

CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 11-001
REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY RESOLUTION NO. 1023

A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AND THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA FINDING THAT THE USE OF REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY HOUSING SETASIDE FUNDS AS A GRANT TO THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA FOR ACQUIRING AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING SITE LOCATED OUTSIDE THE CENTRAL CITY REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT (CCRP) AREA AT 2904 STATE STREET WILL BE OF BENEFIT TO THE CCRP

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority of Health and Safety Code Section 33334.2(g), the Redevelopment Agency of the City of Santa Barbara (Agency) and the Council of the City of Santa Barbara (City) wish to authorize the expenditure of Agency Housing Setaside Funds outside the Central City Redevelopment Project (CCRP) Area for the development of affordable low and moderate income housing;

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to promote low and moderate income housing that will benefit the CCRP Area by approving said expenditure;

WHEREAS, the Agency wishes to assist the Housing Authority of the City of Santa Barbara with acquisition of property at 2904 State Street with affordable low and moderate income housing; and

WHEREAS, as a condition of the Agency affordable housing financing, the Agency and the Housing Authority of the City of Santa Barbara will be executing a covenant assuring the long-term affordability of the development.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AND THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA THAT the City and Agency find and determine that, although the subject property to be developed is outside the CCRP Area, the use of Agency Housing Setaside Funds for affordable housing will be of benefit to the CCRP in that:

SECTION 1. The fundamental purpose of redevelopment is to expand the supply of low and moderate income housing;

SECTION 2. There is a shortage of safe, decent, and sanitary housing for persons and families of low and moderate income within the CCRP Area, and there are insufficient suitable sites for development of such housing within the CCRP Area; and

SECTION 3. Insufficient suitable housing units are available in the community for low and moderate income persons and families who may be displaced by activities in the CCRP Area.