

Kenneth W. Jenkins Westchester County Executive

August 15, 2025

Westchester County Board of Legislators 800 Michaelian Office Building White Plains, New York 10601

Dear Honorable Members of the Board of Legislators:

As your Honorable Board is aware, to encourage the development of affordable housing that will affirmatively further fair housing ("AFFH") in Westchester County (the "County"), the County has established New Homes Land Acquisition III (2024-33) ("NHLA" or "Capital Project BPL37") and Housing Implementation Fund II ("HIF" or "Capital Project BPL1A") to provide funds to assist in the acquisition of property and construction of infrastructure improvements, respectively.

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval please find the following:

1. Land Purchase and Conveyance. An Act (the "Land Acquisition Act") to authorize the purchase and subsequent conveyance of approximately +/- 16,640 square feet of real property located at 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers (the "Property") to Macquesten Development, LLC, its successors, assigns, or any entity created to carry out the purposes of the proposed transaction (the "Developer"), as part of the County's program to support the construction of affordable rental housing units that affirmatively further fair housing (the "Affordable AFFH Units"). The Land Acquisition Act also authorizes the County to grant and accept any property rights necessary in furtherance thereof.

Upon acquisition of the Property, the County will file a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants against the Property, to require that the Affordable AFFH Units be marketed and leased in accordance with an approved affordable fair housing marketing plan to eligible households earning at or below 50% and up to 80% of the Westchester County area median income ("AMI"). The AFFH Units will remain affordable for a period of not less than fifty (50) years, noting that the income limits are subject to change based on the median income levels at the time of initial occupancy and subsequent occupancies, as established by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

In accordance with the Land Acquisition Act, the County will subsequently convey the Property to the Developer for One (\$1.00) Dollar for the Developer to construct a new building with one hundred sixty (160) Affordable AFFH Units (the "Development"). The Development will include 7 studios, 69 one-bedroom, 64 two-bedroom and 20 three-bedroom units, and 146 parking spaces

and other related improvements.

- 2. Acquisition Financing. A New Homes Land Acquisition Bond Act (the "NHLA Bond Act") to authorize the issuance of bonds of the County, in a total amount not to exceed \$5,900,000, as a part of Capital Project BPL37 New Homes Land Acquisition III. The Department of Planning ("Planning") has advised that, subject to the approval of your Honorable Board, the proposed NHLA Bond Act will authorize an amount not to exceed \$5,900,000 to purchase the Property from the current owner(s) of record for the construction of the Development.
- 3. Inter-Municipal Developer Agreement Act. An Act (the "IMDA Act") to authorize the County to enter into an Inter-Municipal Developer Agreement (the "IMDA") with the City of Yonkers ("City") and the Developer, its successors or assigns, or any entity created to carry out the purposes of the transaction, to finance the construction of a portion of the infrastructure improvements associated with the construction of 146 parking spaces in the Development. The infrastructure improvements will include, but not be limited to, new ramps, concrete flooring, drainage, electrical systems, fire suppression systems, signage, landscaping, waterproofing, construction management and County administrative costs (the "Infrastructure Improvements") in support of the Affordable AFFH Units as part of the County's program to ensure the development of new affordable housing. The term of the IMDA will be fifteen (15) years (commensurate with the period of probable usefulness of the HIF bonds as described herein). The IMDA will provide, amongst other things, that the City and/or the Developer, its successors or assigns, or any entity created to carry out the purposes of the transaction, will be responsible for all costs of operation and maintenance of the Infrastructure Improvements.

The IMDA will require the Developer, as a condition of the County's financing of the Infrastructure Improvements, to record a declaration of restrictive covenants approved by, and enforceable by, the County which will run with the land and bind the Property and any successor(s) in interest and will require that the Affordable AFFH Units be maintained and marketed in accordance thereto for a period of not less than fifty (50) years.

Planning has advised that the authorization of your Honorable Board is required to accept all necessary property rights required to construct the Infrastructure Improvements. The County will have an ownership interest in the Infrastructure Improvements through an easement until the expiration of the term of the HIF bonds, as described herein. However, the County will not be responsible for any costs related to the operation and maintenance of the Infrastructure Improvements.

4. Construction Financing. A Bond Act (the "HIF Bond Act") to authorize the issuance of bonds of the County in an amount not-to-exceed \$4,050,000, as a part of Capital Project BPL1A, to finance a portion of the Infrastructure Improvements for the Development. Planning has advised that, subject to the approval of your Honorable Board, the HIF Bond Act will authorize an amount not to exceed \$4,050,000 (the "County Funds") for the Infrastructure Improvements, which includes costs to cover the County's legal fees and staff costs.

Planning has further advised that additional funding for the Development, with an estimated total cost of approximately \$130,947,382 is anticipated to be provided through the following funding sources:

- a) New York State Housing Finance Agency ("HFA") first mortgage;
- b) New York State Homes and Community Renewal ("HCR") subsidy;
- c) Federal Low Income Housing tax credits;
- d) New York State Brownfield tax credits; and
- e) City of Yonkers HOME.

Planning has further advised that Section 167.131 of the Laws of Westchester County ("LWC") mandates that a Capital Budget Amendment that introduces a new capital project or changes the location, size or character of an existing capital project be accompanied to the Board of Legislators by a report of the Westchester County Planning Board (the "Planning Board") with respect to the physical planning aspects of the project. On June 3, 2025, the Planning Board adopted Resolutions No. 25-13 and No. 25-14 which recommended the County provide HIF funding and NHLA funding respectively in connection with this project, which are annexed hereto for your Honorable Board's information. In addition, in accordance with LWC Section 191.41, the Commissioner of Planning has provided a report, which is also attached hereto for your Honorable Board's consideration.

Based on the importance of creating more affordable housing units that affirmatively further fair housing in the County of Westchester, your favorable action on the annexed Acts is respectfully requested.

Sincerely.

Kenneth W. Jenkins

Westchester County Executive

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Attachments

HONORABLE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

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As your Honorable Board is aware, no action may be taken with regard to the proposed

legislation until the requirements of the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA") have

been met. The Planning Department has advised that the City Zoning Board of Appeals ("ZBA")

classified this project as a Type I action. On November 17, 2022, the ZBA issued a notice of intent

to serve as lead agency, circulated Part 1 of a Full Environmental Assessment Form and circulated a

Full Environmental Assessment Form to involved agencies, including the Westchester County Board

of Legislators. On February 17, 2023, the ZBA issued a Negative Declaration for the project. Since

the City undertook coordinated review and the County was included as an involved agency, then, in

accordance with SEQRA and its implementing regulations (6 NYCRR Part 617), no further

environmental review is required by the County.

Based on the foregoing, your Committee believes that the Acts are in the best interest of the

County and therefore recommends their adoption, noting that the IMDA Act requires no more than

an affirmative vote of the majority of your Honorable Board, while the Land Acquisition Act, NHLA

Bond Act and HIF Bond Act require the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members of your

Honorable Board.

Dated:

, 2025

White Plains, New York

COMMITTEE ON:

c/cmc/8.15.25

Memorandum



Department of Planning 432 Michaelian Office Building 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, NY 10601

TO:

Honorable Kenneth W. Jenkins

County Executive

FROM:

Blanca P. Lopez

Commissioner

DATE:

August 14, 2025

SUBJECT:

Acquisition of Real Property – 632-636 South Broadway – City of

Yonkers

Pursuant to Section 191.41 of the County Charter, submitted herewith is the required report of the Commissioner of Planning on the proposed acquisition and subsequent conveyance of +/-16,640 square feet of real property located at 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers, identified on the City tax maps as Section 1 Block 29 Lot: 1 (the "Property") for the purpose of creating 160 affordable housing units (the "Affordable AFFH Units"), that will affirmatively further fair housing ("AFFH"). The development will also provide approximately 146 parking spaces for residents.

The County of Westchester ("the County") intends to finance the purchase of the Property from the current owner in an amount not to exceed \$5,900,000 as a part of Capital Project BPL37 New Homes Land Acquisition III. Upon acquisition of the Property, the County will file a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants to require that the Affordable AFFH Units are marketed and leased in accordance with an approved affirmative fair housing marketing plan and will remain available to eligible households for a period of not less than 50 years. The County will then convey ownership of the Property to Macquesten Development LLC (the "Developer"), its successors or assigns, for One (\$1.00) Dollar.

The Developer proposes to construct one building of sixteen-stories on the Property that will include a mix of affordable studio, one, two and three-bedroom rental apartments that will be leased to households who earn at or below 50% and up to 80% of the area median income (collectively the "Development").

I recommend funding for acquisition and conveyance of the Property for the following reasons:

- 1. The acquisition of this Property will advance the County's efforts to provide fair and affordable housing;
- 2. The acquisition and subsequent conveyance of the Property to develop fair and affordable housing is consistent with development policies adopted by the County Planning Board as set forth in Westchester 2025 Context for County and Municipal Planning

- in Westchester County and Policies to Guide County Planning, adopted May 6, 2008, and amended January 5, 2010, and the recommended strategies set forth in Patterns for Westchester: The Land and the People, adopted December 5, 1995;
- 3. The Development is proposed to include green technology, such as energy efficient appliances, lighting and heating systems and water-conserving fixtures to reduce operating and maintenance costs, minimize energy consumption and conserve natural resources. The Development is designed to meet the sustainability guidelines of New York State Homes and Community Renewal and is seeking the highest green building certification: Passive House;
- 4. The Development is consistent with the land use policies and regulations of the City of Yonkers; and
- 5. On June 3, 2025, the County Planning Board adopted a resolution to recommend County financing towards the purchase the Property to support the Development.

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cc: Richard Wishnie, Deputy County Executive Joan McDonald, Director of Operations John M. Nonna, County Attorney Westchester County Planning Board



WESTCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

Housing Implementation Fund II Capital Project Funding Request 632-636 South Broadway, City of Yonkers

WHEREAS, the County has established Capital Project BPL1A Housing Implementation Fund II ("HIF") to assist municipalities with the cost of construction of public infrastructure improvements associated with the development of fair and affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, Macquesten Development LLC (collectively the "Developer"), its successors or assigns, desire to develop the real property located at 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Peekskill (the "City"), identified on the City tax maps as Section 1; Block 29; Lot 1 (the "Property") to create 160 residential units (collectively the "Development"). All 160 units will be affordable residential units that will affirmatively further fair housing (the "Affordable AFFH Units");

WHEREAS, the Developer desires the County to fund infrastructure improvements to support the construction of a sixteen-story building, with 160 affordable residential rental units and 146 parking spaces (the "Development"); and

WHEREAS, 59 rental units will be available to households who earn at or below 50% of Westchester County's Area Median Income ("AMI"), 82 rental units will be available to households who earn at or below 60% of AMI and 18 rental units will be available to households who earn at or below 80% of AMI.; and

WHEREAS, the Affordable AFFH Units will be leased to eligible households pursuant to an approved Affirmative Fair Housing Marketing Plan and remain affordable for a minimum of 50 years; and

WHEREAS, a not to exceed amount of \$4,050,000 is requested from Capital Project BPL1A Housing Implementation Fund II to fund a portion of the infrastructure improvements associated but not be limited to, construction of structured parking, on-site and off-site paving, curbing, sidewalks, storm water detention, drainage systems, sanitary sewer system, water lines, lighting, signage, landscaping, construction management and County administrative costs; and

WHEREAS, the Development proposes to include green technology such as high efficiency windows, energy efficient appliances, lighting and heating systems and water-conserving fixtures to maximize energy efficiency, reduce heating and cooling costs and conserve natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the Development is subject to approvals by the City of Yonkers; and

WHEREAS, the Development has provided a revised development underwriting showing

NYS Brownfield Tax Credit Equity replacing Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund as a funding source; and

WHEREAS, the funding to support the development of the Affordable AFFH Units is consistent with and reinforces Westchester 2025 – Policies to Guide County Planning, the County Planning Board's adopted long-range land use and development policies, by contributing to the development of "a range of housing types" "affordable to all income levels;" and

WHEREAS, the staff of the County Department of Planning have reviewed the proposal and recommend the requested funding associated with the construction of the infrastructure improvements; and

RESOLVED, that the Westchester County Planning Board after completing a review of the physical planning aspects of the Development, supports the request to provide a not to exceed amount of \$4,050,000 for infrastructure improvements for the Development under the terms of the HIF Program, which will support the creation of 160 Affordable AFFH Units which will be available to households who earn at or below 50% and up to 80% of AMI, located at 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers; and

RESOLVED, that the Westchester County Planning Board amends its report on the 2025 Capital Project Requests to include 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers, as a new component project in Capital Project BPLIA under the heading of Buildings, Land and Miscellaneous.

Adopted this 3th day of June 2025.

Bernard Thombs, Chair

RESOLUTION 25-

WESTCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

New Homes Land Acquisition II Capital Project Funding Request 632-636 South Broadway. City of Yonkers

WHEREAS, the County of Westchester (the "County") has established Capital Project BPL30 New Homes Land Acquisition II ("NHLA") to assist in the acquisition of property associated with the development and preservation of fair and affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, Macquesten Development LLC (the "Developer"), its successors or assigns, desires to develop the real property located at 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers (the "City"), identified on the tax maps as Section 1; Block 29; Lot: I (the "Property") to create 160 residential units (collectively the "Development"). All 160 units will be affordable residential units that will affirmatively further fair housing (the "Affordable AFFH Units"); and

WHEREAS, the County proposes to purchase the Property from the owner of record, for a not to exceed amount of \$5,900,000 with funds from NHLA and subsequently convey the Property to the Developer for One (\$1.00) Dollar to underwrite the cost of the land; and

WHEREAS, upon acquisition, the County will file a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants to require that the Affordable AFFH Units constructed on the Property be leased to households who earn at or below 50% and up to 80% of the Westchester County Area Median Income ("AMI"); and

WHEREAS, the County will transfer ownership of the Property to the Developer to construct a mix of studio, one, two and three-bedroom apartments to be leased to eligible households, pursuant to an approved Affirmative Fair Housing Marketing Plan, for a minimum of 50 years; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of the above, the County Executive will be submitting legislation to the Board of Legislators to amend Capital Project BPL37 NHLA III to add the Property, 632-636 South Broadway; City of Yonkers, and authorize bonding in a not to exceed amount of \$5,900,000 to develop the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Development is subject to approvals by the City of Yonkers; and

WHEREAS, the Development will provide a revised development underwriting showing NYS Brownfield Tax Credit Equity replacing Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund as a funding source; and

WHEREAS, the funding to support the development of the Affordable AFFH Units is

consistent with and reinforces Westchester 2025 – Policies to Guide County Planning, the County Planning Board's adopted long-range land use and development policies, by contributing to the development of "a range of housing types" "affordable to all income levels"; and

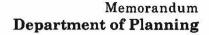
WHEREAS, the staff of the County Department of Planning have reviewed the proposal and recommend the requested funding associated with acquisition of the Property; and

RESOLVED, that the Westchester County Planning Board after completing a review of the physical planning aspects of the Affordable AFFH Units, subject to an appraisal, recommends that the County provide financial assistance in a not-to-exceed amount of \$5,900,000 from BPL37 NHLA III for property acquisition; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Westchester County Planning Board amends its report on the 2025 Capital Project requests to include 632-636 South Broadway in the City of Yonkers, as a new component project in Capital Project BPL37 NHLA III under the heading of Buildings, Land and Miscellaneous.

Adopted this 3th day of June 2025.

Bernard Thombs, Chair





TO:

Leonard Gruenfeld, Program Director

Division of Housing & Community Development

FROM:

David S. Kvinge, AICP, RLA, CFM

Assistant Commissioner

DATE:

July 31, 2025

SUBJECT:

STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW FOR

BPL37 NEW HOMES LAND ACQUISITION III BPL1A HOUSING IMPLEMENTATION FUND II 632 AKA 636 SOUTH BROADWAY, YONKERS

Pursuant to your request, Environmental Planning staff has reviewed the above referenced project with respect to the State Environmental Quality Review Act and its implementing regulations, 6 NYCRR Part 617 (SEQR).

The action involves the provision of County funding under capital projects BPL37 – New Homes Land Acquisition III (Fact Sheet ID: 3002) and BPL1A – Housing Implementation Fund II (Fact Sheet ID: 3003) to facilitate the development of affordable housing at 632—also known as 636—South Broadway in the City of Yonkers. County BPL37 funds will be applied towards the purchase of approximately 0.38 acres of property, which will be transferred to a developer, who will create approximately 160 units of affordable rental housing that will affirmatively further fair housing. The project will include the construction of a new 16-story building and approximately 146 on-site parking spaces to serve the residents. BPL1A funds will be used towards infrastructure improvements, such as new ramps, concrete flooring, drainage, electrical systems fire suppression systems, signage, landscaping and waterproofing.

In accordance with SEQR, the City of Yonkers Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) classified this project as a Type I action. On November 17, 2022, the Yonkers ZBA sent out a notice of intent to serve as lead agency, along with Part 1 of a Full Environmental Assessment Form. On February 17, 2023, the Yonkers ZBA sent out a Negative Declaration notice for the project. Since the City undertook coordinated review and the County of Westchester was included in the coordinated review process, then, in accordance with section 617.6(b)(3), no further environmental review is required by the County.

Please contact me if you require any additional information regarding this document.

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Att.

cc.

Blanca Lopez, Commissioner

Carla Chaves, Senior Assistant County Attorney

Susan Darling, Chief Planner

Michael Lipkin, Associate Planner

Claudia Maxwell, Principal Environmental Planner

BOND ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$5,900,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER, OR SO MUCH THEREOF AS MAY BE NECESSARY, TO FINANCE THE COST OF THE PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 632-636 SOUTH BROADWAY, IN THE CITY OF YONKERS, IN ORDER TO AFFIRMATIVELY FURTHER FAIR HOUSING ("AFFH") PURSUANT TO THE COUNTY'S NEW HOMES LAND ACQUISITION PROJECT; STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$5,900,000; STATING THE PLAN OF FINANCING SAID COST INCLUDES THE ISSUANCE OF \$5,900,000 BONDS HEREIN AUTHORIZED; AND PROVIDING FOR A TAX TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS (Adopted , 20__)

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER, NEW YORK (by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the voting strength of said Board), AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (the "Law"), the Westchester County Administrative Code, being Chapter 852 of the Laws of 1948, as amended, and other laws applicable thereto, bonds of the County in the aggregate amount of \$5,900,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby authorized to be issued to finance the cost of the purchase of approximately 16,640 square feet of real property located at 632-636 South Broadway, in the City of Yonkers and identified on the tax maps as Section 1: Block 29: Lot 1 (the "AFFH Property") from the current owner(s) of record at a cost of \$5,900,000, including acquisition and settlement

costs, in order to support the construction of 160 affordable housing units that will affirmatively further fair housing ("AFFH"). The County will file, or cause to be filed, a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants in the Westchester County Clerk's office requiring that the AFFH Property remain affordable for a period of not less than 50 years. The funding requested herein is in support of the construction of 160 affordable AFFH rental units, including 146 parking spaces, at the aggregate estimated maximum cost of \$5,900,000 for the acquisition of the AFFH Property. The AFFH Property shall be acquired by the County, subjected to said Declaration of Restrictive Covenants and subsequently conveyed to Macquesten Development, LLC (the "Developer"), its successors or assigns. The County's acquisition of the AFFH Property is set forth in the County's Current Year Capital Budget, as amended. To the extent that the details set forth in this act are inconsistent with any details set forth in the Current Year Capital Budget of the County and the Statement of Need, such Budget and Statement of Need shall be deemed and are hereby amended. The estimated maximum cost of said object or purpose, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and the financing thereof, is \$5,900,000. The plan of financing includes the issuance of \$5,900,000 bonds herein authorized, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds, and the levy and collection of a tax on taxable real property in the County to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 2. The period of probable usefulness for which said \$5,900,000 bonds are authorized to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 21 of the Law, is thirty (30) years.

Section 3. The County intends to finance, on an interim basis, the costs or a portion of the costs of said object or purpose for which bonds are herein authorized, which costs are

reasonably expected to be reimbursed with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the County, pursuant to this Bond Act, in the maximum amount of \$5,900,000. This Act is a declaration of official intent adopted pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 4. The estimate of \$5,900,000 as the estimated maximum cost of the aforesaid object or purpose is hereby approved.

Section 5. Subject to the provisions of this Act and of the Law, and pursuant to the provisions of section 30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes and the renewals thereof, and of sections 50.00, 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of said Law, the powers and duties of the County Board of Legislators relative to authorizing the issuance of any notes in anticipation of the sale of the bonds herein authorized, and the renewals thereof, relative to providing for substantially level or declining annual debt service, relative to prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the bonds herein authorized, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds and the renewals of said notes, and relative to executing agreements for credit enhancement, are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance of the County, as the chief fiscal officer of the County.

Section 6. Each of the bonds authorized by this Act and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale thereof shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by section 52.00 of said Local Finance Law and said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds shall be general obligations of the County of Westchester, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the County. The faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on

said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds and the renewals of said notes, and provision shall be made annually in the budgets of the County by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the notes and bonds to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this Act and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the County is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Act or a summary hereof, are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity, is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or
 - (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. This Act shall take effect in accordance with Section 107.71 of the Westchester County Charter.

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STATE OF NEW YORK)	
: ss.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)	
WEST OF WEST OFFISHING	
I HEREBY CERTIFY that	I have compared the foregoing Act No20 with the
original on file in my office, and that the	same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of
the said original Act, which was duly ado	pted by the County Board of Legislators of the County of
Westchester on , 20 and approv	ed by the County Executive on , 20
IN WITNESS WHEREOF,	I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate
	seal of said County Board of Legislators this day
	of ,20
	Clerk and Chief Administrative Officer of the County Board of Legislators of the County of Westchester, New York
(SEAL)	

LEGAL NOTICE

A Bond Act, a summary of	of which is p	ublished	l herewith,	has been	adopted	by the Boar	d of
Legislators on	_, 20	and	approved	by the	County	Executive	on
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hereafter contested only if such o	bligations we	ere autho	orized for	an object	or purpo	se for which	the
County of Westchester, in the St	ate of New	York, i	s not auth	orized to	expend :	money or if	the
provisions of law which should ha	ve been com	plied w	ith as of th	e date of	publication	on of this No	otice
were not substantially complied v	vith, and an	action,	suit or pro	ceeding	contesting	such validit	y is
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Office of the Clerk of the Board of	_			estchest	er, New Y	ork, for a pe	riod
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ACT NO. -20

BOND ACT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$5,900,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER, OR SO MUCH THEREOF AS MAY BE NECESSARY, TO FINANCE THE COST OF THE PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 632-636 SOUTH BROADWAY, IN THE CITY OF YONKERS, IN ORDER TO AFFIRMATIVELY FURTHER FAIR HOUSING ("AFFH") PURSUANT TO THE COUNTY'S NEW HOMES LAND ACQUISITION PROJECT; STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$5,900,000; STATING THE PLAN OF FINANCING SAID COST INCLUDES THE ISSUANCE OF \$5,900,000 BONDS HEREIN AUTHORIZED; AND PROVIDING FOR A TAX TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS (Adopted , 20___)

Object or purpose:

to finance the cost of the purchase of approximately 16,640 square feet of real property located at 632-636 South Broadway, in the City of Yonkers and identified on the tax maps as Section 1: Block 29: Lot 1 (the "AFFH Property") from the current owner(s) of record at a cost of \$5,900,000, including acquisition and settlement costs, in order to support the construction of 160 affordable housing units that will affirmatively further fair housing ("AFFH"). The County will file, or cause to be filed, a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants in the Westchester County Clerk's office requiring that the AFFH Property remain affordable for a period of not less than 50 years. The funding requested herein is in support of the construction of 160 affordable AFFH rental units, including 146 parking spaces, at the aggregate estimated maximum cost of \$5,900,000 for the acquisition of the AFFH Property. The AFFH Property shall be acquired by the County, subjected to said Declaration of Restrictive Covenants and subsequently conveyed to Macquesten Development, LLC (the

"Developer"), its successors or assigns. The County's acquisition of the AFFH Property is set forth in the County's Current Year Capital Budget, as

of Legislators of the County of Westchester, New York

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

CAPITAL PROJECT	#:BPL37	NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED		
	SECTION A - CAPITAL BU To Be Completed by			
X GENERAL FUI	ND AIRPORT FUND	SPECIAL DISTRICTS FUND		
	Source of County Funds (check one):	X Current Appropriations		
		Capital Budget Amendment		
632-636 South Bro	padway, City of Yonkers			
	SECTION B - BONDING AU To Be Completed by			
Total Principa	al \$ 5,900,000 PPU	30 Anticipated Interest Rate 4.54%		
Anticipated A	Annual Cost (Principal and Interest):	\$ 367,772		
Total Debt Se	ervice (Annual Cost x Term):	\$ 11,033,160		
Finance Depa	rtment: Interest rates from August 1	8, 2025 Bond Buyer - ASBA		
	SECTION C - IMPACT ON OPERATING BUE To Be Completed by Submitting Departm			
		ient and neviewed by budget		
Potential Rela	ated Expenses (Annual): \$	~		
Potential Rela	ated Revenues (Annual): \$	-		
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(describe in d	detail for current and next four years):			
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,	SECTION D - EMPLO As per federal guidelines, each \$92,000 of a			
Number of Fu	ıll Time Equivalent (FTE) Jobs Funded:	N/A		
Prepared by:	Blanca P. Lopez			
Title:	Commissioner	Reviewed By:		
Department:	Planning	108.19.35 Budget Director		
Date:	8/19/25	Date: 8 00 0 7		

Capital Project Fact Sheet Form

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	Estimate d Ultimate Total Cost	Prior Appropri ation	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	Under Review
Gross	220,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	70,000
Less Non- County Shares	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net	220,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	70,000

Expended Obligated Amount (in thousands)
0

Bonding is reque at 632-636 Sout Lot: 1 (the "Prop	h Broadway in the City perty") in order to cons Further Fair Housing (of Yonkers and identified on truct 160 units of rental house	,640 square feet of real property located the tax maps as Section 1: Block 29; sing (includes one employee unit) that The Development will also include 146
Financing P	lan for Current Ro	equest:	
Bond/Notes:	5,900,000		
Cash:	0		
Non-county Shares:	0		
Total:	5,900,000		
SEQR Classification TYPE I Amount Requester 5,900,000			
	Description	Amo	ount Years
Expected Des	ign Work Provide	er	
☐ County Staff	☐ Consultant	✓ Not Applicable	

Comments

A Capital Budget Amendment ("CBA") is requested to add the property to Capital Projects BPL37 and to authorize the County to purchase the land and structure from the current owner for an amount not to exceed \$5,900,000 to support the construction of a sixteen story residential building with 160 Affordable AFFH rental units (including one employee unit) and 146 parking spaces. Upon acquisition, the County will file a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants to require that the units will be marketed to households who earn less than 50% and up to 80% of the County Area Median Income for a period of no less than 50 years, and further that the units will be leased and marketed to eligible households under an approved Affordable Housing Marketing plan. The County will then convey ownership to Macquesten Development, LLC (the "Developer") its successors or assigns for one dollar (\$1.00).

Energy Efficiencies:

THE BUILDING WILL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH ENERGY EFFICIENT APPLIANCES, LIGHTING, HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS, WATER CONSERVING FIXTURES. THE BUILDING WILL ALSO INCORPORATE THE USE OF HIGH PERFORMANCE ENVELOPE INSULATION AND AIR SEALING. WILL INCLUDE 6 LE

Appropriation History							
Appropriation Year	Amount	Description					
2024	25,000,000	FUNDS THIS PROJECT					
2025	25,000,000	CONTINUATION OF THIS PROJECT					

Total Appropriation History 50,000,000

Financ	ing	History
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Year	Bond Act #	Amount	Issued Amount	Description

Cash History

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Year	Amount	Description	

Financing History Total

0

Recommended By:

Department of Planning Date

MLLL 07/23/2025

Department of Public Works Date

RJB4 07/29/2025

Budget Department Date

DEV9 08/01/2025

Requesting Department Date

MLLL 08/04/2025

NEW HOMES LAND ACQUISTION III (2024-33) (BPL37)

User Department:

Planning

Managing Department(s):

Planning;

Estimated Completion Date:

TBD

Planning Board Recommendation: Project approved in concept but subject to subsequent staff review.

FIVE YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAM (in thousands)

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	Est Ult Cost	Appropriated	Exp / Obl	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	Under Review
Gross	220,000	25,000		25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	70,000
Non County Share									
Total	220,000	25,000		25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	70,000

Project Description

This project provides funds to acquire property for the construction of fair and affordable housing. The purpose of the New Homes Land Acquisition (NHLA) Fund is to increase the inventory of available properties for fair and affordable housing development. In addition to the acquisition cost of properties, other costs associated with, and often required for, site acquisition may be considered eligible costs to be funded through the NHLA program. Such associated costs may include, but are not limited to, closing costs, appraisals, property surveys, environmental assessments, hazardous materials reports and demolition of existing structures. Funds can be used in all municipalities.

Current Year Description

The current year request funds the continuation of this project.

Current Year	Financing Plan	
Vone	Ronds	

Bonds Cash Non County Total Shares

2025 25,000,000

25,000,000

Impact on Operating Budget

The impact on the Operating Budget is the debt service associated with the issuance of bonds.

Appropriation History

Year Amount Description
2024 25,000,000 Funds this project

AWAITING BOND AUTHORIZATION

Status

Total 25,000,000

Prior Appropriations

	Appropriated	Collected	Uncollected
Bond Proceeds	25,000,000		25,000,000
Total	25,000,000		25,000,000