Cambridge Redevelopment Authority

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Pursuant to the Massachusetts Open Meeting Law, M.G.L. c. 30A, §§ 18-25, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Cambridge Redevelopment Authority to take place as follows:

Wednesday October 16, 2013 at 5:30 pm

Cambridge Police Department First Floor Community Room 125 Sixth Street Cambridge, Massachusetts

AGENDA

October 16, 2013 Meeting

The following is a proposed agenda containing the items the Chair of the Authority reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting:

Call

Public Comment

Minutes

1. Motion: To approve the minutes of most recent regularly scheduled meeting of the Authority on September 18, 2013 *

Communications

2. Correspondence dated September 28, 2013 from Carol O'Hare *

Reports, Motions and Discussion Items:

- 3. Report: Monthly Report to the Board of the Executive Redevelopment Officer (Mr. Evans) *
- 4. Report: On trial balance as of 9/30/13; CD Schedule/All Cash; & Cash Flow 2013 (Mr. Evans) *
- 5. Discussion: Strategic planning process * (Ms. Madden)
- 6. Motion: To authorize the Executive Redevelopment Officer to extend the employment contract for Kathryn Madden for four months in order to conduct additional community outreach and planning. * (Mr. Evans)

- 7. Discussion: Ames Street Housing Financial Considerations (Mr. Evans, Boston Properties, Mr. Murphy) *
- 8. Report: Update on One Cambridge Center / Main Street project proposals (Mr. Evans)
 - a) Main St. Streetscape Project Update
 - b) MBTA Head house signage
- 9. Motion: To grant approval for the installation of the proposed replacement blade sign for Microsoft Blade Sign on Main St. at One Cambridge Center (Boston Properties)
- 10. Report: Kendall Square Open Space (Mr. Crawford and Mr. Evans)
 - a) East Cambridge Open Space Committee
 - b) Grand Junction Rail Trail and CRA Parcels
- 11. Motion: To authorize the Executive Redevelopment Officer to amend the landscaping contract with Greenscape Landscape Design to provide for an additional \$10,000 of work including tree removal and interim improvements to the former Tot Lot site.
- 12. Motion: To authorize the Executive Redevelopment Officer to extend the Engineering Contract with Fay, Spofford, and Thorndike for one-year to complete the 2014 Annual Traffic Count, prepare a 20-year longitudinal report on Kendall Square and to update Grand Junction Trail proposal.

Adjournment

(*) Supporting material can be found at: www.cambridgema.gov/cdd/zoninganddevelopment/cra

Next Meetings:

- o November 20, 2013 at the MIT Stratton Student Center, 84 Massachusetts Avenue
- o December 18, 2013 at the Cambridge Police Station 1st Floor Community Room

The Cambridge Redevelopment Authority is a "local public body" for the purpose of the Open Meeting Law pursuant to M. G. L. c. 30A, § 18.

M. G. L. c. 30A, § 20, provides, in relevant part:

- (b) Except in an emergency, in addition to any notice otherwise required by law, a public body shall post notice of every meeting at least 48 hours prior to such meeting, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays. In an emergency, a public body shall post notice as soon as reasonably possible prior to such meeting. Notice shall be printed in a legible, easily understandable format and shall contain the date, time and place of such meeting and a listing of topics that the chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting.
- (c) For meetings of a local public body, notice shall be filed with the municipal clerk and posted in a manner conspicuously visible to the public at all hours in or on the municipal building in which the clerk's office is located.

It is the policy of the Cambridge Redevelopment Authority to provide notice at least 7 calendar days prior to its meetings whenever practicable.