of the other transactions described in the Financing Documents;

(h) The Special Tax constituting the security for the Local Obligations has been duly and lawfully authorized under and pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities District Act of 1982 (the "Act") within Improvement Area No. 1 of the Community Facilities

District (the "Improvement Area") and such Special Tax is secured by a valid and legally binding continuing lien on the land subject to the Special Tax as provided in the Act;

(i) The City Council, as legislative body of the Community Facilities District, has authorized and will annually levy and collect the Special Tax, in addition to amounts necessary to pay debt service on the Local Obligations, in an amount sufficient (subject to any maximum special tax permitted by law) to pay the Expenses arising directly from the administration or enforcement of the Local Obligations.

The execution and delivery of this Local Obligation Purchase Contract by the Community Facilities District shall constitute a representation by the Community Facilities District to the Authority that the representations and agreements contained in this Section 2 are true as of the date hereof; provided, that as to all matters of law the Community Facilities District is relying on the advice of counsel to the Community Facilities District; and provided further, that no member of the City Council, as legislative body of the Community Facilities District, shall be individually liable for the breach of any representation, warranty or agreement contained herein.

3. Conditions to the Purchase of the Local Obligations by the Authority. The obligation of the Authority to accept delivery of and pay for the Local Obligations on the Closing Date shall be subject, at the option of the Authority, to (i) the accuracy in all material respects of the representations and agreements on the part of the Community Facilities District contained herein as of the date hereof and as of the Closing Date, (ii) the accuracy in all material respects of the statements of the officers and other officials of the City for and on behalf of the Community Facilities District made in any certificates or other documents, furnished pursuant to the provisions hereof, and (iii) the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations to be performed hereunder at or prior to the Closing Date and to the following additional conditions:

(a) At the Closing Date, the Financing Documents shall be in full force and effect in the form heretofore submitted to the Authority and there shall have been taken in connection with the issuance of the Local Obligations and with the transactions contemplated thereby and by this Local Obligation Purchase Contract, all such actions as, in the opinion of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP ("Bond Counsel"), shall be necessary and appropriate;

(b) At the Closing Date, the Financing Documents shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented, except as may have been agreed to by the Authority;

(c) At or prior to the Closing Date, the Authority and the Trustee shall have received the following documents, in each case satisfactory in form and substance to the Authority:

(1) An executed copy of each of the Financing Documents;

(2) An unqualified approving opinion of Bond Counsel, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Community Facilities District, as to the validity of the Local Obligations, along with a reliance letter to Piper Sandler & Co., as underwriter of the Authority Bonds;

(3) An opinion of the City Attorney, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Community Facilities District and the Authority, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B; and

(4) Such additional legal opinions, certificates, proceedings, instruments and other documents as the Authority or Bond Counsel may reasonably request to evidence compliance by the Community Facilities District with legal requirements, the truth and accuracy, as of the Closing Date, of the representations of the Community Facilities District contained herein, and the due performance or satisfaction by the Community Facilities District at or prior to such time of all agreements then to be performed and all conditions then to be satisfied by the Community Facilities District.

If the Community Facilities District shall be unable to satisfy the conditions to the Authority's obligations contained in this Local Obligation Purchase Contract, this Local Obligation Purchase Contract shall terminate and neither the Authority nor the Community Facilities District shall have any further obligation hereunder.

4. Expenses. All expenses and costs of the Community Facilities District and the Authority incident to the authorization, issuance and sale of the Local Obligations and the Authority Bonds, including fees and expenses of consultants, the Trustee, the appraiser, Bond Counsel and counsel for the Community Facilities District and the underwriting fees and expenses incurred by the Authority in connection with the sale of the Authority Bonds shall be paid by the Community Facilities District or the City on its behalf, and the Community Facilities District agrees that it will pay such expenses and costs from the proceeds of the Local Obligations.

5. Notices. Any notice or other communication to be given to the Community Facilities District under this Local Obligation Purchase Contract may be given by delivering the same in writing at the Community Facilities District's address set forth above, Attention: Finance Director, and any such notice or other communications required to be given to the Authority may be given by delivering the same in writing to the Authority at 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, California 95630, Attention: Treasurer. The approval of the Authority when required hereunder or the determination of their satisfaction as to any document referred to herein shall be in writing signed by the Authority and delivered to the Community Facilities District.

6. Parties In Interest; Governing Law. This Local Obligation Purchase Contract is made solely for the benefit of the Community Facilities District, the Authority and the Trustee and no other persons, partnership, association or corporation shall acquire or have any right hereunder or by virtue hereof. This Local Obligation Purchase Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of California.

7. Pledge; Assignment. The Community Facilities District hereby approves the pledge and assignment of all the Authority's right, title and interest in the Local Obligations to the Trustee under the Indenture for the benefit of the owners of the Authority Bonds.

8. Limitation on Liability. The Authority shall incur no liability hereunder or by reason hereof or arising out of the transactions contemplated hereby, and shall be under no obligation to purchase the Local Obligations hereunder, except from proceeds of the Authority Bonds available therefor held by the Trustee under, and subject to the conditions set forth in, the Indenture. The Community Facilities District shall incur no liability hereunder or by reason hereof or arising out of the transactions contemplated hereunder, except as otherwise provided in Sections 4 and 5 hereof, or be obligated to make any payments with respect to the Local Obligations, except from amounts pledged to the payment of the Local Obligations (including the Special Tax levied and collected in the Improvement Area) pursuant to the terms thereof.

9. Counterparts. This Local Obligation Purchase Contract may be signed in two or more counterparts; all such counterparts, when signed by all parties, shall constitute but one single agreement.

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY**

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Stacey Tamagni  
Treasurer

ACCEPTED AND AGREED TO:

**CITY OF FOLSOM  
COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)**

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Stacey Tamagni  
Finance Director of the City of Folsom

Exhibit A

**Local Obligations Maturity Schedule and Redemption Provisions**

Maturity Schedule

<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Principal Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>
<u>September 1</u>	\$	%

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\* Term Bonds

Redemption Provisions

Extraordinary Redemption. The Local Obligations are subject to extraordinary redemption by the Community Facilities District prior to their respective maturity dates, as a whole or in part on any interest payment date on and after [March 1], 20[\_\_\_], from funds derived by the Community Facilities District from prepayments of the Special Tax, upon mailed notice as provided in the Indenture, at the following redemption prices (computed upon the principal amount of the Local Obligations or portions thereof called for redemption) together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption, to wit:

[103]% if redeemed on an interest payment date on or after [March 1], 20[\_\_\_] through [March 1], 20[\_\_\_];

[102]% if redeemed on an interest payment date on [September 1], 20[\_\_\_] or [March 1], 20[\_\_\_];

[101]% if redeemed on an interest payment date on [September 1], 20[\_\_\_] or [March 1], 20[\_\_\_]; and

[100]% if redeemed on [September 1], 20[\_\_\_] or any interest payment date thereafter.

Optional Redemption. The Local Obligations are subject to optional redemption by the Community Facilities District prior to their respective maturity dates as a whole or in part on any date on or after [September 1], 20[ ], from funds derived by the Community Facilities District from any source other than such Minimum Sinking Fund Account Payments deposited in the Sinking Fund Subaccount or such prepayments of the Special Tax, upon mailed notice as provided in the Indenture, at the following redemption prices (computed upon the principal amount of the Local Obligations or portions thereof called for redemption) together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption:

[103]% if redeemed on any date on or after [September 1], 20[ ] through [August 31], 20[ ];

[102]% if redeemed on any date from [September 1], 20[ ] through [August 31], 20[ ];

[101]% if redeemed on any date from [September 1], 20[ ] through [August 31], 20[ ]; and

[100]% if redeemed on [September 1], 20[ ] and any date thereafter.

Mandatory Sinking Fund Account Redemption of the Local Obligations. The Local Obligations maturing on September 1, 20[ ], are subject to mandatory redemption by the Community Facilities District prior to their maturity date in part on September 1 in each of the years 20[ ] through 20[ ], both years inclusive; and the Local Obligations maturing on September 1, 20[ ], are subject to mandatory redemption by the Community Facilities District prior to their maturity date in part on September 1 in each of the years 20[ ] through 20[ ], both years inclusive, in each case solely from Minimum Sinking Fund Account Payments deposited in the Sinking Fund Subaccount, upon mailed notice as provided in the Indenture, at a redemption price equal to one hundred per cent (100%) of the principal amount thereof called for redemption together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption.

Minimum Sinking Fund Account Payments are established for the mandatory redemption and payment of the Local Obligations described in the paragraph above, which payments shall become due during the years ending on the dates and in the amounts as set forth in the following schedules (except that if any of the Local Obligations shall have been optionally redeemed or redeemed from property owner prepayments, the amounts of the Minimum Sinking Fund Account Payments shall be reduced proportionately by the principal amount of all such Local Obligations so redeemed), namely:

<u>Local Obligation Maturing September 1, 20[ ]</u>	
<u>Year</u> <u>Ending</u> <u>September 1</u>	<u>Minimum</u> <u>Sinking Fund</u> <u>Account Payment</u> \$
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\* Maturity.



Local Obligation Maturing September 1, 20[ ]

<u>Year</u> <u>Ending</u> <u>September 1</u>	<u>Minimum</u> <u>Sinking Fund</u> <u>Account Payment</u> \$
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\* Maturity.

**Exhibit B**

[Form of City Attorney Opinion]

[Closing Date]

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
Folsom, California

City of Folsom  
Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch)  
Folsom, California

Piper Sandler & Co.  
Sacramento, California

MUFG Union Bank, N.A.  
San Francisco, California

City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1  
Special Tax Bonds, Series 2020

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have served as counsel to the City of Folsom (the “City”) in connection with the issuance, sale and delivery of the above-reference securities (collectively, the “Local Obligations”) by the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “Community Facilities District”), and this letter is being delivered pursuant to the Local Obligation Purchase Contract dated as of [\_\_\_\_\_], 2020 (the “Local Obligation Purchase Contract”) by and between the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”) and the Community Facilities District, and all capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Local Obligation Purchase Contract.

As such counsel, I have examined and am familiar with (i) those documents relating to the existence, organization and operation of the Community Facilities District, including Resolution No. 10435, duly adopted by the City on May 26, 2020, establishing the Community Facilities District and designating various improvement areas therein, including Improvement Area No. 1 (the “Improvement Area”); (ii) Resolution No. [\_\_\_\_\_] of the City Council approving the issuance of the Local Obligations, the issuance of the Authority Bonds, the Financing Documents and the Official Statement (such resolutions referenced in (i) and (ii), together the “Resolutions”); (iii) all necessary documentation of the Community Facilities District relating to the authorization, execution and delivery of the Local Obligations and all of the Financing Documents; (iv) the Official Statement, dated [\_\_\_\_\_], 2020 (the “Official Statement”) relating to the Authority Bonds; and (v) the Continuing Disclosure Certificate of the Community Facilities District, dated the date hereof (the “Continuing Disclosure Certificate”)

relating to the Authority Bonds.

Based on the foregoing, I am of the opinion that:

1. The Community Facilities District is a community facilities district duly organized and existing pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended (the "Act"), being Chapter 2.5, Part 1, Division 2, Title 5 of the Government Code of the State of California.

2. The Resolutions have been duly adopted at meetings of the City Council, acting as the legislative body of the Community Facilities District, which were 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 Resolutions are in full force and effect and have not been modified, amended, rescinded or repealed since the date of their respective adoption.

3. The Community Facilities District has the full legal right, power and authority to execute, deliver and perform its obligations and duties under the Financing Documents and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, including the right and power under the Act to execute the Indenture.

4. The Community Facilities District has complied with the provisions of applicable law in all matters relating to the transactions contemplated by the Financing Documents and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate.

5. The Financing Documents; the Continuing Disclosure Certificate; the Letter of Representations of the Community Facilities District, dated [\_\_\_\_], 2020 (the "Community Facilities District Letter of Representations" and, together with the Financing Documents and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, the "Community Facilities District Documents") and the Official Statement have each been duly and lawfully authorized, executed and delivered by the Community Facilities District, are each in full force and effect and, assuming due authorization, execution and delivery by the other parties thereto, each constitutes a legal, valid and binding agreement of the Community Facilities District enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, subject to laws relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, arrangement, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and to the application of equitable principles if equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to the limitations on legal remedies against community facilities districts in the State of California.

6. The Local Obligations have been duly and validly authorized, sold, executed, authenticated and delivered, as applicable, in accordance with the Act and with the Indenture.

7. No approval, consent or authorization of any governmental or public agency, authority or person is required for the execution and delivery by the Community Facilities District of the Financing Documents or the Continuing Disclosure Certificate or the performance by the Community Facilities District of its respective obligations thereunder.

8. The execution and delivery of the Financing Documents and the

Continuing Disclosure Certificate by the Community Facilities District, and compliance with the provisions thereof, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of, or default under, any instrument relating to the organization, existence or operation of the Community Facilities District, or any commitment, agreement or other instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or by which it or its property is bound or affected, or any ruling, regulation, ordinance, resolution, judgment, order or decree to which the Community Facilities District (or any of its officers in their respective capacities as such) is subject or any provision of the laws of the State of California relating to the Community Facilities District and its affairs.

9. The Local Obligations are valid and binding special tax obligations of the Community Facilities District payable from proceeds of the Special Tax and the other funds provided in the Indenture for such payment and are enforceable in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, arrangement, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles where equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to the limitations on legal remedies against community facilities districts in the State of California, and the terms of the Act and of the Indenture;

10. Based upon my review of the Official Statement, and without having undertaken to determine independently the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the statements contained in the Official Statement, nothing has come to my attention which would lead me to believe that the Official Statement (excluding therefrom the financial statements and the statistical data and the information concerning The Depository Trust Company, the book-entry system and the appendices thereto, as to which no opinion is expressed) as of its date and the date hereof contained or contains any untrue statement of a material fact with respect to the Community Facilities District or omitted or omits to state any material fact with respect to the Community Facilities District necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

11. Except as may be stated in the Official Statement, there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation before or by any court, public board or body pending (notice of which has been served on the City or the Community Facilities District) or, to my knowledge, threatened wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would: (a) affect the creation, organization, existence or powers of the City or the Community Facilities District, or the titles of their members and officers to their respective offices; or (b) affect the validity of the Community Facilities District Documents or restrain or enjoin the repayment of the Local Obligations or in any way contest or affect the validity of the Community Facilities District Documents or contest the authority of the Community Facilities District to enter into or perform its obligations under any of the Community Facilities District Documents or under which a determination adverse to the City or the Community Facilities District would have a material adverse effect upon the financial condition or the revenues of the City or the Community Facilities District, questions the right of the Community Facilities District to use the Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area for the repayment of the Local Obligations or affects in any manner the right or ability of the Community Facilities District to collect or pledge the Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area for the repayment of the Local Obligations.

Very truly yours,

City Attorney

## ATTACHMENT 7

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**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street,  
Folsom, California 95630

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Piper Sandler & Co., as underwriter (the “Underwriter”), acting not as a fiduciary or agent for you, but on behalf of itself, offers to enter into this Bond Purchase Agreement (this “Purchase Agreement”) with the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”), which upon acceptance will be binding upon the Underwriter and the Authority. The agreement of the Underwriter to purchase the Bonds (as hereinafter defined) is contingent upon the Authority purchasing from the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “Community Facilities District”) the Community Facilities District’s Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Special Tax Bonds”) in the aggregate principal amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, and upon the Authority and the Community Facilities District satisfying all of the obligations imposed upon them under this Purchase Agreement. This offer is made subject to the Authority’s acceptance by the execution of this Purchase Agreement and its delivery to the Underwriter at or before 8:00 P.M., California time, on the date hereof, and, if not so accepted, will be subject to withdrawal by the Underwriter upon notice delivered to the Authority at any time prior to the acceptance hereof by the Authority. All capitalized terms used herein, which are not otherwise defined, shall have the meaning provided for such terms in the Trust Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “Trust Agreement”), by and among the Authority, MUFG Union Bank N.A., as trustee (the “Trustee”) and the Community Facilities District. The Special Tax Bonds are being issued pursuant to an Indenture dated as of November 1, 2020 (the “District Indenture”), by and between the Community Facilities District and MUFG Union Bank, N.A., as trustee (the “District Trustee”).

1. Purchase, Sale and Delivery of the Bonds.

Subject to the terms and conditions and in reliance upon the representations, warranties and agreements set forth herein, the Underwriter hereby agrees to purchase from the Authority and the Authority hereby agrees to sell to the Underwriter all (but not less than all) of the \$ \_\_\_\_\_ aggregate principal amount of the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”), dated the Closing Date (as hereinafter defined), bearing interest at the

rates and maturing on the dates and in the principal amounts set forth in Exhibit A hereto. The purchase price for the Bonds shall be \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (being 100% of the aggregate principal amount thereof plus an original issue premium of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and less an Underwriter's discount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_). From the proceeds of the Bonds, the Authority agrees to purchase the Special Tax Bonds from the Community Facilities District pursuant to the terms of the Local Obligation Purchase Contract (the "Local Obligation Purchase Contract"), dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, by and between the Community Facilities District and the Authority.

The Bonds shall be substantially in the form described in, shall be issued and secured under the provisions of, and shall be payable from the Revenues as provided in the Trust Agreement, the Official Statement (as hereinafter defined), and the Marks-Roos Local Bond Pooling Act of 1985, as amended, being Article 4, Chapter 5, Division 7, Title 1 of the Government Code of the State of California (the "Bond Law"). The issuance of the Bonds has been duly authorized by the Authority pursuant to Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Authority Resolution") adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020. The net proceeds of the Bonds will be used to purchase the Special Tax Bonds.

The Special Tax Bonds shall be substantially in the form described in, shall be issued and secured under the provisions of, and shall be payable from Special Tax (as defined in the District Indenture) as provided in the District Indenture.

The Special Tax Bonds are issued under the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, being Chapter 2.5, Part 1, Division 2, Title 5 of the Government Code of the State of California (the "Community Facilities District Act"). The issuance of the Special Tax Bonds, the preparation and distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Local Obligation Purchase Contract have been duly authorized by the City Council of the City of Folsom (the "City Council") acting as the legislative body for the Community Facilities District, pursuant to Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Community Facilities District Resolution"). The net proceeds of the Special Tax Bonds will be used, as indicated in the District Indenture, for the following purposes: (1) paying costs of issuance of the Bonds and the Special Tax Bonds; (2) funding the Required Bond Reserve for the Special Tax Bonds; (3) providing funds for the acquisition of certain public facilities; and (4) fund capitalized interest on the Special Tax Bonds to September 1, 2021.

Prior to the acceptance of this Purchase Agreement by the Authority, the Authority shall have caused to be delivered to the Underwriter: (i) the Letter of Representations of the District (the "District Letter of Representations") in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit B hereto; (ii) a Letter of Representations (the "Developer Letter of Representations") of East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC (the "Developer") in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit C hereto; and (iii) a letter of representations of each of KB Home Sacramento, Inc. ("KB Home") and Signature Homes, Inc. ("Signature Homes") in the form set forth in Exhibit G hereto.

A. The Authority acknowledges that the Underwriter is entering into this Purchase Agreement in reliance on the representations and agreements made by the Authority herein and by the Community Facilities District in the District Letter of Representations, and the Authority shall take all action necessary to enforce its rights hereunder for the benefit of the Underwriter and shall immediately notify the Underwriter if it becomes aware that any representation or agreement made by the Authority herein is incorrect in any material respect.



The Authority acknowledges and agrees that: (i) the purchase and sale of the Bonds pursuant to this Purchase Agreement is an arm's-length commercial transaction between the Authority and the Underwriter; (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 Authority, the Community Facilities District or the City of Folsom (the "City") 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 Authority, the Community Facilities District or the City on other matters); and (iv) the Authority, the Community Facilities District and the City have consulted their own legal, financial and other advisors to the extent that they have deemed appropriate.

B. Pursuant to the authorization of the Authority, the Underwriter has distributed copies of the Preliminary Official Statement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, relating to the Bonds, which, together with the cover page, inside cover page and appendices thereto is herein called the "Preliminary Official Statement." By its acceptance of this Purchase Agreement, the Authority hereby ratifies the use by the Underwriter of the Preliminary Official Statement, and the Authority agrees to execute a final official statement relating to the Bonds (including any supplements and/or amendments thereto, the "Official Statement") which will consist of the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as may be made thereto, with the approval of Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, the Community Facilities District and the Authority's Bond Counsel ("Bond Counsel") and Disclosure Counsel ("Disclosure Counsel"), and the Underwriter, and to provide copies thereof to the Underwriter as set forth in Section 3.N hereof. The Authority hereby authorizes the Underwriter to use and promptly distribute, in connection with the offer and sale of the Bonds, the Preliminary Official Statement, the Official Statement and any supplement or amendment thereto. The Authority further authorizes the Underwriter to use and distribute, in connection with the offer and sale of the Bonds, the Trust Agreement, the Community Facilities District Indenture, this Purchase Agreement, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract and all information contained herein, and all other documents, certificates and statements furnished by or on behalf of the Authority, the District or the City to the Underwriter in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Agreement.

C. To assist the Underwriter in complying with Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) (the "Rule"), the Community Facilities District will undertake for and on behalf of the Authority pursuant to the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, in the form attached to the Official Statement as Appendix D (the "Continuing Disclosure Certificate"), to provide annual reports and notices of certain enumerated events. A description of this undertaking is set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement and will also be set forth in the Official Statement.

D. Except as the Underwriter and the Authority may otherwise agree, the Authority will deliver to the Underwriter, at the offices of Bond Counsel in Sacramento, California, or at such other location as may be mutually agreed upon by the Underwriter, the Community Facilities District and the Authority, the documents hereinafter mentioned; and the Authority will deliver to the Underwriter through the facilities of The Depository Trust Company ("DTC") in New York, New York, the Bonds, in definitive form (all Bonds bearing CUSIP numbers), duly executed by the Authority and authenticated by the Trustee in the manner provided for in the Trust Agreement and the Bond Law at 8:00 a.m. California time, on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Closing Date"), and the Underwriter will accept such delivery and pay the purchase price of the Bonds as set forth in the first

paragraph of this Section by wire transfer, payable in federal or other immediately available funds (such delivery and payment being herein referred to as the "Closing"). The Bonds shall be in fully registered book-entry form (which may be typewritten) and shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

2. Public Offering and Establishment of Issue Price.

A. The Underwriter agrees to make a bona fide public offering of all of the Bonds initially at the public offering prices (or yields) set forth in 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 in Exhibit A. The Bonds may be offered and sold to certain dealers at prices lower than such initial offering prices.

B. 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 Exhibit I, 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. All actions to be taken by the Authority under this section to establish the issue price of the Bonds may be taken on behalf of the Authority by Fieldman, Rolapp & Associates, Inc. (the "Municipal Advisor") and any notice or report to be provided to the Authority may be provided to the Municipal Advisor.

C. Except as otherwise set forth in Exhibit A, 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 (if different interest rates apply within a maturity, each separate CUSIP number within that maturity will be subject to the 10% test). 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 the 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 the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or until all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public.

D. 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 Exhibit A, except as otherwise set forth therein. Exhibit A also sets forth, identified under the column "Hold the Offering Price Rule Used," 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:

1. the close of the fifth (5th) business day after the sale date; or
2. 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 shall promptly advise the Authority when 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, if that occurs prior to the close of the fifth (5th) business day after the sale date.

E. The Underwriter confirms that any selling group agreement and any retail 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 retail distribution agreement, as applicable, to: (1) report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the Underwriter that either the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public; and (2) comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, in each case if and for so long as directed by the Underwriter. The Authority acknowledges that, in making the representation set forth in this subsection, the Underwriter will rely on: (A) in the event that 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 hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, as set forth in a selling group agreement and the related pricing wires; and (B) in the event that a retail 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 hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, as set forth in the retail 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 retail distribution agreement, to comply with its corresponding agreement regarding the hold-the-offering-price rule as applicable to the Bonds.

F. The Underwriter acknowledges that sales of any Bonds to any person that is a related party to the Underwriter shall not constitute sales to the public for purposes of this section. Further, for purposes of this section:

1. “public” means any person other than an underwriter or a related party;

2. “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 retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public);

3. 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) at least 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); (ii) 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 (iii) 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 applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other); and

4. “sale date” means the date of execution of this Purchase Agreement by all parties.

3. Representations and Covenants of the Authority. The Authority represents and covenants to the Underwriter that:

A. The Authority is a joint exercise of powers authority, duly organized and existing under the Constitution and laws of the State of California (the “State”), and formed pursuant to Articles 1 through 4 (commencing with Section 6500) of Chapter 5, Division 7, Title 1 of the Government Code (the “JPA Act”), with full right, power and authority: (i) to enter into this Purchase Agreement; (ii) to enter into the Trust Agreement; (iii) to adopt the Authority Resolution authorizing the issuance of the Bonds and entry into this Purchase Agreement and the Trust Agreement and to take all other actions on the part of the Authority relating thereto (the “Authority Proceedings”); (iv) to issue, sell and deliver the Bonds to the Underwriter as provided herein; (v) to purchase the Special Tax Bonds; and (vi) to carry out and consummate the transactions on its part contemplated by this Purchase Agreement, the Trust Agreement and the Official Statement.

The Trust Agreement, the Bonds, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract and this Purchase Agreement are collectively referred to herein as the “Authority Documents.”

B. By all necessary official action of the Authority, the Authority has duly authorized and approved the execution and delivery by the Authority of, and the performance by the Authority of the obligations on its part contained in, the Authority Documents, and has approved the use by the Underwriter of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement and, as of the date hereof, such authorizations and approvals are in full force and effect and have not been amended, modified or rescinded. When executed and delivered by the parties thereto, the Authority Documents will constitute the legally valid and binding obligations of the Authority enforceable upon the Authority in accordance with their respective 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. The Authority has complied, and will at the Closing Date be in compliance in all respects, with the terms of the Authority Documents that are applicable to the Authority.

C. The information in the Preliminary Official Statement and in the Official Statement relating to the Authority and the Bonds (other than statements pertaining to the book-entry system, as to which no view is expressed), does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; and, upon delivery and up to and including 25 days after the End of the Underwriting Period (as defined in paragraph (D) below), the Official Statement will be amended and supplemented so as to contain no misstatement of any material fact or omission of any statement necessary to make the statements contained therein, in the light of the circumstances in which such statements were made, not misleading.

D. Up to and including 25 days after the End of the Underwriting Period (as defined below), the Authority will advise the Underwriter promptly of any proposal to amend or supplement the Official Statement and will not effect or consent to any such amendment or supplement without the consent of the Underwriter, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld. The Authority will advise the Underwriter promptly of the institution of any proceedings known to it by any governmental agency prohibiting or otherwise materially affecting the use of the Official Statement in connection with the offering, sale or distribution of the Bonds. As used herein, the term "End of the Underwriting Period" means the later of such time as: (i) the Bonds are delivered to the Underwriter; or (ii) the Underwriter does not retain, directly or as a member of an underwriting syndicate, an unsold balance of the Bonds for sale to the public. Unless the Underwriter gives notice to the contrary, the End of the Underwriting Period shall be deemed to be the Closing Date. Any notice delivered pursuant to this provision shall be a written notice delivered to the Authority and the City at or prior to the Closing Date, and shall specify a date (other than the Closing Date) to be deemed the "End of the Underwriting Period."

E. As of the time of acceptance hereof and as of the Closing Date, except as otherwise disclosed in the Official Statement, the Authority is not, and as of the Closing Date, will not be, in breach of or in default under any applicable constitutional provision, law or administrative rule or regulation of the State or the United States, or any applicable judgment or decree or any trust agreement, loan agreement, bond, note, resolution, ordinance, 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 event of default under any such instrument; which breach, default or event could have an adverse effect on the Authority's ability to perform its obligations under the Authority Documents; and, as of such times, except as disclosed in the Official Statement, the authorization, execution and delivery of the Authority Documents and compliance by the Authority with the provisions of each of such agreements or instruments does not and will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any applicable constitutional provision, law or administrative rule or regulation of the State or the United States, or any applicable judgment, decree, license, permit, trust agreement, loan agreement, bond, note, resolution, ordinance, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority (or any of its officers in their respective capacities as such) is subject, or by which it or any of its properties is bound; nor will any such authorization, execution, delivery or compliance result in the creation or imposition of any lien, charge or other security interest or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of its assets or properties or under the terms of any such law, regulation or instrument, except as may be provided by the Authority Documents.

F. At the time of acceptance hereof there is, and as of the Closing Date, there will be no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, government agency, public board or body (collectively and individually, an "Action") pending (notice of which has been served on the Authority) or to the knowledge of the Authority threatened, in which any such Action: (i) in any way questions the corporate existence of the Authority or the titles of the officers of the Authority to their respective offices; (ii) affects, contests or seeks to prohibit, restrain or enjoin the issuance or delivery of any of the Bonds, or the payment or collection of Revenues (as defined in the Trust Agreement) or any amounts pledged or to be pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, or in any way contests or affects the validity of the Authority Documents or the consummation of the transactions on the part of the Authority contemplated thereby; (iii) contests the exclusion of the interest on the Bonds from federal or state income taxation or contests the powers of the Authority which may result in any material adverse change relating to the financial condition of the Authority; or (iv) contests the completeness or accuracy of the

Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement or any supplement or amendment thereto or asserts 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, as of the time of acceptance hereof, there is, and as of the Closing Date, there will be no known basis for any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation of the nature described in clauses (i) through (iv) of this sentence.

G. The Authority will furnish such information, execute such instruments and take such other action in cooperation with the Underwriter and at the expense of the Underwriter as the Underwriter may reasonably request in order: (i) to qualify the Bonds for offer and sale under the Blue Sky or other securities laws and regulations of such states and other jurisdictions of the United States as the Underwriter may designate; and (ii) to determine the eligibility of the Bonds for investment under the laws of such states and other jurisdictions, and will use its best efforts to continue such qualifications in effect so long as required for the distribution of the Bonds, provided; however, that the Authority will not be required to execute a special or general consent to service of process or qualify as a foreign corporation in connection with any such qualification in any jurisdiction.

H. The Authority Documents conform as to form and tenor to the descriptions thereof contained in the Official Statement. The Authority represents that the Bonds, when issued, executed and delivered in accordance with the Trust Agreement and sold to the Underwriter as provided herein, will be validly issued and outstanding obligations of the Authority, entitled to the benefits of the Trust Agreement. The Trust Agreement creates a valid pledge of the moneys in certain funds and accounts established pursuant to the Trust Agreement, subject in all cases to the provisions of the Trust Agreement permitting the application thereof for the purposes and on the terms and conditions set forth therein.

I. The Authority has not been notified of any listing or proposed listing by the Internal Revenue Service to the effect that the Authority is a bond issuer whose arbitrage certifications may not be relied upon.

J. Any certificate signed by any authorized officer of the Authority and delivered to the Underwriter in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds shall be deemed to be a representation and covenant by the Authority to the Underwriter as to the statements made therein.

K. The Authority will apply the proceeds of the Bonds in accordance with the Trust Agreement.

L. Between the date of this Purchase Agreement and the Closing Date, the Authority will not offer or issue any bonds, notes or other obligations for borrowed money not previously disclosed to the Underwriter.

M. Until such time as moneys have been set aside in an amount sufficient to pay all then outstanding Bonds at maturity or to the date of redemption if redeemed prior to maturity, plus unpaid interest thereon and premium, if any, to maturity or to the date of redemption if redeemed prior to maturity, the Authority will faithfully perform and abide by all of the covenants, undertakings and provisions contained in the Trust Agreement.

N. The Preliminary Official Statement was deemed final by a duly authorized officer of the Authority prior to its delivery to the Underwriter, except for the omission of such information as is permitted to be omitted in accordance with paragraph (b)(1) of the Rule. The Authority hereby covenants and agrees that, within seven (7) business days from the date hereof, or upon reasonable written notice from the Underwriter within sufficient time to accompany any confirmation requesting payment from any customers of the Underwriter, the Authority shall cause a final printed form of the Official Statement to be delivered to the Underwriter in sufficient quantity to comply with paragraph (b)(4) of the Rule and Rules G-12, G-15, G-32 and G-36 of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

The Authority hereby approves the preparation and distribution of the Official Statement, consisting of the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as are noted thereon and as may be made thereto, with the approval of Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel and the Underwriter, from time to time prior to the Closing Date.

The Authority hereby ratifies any prior use of and authorizes the future use by the Underwriter, in connection with the offering and sale of the Bonds, of the Preliminary Official Statement, the Official Statement, this Purchase Agreement and all information contained herein, and all other documents, certificates and written statements furnished by the Authority to the Underwriter in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Agreement.

The execution and delivery of this Purchase Agreement by the Authority shall constitute a representation to the Underwriter that the representations contained in this Section 3 are true as of the date hereof.

4. Conditions to the Obligations of the Underwriter. The obligation of the Underwriter to accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds on the Closing Date shall be subject, at the option of the Underwriter, to the accuracy in all material respects of the representations on the part of the Authority contained herein and of the Community Facilities District in the District Letter of Representations, to the accuracy in all material respects of the statements of the officers and other officials of the Authority made in any certificates or other documents furnished pursuant to the provisions hereof, to the performance by the Authority of its obligations to be performed hereunder at or prior to the Closing Date and, to the following additional conditions:

A. At the Closing Date, the Authority Resolution, the Community Facilities District Resolution, the Authority Documents and this Purchase Agreement, the District Indenture, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Special Tax Bonds, the District Letter of Representations and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate shall be in full force and effect, and shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented, except as may have been agreed to in writing by the Underwriter, and there shall have been taken in connection therewith, with the issuance of the Bonds and with the Special Tax Bonds, and with the transactions contemplated thereby, and by this Purchase Agreement, all such actions as, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, shall be necessary and appropriate. The Trust Agreement, the District Indenture, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Special Tax Bonds, the District Letter of Representations and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate are herein referred to collectively as the "District Documents."

B. At the Closing Date, except as was described in the Preliminary Official Statement, the Authority shall not be, in any respect material to the transactions referred to herein or contemplated hereby, in breach of or in default under, any law or administrative rule or regulation of

the State of California, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, and the performance by the Authority of its obligations under the Authority Documents, the Authority Resolution and any other instruments contemplated by any of such documents, and compliance with the provisions of each thereof, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative rule or regulation of the State of California, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Authority is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, in any manner that would materially and adversely affect the performance by the Authority of its obligations under the Authority Documents or the Authority Resolution.

C. At the Closing Date, except as described in the Official Statement, the Community Facilities District shall not be, in any respect material to the transactions referred to in the District Letter of Representations or contemplated therein, in breach of or in default under, any law or administrative rule or regulation of the State of California, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, and the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations under the Community Facilities District Resolution, the District Documents, and any other instruments contemplated by any of such documents, and compliance with the provisions of each thereof, or the performance of the conditions precedent to be performed hereunder, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative rule or regulation of the State of California, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, in any manner that would materially and adversely affect the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations under the Community Facilities District Resolution and the District Documents or the performance of the conditions precedent to be performed by the Community Facilities District under the Community Facilities District Resolution and the District Documents.

D. The information contained in the Official Statement is, as of the Closing Date and as of the date of any supplement or amendment thereto pursuant hereto, true and correct in all material respects and does not, as of the Closing Date or as of the date of any supplement or amendment thereto, contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a 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.

E. Between the date hereof and the Closing Date, the market price or marketability, at the initial offering prices set forth on the cover page of the Official Statement, of the Bonds shall not have been materially adversely affected, in the judgment of the Underwriter (evidenced by a written notice to the Authority terminating the obligation of the Underwriter to accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds), by reason of any of the following:



1. Legislation introduced in or enacted (or resolution passed) by the Congress of the United States of America or recommended to the Congress by the President of the United States, the Department of the Treasury, the Internal Revenue Service, or any member of Congress, or favorably reported for passage to either House of Congress by any committee of such House to which such legislation had been referred for consideration, or a decision rendered by a court established under Article III of the Constitution of the United States of America or by the Tax Court of the United States of America, or an order, ruling, regulation (final, temporary or proposed), press release or other form of notice issued or made by or on behalf of the Treasury Department of the United States of America or the Internal Revenue Service, with the purpose or effect, directly or indirectly, of imposing federal income taxation upon such interest as would be received by any owners of the Bonds beyond the extent to which such interest is subject to taxation as of the date hereof;

2. Legislation introduced in or enacted (or resolution passed) by the Congress or an order, decree or injunction issued by any court of competent jurisdiction, or an order, ruling, regulation (final, temporary or proposed), press release or other form of notice 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 obligations of the general character of the Bonds or the Special Tax Bonds, including any or all underlying arrangements, are not exempt from registration under or other requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or that the Trust Agreement or the District Indenture are not exempt from qualification under or other requirements of the Trust Agreement Act of 1939, as amended, or that the issuance, offering or sale of obligations of the general character of the Bonds or the Special Tax Bonds, including any or all underlying arrangements, as contemplated hereby or by the Official Statement or otherwise is or would be in violation of the federal securities laws as amended and then in effect;

3. A general suspension of trading in securities on the New York Stock Exchange, or a general banking moratorium declared by Federal, State of New York or State of California officials authorized to do so;

4. The introduction, proposal or enactment of any amendment to the Federal or California Constitution or any action by any Federal or California court, legislative body, regulatory body or other authority materially adversely affecting the tax status of the Bonds, the Authority or the Community Facilities District, their property, income, securities (or interest thereon), the validity or enforceability of the Special Tax, or the ability of the Authority to purchase any Special Tax Bonds as contemplated by the Official Statement;

5. Any event occurring, or information becoming known which, in the judgment of the Underwriter, makes untrue in any material respect any statement or information contained in the Preliminary Official Statement or in the Official Statement, or has the effect that the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state a 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;

6. Any national securities exchange, the Comptroller of the Currency, or any other governmental authority, shall impose as to the Bonds, the Special Tax Bonds or obligations of the general character of the Bonds or the Special Tax 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;

7. There shall have occurred any material outbreak or escalation of hostilities or other calamity or crisis the effect of which on the financial markets of the United States is such as to make it impracticable, in the judgment of the Underwriter, following consultation with the Authority, to sell the Bonds;

8. The filing or threat of an Action described Section 3.F hereof or Section M of the District Letter of Representations; or

9. Any proceeding shall have been commenced or be threatened in writing by the Securities and Exchange Commission against the City or the Authority.

F. At or prior to the Closing Date, the Underwriter shall have received a counterpart original or certified copy of the following documents, in each case satisfactory in form and substance to the Underwriter:

1. The Official Statement, executed on behalf of the Authority by its Treasurer or other authorized officer;

2. The Authority Documents, duly executed and delivered by all parties thereto;

3. The Authority Resolution, together with a certificate of the Secretary of the Authority, dated as of the Closing Date, to the effect that such resolution is a true, correct and complete copy of the resolution duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Authority;

4. The Community Facilities District Resolution, together with a certificate dated as of the Closing Date of the City Clerk, acting on behalf of the Community Facilities District to the effect that the Community Facilities District Resolution is a true, correct and complete copy of the one duly adopted by the City Council, acting as the legislative body of the Community Facilities District;

5. The District Documents duly executed and delivered by all parties thereto;

6. An unqualified approving opinion for the Bonds, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Authority, of Bond Counsel, in substantially the form included as Appendix E to the Official Statement, together with a letter addressed to the Trustee to the effect that such opinion may be relied upon by the Trustee to the same extent as if such opinion was addressed to the Trustee;

7. A supplemental opinion or opinions, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Underwriter, of Bond Counsel, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit E;

8. An opinion, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Authority and the Underwriter, of Hefner, Stark & Marois, LLP as counsel to the Developer, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit F,

9. A certificate, dated the Closing Date and signed by the Treasurer of the Authority or other authorized officer, to the effect that: (i) the representations of the Authority

contained herein are true and correct in all material respects on and as of the Closing Date with the same effect as if made on the Closing Date; (ii) to the best knowledge of such officer, no event has occurred since the date of the Official Statement which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purpose for which it is to be used or which it is necessary to disclose therein in order to make the statements and information therein not misleading in any material respect; and (iii) the Authority has complied with all the agreements and satisfied all the conditions on its part to be performed or satisfied under the Authority Documents and the Authority Resolution at or prior to the Closing Date;

10. A certificate dated the Closing Date and signed by an authorized representative of the Community Facilities District or an authorized designee, on behalf of the Community Facilities District to the effect that: (i) the representations made by the Community Facilities District contained in the District Letter of Representations are true and correct in all material respects on and as of the Closing Date with the same effect as if made on the Closing Date, provided that any references as to the Preliminary Official Statement shall be deemed to be to the Official Statement; (ii) to the best knowledge of such officer, no event has occurred since the date of the Official Statement which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purpose for which it is to be used or which it is necessary to disclose therein in order to make the statements and information therein not misleading in any material respect; and (iii) the Community Facilities District has complied with all the agreements and satisfied all the conditions on its part to be satisfied under the District Documents prior to the Closing Date;

11. An opinion of the City Attorney of the City, as counsel to the Authority, dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, the Authority, the Community Facilities District, the Trustee and the District Trustee, to the effect that:

(i) The Authority is a public body, corporate and politic, duly organized and validly existing as a joint powers authority under the laws of the State of California;

(ii) The Authority has full legal power and lawful authority to enter into the Authority Documents and to carry out the transactions contemplated under the Authority Documents;

(iii) The Authority Resolution was duly adopted at a regular 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 Authority Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been modified, amended, rescinded or repealed since the date of its adoption;

(iv) The Authority Documents have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Authority and constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Authority enforceable against the Authority in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles where equitable remedies are sought and to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases;

(v) To the best knowledge of such counsel, the execution and delivery of the Authority Documents and the Official Statement and compliance with the provisions thereof under the circumstances contemplated thereby: (a) do 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; and (b) do not and will not in any material respect or constitute on the part of the Authority a violation, breach of or default under any court order or consent decree to which the Authority is subject;

(vi) The Authority Documents and the Official Statement have been duly authorized by the Board of Directors of the Authority and executed on its behalf by an authorized officer of the Authority;

(vii) Except as may be stated in the Official Statement, there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation before or by any court, public board or body pending (notice of which has been served on the Authority) or, to the City Attorney's knowledge, threatened wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would: (a) affect the creation, organization, existence or powers of the Authority, or the titles of its members and officers to their respective offices; (b) enjoin or restrain the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds, the collection of the Revenues or the pledge thereof; (c) in any way question or affect any of the rights, powers, duties or obligations of the Authority with respect to the Revenues or the moneys and assets pledged or to be pledged to pay the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Bonds; (d) in any way question or affect any authority for the issuance of the Bonds, or the validity or enforceability of the Bonds; or (e) in any way question or affect the Authority Documents or the transactions contemplated by the Authority Documents, the Official Statement, or any activity regarding the Bonds;

12. An opinion of the City Attorney of the City, dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter, the Authority, the Community Facilities District, the Trustee and the District Trustee to the effect that:

(i) The Community Facilities District is a community facilities district organized and existing pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, being Chapter 2.5, Part 1, Division 2, Title 5 of the Government Code of the State of California;

(ii) The Community Facilities District Resolution has been duly adopted at a meeting of the City Council, acting as the legislative body of the Community Facilities District, 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 Community Facilities District Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been modified, amended, rescinded or repealed since the date of its adoption;

(iii) The District Documents and the Official Statement have been duly and lawfully authorized, executed and delivered by the Community Facilities District and the District Documents constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Community Facilities District enforceable against the Community Facilities District in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, arrangement, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles where equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to the limitations on legal remedies against community facilities districts in the State of California;

(iv) The Community Facilities District has the right and power under the Community Facilities District Act to execute the District Indenture and no other

authorization for the execution thereof is required, and the District Indenture is in full force and effect;

(v) The Special Tax Bonds are valid and binding special tax obligations of the Community Facilities District payable from proceeds of the Special Tax and the other funds provided in the District Indenture for such payment and are enforceable in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, arrangement, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights, to the application of equitable principles where equitable remedies are sought, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to the limitations on legal remedies against community facilities districts in the State of California, and the terms of the Community Facilities District Act and of the District Indenture;

(vi) The District Indenture and the Special Tax Bonds have been duly and validly authorized, sold, executed, authenticated and delivered in accordance with the Community Facilities District Act and with the District Indenture;

(vii) Except as may be stated in the Official Statement, there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation before or by any court, public board or body pending (notice of which has been served on the City or the Community Facilities District) or, to such counsel's knowledge, threatened wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would: (a) affect the creation, organization, existence or powers of the City or the Community Facilities District, or the titles of its members and officers to their respective offices; or (b) affect the validity of the District Documents or restrain or enjoin the repayment of the Special Tax Bonds or in any way contest or affect the validity of the District Documents or contest the authority of the Community Facilities District to enter into or perform its obligations under any of the District Documents or under which a determination adverse to the City or the Community Facilities District would have a material adverse affect upon the financial condition or the revenues of the City or the Community Facilities District, questions the right of the Community Facilities District to use the Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area for the repayment of the Special Tax Bonds or affects in any manner the right or ability of the Community Facilities District to collect or pledge the Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area for the repayment of the Special Tax Bonds;

13. A transcript of all proceedings relating to the authorization, issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds and the Special Tax Bonds, including certified copies of the Trust Agreement, the District Indenture and all resolutions of the City and the Authority relating thereto;

14. A certificate dated the Closing Date from NBS addressed to the Authority, the Community Facilities District and the Underwriter to the effect that: (i) the Special Tax (after payment of Priority Administrative Expenses) if collected in the maximum amounts permitted pursuant to the Rate and Method of Apportionment of Special Taxes would generate at least 110% of the annual debt service payable with respect to the Special Tax Bonds in each year, based on such assumptions and qualifications as shall be acceptable to the Underwriter; and (ii) the statements in the Official Statement provided by NBS concerning the Special Tax and the Rate and Method of Apportionment of the Special Taxes and all information supplied by it for use in the Official Statement as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the Closing Date did not and do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

15. Certified copies of the general resolution of the Trustee and District Trustee authorizing the execution and delivery of certain documents by certain officers of the Trustee and District Trustee, which resolution authorizes the execution of the Trust Agreement, the District Indenture and the authentication of the Bonds and the Special Tax Bonds;

16. A certificate of the Trustee, addressed to the Underwriter, the Authority and the Community Facilities District dated the Closing Date, to the effect that: (i) the Trustee is authorized to carry out corporate trust powers, and have full power and authority to perform their respective duties under the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture; (ii) the Trustee is duly authorized to execute and deliver the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture, to accept the obligations created by the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture and to authenticate the Bonds and the Special Tax Bonds pursuant to the terms of the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture, respectively; (iii) no consent, approval, authorization or other action by any governmental or regulatory authority having jurisdiction over the Trustee that has not been obtained is or will be required for the authentication of the Bonds or the Special Tax Bonds or the consummation by the Trustee of the other transactions contemplated to be performed by the Trustee in connection with the authentication of the Bonds and the Special Tax Bonds and the acceptance and performance of the obligations created by the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture; and (iv) to the best of its knowledge, compliance with the terms of the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture will not conflict with, or result in a violation or breach of, or constitute a default under, any loan agreement, trust agreement, bond, note, resolution or any other agreement or instrument to which the Trustee is a party or by which it is bound, or any law or any rule, regulation, order or decree of any court or governmental agency or body having jurisdiction over the Trustee or any of its activities or properties;

17. An opinion of counsel to the Trustee, dated the Closing Date, addressed to the Underwriter, the Authority and the Community Facilities District to the effect that the Trustee is a national banking association duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the United States having full power and being qualified to enter into, accept and agree to the provisions of the Trust Agreement and the District Indenture, and that each of such documents has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Trustee and, assuming due execution and delivery by the other parties thereto, constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Trustee enforceable in accordance with its terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights in general and except as such enforceability may be limited by the application of equitable principles if equitable remedies are sought;

18. A certificate of the Authority dated the Closing Date, in a form acceptable to Bond Counsel and the Underwriter, that the Bonds are not arbitrage bonds within the meaning of Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;

19. An opinion of Stradling Yocca Carlson & Rauth, counsel to the Underwriter ("Underwriter's Counsel"), dated the date of Closing and addressed to the Underwriter in form and substance acceptable to the Underwriter;

20. A certificate of the Developer dated the Closing Date, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D hereto;

21. A certificate of each of KB Home and Signature Homes dated the Closing Date, substantially in the form attached as part of Exhibit G hereto.

22. Opinions of counsel to each of KB Home and Signature Homes, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Authority and the Underwriter, that contain the opinions attached hereto as Exhibit H.

23. Continuing disclosure certificates of each of the Developer, KB Home and Signature Homes in the form attached as Appendix D to the Official Statement.

24. A certificate of the Appraiser, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit J;

25. A certificate of the Market Absorption Consultant, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit K; and

26. Such additional legal opinions, certificates, instruments and other documents as the Underwriter may reasonably request to evidence the truth and accuracy, as of the date hereof and as of the Closing Date, of the material representations of the Authority contained herein, and of the statements and information contained in the Official Statement and the due performance or satisfaction by the Authority and the Community Facilities District at or prior to the Closing of all agreements then to be performed and all conditions then to be satisfied by the Community Facilities District and the Authority in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby and by the District Indenture, the Trust Agreement, and the Official Statement.

If the Authority shall be unable to satisfy the conditions to the obligations of the Underwriter to purchase, accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds contained in this Purchase Agreement, or if the obligations of the Underwriter to purchase, accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds shall be terminated for any reason permitted by this Purchase Agreement, this Purchase Agreement shall terminate and neither the Authority nor the Underwriter shall be under any further obligation hereunder, except that the respective obligations of the Underwriter and the Authority set forth in Section 6 hereof shall continue in full force and effect.

5. Conditions to the Obligations of the Authority.

A. The obligations of the Authority shall be subject to the satisfaction of the conditions contained in Section 4 of this Purchase Agreement.

B. If the Authority shall be unable to satisfy the conditions to the obligations of the Authority to purchase, accept delivery of and pay for the Special Tax Bonds contained in the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, or if the obligations of the Authority to purchase, accept delivery of and pay for the Special Tax Bonds shall be terminated for any reason permitted by this Purchase Agreement, this Purchase Agreement shall terminate and neither the Authority nor the Community Facilities District shall be under any further obligation hereunder, except that the obligations of the Authority set forth in Section 6 hereof shall continue in full force and effect.

6. Expenses. Whether or not the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Agreement are consummated, the Underwriter shall be under no obligation to pay, and the Authority shall pay only from the proceeds of the Bonds, or cause the Community Facilities District to pay out of the

proceeds of the Special Tax Bonds or any other legally available funds of the City, the Community Facilities District or the Authority, but only as the Authority and such other party providing such services may agree, all expenses and costs of the Authority incident to the performance of its obligations in connection with the authorization, execution, sale and delivery of the Bonds to the Underwriter, including, without limitation, printing costs, initial fees of the Trustee, including fees and disbursements of their counsel, if any, fees and disbursements of Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel and other professional advisors employed by the Authority, costs of preparation, printing, signing, transportation, delivery and safekeeping of the Bonds and for expenses (included in the expense component of the spread) incurred by the Underwriter on behalf of the Authority's employees which are incidental to implementing this Purchase Agreement, including, but not limited to, meals, transportation, lodging, and entertainment of those employees. The Underwriter shall pay all out-of-pocket expenses of the Underwriter, including, without limitation, 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, including fees of its counsel.

7. Notices. Any notice of other communication to be given to the City or the Authority under this Purchase Agreement may be given by delivering the same in writing to the City of Folsom, 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA, 95630, Attention: Finance Director; 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 Piper Sandler & Co, 2321 Rosecrans Avenue, El Segundo, CA 90245, Attention: Dennis McGuire.

8. Parties In Interest. This Purchase Agreement is made solely for the benefit of the Authority and Underwriter (including any successors or assignees of the Underwriter) and no other person shall acquire or have any right hereunder or by virtue hereof.

9. Survival of Representations. The representations of the Authority under this Purchase Agreement shall not be deemed to have been discharged, satisfied or otherwise rendered void by reason of the Closing and regardless of any investigations made by or on behalf of the Underwriter (or statements as to the results of such investigations) concerning such representations and statements of the Authority and regardless of delivery of and payment for the Bonds.

10. Execution in 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.

11. Effective. This Purchase Agreement shall become effective and binding upon the respective parties hereto upon the execution of the acceptance hereof by the Authority and shall be valid and enforceable as of the time of such acceptance.

12. No Prior Agreements. This Purchase Agreement supersedes and replaces all prior negotiations, agreements and understanding among the parties hereto in relation to the sale of the Bonds by the Authority.

13. Governing Law. This Purchase Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California.



14. Effective Date. This Purchase Agreement shall become effective and binding upon the respective parties hereto upon the execution of the acceptance hereof by the Authority and shall be valid and enforceable as of the time of such acceptance.

Very truly yours,

PIPER SANDLER & CO.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: Authorized Officer

FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING  
AUTHORITY

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Its: Treasurer

EXHIBIT A

FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020

Schedule of Bond Maturities, Principal Amounts, Interest Rates and Initial Offering Prices

<i>Maturity Date (September 1)</i>	<i>Principal Amount</i>	<i>Interest Rate</i>	<i>Initial Offering Price</i>	<i>10% Test Used</i>	<i>Hold the Price Offering Rule Used</i>
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**Optional Redemption.** The Bonds are subject to optional redemption by the Authority prior to their respective maturity dates as a whole or in part on any date on or after September 1, 20\_\_, from any source of available funds other than Minimum Sinking Fund Payments and Special Tax Prepayments, at the following redemption prices (computed upon the principal amount of the Bonds or portions thereof called for redemption) together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption:

[103]% if redeemed on any date on or after [September 1], 20\_\_ through [August 31], 20\_\_;

[102]% if redeemed on any date from [September 1], 20\_\_ through [August 31], 20\_\_;

[101]% if redeemed on any date from [September 1], 20\_\_ through [August 31], 20\_\_; and

[100]% if redeemed on [September 1], 20\_\_ and any date thereafter.

**Extraordinary Redemption from Prepayment of Special Taxes.** The Bonds are subject to extraordinary redemption by the Authority prior to their respective maturity dates, as a whole or in part on

any Interest Payment Date on or after [March 1], 20\_\_, solely from funds derived from extraordinary redemption of Local Obligations from Special Tax Prepayments, at the following redemption prices (computed upon the principal amount of the Bonds or portions thereof called for redemption) together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption:

[103]% if redeemed on an Interest Payment Date on or after [March 1], 20\_\_ through [March 1], 20\_\_;

[102]% if redeemed on an Interest Payment Date on [September 1], 20\_\_ and [March 1], 20\_\_;

[101]% if redeemed on an Interest Payment Date on [September 1], 20\_\_ and [March 1], 20\_\_; and

[100]% if redeemed on [September 1], 20\_\_ and any Interest Payment Date thereafter.

**Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption of Bonds.** The Bonds maturing on September 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory redemption in part by lot on September 1 of each year commencing September 1, 20\_\_, at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount thereof called for redemption together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption:

Minimum Sinking Fund Payment Date (September 1)	Bonds Minimum Sinking Fund Payment
	\$

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† Maturity.

The Bonds maturing on September 1, 20\_\_ are subject to mandatory redemption in part by lot on September 1 of each year commencing September 1, 20\_\_, at a redemption price equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the principal amount thereof called for redemption together with accrued interest thereon to the date fixed for redemption:

Minimum Sinking Fund Payment Date (September 1)	Bonds Minimum Sinking Fund Payment
	\$

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† Maturity.

**EXHIBIT B**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS OF THE DISTRICT**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

Re: *City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Bonds, Series 2020*

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In connection with the proposed offer and sale of the above-referenced bonds (the "Special Tax Bonds"), the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "Community Facilities District") hereby represents and covenants to Piper Sandler & Co., as underwriter (the "Underwriter") of the Folsom Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds"), as follows:

A. The City of Folsom (the "City") is duly organized and validly existing as a municipal corporation and charter city under the Constitution and laws of the State of California and the Charter and the Community Facilities District is a community facilities district organized and existing pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, being Chapter 2.5, Part 1, Division 2, Title 5 of the Government Code of the State of California.

B. The City has duly authorized the formation of the Community Facilities District and the establishment of Improvement Area No. 1 therein (the "Improvement Area") pursuant to resolutions and an ordinance duly adopted by the City Council (collectively, the "Community Facilities District Formation Resolution" and, together with Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ authorizing the issuance and sale of the Special Tax Bonds, the "Community Facilities District Resolutions") and the Community Facilities District Act. The City Council, acting as the legislative body of the Community Facilities District has duly adopted the Community Facilities District Resolutions, and has caused to be recorded in the real property records of the County of Sacramento, a notice of special tax lien (the "Notice of Special Tax Lien") (the Community Facilities District Formation Resolution and Notice of Special Tax Lien being collectively referred to herein as the "Formation Documents"). Each of the Formation Documents remains in full force and effect as of the date hereof and has not been amended.

C. The Community Facilities District has, and at the Closing Date will have, as the case may be, full legal right, power and authority: (i) to execute, deliver and perform its obligations under the District Indenture, the Trust Agreement, the Continuing Disclosure Certificate and the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, and to carry out all transactions contemplated by each of such documents; (ii) to issue, sell and deliver its Special Tax Bonds to the Authority; and (iii) to carry out, give effect to and consummate the transactions contemplated by the Formation Documents, the District Indenture, the Trust Agreement, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Special Tax Bonds, this Letter of Representations, the Continuing Disclosure Certificate and the Official Statement.

This Letter of Representations, the Trust Agreement, the District Indenture, the Local Obligation Purchase Contract, the Special Tax Bonds and the Continuing Disclosure Certificate are collectively referred to herein as the "District Documents."

D. The Community Facilities District has complied, and will at the Closing Date be in compliance in all material respects, with the Formation Documents and the District Documents, and immaterial noncompliance by the Community Facilities District, if any, will not impair the ability of the Community Facilities District to carry out, give effect to or consummate the transactions contemplated by the foregoing. From and after the date of issuance of its Special Tax Bonds, the Community Facilities District will continue to comply with the covenants of the Community Facilities District contained in the District Documents.

E. Except as described in the Preliminary Official Statement, the Community Facilities District is not, in any respect material to the transactions referred to herein or contemplated hereby, in breach of or in default under, any law or administrative rule or regulation of the State of California, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, and the performance of its obligations under the District Documents and compliance with the provisions of each thereof, or the performance of the conditions precedent to be performed by the Community Facilities District pursuant to the District Documents, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any applicable law or administrative rule or regulation of the State, the United States of America, or of any department, division, agency or instrumentality of either thereof, or under any applicable court or administrative decree or order, or under any loan agreement, note, resolution, indenture, contract, agreement or other instrument to which the Community Facilities District is a party or is otherwise subject or bound, in any manner that would materially and adversely affect the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations under the District Documents or the performance of the conditions precedent to be performed by the Community Facilities District pursuant to the District Documents.

F. Except as may be required under the "blue sky" or other securities laws of any jurisdiction, all approvals, consents, authorizations, elections and orders of, or filings or registrations with, any governmental authority, board, agency or commission having jurisdiction which would constitute a condition precedent to, or the absence of which would materially adversely affect, the performance by the Community Facilities District of its obligations under the District Documents, have been or will be obtained at the Closing Date and are or will be in full force and effect at the Closing Date.

G. The District Documents conform as to form and tenor to the descriptions thereof contained in the Preliminary Official Statement.

H. The Special Tax Bonds are payable from the Special Tax, as set forth in the District Indenture, the levy of which has been duly and validly authorized pursuant to the Community Facilities District Act and the Special Tax within the Improvement Area will be fixed and levied in an amount which, together with other available funds, is required for the payment of the principal of, and interest on, the Special Tax Bonds when due and payable, all as provided in the District Indenture. The Community Facilities District has covenanted to cause the Special Tax to be levied and collected at the same time and in the same manner as ordinary *ad valorem* property taxes.

I. The District Indenture creates a valid pledge of, first lien upon and security interest in, the Special Tax, and in the moneys in the Special Tax Fund established pursuant to the District Indenture, on the terms and conditions set forth in the District Indenture.

J. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, there are, to the best of the Community Facilities District's knowledge, no entities with outstanding assessment liens against any of the properties within the Improvement Area or which are senior to or on a parity with the Special Tax referred to in paragraph (H) hereof.

K. The information contained in the Preliminary Official Statement (other than statements therein pertaining to the Authority, DTC and its book-entry system and under the caption "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT — Property Ownership," "— Development Plan and Status of Development" and "— Development Plans of Finance," as to which no view is expressed) does not and shall not contain any untrue or misleading statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; and, upon delivery and up to and including 25 days after the End of the Underwriting Period (as defined in paragraph (L) below), the Official Statement will be amended and supplemented so as to contain no misstatement of any material fact or omission of any statement necessary to make the statements contained therein, in the light of the circumstances in which such statements were made, not misleading.

L. Up to and including 25 days after the End of the Underwriting Period, the Community Facilities District will advise the Underwriter promptly of any proposal to amend or supplement the Official Statement and will not effect or consent to any such amendment or supplement without the consent of the Underwriter, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld. The Community Facilities District will advise the Underwriter promptly of the institution of any proceedings known to it by any governmental agency prohibiting or otherwise materially affecting the use of the Official Statement in connection with the offering, sale or distribution of the Bonds. As used herein, the term "End of the Underwriting Period" means the later of such time as: (i) the Bonds are delivered to the Underwriter; or (ii) the Underwriter does not retain, directly or as a member of an underwriting syndicate, an unsold balance of the Bonds for sale to the public. Unless the Underwriter gives notice to the contrary, the End of the Underwriting Period shall be deemed to be the Closing Date. Any notice delivered pursuant to this provision shall be a written notice delivered to the City at or prior to the Closing Date, and shall specify a date (other than the Closing Date) to be deemed the "End of the Underwriting Period."

M. There is no action pending (notice of which has been served on the Community Facilities District or the City) or to the best knowledge of the Community Facilities

District threatened, in which any such action: (i) in any way questions the existence of the Community Facilities District or the titles of the officers of the City to their respective offices; (ii) affects, contests or seeks to prohibit, restrain or enjoin the issuance or delivery of the Bonds or the Special Tax Bonds or the payment or collection of the Special Tax or any amounts pledged or to be pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the Special Tax Bonds or the Bonds, or in any way contests or affects the validity of the Formation Documents or the District Documents or the consummation of the transactions on the part of the Community Facilities District contemplated thereby; (iii) contests the exemption of interest on the Bonds or the Special Tax Bonds from federal or State income taxation, as applicable, or contests the powers of the City or the Community Facilities District which may result in any material adverse change relating to the financial condition of the Community Facilities District; or (iv) contests the completeness or accuracy of the Preliminary Official Statement or any supplement or amendment thereto or asserts that the Preliminary 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 clauses (i) through (iv) of this sentence.

N. Any certificate signed on behalf of the Community Facilities District by any officer or employee of the City authorized to do so shall be deemed a representation by the Community Facilities District to the Authority and the Underwriter on behalf of itself and the Community Facilities District as to the statements made therein.

O. At or prior to the Closing, the Community Facilities District will have duly authorized, executed and delivered the Continuing Disclosure Certificate in substantially the form attached as Appendix D to the Official Statement. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, the City has not failed to comply in all respects with any previous undertakings with regard to the Rule to provide annual reports or notices of material events in the last five years.

P. The Community Facilities District will apply the proceeds of its Special Tax Bonds in accordance with the District Indenture.

Q. Between the date of the Purchase Agreement and the date of Closing, the Community Facilities District will not offer or issue any bonds, notes or other obligations for borrowed money not previously disclosed to the Underwriter.

Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Bond Purchase Agreement by and between the Authority and the Underwriter.

CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY  
FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23 (FOLSOM  
RANCH)

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Finance Director of the City of Folsom

**EXHIBIT C**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS OF  
EAST CARPENTER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, LLC**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch)  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”) and to the Bond Purchase Agreement to be entered into in connection therewith (the “Purchase Agreement”). This Letter of Representations of East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC (the “Letter of Representations”) is delivered pursuant to the Purchase Agreement. Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Purchase Agreement.

The undersigned certifies that he or she is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same as an authorized officer or representative of East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC, a California limited liability company (the “Developer”), and the undersigned, on behalf of the Developer further certifies as follows:

1. The Developer is a limited liability company validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of California and is duly registered to transact intrastate business in the State of California and is in good standing in the State of California and has all requisite right, power and authority: (i) to execute and deliver this Letter of Representations; and (ii) to undertake all of the transactions on its part described in the Preliminary Official Statement.



2. As set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement, certain property within Improvement Area No. 1 (the "Improvement Area") of City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "Community Facilities District") is held in the name of the Developer or its Affiliates<sup>1</sup> (herein the "Property"). The undersigned, on behalf of the Developer, makes the representations herein with respect to all such Property.

3. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned,<sup>2</sup> (a) the Developer and its Affiliates are not in breach of or in default under any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, option agreement, development agreement, indenture, fiscal agent agreement, bond or note (collectively, the "Material Agreements") to which the Developer or its Affiliates are a party or otherwise subject, which breach or default could reasonably be expected to materially and adversely affect the Developer's ability to complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax on the Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Developer or its Affiliates) prior to delinquency and (b) no event has occurred and is continuing that with the passage of time or giving of notice, or both, would constitute such a breach or default.

4. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, neither the Developer, nor any of its Affiliates is in default on any obligation to repay borrowed money, which default is reasonably likely to materially and adversely affect the Developer's ability to complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax on the Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Developer or its Affiliates) prior to delinquency.

5. Except as set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement, no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity, before or by any court, regulatory agency, public board or body is pending against the Developer (with proper service of process or proper notice to the Developer having been accomplished) or, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, is pending against any current Affiliate (with proper service of process to such Affiliate having been accomplished) or to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned is threatened in writing against the Developer or any such Affiliate which if

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<sup>1</sup> "Affiliate" means, with respect to a Person (i) any other Person directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controlling, controlled by or under common control with such Person, and (ii) for whom information, including financial information or operating data, concerning such Person referenced in clause (i) is material to potential investors in their evaluation of the Improvement Area and investment decision regarding the Bonds (i.e., information relevant to the Developer's development plans with respect to its Property and the payment of its Special Tax on the Property prior to delinquency, or such Person's assets or funds that would materially affect the Developer's ability to develop its Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay its Special Tax on the Property prior to delinquency). "Person" means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, a limited liability company, an association, a joint stock company, a trust, any unincorporated organization or a government or political subdivision thereof. For purposes hereof, the term "control" (including the terms "controlling," "controlled by" or "under common control with") means the possession, direct or indirect, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise. For purposes of this Certificate, the term "Affiliate" is expressly deemed to include Folsom Real Estate South, LLC and WestLand Capital Partners, L.P.

<sup>2</sup> As used in this Letter of Representations, the phrase "Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned" shall mean the knowledge of the undersigned as of the date hereof obtained from interviews with such current officers and responsible employees of the Developer and its Affiliates as the undersigned has determined are likely, in the ordinary course of their respective duties, to have knowledge of the matters set forth herein. The undersigned has not conducted any extraordinary inspection or inquiry other than such inspections or inquiries as are prudent and customary in connection with the ordinary course of the Developer's current business and operations.

successful, is reasonably likely to materially and adversely affect the Developer's ability to complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax or *ad valorem* tax obligations on its Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Developer or its Affiliates) prior to delinquency.

6. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned as of the date thereof, the Preliminary Official Statement, solely with respect to information contained therein with respect to the Developer, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Developer's development plan, the Developer's financing plan, the Developer's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Developer or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Developer's development plan or the Developer's financing plan, other loans of such Affiliates) as set forth under the caption "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT" is true and correct in all material respects and did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

7. The Developer covenants that, while the Bonds or any refunding obligations related thereto are outstanding, the Developer and its Affiliates which it controls will not bring any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity, before any court, regulatory agency, public board or body, that in any way seeks to challenge or overturn the formation of the Community Facilities District or the Improvement Area, to challenge the adoption of Ordinance No. \_\_\_ of the City levying the Special Tax within the Improvement Area, to invalidate the Community Facilities District, the Improvement Area or any of the Bonds or any refunding bonds related thereto, or to invalidate the special tax liens imposed under Section 3115.5 of the Streets and Highways Code based on recordation of the amended notice of special tax lien relating thereto. The foregoing covenant shall not prevent the Developer in any way from bringing any other action, suit or proceeding including, without limitation, (a) an action or suit contending that the Special Tax has not been levied in accordance with the methodologies contained in the Community Facilities District's Rate and Method of Apportionment of Special Taxes for the Improvement Area pursuant to which the Special Tax is levied, or (b) an action or suit with respect to the application or use of the Special Tax levied and collected.

8. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the Developer is not aware that any other public debt secured by a tax or assessment on the Property exists or is in the process of being authorized or any assessment districts or community facilities districts have been or are in the process of being formed that include any portion of the Property.

9. The Developer has been developing or has been involved in the development of numerous projects over an extended period of time. It is likely that the Developer has been delinquent at one time or another in the payment of *ad valorem* property taxes, special assessments or special taxes. However, except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, neither the Developer nor any Affiliate is currently in default in, or in the last five (5) years has ever defaulted to any material extent in the payment of any *ad valorem* property tax, special assessment or special tax on property owned by the Developer or any Affiliate within the boundaries of a community facilities district or an assessment district within California that (a) caused a draw on a reserve fund relating to such assessment district or community facilities district

financing or (b) resulted in a foreclosure action being commenced against the Developer or any such Affiliate.

10. The Developer intends to comply with the provision of the Mello-Roos Community Facilities District Act of 1982, as amended, relating to the Notice of Special Tax described in Government Code Section 53341.5 in connection with the sale of the Property, or portions thereof.

11. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the Developer is able to pay its bills as they become due and no legal proceedings are pending against the Developer (with proper service of process to the Developer having been accomplished) or, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, threatened in writing in which the Developer may be adjudicated as bankrupt or discharged from any and all of its debts or obligations, or granted an extension of time to pay its debts or obligations, or be allowed to reorganize or readjust its debts, or be subject to control or supervision of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

12. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, Affiliates of the Developer are able to pay their bills as they become due and no legal proceedings are pending against any Affiliates of the Developer (with proper service of process to such Affiliate having been accomplished) or to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, threatened in writing in which the Affiliates of the Developer may be adjudicated as bankrupt or discharged from any or all of their debts or obligations, or granted an extension of time to pay their debts or obligations, or be allowed to reorganize or readjust their debts or obligations, or be subject to control or supervision of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

13. If between the date hereof and the Closing Date any event relating to or affecting the Developer, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Developer's development plan, the Developer's financing plan, the Developer's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Developer or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Developer's development plan or the Developer's financing plan, other loans of such Affiliates) shall occur of which the undersigned has actual knowledge and which the undersigned believes would cause the information under the sections of the Preliminary Official Statement indicated in Paragraph 6 hereof, to contain an untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, the undersigned shall notify the City and the Underwriter and if in the opinion of counsel to the City or the Underwriter such event requires the preparation and publication of a supplement or amendment to the Preliminary Official Statement, the Developer shall reasonably cooperate with the City in the preparation of an amendment or supplement to the Preliminary Official Statement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to counsel to the City and to the Underwriter.

14. For the period through 25 days after the "End of the Underwriting Period" as defined in the Purchase Agreement, if any event relating to or affecting the Developer, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Developer's development plan, the Developer's financing plan, the Developer's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Developer or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Developer's development plan or the Developer's financing plan, other loans of such Affiliates) shall occur as a result of which it is necessary, in the opinion of the Underwriter or counsel to the City, to amend or supplement

the Official Statement in order to make the Official Statement not misleading in the light of the circumstances existing at the time it is delivered to a purchaser, the Developer shall reasonably cooperate with the City and the Underwriter in the preparation of an amendment or supplement to the Official Statement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Underwriter and Disclosure Counsel which 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 a purchaser, not misleading.

15. The Developer agrees to deliver a Closing Certificate dated the date of issuance of the Bonds at the time of issuance of the Bonds in substantially the form attached as Exhibit D to the Purchase Agreement.

16. On behalf of the Developer, I have reviewed the contents of this Letter of Representations and have met with counsel to the Developer for the purpose of discussing the meaning of its contents.

The undersigned has executed this Letter of Representations solely in his or her capacity as an officer or authorized representative of Developer and he or she will have no personal liability arising from or relating to this Letter of Representations. Any liability arising from or relating to this Letter of Representations may only be asserted against the Developer.

**EAST CARPENTER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY,  
LLC, a California limited liability company**

By: HBT ECIC, LLC, a California limited liability  
company

Its: Managing Member

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: William B. Bunce

Its: Manager

**EXHIBIT D**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**CLOSING CERTIFICATE OF EAST CARPENTER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, LLC**

[Closing Date]

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, CA, 95630

City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch)  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, CA, 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds") and to the Bond Purchase Agreement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Purchase Agreement"), entered into in connection therewith. This certificate is delivered by East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Developer") pursuant to the Purchase Agreement. Capitalized terms used herein or in the Letter of Representations (defined below) and not otherwise defined have the meanings ascribed to them in the Purchase Agreement. A copy of a Letter of Representations (the "Letter of Representations"), dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, delivered by the Developer, is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

The undersigned certifies that he or she is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same as an authorized officer or representative of the Developer, and the undersigned, on behalf of the Developer, further certifies as follows:

1. The Developer has received the final Official Statement relating to the Bonds. Each statement, representation and warranty made in the Letter of Representations is true and correct in all material respects on and as of the date hereof with the same effect as if made on the date hereof, except that all references therein to the Preliminary Official Statement shall be deemed to be references to the final Official Statement.

2. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, no event has occurred since the date of the Preliminary Official Statement affecting the statements and information described in Paragraph 6 of the Letter of Representations relating to the Developer, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the

Developer's development plan, the Developer's financing plan, the Developer's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Developer or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Developer's development plan or the Developer's financing plan, other loans of such Affiliates) which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purposes for which it is to be used in order to make such statements and information contained in the Official Statement not misleading in any material respect.

3. The undersigned has executed this Certificate solely in his or her capacity as an officer of Developer and he or she will have no personal liability arising from or relating to this Certificate. Any liability arising from or relating to this Certificate may only be asserted against the Developer.

**EAST CARPENTER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY,  
LLC, a California limited liability company**

By: HBT ECIC, LLC, a California limited liability  
company

Its: Managing Member

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: William B. Bunce  
Its: Manager

**EXHIBIT E**  
**SUPPLEMENTAL OPINION OF BOND COUNSEL**

[TO COME FROM BOND COUNSEL]

**EXHIBIT F**

**OPINION OF DEVELOPER'S COUNSEL**

[Closing Date]

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

**Re: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel to East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Developer") in connection with the issuance and sale by the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the "Issuer") of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds") to provide funds to finance the purchase of limited obligation special tax bonds, issued by the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "District") with respect to Improvement Area No. 1 therein (the "Improvement Area"). This opinion is rendered pursuant to the Bond Purchase Agreement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Bond Purchase Agreement"), entered into in connection therewith. Capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meanings set forth in the Bond Purchase Agreement.

In rendering the opinions set forth herein, we have reviewed and examined such documents as we have determined to be appropriate, including the following documents:

1. The Bond Purchase Agreement;
2. The Preliminary Official Statement and the Final Official Statement (together, the "Official Statement");
3. The Developer Continuing Disclosure Certificate dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, executed by Developer (the "Developer Disclosure Certificate"); and
4. Letter of Representations of East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, and the Closing Certificate of East Carpenter Improvement Company, LLC, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, both as required pursuant to the Bond Purchase Agreement (collectively, the "Developer Certificate").



With respect to factual matters underlying our opinions herein, we have made no independent investigation or inquiry and have relied solely upon the Developer Certificate. We advise you that the phrase "to our knowledge," as used herein, means that no facts have come to our attention, based upon an inquiry of attorneys in this firm who devote substantive legal attention to Developer, or as a result of our examination of the Developer Certificate, that indicate to us anything contrary to the statement to which the phrase relates. Except as expressly set forth above, the phrase does not mean that we have conducted any investigation or inquiry or performed any other examination or review. We have no reason to believe that any factual matters or assumptions relied upon by us are not true, correct and complete.

Our opinions herein are limited to the internal laws of the State of California and the federal laws of the United States of America. We express no opinion whatsoever with respect to the laws of any other jurisdiction and assume no responsibility for the applicability of such laws.

In rendering our opinions herein, we have assumed the following, with your approval:

i. The genuineness and authenticity of all signatures on original documents submitted to us (other than any signatures on behalf of Developer); the authenticity and completeness of all documents submitted to us as originals; the conformity to originals of all documents submitted to us as copies; where any signature, other than any signature on behalf of Developer purports to have been made in a corporate, governmental, fiduciary or other capacity, the person who affixed such signature had the full power and authority to do so;

ii. The due authorization, execution and delivery of the applicable agreements by the parties thereto, other than the Developer, and the legality, validity, binding effect and enforceability against such parties of their respective obligations under such agreements;

iii. The truth, accuracy and completeness of all factual representations and warranties of all parties under the documents described in paragraphs 1 through 4, above;

iv. The constitutionality or validity of a relevant statute, rule, regulation or agency action is not in issue unless a reported decision in the State of California has specifically addressed but not resolved, or has established, its unconstitutionality or invalidity; and

v. All official public records relied upon by us are accurate and complete.

Based upon the foregoing and in reliance thereon, and based on our examination of such questions of law as we have deemed appropriate under the circumstances, and subject to any further assumptions, comments, exceptions, qualifications and limitations set forth below, as of the date hereof, it is our opinion that:

1. Developer is a limited liability company validly existing and in good standing as a limited liability company under the laws of the State of California and is duly registered to transact intrastate business in the State of California and is in good standing in the State of California, and has full power and authority to enter into the Developer Disclosure Certificate.

2. The Developer has duly and validly executed and delivered the Developer Disclosure Certificate, and the Developer Disclosure Certificate constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Developer, enforceable against Developer in accordance with its terms.

3. To our knowledge, the execution and delivery by the Developer of the Developer Disclosure Certificate and the performance of its obligations thereunder do not and will not result in a violation of any provision of, or in default under any agreement or other instrument to which Developer is a party.

4. To our knowledge, Developer is not in violation of any provision of or in default under, its organizational documents or any agreement or other instrument, violation or default under which would materially and adversely affect the business, properties, assets, liabilities or conditions (financial or other) of the Developer with respect to Developer's ability to develop real property owned by Developer within the Improvement Area.

5. To our knowledge, except as set forth in the Official Statement, there is no litigation pending against Developer (with service of process to Developer having been duly given and completed) or overtly threatened against Developer which would materially and adversely affect the validity or enforceability of the Developer Disclosure Certificate, Developer's ability to complete the development of its property as proposed in the Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax.

6. Without having undertaken to determine independently the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the statements contained in the Official Statement under the captions, "INTRODUCTION – Property Ownership"; "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT"; and "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE;" (except that no opinion or belief need to be expressed as to any information relating to The Depository Trust Company, or any information relating to CUSIP numbers, or with respect to any financial, statistical or engineering information, data or forecasts, numbers, charts, estimates, projections, assumptions or expressions of opinion, assessed valuations or appraised values, or to any information which is attributable to a source other than Developer, contained in the Official Statement), no facts came to our attention during the course of our representation of Developer that would lead us to believe that the information under said captions of the Official Statement relating to the Developer and the Developer's organizations, activities, properties and financial condition, and its proposed development of the Property, contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits any material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

In addition, all of our opinions expressed hereinabove are specifically subject to and limited by the following:

a) We express no opinion as to matters governed by any laws other than the substantive laws of California which are in effect as of the date hereof, and we assume no obligation to modify or supplement this opinion with respect to changes in such laws after the date hereof.

b) As counsel to the Developer in this matter, we have not rendered financial advice to the Developer and do not represent, by this opinion or otherwise, that we have reviewed or made any assessment about, nor do we offer any opinion about, the financial condition of the Developer, past, present or future, including any financial information contained in the Developer Disclosure Certificate; nor have we reviewed the financial feasibility of this transaction or those matters which the proceeds of the Bonds will fund or any of its components and, accordingly, we offer no opinion whatsoever regarding such financial feasibility.

c) The effect of laws or court decisions relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, equitable subordination, reorganization, arrangement, moratorium or other laws or court decisions relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally.

d) Limitations imposed by California or federal law or equitable principles upon the availability of the remedy of specific performance of any of the remedies, covenants or other provisions of any document or agreement and upon the availability of injunctive relief or other equitable remedies.

In addition, we express no opinion as to the title of the property within the Improvement Area or any entitlements, permits, approvals or other assets relating to the Developer's development of its property as proposed in the Official Statement.

We express no opinion as to any matter other than as expressly set forth above, and, in conjunction therewith, specifically express no opinion concerning the application of or compliance with any federal securities law, including, but not limited to, the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, any state securities or "Blue Sky" law, or any federal, state or local tax law, as respecting the Bonds.

This letter is intended solely for your use in relation to the Bond Purchase Agreement and may not be reproduced or filed publicly or relied upon for any other purpose by you or for any purpose whatsoever by any other party without the express written consent of the undersigned except that this opinion may be copied and distributed as part of a closing book of the bond transaction documents, provided that such distribution shall not expand in any way the permitted uses of this letter.

We assume no responsibility for the effect of any fact or circumstance occurring subsequent to the date of this letter, including, without limitation, legislative or other changes in the law. Further, we assume no responsibility to advise you of any facts or circumstances of which we become aware after the date hereof, regardless of whether or not they may affect our opinions herein. This opinion is given as of the date hereof, and we assume no obligation to update our opinions herein after the date hereof.

Very truly yours,

HEFNER, STARK & MAROIS, LLP

By

Timothy D. Taron

**EXHIBIT G**

**FORM OF MERCHANT BUILDER LETTER OF REPRESENTATIONS**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds") and to the Bond Purchase Agreement to be entered into in connection therewith (the "Purchase Agreement"). This Letter of Representations of \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Letter of Representations") is delivered pursuant to the Purchase Agreement. Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Purchase Agreement.

The undersigned certifies that he or she is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same as an authorized officer or representative of \_\_\_\_\_, a Maryland corporation (the "Builder"), and the undersigned, on behalf of the Builder, further certifies as follows:

1. The Builder is a validly existing corporation and in good standing under the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_, is duly registered to transact intrastate business [as a foreign corporation] and in good standing in the State of California, and has all requisite corporate right, power and authority: (i) to execute and deliver this Letter of Representations; and (ii) to undertake all of the transactions on its part described in the Preliminary Official Statement.

2. As set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement, the Builder owns certain property (herein the "Property") within Improvement Area No. 1 (the "Improvement Area") of City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "District"). The undersigned, on behalf of the Builder, makes the representations herein with respect to all such Property.

3. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned (as defined below), (a) the Builder and its Affiliates<sup>1</sup> are not in breach of or in default under any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, option agreement, development agreement, indenture, fiscal agent agreement, bond or note (collectively, the "Material Agreements") to which the Builder or its Affiliates are a party or otherwise subject, which breach or default could reasonably be expected to materially and adversely affect the Builder's ability to complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax on the Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Builder) prior to delinquency and (b) no event has occurred and is continuing that with the passage of time or giving of notice, or both, would constitute such a breach or default.

4. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned<sup>2</sup>, neither the Builder nor any of its Affiliates is in default on any obligation to repay borrowed money, which default is reasonably likely to materially and adversely affect the Builder's ability complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax on the Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Builder) prior to delinquency.

5. Except as set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement, no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity, before or by any court, regulatory agency, public board or body is pending against the Builder (with proper service of process to the Builder having been accomplished) or, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, is pending against any current Affiliate (with proper service of process to such Affiliate having been accomplished) or to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned is threatened in writing against the Builder or any such Affiliate which if successful, is reasonably likely to materially and adversely affect the Builder's ability to complete the development of the Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax or *ad valorem* tax obligations on its Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Builder) prior to delinquency.

6. As of the date of the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the information set forth therein under the captions "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Property Ownership — \_\_\_\_\_," "—Development Plan and Status of Development — \_\_\_\_\_," "— Development Plans of Finance—\_\_\_\_\_ *Plan of Finance*," and \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>1</sup> "Affiliate" means, with respect to the Builder, any other Person: (i) who directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, is currently controlling, controlled by or under common control with the Builder, and (ii) for whom information, including financial information or operating data, concerning such Person is material to potential investors in their evaluation of the Improvement Area and investment decision regarding the Bonds (*i.e.*, information relevant to: (a) the Builder's development plans with respect to its Property and the payment of its Special Tax on the Property prior to delinquency; or (b) such Person's assets or funds that would materially affect the Builder's ability to develop its Property as described in the Preliminary Official Statement or to pay its Special Tax on the Property (to the extent the responsibility of the Builder) prior to delinquency). "Person" means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, a limited liability company, an association, a joint stock company, a trust, any unincorporated organization or a government or political subdivision thereof. For purposes hereof, the term "control" (including the terms "controlling," "controlled by" or "under common control with") means the possession, direct or indirect, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.

<sup>2</sup> "Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned" shall mean the actual (as opposed to constructive) knowledge that the undersigned currently has as of the date of this Letter of Representations or has obtained from (i) interviews with such current officers and responsible employees of the Builder as the undersigned has determined are likely, in the ordinary course of their respective duties, to have knowledge of the matters set forth in this Letter of Representations, and/or (ii) a review of such documents as the undersigned determined were reasonably necessary to obtain knowledge of the matters set forth in this Letter of Representations. The undersigned has not conducted any extraordinary inspection or inquiry other than such inspections or inquiries as are prudent and customary in connection with the ordinary course of the Builder's current business and operations. The undersigned has not contacted individuals who are no longer employed by the Builder.

“CONTINUING DISCLOSURE – \_\_\_\_\_” but, in each caption, solely as such information pertains to Builder, its Affiliates, the Property, Builder’s development of the Property and Builder’s contractual arrangements with respect thereto (excluding therefrom in all cases (a) any statements regarding any other property owner or the property owned by a property owner other than the Builder, (b) any information on appraised and market values, and annual special tax rates and ratios, including information regarding the Appraisal and Market Absorption Study (as such terms are defined in the Preliminary Official Statement), and (c) any information which is identified as having been provided by a source other than the Builder) is true and correct in all material respects and did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

7. The Builder covenants that, while the Bonds or any refunding obligations related thereto are outstanding, the Builder and its Affiliates which it controls will not bring any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity, before any court, regulatory agency, public board or body, that in any way seeks to challenge or overturn the formation of the District and the Improvement Area, to challenge the adoption of Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_ of the District levying the Special Tax within the Improvement Area, to invalidate the District, the Improvement Area or any of the Bonds or any refunding bonds related thereto, or to invalidate the special tax liens imposed under Section 3115.5 of the Streets and Highways Code based on recordation of the notice of special tax lien relating thereto. The foregoing covenant shall not prevent the Builder or any Affiliate in any way from bringing any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation at law or in equity, before any court, regulatory agency, public board or body, including, without limitation, (a) contending that the Special Tax has not been levied in accordance with the methodologies contained in the Rate, Method of Apportionment, and Manner of Collection of Special Taxes pursuant to which the Special Tax is levied, (b) with respect to the application or use of the Special Tax levied and collected, or (c) to enforce the obligations of the Authority, the City, and/or the District under any agreements among the Builder and its Affiliates, the Authority, the City, and/or the District or to which the Builder or its Affiliates is a party or beneficiary.

8. Except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the Builder is not aware that any other public debt secured by a tax or assessment on the Property exists or is in the process of being authorized or any assessment districts or community facilities districts have been or are in the process of being formed that include any portion of the Property.

9. The Builder has been developing or has been involved in the development of numerous projects over an extended period of time. It is likely that the Builder has been delinquent at one time or another in the payment of ad valorem property taxes, special assessments or special taxes. However, except as disclosed in the Preliminary Official Statement, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the Builder is not currently in default in, or, in the last five years, has ever defaulted to any material extent in, the payment of special taxes or assessments in connection with the District or any other community facilities districts or assessment districts in California that (a) caused a draw on a reserve fund relating to such assessment district or community facilities district financing or (b) was not cured prior to the institution of any enforcement action with a court of law.

10. Builder intends to comply with the provision of the Mello-Roos Community Facilities District Act of 1982, as amended relating to the Notice of Special Tax described in Government Code Section 53341.5 in connection with the sale of the Property, or portions thereof.

11. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, the Builder is able to pay its bills as they become due and no legal proceedings are pending against the Builder (with proper service of process to the Builder having been accomplished) or, to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, threatened in writing in which the Builder may be adjudicated as bankrupt or discharged from any and all of its debts or obligations, or granted an extension of time to pay its debts or obligations, or be allowed to reorganize or readjust its debts, or be subject to control or supervision of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

12. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, Affiliates of the Builder are able to pay their bills as they become due and no legal proceedings are pending against any Affiliates of the Builder (with proper service of process to such Affiliate having been accomplished) or to the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, threatened in writing in which the Affiliates of the Builder may be adjudicated as bankrupt or discharged from any or all of their debts or obligations, or granted an extension of time to pay their debts or obligations, or be allowed to reorganize or readjust their debts or obligations, or be subject to control or supervision of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

13. If between the date hereof and the Closing Date any event relating to or affecting the Builder, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Builder's development plan, the Builder's financing plan, the Builder's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Builder or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Builder's development plan or the Builder's financing plan, loans of such Affiliates) shall occur of which the undersigned has actual knowledge and which the undersigned believes would cause the information under the sections of the Preliminary Official Statement indicated in Paragraph 6 hereof, to contain an untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, the undersigned shall notify the Authority and the Underwriter and if in the opinion of counsel to the Authority or the Underwriter such event requires the preparation and publication of a supplement or amendment to the Preliminary Official Statement, the Builder shall reasonably cooperate with the Authority in the preparation of an amendment or supplement to the Preliminary Official Statement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to counsel to the Authority and to the Underwriter.

14. The Builder agrees to deliver a Closing Certificate dated the date of issuance of the Bonds at the time of issuance of the Bonds in substantially the form attached as Exhibit A.

15. On behalf of the Builder, I have reviewed the contents of this Letter of Representations and have met with counsel to the Builder for the purpose of discussing the meaning of its contents.

The undersigned has executed this Letter of Representations solely in his or her capacity as an officer or authorized representative of Builder and he or she will have no personal liability arising from or relating to this Letter of Representations. Any liability arising from or relating to this Letter of Representations may only be asserted against the Builder.

[BUILDER]  
a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
[Name]  
[Title]



EXHIBIT A

FORM OF MERCHANT BUILDER CLOSING CERTIFICATE

§ \_\_\_\_\_  
FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020

[CLOSING DATE]

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, CA, 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds") and to the Bond Purchase Agreement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Purchase Agreement"), entered into in connection therewith. This Closing Certificate of \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Closing Certificate") is delivered by \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation (the "Builder") pursuant to the Purchase Agreement. Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined have the meanings ascribed to them in the Letter of Representations of \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Letter of Representations"), dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, delivered by the Builder.

The undersigned certifies that he or she is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same as an authorized officer or representative of the Builder, and the undersigned, on behalf of the Builder, further certifies as follows:

1. The Builder has received the final Official Statement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 relating to the Bonds (the "Official Statement"). Each statement, representation and warranty made in the Letter of Representations is true and correct in all material respects on and as of the date hereof with the same effect as if made on the date hereof, except that all references therein to the Preliminary Official Statement shall be deemed to be references to the final Official Statement.

2. To the Actual Knowledge of the Undersigned, no event has occurred since the date of the Preliminary Official Statement affecting the statements and information described in Paragraph 6 of the Letter of Representations relating to the Builder, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Builder's development plan, the Builder's financing plan, the Builder's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Builder or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Builder's

development plan or the Builder's financing plan, loans of such Affiliates) which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purposes for which it is to be used in order to make such statements and information contained in the Official Statement not misleading in any material respect.

3. For the period through 25 days after the "End of the Underwriting Period" as defined in the Purchase Agreement to be the date hereof, if any event relating to or affecting the Builder, its Affiliates, ownership of the Property, the Builder's development plan, the Builder's financing plan, the Builder's lenders, if any, and contractual arrangements of the Builder or any Affiliates (including, if material to the Builder's development plan or the Builder's financing plan, loans of such Affiliates) shall occur and cause the information under the sections of the Official Statement indicated in Paragraph 6 of the Letter of Representations to contain an untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, the undersigned shall notify the Authority and the Underwriter and if in the opinion of the Underwriter or counsel to the Authority, it is necessary to amend or supplement the Official Statement in order to make the Official Statement not misleading in the light of the circumstances existing at the time it is delivered to a purchaser, the Builder shall reasonably cooperate with the Authority and the Underwriter in the preparation of an amendment or supplement to the Official Statement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Underwriter and Disclosure Counsel which 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 a purchaser, not misleading.

The undersigned has executed this Closing Certificate solely in his or her capacity as an officer or representative of Builder and he or she will have no personal liability arising from or relating to this Closing Certificate. Any liability arising from or relating to this Closing Certificate may only be asserted against the Builder.

\_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
[Name],  
[Title]

EXHIBIT H-1

FORM OF OPINION OF COUNSEL TO MERCHANT BUILDERS

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
c/o City of Folsom  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

*Re: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community  
Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax  
Revenue Bonds Series 2020*

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel to \_\_\_\_\_ is delivered by [Name of Builder], a \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Builder") in connection with the issuance and sale by the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the "Issuer") of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds Series 2020 (the "Bonds") to provide funds to finance the purchase of limited obligation special tax bonds, issued by the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "District") with respect to Improvement Area No. 1 therein (the "Improvement Area"). This opinion is rendered pursuant to the Bond Purchase Agreement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Bond Purchase Agreement"), entered into in connection therewith. Capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meanings set forth in the Bond Purchase Agreement.

In rendering the opinions set forth herein, we have reviewed and examined such documents as we have determined to be appropriate, including the following documents:

1. The Bond Purchase Agreement;
2. The Preliminary Official Statement and the Final Official Statement (together, the "Official Statement");
3. The Builder Continuing Disclosure Certificate dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, executed by Builder (the "Builder Disclosure Certificate"); and

4. Letter of Representations of Builder \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, and the Closing Certificate of Builder, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, both as required pursuant to the Bond Purchase Agreement (collectively, the "Builder Certificate").

With respect to factual matters underlying our opinions herein, we have made no independent investigation or inquiry and have relied solely upon the Builder's Certificate. We advise you that the phrase "to our knowledge," as used herein, means that no facts have come to our attention, based upon an inquiry of attorneys in this firm who devote substantive legal attention to the Builder, or as a result of our examination of the Builder's Certificate, that indicate to us anything contrary to the statement to which the phrase relates. Except as expressly set forth above, the phrase does not mean that we have conducted any investigation or inquiry or performed any other examination or review. We have no reason to believe that any factual matters or assumptions relied upon by us are not true, correct and complete.

Our opinions herein are limited to the internal laws of the State of California and the federal laws of the United States of America. We express no opinion whatsoever with respect to the laws of any other jurisdiction and assume no responsibility for the applicability of such laws.

In rendering our opinions herein, we have assumed the following, with your approval:

- i. The genuineness and authenticity of all signatures on original documents submitted to us (other than any signatures on behalf of the Builder); the authenticity and completeness of all documents submitted to us as originals; the conformity to originals of all documents submitted to us as copies; where any signature, other than any signature on behalf of Developer purports to have been made in a corporate, governmental, fiduciary or other capacity, the person who affixed such signature had the full power and authority to do so;
- ii. The due authorization, execution and delivery of the applicable agreements by the parties thereto, other than the Developer, and the legality, validity, binding effect and enforceability against such parties of their respective obligations under such agreements;
- iii. The truth, accuracy and completeness of all factual representations and warranties of all parties under the documents described in paragraphs 1 through 4, above;
- iv. The constitutionality or validity of a relevant statute, rule, regulation or agency action is not in issue unless a reported decision in the State of California has specifically addressed but not resolved, or has established, its unconstitutionality or invalidity; and
- v. All official public records relied upon by us are accurate and complete.

Based upon the foregoing and in reliance thereon, and based on our examination of such questions of law as we have deemed appropriate under the circumstances, and subject to any further assumptions, comments, exceptions, qualifications and limitations set forth below, as of the date hereof, it is our opinion that:

- i. The Builder is a \_\_\_\_\_ validly existing and in good standing as a \_\_\_\_\_ under the laws of the State of California, and has full power and authority to enter into the Builder Disclosure Certificate.

2. The Builder has duly and validly executed and delivered the Builder Disclosure Certificate, and the Builder Disclosure Certificate constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Builder, enforceable against the Builder in accordance with its terms.

3. To our knowledge, except as set forth in the Official Statement, there is no litigation pending against Developer (with service of process to the Builder having been duly given and completed) or overtly threatened against the Builder which would materially and adversely affect the validity or enforceability of the Builder Disclosure Certificate, the Builder's ability to complete the development of its property as proposed in the Official Statement or to pay the Special Tax.

4. Without having undertaken to determine independently the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the statements contained in the Official Statement under the captions, "PROPOSED PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT—Property Ownership — \_\_\_\_\_," "—Development Plan and Status of Development — \_\_\_\_\_," "— Development Plans of Finance—\_\_\_\_\_ *Plan of Finance*," and "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE — \_\_\_\_\_" (except that no opinion or belief need to be expressed as to any information relating to The Depository Trust Company, or any information relating to CUSIP numbers, or with respect to any financial, statistical or engineering information, data or forecasts, numbers, charts, estimates, projections, assumptions or expressions of opinion, assessed valuations or appraised values, or to any information which is attributable to a source other than Builder, contained in the Official Statement), no facts came to our attention during the course of our representation of the Builder that would lead us to believe that the information under said captions of the Official Statement relating to the Builder and the Builder's organizations, activities, properties and financial condition, and its proposed development of the Property, contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits any material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

In addition, all of our opinions expressed hereinabove are specifically subject to and limited by the following:

a) We express no opinion as to matters governed by any laws other than the substantive laws of California which are in effect as of the date hereof, and we assume no obligation to modify or supplement this opinion with respect to changes in such laws after the date hereof.

b) As counsel to the Builder in this matter, we have not rendered financial advice to the Builder and do not represent, by this opinion or otherwise, that we have reviewed or made any assessment about, nor do we offer any opinion about, the financial condition of the Builder, past, present or future, including any financial information contained in the Builder Disclosure Certificate; nor have we reviewed the financial feasibility of this transaction or those matters which the proceeds of the Bonds will fund or any of its components and, accordingly, we offer no opinion whatsoever regarding such financial feasibility.

c) The effect of laws or court decisions relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, equitable subordination, reorganization, arrangement, moratorium or other laws or court decisions relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally.

d) Limitations imposed by California or federal law or equitable principles upon the availability of the remedy of specific performance of any of the remedies, covenants or other provisions of any document or agreement and upon the availability of injunctive relief or other equitable remedies.

In addition, we express no opinion as to the title of the property within the Improvement Area or any entitlements, permits, approvals or other assets relating to the Builder's development of its property as proposed in the Official Statement.

We express no opinion as to any matter other than as expressly set forth above, and, in conjunction therewith, specifically express no opinion concerning the application of or compliance with any federal securities law, including, but not limited to, the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, any state securities or "Blue Sky" law, or any federal, state or local tax law, as respecting the Bonds.

This letter is intended solely for your use in relation to the Bond Purchase Agreement and may not be reproduced or filed publicly or relied upon for any other purpose by you or for any purpose whatsoever by any other party without the express written consent of the undersigned except that this opinion may be copied and distributed as part of a closing book of the bond transaction documents, provided that such distribution shall not expand in any way the permitted uses of this letter.

We assume no responsibility for the effect of any fact or circumstance occurring subsequent to the date of this letter, including, without limitation, legislative or other changes in the law. Further, we assume no responsibility to advise you of any facts or circumstances of which we become aware after the date hereof, regardless of whether or not they may affect our opinions herein. This opinion is given as of the date hereof, and we assume no obligation to update our opinions herein after the date hereof.

Very Truly Yours,

**EXHIBIT H-2**

**FORM OF OPINION OF COUNSEL TO MERCHANT BUILDERS**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
c/o City of Folsom  
50 Natoma Street  
Folsom, California 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

**Re: Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
City of Folsom  
Community Facilities District No. 23  
(Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1  
Special Tax Revenue Bonds Series 2020**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am corporate counsel to \_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_ corporation (the “Developer”). I have been asked to provide this opinion in connection with the issuance of the above-referenced bonds (the “Bonds”) by the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority. The Bonds are being sold to Piper Sandler & Co., as underwriter (the “Underwriter”). This opinion is being delivered to you pursuant to Section 4(F)(22) of the Bond Purchase Agreement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, between the Authority and the Underwriter (the “Purchase Agreement”).

I have made such legal and factual inquiries and examinations as I deemed necessary for the purposes of this opinion. Whenever my opinion herein with respect to the existence or absence of facts is indicated to be based on my knowledge, it is intended to signify that during the course of my representation of the Developer, no information has come to my attention which would give me current actual knowledge of the existence or absence of such facts. Except to the extent expressly set forth herein, I have not undertaken any independent investigations to determine the existence or absence of such facts, and no inference as to my knowledge of the existence or absence of such facts should be drawn from my representation of the Developer.

As to certain factual matters material to my opinion, I have relied upon statements, certificates and other assurances of public officials and of certain officers and authorized agents of the Developer, as well as employees and/or consultants of the Developer, which factual matters I have not established or verified.

In expressing the opinion below, I have assumed, without inquiry or investigation, the genuineness of all signatures (other than those of the Developer), the authenticity of all documents submitted to me as originals, the conformity to original documents of documents submitted to me as copies or as exhibits, and the authenticity of such originals of such latter documents.

My opinion is limited to the Subject State Law (as defined below) and the laws of the United States.

Based solely upon and subject to the foregoing, as well as to the qualifications, limitations, exclusions, exceptions, assumptions and other matters set forth herein, I am of the opinion that:

1. Based on the certificate of good standing issued by the State of Maryland, attached as Exhibit A, the Developer is a Maryland corporation duly and validly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maryland.

2. The Developer has duly and validly authorized the execution and delivery of the Developer Continuing Disclosure Certificate – \_\_\_\_\_, dated as of December \_\_, 2020 (the “Continuing Disclosure Document”), and the Continuing Disclosure Document has been duly executed and delivered by the Developer.

3. To my knowledge, the Developer is not in violation of any provision of, or in default under, the Developer’s Articles of Incorporation, as amended, and its Amended and Restated Bylaws (the “Developer Organizational Documents”), or any agreement or other instrument to which the Developer is party, the violation of or default under which would materially and adversely affect the business, properties, assets, liabilities or conditions (financial or other) of the Developer.

This opinion letter is limited to the matters expressly stated herein and the opinion set forth herein is qualified and limited in the following respects and is subject to the following assumptions, exceptions, qualifications, limitations, and exclusions, in addition to those assumptions, exceptions, qualifications, limitations, and exclusions set forth above:

A. I express no opinion on the subject of Federal and state securities laws, rules or regulations.

B. I call your attention to the fact that I am licensed to practice law only in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ and do not express any opinion concerning matters affected by laws other than laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_ (the “Subject State Law”) and the federal laws of the United States of America. Accordingly, in rendering the foregoing opinion, I have assumed, with your consent, and without any inquiry or investigation in respect thereof, that insofar as the opinion expressed above relate to matters governed by State law other than the Subject State Law, the relevant laws, and their application to such matters, are and would be the same as the laws which would be applicable to such matters if they were governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws (other than the law governing choice of law matters) of the State of \_\_\_\_\_. I express no opinion as to the effect that the laws and decisions of courts of any jurisdiction may have upon such opinion, and I assume no responsibility as to the applicability or effect of the laws of any other jurisdiction.



C. Whenever I have stated that I have assumed any matter of fact, it is intended to indicate that I have assumed such matter without making any factual, legal or other inquiry or investigation, and without expressing any opinion or conclusion of any kind concerning such matter.

D. This opinion letter is furnished to you specifically in connection with the Purchase Agreement, and solely for your information and benefit. It may not be utilized, relied on, quoted or distributed to any other person, and it may not be utilized, relied on or quoted by any other person for any purpose, without in each instance my express prior written consent, provided, however, a copy of this letter may be included in the transcript of the proceedings for the Bonds.

E. The opinion expressed herein is based on the facts (as I know, believe or have assumed them to be) and law as in effect on the date of this opinion letter and, as such, the opinion expressed herein shall be effective only as of the date of this letter. I neither undertake to supplement or update this opinion letter nor undertake to advise you or any other party if there is a change in law or facts or new facts come to my attention subsequent to the date hereof which may affect the opinion expressed above and/or which may cause me to amend any portion of this opinion letter in full or in part. Furthermore, future acts or omissions of the parties may serve to modify, alter or change the circumstances under which this opinion letter was prepared and upon which the opinion herein was rendered. Also, actions, conduct or omissions by a party may create a situation of waiver, estoppel or novation which would supplant the opinion set forth in this opinion letter. This opinion shall not be construed as a guarantee that a court considering such matters would not rule in a manner contrary to the opinion set forth above.

Very truly yours,

## EXHIBIT I

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

### FORM OF ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, on behalf of Piper Sandler & Co. (the “PSC”), hereby certifies as set forth below with respect to the sale and issuance of the above-captioned bonds (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) PSC 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 \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, by and between PSC and the Issuer, PSC 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 shall contain the agreement of each broker-dealer who is a party to the 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) *General Rule Maturities* means those Maturities of the Bonds listed in Schedule A hereto as the “General Rule Maturities.”

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

(c) *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 \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the Sale Date), or (ii) the date on which the Underwriter 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.

(d) *Issuer* means the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority.

(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 \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

(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 PSC's interpretation 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 Tax Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Orrick Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP, in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G, and other federal income tax advice that it may give to the Issuer from time to time relating to the Bonds.

PIPER SANDLER & CO.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

**SCHEDULE A**

*(Attached)*

**SCHEDULE B**

**PRICING WIRE**

*(Attached)*

**EXHIBIT J**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**CERTIFICATE OF APPRAISER**

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The undersigned hereby states and certifies:

1. That he is an authorized principal of Integra Realty Resources (the "Appraiser") and as such is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same.
2. That the Appraiser has prepared an appraisal report, dated September 23, 2020 (the "Appraisal Report"), on behalf of the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "Community Facilities District") and the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the "Authority") in connection with the Preliminary Official Statement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the "Preliminary Official Statement") and the Official Statement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 ("Official Statement"), for the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the "Bonds").
3. That the Appraiser hereby consents to the reproduction and use of the Appraisal Report appended to the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement. The Appraiser also consents to the references to the Appraiser and the Appraisal made in the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement.
4. In the opinion of the Appraiser the assumptions made in the Appraisal Report are reasonable. Since the date of value of the Appraisal Report, the Appraiser is not aware of any facts that would cause its opinion of value of the taxable property in Improvement Area No. 1 (the "Improvement Area") of the Community Facilities District to be lower than the value in the Appraisal.
5. Each of the parcels appraised by the Appraiser is encompassed within the Improvement Area as set forth in the boundary map of the Community Facilities District.

6 That, as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the date hereof, the Appraisal Report appended to the Official Statement, to the best of my knowledge and belief, and subject to all of the Limiting Conditions and Major Assumptions set forth in the Appraisal Report, does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements contained therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and no events or occurrences have been ascertained by us or have come to our attention that would substantially change the estimated values stated in the Appraisal Report. However, we have not performed any procedures since the date of the Appraisal Report to obtain knowledge of such events or occurrences nor are we obligated to do so in the future.

7. The Community Facilities District and the Underwriter, Piper Sandler & Co., are entitled to rely on the Certificate.

Dated: [Closing Date]

INTEGRA REALTY RESOURCES

By:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative

**EXHIBIT K**

**FOLSOM RANCH FINANCING AUTHORITY  
CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH) IMPROVEMENT AREA NO. 1  
SPECIAL TAX REVENUE BONDS  
SERIES 2020**

**CERTIFICATE OF MARKET ABSORPTION CONSULTANT**

Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
50 Natoma Street,  
Folsom, CA, 95630

City of Folsom  
50 Natoma Street,  
Folsom, CA, 95630

Piper Sandler & Co.  
8880 Cal Center Drive, Suite 400  
Sacramento, California 95826

The undersigned hereby states and certifies:

1. That he is an authorized principal of The Gregory Group (the “Market Absorption Consultant”) and as such is familiar with the facts herein certified and is authorized and qualified to certify the same.
2. That the Market Absorption Consultant has prepared an Market Report attached as Appendix H to the Preliminary Official Statement and Official Statement (as defined below) (the “Market Report”), on behalf of the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “Community Facilities District”) and the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”) in connection with the Preliminary Official Statement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (the “Preliminary Official Statement”) and the Official Statement dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 (“Official Statement”), for the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds Series 2020 (the “Bonds”).
3. That the Market Absorption Consultant hereby consents to the reproduction and use of the Market Report appended to the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement. The Market Absorption Consultant also consents to the references to the Market Absorption Consultant and the Market Report made in the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement.
4. In the opinion of the Market Absorption Consultant the assumptions made in the Market Report are reasonable. Since the date of the Market Report, the Market Absorption Consultant is not aware of any facts that would cause its opinion as to the timing of home sales in Improvement Area No. 1 of Community Facilities District to be different than the Market Report.



5 That, as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the date hereof, the Market Report appended to the Official Statement, to the best of my knowledge and belief, and subject to all of the limiting conditions and major assumptions set forth in the Market Report, does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements contained therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and no events or occurrences have been ascertained by us or have come to our attention that would substantially change the estimated values stated in the Market Report. However, we have not performed any procedures since the date of the Market Report to obtain knowledge of such events or occurrences nor are we obligated to do so in the future.

7. The Community Facilities District and the Underwriter, Piper Sandler & Co., are entitled to rely on this Certificate.

Dated: [Closing Date]

THE GREGORY GROUP

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative

## ATTACHMENT 8

## DISTRICT CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

THIS DISTRICT CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE (this “Disclosure Certificate”), dated as of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, is executed and delivered by the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the “District”) relative to the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority (the “Authority”) in connection with the issuance by the Authority of the Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020 (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to a Trust Agreement (the “Trust Agreement”), among the District, the Authority and MUFG Union Bank, N.A. (the “Trustee”). The City covenants and agrees as follows.

SECTION 1. Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate. The Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the City of Folsom (the “City”) for the benefit of the Holders and Beneficial Owners of the Bonds and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with S.E.C. Rule 15c2-12(b)(5).

SECTION 2. Definitions. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

“Annual Report” means any Annual Report provided by the City pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 hereof.

“Annual Report Date” means the date in each year that is nine months after the end of the City’s fiscal year, which date, as of the date of this Disclosure Certificate, is April 1.

“Dissemination Agent” shall mean NBS, or any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the City and which has filed with the City a written acceptance of such designation.

“EMMA System” means the MSRB’s Electronic Municipal Market Access system, or such other electronic system designated by the MSRB.

“Financial Obligation” means, for purposes of the Listed Events set out in Section 5(a)(10) and Section 5(b)(7), a (i) debt obligation; (ii) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation; or (iii) guarantee of (i) or (ii). The term “Financial Obligation” shall not include Municipal Securities (as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) as to which a final official statement (as defined in the Rule) has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

“Listed Events” means any of the events listed in subsection (a) of Section 5 hereof.

“MSRB” means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, or any successor thereto.

“Official Statement” means the Official Statement, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, relating to the Bonds.

“Participating Underwriter” means the original underwriter of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with the offering of the Bonds.

“Rule” means Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

SECTION 3. Provision of Annual Reports.

(a) The City shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, provide to the MSRB through the EMMA System, in an electronic format and accompanied by identifying information all as prescribed by the MSRB, an Annual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 hereof, not later than the Annual Report Date, commencing with the report for the 2019-20 Fiscal Year. The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may include by reference other information as provided in Section 4 hereof; provided, however, that the audited financial statements of the City may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report, and later than the date required above for the filing of the Annual Report if not available by that date. If the City's fiscal year changes, it shall, or shall instruct the Dissemination Agent to, give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof. The first Annual Report may include the filing of or reference to the Official Statement.

(b) Not later than 15 business days prior to the date specified in subsection (a) of this Section for the providing of the Annual Report to the MSRB, the City shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent.

(c) If the Dissemination Agent is other than the City, then not later than fifteen (15) Business Days prior to said date, the City shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent. If the City is unable to provide the Annual Report to the MSRB by the Annual Report Date, the City shall send a notice to the MSRB in substantially the form attached as Exhibit A to the Disclosure Certificate.

(d) The Dissemination Agent shall:

(i) provide any Annual Report received by it to the MSRB, as provided herein; and

(ii) file a report with the City certifying that the Annual Report has been provided pursuant to this Disclosure Certificate and stating the date it was so provided.

SECTION 4. Content of Annual Reports. The City's Annual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following:

(a) The District's audited financial statements, if any, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as promulgated to apply to governmental entities from time to time by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. If the District's audited financial statements, if any, are not available by the time the Annual Report is required to be filed pursuant to subsection (a) of Section 3 hereof, the Annual Report shall contain unaudited financial statements, and the audited financial statements, if any, shall be filed in the same manner as the Annual Report when they become available. If the District's financial statement is included or consolidated with the financial statement for the City of Folsom, then the District shall file the City's audited financial statements as its own.

(b) The following information:

(i) The principal amount of Bonds Outstanding as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date along with a debt service schedule for the Bonds Outstanding as of such date;

(ii) The balance in each reserve account for the Local Obligations, and a statement of the required bond reserve amount, as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(iii) The total assessed value of all parcels within the Improvement Area on which the Special Taxes are levied, as shown on the assessment roll of the Sacramento County Assessor last

equalized prior to the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date, and a statement of assessed value-to-lien ratios therefor based on special tax and assessment debt, either by individual parcel or by categories (e.g., “below 3:1,” “3:1 to 4:1” etc.);

(iv) The Special Tax delinquency rate for the Improvement Area as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; the number of parcels within the Improvement Area delinquent in payment of special taxes as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; the amount of each delinquency; the length of time delinquent and the date on which foreclosure was commenced, or similar information pertaining to delinquencies deemed appropriate by the City; provided, however, that parcels with aggregate delinquencies of \$1,000 or less (excluding penalties and interest) may be grouped together and such information may be provided by category;

(v) The status of foreclosure proceedings and a summary of the results of any foreclosure sales in the Improvement Area as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(vi) The identity of any property owner, representing more than 5% of the Special Tax levy, delinquent in payment of special taxes as of the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date;

(vii) All tentative and final maps approved and/or recorded within the Improvement Area, describing the gross acres, the planned commercial acres and the number and type of planned residential dwelling units;

(viii) The number of new building permits issued and a description of the purpose of such permits (e.g., new single-family, new multi-family, new commercial, new industrial);

(ix) A land ownership summary listing the top ten Special Tax payers for the Improvement Area, as shown on the assessment roll of the Sacramento County Assessor last equalized prior to the December 31 next preceding the Annual Report Date; and

(x) For each immediately preceding Fiscal Year, the amount of the Maximum Special Tax and the actual Special Tax levied within the Improvement Area, with such amounts reported separately for Developed Property, Small Lot Final Map Property and Large Lot Property; provided, however, that once all Taxable Property within the Improvement Area is Developed Property, the Maximum Special Tax and the actual Special Tax levied may each be shown on an aggregate basis in the Annual Report. For the purposes of this subparagraph (x), all capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Rate and Method of Apportionment for the Improvement Area.

In addition to any of the information expressly required to be provided under this Section, as set forth above, the City shall provide such further information, if any, as may be necessary to make the specifically required statements, in the light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading.

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the City or related public entities, which have been submitted to the MSRB through the EMMA System. The City shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events.

(a) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section, the City shall give notice, or cause notice to be given, not less than ten Business Days after the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds:

- (i) Principal and interest payment delinquencies.
- (ii) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties.
- (iii) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties.
- (iv) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform.

(v) Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue IRS Form 5701 TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax-exempt status of the security.

- (vi) Defeasances.
- (vii) Tender offers.
- (viii) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the obligated person.

Note: For the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (ix), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, trustee or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governmental body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person.

- (ix) Rating changes.

(x) Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms or other similar events under the terms of a financial Obligation of the District, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

(b) The City shall give notice, or cause notice to be given, not less than ten Business Days after the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds, if material:

- (i) Modifications to rights of Bond holders.
- (ii) Bond calls.
- (iii) Release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds.

(iv) Non-payment related defaults.

(v) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving an obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms.

(vi) Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee.

(vii) Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the District, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the District, any of which affect Bondholders.

(c) Whenever the City obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in subsection (b) above, the City shall determine if such event would be material under applicable federal securities laws.

(d) If the City learns of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in subsection (a) of this Section, or determines that knowledge of a Listed Event described in subsection (b) of this Section would be material under applicable federal securities laws, the City shall notify the Dissemination Agent thereof in writing and instruct the Dissemination Agent to report the occurrence pursuant to subsection (e) of this Section. If in response to a request under subsection (b) of this Section, the City determines that the Listed Event would not be material under applicable Federal securities law, the City shall so notify the Dissemination Agent in writing and instruct the Dissemination Agent not to report the occurrence pursuant to subsection (e) of this Section.

(e) If the Dissemination Agent has been instructed by the City to report the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Dissemination Agent shall file a notice of such occurrence with the MSRB through the EMMA System. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice of Listed Events described in paragraph (vii) of subsection (a) of this Section and paragraph (ii) of subsection (b) of this Section need not be given under this subsection any earlier than the notice (if any) of the underlying event is given to holders of affected Bonds pursuant to the Trust Agreement.

SECTION 6. Termination of Reporting Obligation. The City's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Bonds. If such termination occurs prior to the final maturity of the Bonds, the City shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 7. Dissemination Agent. The City may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for the content of any notice or report prepared by the City pursuant to the Disclosure Certificate.

SECTION 8. Amendment; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Certificate, the City may amend this Disclosure Certificate, and any provision of this Disclosure Certificate may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:

(a) if the amendment or waiver relates to the provisions of subsection (a) of Section 3 hereof, Section 4 hereof or subsections (a) and (b) of Section 5 hereof, it may only be made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature or status of an obligated person with respect to the Bonds, or type of business conducted;

(b) the undertakings herein, as proposed to be amended or waived, would, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the primary offering of the Bonds, after taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances; and

(c) the proposed amendment or waiver (i) is approved by Owners of the Bonds in the manner provided in the Trust Agreement for amendments to the Trust Agreement with the consent of Owners, or (ii) does not, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, materially impair the interests of Owners or Beneficial Owners of the Bonds.

If the annual financial information or operating data to be provided in the Annual Report is amended pursuant to the provisions hereof, the annual financial information containing the amended operating data or financial information shall explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the amendment and the impact of the change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided.

If an amendment is made to the undertaking specifying the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements, the annual financial information for the year in which the change is made shall present a comparison between the financial statements or information prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles. The comparison shall include a qualitative discussion of the differences in the accounting principles and the impact of the change in the accounting principles on the presentation of the financial statements or information, in order to provide information to investors to enable them to evaluate the ability of the City to meet its obligations. To the extent reasonably feasible, the comparison shall be quantitative. A notice of the change in the accounting principles shall be given in the same manner as for a Listed Event under subsection (e) of Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the City from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the City chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Certificate, the City shall have no obligation under this Disclosure Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. Default. In the event of a failure of the City or the Dissemination Agent to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any Holder or Beneficial Owner of outstanding Bonds may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the City to comply with its obligations under the Disclosure Certificate. A default under the Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under the Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the City to comply with the Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance.

SECTION 11. Duties, Immunities and Liabilities of Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall be entitled to the protections and limitations from liability afforded to the Trustee under the Trust Agreement. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible for the form or content of any Annual



Report or notice of Listed Event. The Dissemination Agent shall receive reasonable compensation for its services provided under this Disclosure Certificate. The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Certificate, and the City agrees to indemnify and save the Dissemination Agent, its officers, directors, employees and agents, harmless against any loss, expense and liabilities which it may incur arising out of or in the exercise or performance of its powers and duties hereunder, including the costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) of defending against any claim of liability, but excluding liabilities due to the Dissemination Agent's negligence or willful misconduct. The obligations of the City under this Section shall survive resignation or removal of the Dissemination Agent and payment of the Bonds.

SECTION 12. Beneficiaries. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the City, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriter and Owners and Beneficial Owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

SECTION 13. Counterparts. This Disclosure Certificate may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the District has executed this Disclosure Certificate as of the date first above written.

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY  
FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A**

**NOTICE OF FAILURE TO FILE ANNUAL REPORT**

Name of Issuer: Folsom Ranch Financing Authority

Name of Issue: Folsom Ranch Financing Authority City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1 Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020

Date of Issuance: \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Folsom Community Facilities District No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) (the "District") has not provided an Annual Report with respect to the above-named Bonds as required by Section 3 of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, dated \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, executed by the District for the benefit of the Holders and Beneficial Owners of the above-referenced bonds. [The District anticipates that the Annual Report will be filed by \_\_\_\_\_.]

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF FOLSOM COMMUNITY  
FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 23  
(FOLSOM RANCH)**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Finance Director

## ATTACHMENT 9

**City of Folsom**  
**CFD No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1**  
**Special Tax Bonds**

**SB 450 Summary / Government Code 5852.1\***

A. True Interest Cost (TIC) of the Bonds	3.86% <sup>1</sup>
B. Sum of all fees and charges paid to 3rd parties	\$405,100 <sup>2</sup>
C. <b>Bond Proceeds Net of Reserves, Capitalized Interest and 3rd Party Fees and Charges</b>	<b>\$11,578,147</b>
Net proceeds	13,292,705 <sup>1</sup>
Less Reserve Fund	(883,000) <sup>1</sup>
Less Sum of all fees and charges paid to 3rd parties	(405,100) <sup>1</sup>
Less Capitalized Interest	(426,458) <sup>1</sup>
D. <b>Total Payment Amount</b>	<b>\$23,655,000</b>
Total Principal and Interest to Maturity**	22,896,000 <sup>1</sup>
Special Tax Admin. /Continuing Disclosure Fee	555,000 <sup>3</sup>
Fiscal Agent Fee	144,000 <sup>4</sup>
Arbitrage /Rebate Fee	45,000 <sup>5</sup>
County Collection Charge	15,000 <sup>6</sup>

\*Summary reflects good faith estimates as of 10/1/20 and all costs associated with the financing; subject to change based on interest rates, market conditions, and other factors

\*\*Less Capitalized Interest

Sources:

<sup>1</sup> Preliminary Cash Flows (Sources and Uses) as of 10/1/20

<sup>2</sup> Costs of Issuance

<sup>3</sup> NBS - estimated 30 years at \$18,500 per year

<sup>4</sup> Union Bank - 30 years at \$4,800 per year

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**Folsom Ranch Financing Authority  
City of Folsom CFD No. 23 (Folsom Ranch) Improvement Area No. 1  
Special Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2020**

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