RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERCED, ACTING AS THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF THE COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES) OF THE CITY OF MERCED DETERMINING THE VALIDITY OF PRIOR PROCEEDINGS, CALLING SPECIAL ELECTION RELATED TO ANNEXATION NO. 23

WHEREAS, the City Council (the "Council") of the City of Merced, California (the "City"), has heretofore formed the Community Facilities District No. 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced (the "District") pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended (the "Act");

WHEREAS, the City Council, acting as the legislative body of the District has heretofore adopted Resolution No. 2023-17 (the "Resolution of Intention to Annex") stating its intention to annex certain property to the District ("Annexation No. 23") pursuant to the Act; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the Resolution of Intention to Annex, incorporating a description and map of the proposed boundaries of Annexation No. 23 to the District and setting forth the amended rate and method of apportionment (the "Special Tax Formula") and manner of collection of the special tax to be levied within the proposed Annexation No. 23, which will be used to finance certain public services, including but not limited to public safety services, landscape maintenance, park and parkway maintenance, street lighting maintenance and flood control services and other services authorized pursuant to the Act (the "Services") that are in addition to those provided in the territory within the proposed Annexation No. 23 prior to the annexation to the District and do not supplant services already available within the territory proposed to be included in the District, is on file with the City Clerk and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Resolution of Intention to Annex set as the date of the public hearing on the annexation of proposed Annexation No. 23 to the District and this Council held said public hearing as required by law; and

WHEREAS, prior to the commencement of the hearing, there was filed with the City Council a Community Facilities Report prepared by Goodwin Consulting Group (the "CFD Report") containing a boundary map of Annexation No. 23, a description of the services and maintenance, an estimate of the costs of the Services

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and incidental expense to be financed by properties within the District, including Annexation No. 23, and the CFD Report has been reviewed by the Council and is incorporated herein and made a part of the record of the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, at said hearing all persons not exempt from the special tax desiring to be heard on all matters pertaining to the annexation of proposed Annexation No. 23 to the District were heard and a full and fair hearing was held; and

WHEREAS, at said hearing evidence was presented to the Council on said matters before it, and this Council at the conclusion of said hearing is fully advised in the premises; and

WHEREAS, this Council wishes to present to the qualified electors of Annexation No. 23 a proposition to levy special taxes on property within Annexation No. 23 pursuant to the Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERCED, ACTING AS THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES) OF THE CITY OF MERCED, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Pursuant to Section 53339.7 of the Act, the Council finds and determines that the proceedings prior hereto were valid and in conformity with the requirements of the Act.

<u>Section 2.</u> Written protests against the annexation of Annexation No. 23 to the District, or against the furnishing of specified services or the levying of a specified special tax within Annexation No. 23, have not been filed by fifty percent (50%) or more of the registered voters, or six registered voters, whichever is more, residing within the existing District, or fifty percent (50%) or more of the registered voters or six registered voters, whichever is more, residing within Annexation No. 23, or by the owners of one-half or more of the area of land in the territory included in the existing District, or by the owners of one-half or more of the area of land in Annexation No. 23.

<u>Section 3.</u> The description and map of the boundaries of Annexation No. 23, on file in the City Clerk's office and as described in the Resolution of Intention to Annex, and incorporated herein by reference, shall be the boundaries of the Annexation No. 23. The map of the proposed boundaries of Annexation No. 23 has been recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of Merced County, California on

March 9, 2023 in Book 15 pages 31-32 of the Book of Maps of Assessments and Community Facilities Districts (Instrument Number No. 2023005273).

<u>Section 4.</u> Except where funds are otherwise available, there shall be levied annually in accordance with procedures contained in the Act on nonexempt property within Annexation No. 23, a special tax sufficient to finance the Services that are in addition to those provided in the territory within Annexation No. 23 prior to the annexation to the District and do not supplant services already available within the territory proposed to be included in the District and other costs, including but not limited to all costs of the tax levy. The amended rate and method of apportionment of the special tax and manner of collection is described in detail in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference. The Council hereby determines the Special Tax Formula to be reasonable. The special tax shall be utilized to pay for authorized Services and administrative expenses and to fund and replenish any reserve fund established for the District.

<u>Section 5.</u> Upon recordation of a notice of special tax lien pursuant to Section 3117.5 of the Streets and Highways Code, a continuing lien to secure each levy of the special tax shall attach to all nonexempt real property in Annexation No. 23, and this lien shall continue in force and effect until the special tax obligation is prepaid or otherwise permanently satisfied and the lien canceled in accordance with law or until collection of the tax by the District ceases.

<u>Section 6.</u> The Council finds that the proposed public services are necessary to meet the increased demand put upon the City as a result of the development within Annexation No. 23.

<u>Section 7.</u> The Council finds that there is not an ad valorem property tax currently being levied on property within the proposed Annexation No. 23 for the exclusive purpose of financing the Services.

Section 8. Pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Government Code Section 50075.1, the City Council hereby continues the following accountability measures pertaining to the levy by the District of the Special Tax described in Section 4 above:

A. Such Special Tax shall be levied for the specific purposes set forth in Section 4 hereof.

B. The proceeds of the levy of such Special Tax shall be applied only to the specific purposes set forth in Section 4 hereof.

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C. The District shall establish an account or accounts into which the proceeds of such Special Tax shall be deposited.

D. The Finance Officer, or his or her designee, acting for and on behalf of the District, shall annually file a report with the City Council as required pursuant to Government Code Section 50075.3.

<u>Section 9.</u> The Office of the Finance Officer, 678 West 18th Street, Merced, California 95340, (209) 385-5783, or its designee, is designated to be responsible for preparing annually a current roll of special tax levy obligations by assessor's parcel number and for estimating future special tax levies pursuant to Section 53340.1 of the Government Code.

Section 10. Pursuant to Government Code Section 53353.5, the Council hereby submits to the qualified electors of Annexation No. 23 a proposition (the "Proposition") to annex into the District Annexation No. 23 and to levy special taxes on property within Annexation No. 23 in accordance with the Special Tax Formula. The Proposition is attached as Exhibit "B."

<u>Section 11.</u> A special election is hereby called for the Annexation No. 23 within the District on the Proposition set forth in Section 10 above.

Section 12. The Council hereby directs that the election be conducted by the City Clerk of the City of Merced, as the elections official.

Section 13. The City Clerk shall mail or hand deliver the ballots to the landowners immediately upon the adoption of this Resolution.

<u>Section 14.</u> The time for notice having been waived by the qualified electors, the date of the special election for the District on the applicable propositions shall be on the 1st day of May, 2023. The voter ballots shall each be returned to the City Clerk at 678 West 18th Street, Merced, California 95340, no later than 11:00 o'clock p.m. on May 1, 2023. Either election may be closed with the concurrence of the City Clerk, as soon as all of the ballots for such election are returned.

Section 15. The Council finds and determines that there were no registered voters residing within the territory of proposed Annexation No. 23 at the time of the protest hearing and ninety (90) days prior thereto. The requirements of Section 53326 of the Government Code having been waived by all of the landowners, the ballots for the special election shall be personally delivered to the landowners within Annexation No. 23. Each landowner shall have one (1) vote for each acre or portion

thereof that he or she owns within Annexation No. 23 as provided by Section 53326 of the Act.

Section 16. Annexation No. 23 within the District shall constitute a single election precinct for the purpose of holding said election relating to Annexation No. 23.

Section 17. The City Clerk is directed to certify and attest to this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2023.

COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES) OF THE CITY OF MERCED

By__

Mayor of the City of Merced Acting as the Legislative Body of the Community Facilities District No 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced

ATTEST:

Deputy City Clerk of the City of Merced Acting as the Legislative Body of the Community Facilities District No 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced

APPROVED AS TO FORM

City Attorney of the City of Merced

STATE OF CALIFORNIA))ss. COUNTY OF MERCED)

I, ______, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Merced, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of said City, acting as the legislative body of Community Facilities District No. 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced, at a regular or adjourned regular meeting thereof held on the ____ day of _____, 2023, and that it was so adopted by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

By: ____

Deputy City Clerk of the City of Merced

EXHIBIT A

AMENDED RATE AND METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT OF SPECIAL TAX

EXHIBIT B

SAMPLE BALLOT

COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES) OF THE CITY OF MERCED

ANNEXATION NO. 23

SPECIAL TAX ELECTION May 1, 2023

To vote, mark an "X" in the voting square after the word "YES" or after the word "NO." All marks otherwise made are forbidden.

This ballot represents _____ votes.

If you wrongly mark, tear, or deface this ballot, return it to the City Clerk of the City of Merced at 678 West 18th Street, Merced, California 95340.

PROPOSITION: Shall the Community Facilities District No. 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced (the "CFD"), annex property known as Annexation No. 23 to the CFD and be authorized to levy special taxes within Annexation No. 23 to the CFD pursuant to the amended rate and method of apportionment of special taxes (the "Special Tax Formula") set forth in that certain resolution adopted on March 6, 2023, by the City Council of the CFD, to finance the authorized services and administrative expenses, all as provided in the Special Tax Formula?

YES	
NO	

EXHIBIT A

CITY OF MERCED COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES)

AMENDED RATE AND METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT OF SPECIAL TAX (as of March 6, 2023)

A Special Tax applicable to each Assessor Parcel in the City of Merced Community Facilities District No. 2003-2 (Services) shall be levied and collected according to the tax liability determined by the City of Merced or its designee, through the application of this Amended Rate and Method of Apportionment of Special Tax. All of the property in the CFD, unless exempted by law or by the provisions hereof, shall be taxed for the purposes, to the extent, and in the manner herein provided, including property subsequently annexed to the CFD unless otherwise provided for the annexed property.

SECTION A. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

The terms hereinafter set forth have the following meanings:

"Acre" or "Acreage" means the land area of an Assessor Parcel as shown on an Assessor Parcel map, or if the land area is not shown on an Assessor Parcel map, the land area shown on the applicable final map or other parcel map recorded with the County.

"Act" means the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, being Chapter 2.5, (commencing with Section 53311), Division 2 of Title 5 of the California Government Code.

"Administrative Expenses" means any or all of the following: the expenses of the CFD or the City in carrying out its duties for the CFD, including, but not limited to, the levy and collection of the Special Tax, the fees and expenses of its counsel, costs related to annexing property into the CFD, and all other costs and expenses of the CFD or the City in any way related to the establishment or administration of the CFD.

"Administrator" means the person or firm designated by the CFD or the City to administer the Special Tax according to the Rate and Method.

"Annexation #1" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #3 and Improvement Areas #9 through #15 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #2" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #7 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #3" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Areas #16 through #22 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #4" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Areas #23 through #25 and Improvement Area #27 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #5" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #26 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #6" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #28 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #7" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Areas #29 through #31 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #8" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #32 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #9" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #33 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #10" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #34 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #11" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #35 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #12" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #36 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #13" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #38 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #14" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #40 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #15" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #39 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #16" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Phase 2 of Moraga of Merced within Improvement Area #22 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #17" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #45 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #18" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #42 elect to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #19" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #43 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #20" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #46 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #21" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #47 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #22" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #48 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Annexation #23" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Area #49 elected to annex into the CFD.

"Assessor Parcel" means a lot or parcel with an assigned County Assessor's Parcel number shown on a County Assessor's Parcel map.

"Average Increase" means the annual average increase in the Indices that shall be applied to escalate the Maximum Special Tax each Fiscal Year. The Average Increase shall be calculated in January of each year by (1) referencing the Bureau of Labor Statistics Data to identify the annual percentage increase in each Index as of the end of the prior year, and (2) taking the average of these two percentages. If either Index decreases from one year to the next, the percentage change from the prior year shall be assumed to be zero for purposes of calculating the Average Increase.

"CFD" means the City of Merced Community Facilities District No. 2003-2.

"CFD Formation" means the date the owners of Assessor Parcels in Improvement Areas #1 through #6 elected to form the CFD.

"City" means the City of Merced.

"City Council" means the council of the City of Merced, acting as the legislative body of the CFD.

"County" means the County of Merced.

"Developed Property" means all Taxable Property in the CFD for which a building permit for new construction was issued by the City prior to May 1 of the preceding Fiscal Year.

"Fiscal Year" means the period starting July 1 and ending on the following June 30.

"Improvement Area" means one of the forty-nine (49) mutually exclusive geographic areas defined below and identified in Attachment 1 of this Rate and Method, and any subsequent Improvement Areas created to contain property annexed into the CFD after CFD Formation.

"Improvement Area #1" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation and Annexation #2, was generally known as the Bellevue Ranch East (Phases 1 and 2) project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #1.

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"Improvement Area #2" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation, was generally known as the Compass Pointe project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #2.

"Improvement Area #3" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation, Annexation #1, and Annexation #3, was generally known as the Sandcastle project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #3.

"Improvement Area #4" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation and Annexation #2, was generally known as the Bright Development project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #4.

"Improvement Area #5" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation and Annexation #2, was generally known as the Renaissance project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #5.

"Improvement Area #6" means the geographic area that, at CFD Formation, was generally known as the Big Valley project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #6.

"Improvement Area #7" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #2, was generally known as the Bellevue Ranch West project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #7.

"Improvement Area #8" is intentionally excluded.

"Improvement Area #9" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the University Park Residential project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #9.

"Improvement Area #10" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the Tuscany project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #10.

"Improvement Area #11" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the Provance project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #11.

"Improvement Area #12" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the Promenade project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #12.

"Improvement Area #13" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the Alfarata Ranch Unit 2 project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #13.

"Improvement Area #14" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1 and Annexation #2, was generally known as the Franco project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #14.

"Improvement Area #15" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #1, was generally known as the Cottages project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #15.

"Improvement Area #16" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the Tuscany East project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #16.

"Improvement Area #17" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the Hartley Crossings project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #17.

"Improvement Area #18" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as The Crossing at River Oaks project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #18.

"Improvement Area #19" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the Mohamed Apartments project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #19.

"Improvement Area #20" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the Sunnyview Apartments project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #20.

"Improvement Area #21" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the University Park II project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #21.

"Improvement Area #22" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #3, was generally known as the Moraga of Merced Lakemont Homes project and at Annexation #16, was generally known as Phase 2 of Moraga of Merced, and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #22.

"Improvement Area #23" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #4, was generally known as the Mission Ranch project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #23.

"Improvement Area #24" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #4, was generally known as the Cypress Terrace (Phases 6 and 7) project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #24.

"Improvement Area #25" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #4, was generally known as the Cypress Terrace East project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #25.

"Improvement Area #26" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #5, was generally known as The Meadows project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #26.

"Improvement Area #27" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #4, was generally known as the Lantana Estates South project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #27.

"Improvement Area #28" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #6, was generally known as The Meadows #2 project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #28.

"Improvement Area #29" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #7, was generally known as the Paseo project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #29.

"Improvement Area #30" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #7, was generally known as the Highland Park project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #30.

"Improvement Area #31" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #7, was generally known as the Mercy Hospital project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #31.

"Improvement Area #32" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #8, was generally known as the Fahrens Park Plaza project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #32.

"Improvement Area #33" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #9, was generally known as the Mansionette Estates No. 5 project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #33.

"Improvement Area #34" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #10, was generally known as the Northview Professional Center project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #34.

"Improvement Area #35" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #11, was generally known as the Compass Pointe Apartments project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #35.

"Improvement Area #36" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #12, was generally known as the Merced Station project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #36.

"Improvement Area #37" is reserved for future use.

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"Improvement Area #38" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #13, was generally known as the PG&E Merced Regional Service Center project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #38.

"Improvement Area #39" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #15, was generally known as the Merced Gateway Park project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #39.

"Improvement Area #40" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #14, was generally known as the Stone Ridge South project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #40.

"Improvement Area #41" is reserved for future use.

"Improvement Area #42" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #18, was generally known as the Compass Pointe Apartments Phase 2 project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #42.

"Improvement Area #43" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #19, was generally known as the Highway 59 & Santa Fe Drive AM/PM project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #43.

"Improvement Area #44" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #14, was generally known as the Stone Ridge South Apartments project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as a future annexation area of the CFD.

"Improvement Area #45" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #17, was generally known as the Yosemite Crossing project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #45.

"Improvement Area #46" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #20, was generally known as the Sage Creek project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #46.

"Improvement Area #47" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #21, was generally known as the Hub 2.0 Merced Student Housing project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #47.

"Improvement Area #48" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #22, was generally known as the Merzoian Estates project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #48.

"Improvement Area #49" means the geographic area that, at Annexation #23, was generally known as the Campus Parkway Plaza project and is specifically identified in Attachment 1 hereto as Improvement Area #49.

"Index or Indices" means the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the San Francisco All Urban Wage Earners Category and the National CPI.

"Industrial Property" means any Developed Property for which a building permit was issued for construction of a building that will be used primarily for warehousing, distribution, manufacturing, processing, or related activities, as determined by the Administrator using reasonable and established City zoning and other land use standards.

"Lower Income Household Welfare Exemption Property" means, for each Fiscal Year, the portion of an Assessor Parcel within the boundaries of the CFD that has received a welfare exemption under subdivision (g) of Section 214 of the California Revenue and Taxation Code (or any successor statute), as indicated in the most recent County assessor's roll finalized in such Fiscal Year.

"Maximum Special Tax" means the greatest amount of Special Tax that can be levied in any Fiscal Year determined under this Rate and Method.

"Multi-Family Residential Property" means all Assessor Parcels of Developed Property for which a building permit was issued for construction of a residential structure with multiple Units, all of which are offered for rent to the general public and are not available for sale to individual owners.

"Office Property" means any Developed Property for which a building permit was issued for construction of a building that will be divided primarily into individual offices (including cubicles or other modular office space) for use by companies to conduct business, as determined by the Administrator using reasonable and established City zoning and other land use standards.

"Other Property" means any Developed Property that is not Single Family Residential Property, Multi-Family Residential Property, Retail Property, Office Property, or Industrial Property. Developed Property within Improvement Area #31 shall be categorized as Other Property.

"**Proportionately**" means, for Developed Property, that the ratio of the actual Special Tax levied in any Fiscal Year to the Maximum Special Tax authorized to be levied in that Fiscal Year is equal for all Assessor Parcels of Developed Property.

"Public Property" means any CFD Assessor Parcels owned by or irrevocably offered for dedication to the United States of America, the State of California, the County, the City, or other local governments or public agencies.

"Rate and Method" means this Amended Rate and Method of Apportionment of Special Tax.

"Retail Property" means any Developed Property for which a building permit was issued for construction of a building that will include primarily commercial establishments which sell general merchandise, hard goods, personal services, and other items directly to consumers, including but not limited to travel agencies, hardware stores, food stores, automotive dealers, service stations, home furnishing stores, restaurants, bars, banks, repair shops, movie theaters, day care centers, and art galleries, as determined by the Administrator using reasonable and established City zoning and other land use standards. "Services" means the services authorized to be financed, in whole or in part, by the Special Taxes in the CFD.

"Single Family Residential Property" means any Developed Property for which a building permit was issued for construction of: (i) a Unit that does not share a common wall with another Unit; or (ii) two or more Units that share common walls and are initially offered for sale to individual owners, including condominiums as defined under California Civil Code 1351.

"Special Tax" means any tax levied in the CFD pursuant to the Rate and Method.

"Special Tax Requirement" means the amount necessary in any Fiscal Year to: (i) pay the cost of the Services; (ii) create a sinking fund for Services that could not otherwise be funded in a given Fiscal Year; (iii) cure any delinquencies in the payment of Special Taxes which have occurred in the prior Fiscal Year or, based on existing delinquencies in the payment of Special Taxes, are expected to occur in the Fiscal Year in which the tax will be collected; and (iv) pay Administrative Expenses.

"Square Foot," "Square Footage," or "Square Feet" means the floor area square footage reflected on the original construction building permit issued for construction of a Unit or a building of Retail Property, Office Property, Industrial Property, or Other Property and any Square Footage subsequently added to a Unit or a building of such Taxable Property after issuance of a building permit for expansion or renovation of such Unit or building.

"Taxable Property" means any Assessor Parcel within the CFD which is not exempt from the Special Tax by applicable law or Section F below.

"Unit" means a structure constructed primarily for human habitation, which may be an individual detached residential unit, an individual attached residential unit within a duplex, triplex, fourplex, townhome, or condominium structure, or an individual apartment unit.

SECTION B. DATA FOR ANNUAL ADMINISTRATION

On or about July 1 of each Fiscal Year, the Administrator shall identify the current Assessor Parcel numbers of all Taxable Property. The Administrator shall also determine: (i) within which Improvement Area each Assessor Parcel is located; (ii) whether each Assessor Parcel is Developed Property; (iii) for Developed Property, which Assessor Parcels are Single Family Residential Property, Multi-Family Residential Property, Retail Property, Office Property, Industrial Property, and Other Property; (iv) also for Developed Property, the Unit or building Square Footage; and (v) the Special Tax Requirement.

SECTION C. MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAX

The following tables identify the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within each Improvement Area of the CFD. The Maximum Special Taxes are all subject to annual escalation as specified in Section C.50 below.

1. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #1 – Bellevue Ranch East (Phases 1 & 2)

Table 1 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #1 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SFECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #1 – BELLEVUE RANCH EAST (PHASES 1 & 2)		
	Maximum Special Tax	
	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹	Type of Property
	\$548	Single Family
	per Unit	Residential Property
	\$476	Multi-Family
	per Unit	Residential Property
_	\$64 per 1,000 Square	Retail
	Feet of Building	Property
	\$59 per 1,000 Square	Office
	Feet of Building	Property
	\$40 per 1,000 Square	Industrial
	Feet of Building	Property
_	\$64 per 1,000 Square	Other
	Feet of Building	Property
	Maximum Special TaxFiscal Year 2003-041\$548per Unit\$476per Unit\$64 per 1,000 SquareFeet of Building\$59 per 1,000 SquareFeet of Building\$40 per 1,000 SquareFeet of Building\$64 per 1,000 Square	Type of PropertySingle FamilyResidential PropertyMulti-FamilyResidential PropertyRetailPropertyOfficePropertyIndustrialPropertyOther

TABLE 1	
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #1 - BELLEVIE RANCH FAST (PHASES 1 & 2	1

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

2. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #2 - Compass Pointe

Table 2 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #2 of the CFD.

TABLE 2 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #2 – COMPASS POINTE	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-041
Single Family	\$644
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$539
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$110 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$103 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$68 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$110 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

3. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #3 - Sandcastle

Table 3 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #3 of the CFD.

IMPROVEMENT AREA #3 - SANDCASTLE	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹
Single Family	\$593
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$512
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$80 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$76 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$48 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$80 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 3
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #3 - SANDCASTLE

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

4. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #4 – Bright Development

Table 4 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #4 of the CFD.

TABLE 4 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #4 – BRIGHT DEVELOPMENT	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹
Single Family	\$609
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$520
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$89 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$84 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$54 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$89 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

5. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #5 - Renaissance

Table 5 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #5 of the CFD.

IMPROVEMENT AREA #5 - RENAISSANCE	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹
Single Family	\$489
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$429
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$43 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$37 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$29 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$43 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 5	
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #5 - RENAISSANCE	

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

6. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #6 – Big Valley

Table 6 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #6 of the CFD.

TABLE 6 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #6 – BIG VALLEY	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹
Single Family	\$524
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$474
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$40 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$40 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$22 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$40 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

7. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #7 – Bellevue Ranch West

Table 7 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #7 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #7 – BELLEVUE RANCH WEST	
Maximum Special Tax	
Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹	
\$701	
per Unit	
\$600	
per Unit	
\$116 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$115 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$67 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$116 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	

TABLE 7
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #7 – BELLEVUE RANCH WEST

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

8. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #8 – Intentionally Excluded

9. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #9 - University Park Residential

Table 9 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #9 of the CFD.

MAAIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #9 – UNIVERSITY PARK RESIDENTIAL	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹
Single Family	\$643
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$544
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$105 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$99 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$64 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$105 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 9	
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #9 - UNIVERSITY PARK RESIDENTIAL	

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

10. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #10 - Tuscany

Table 10 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #10 of the CFD.

TABLE 10MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXESIMPROVEMENT AREA #10 – TUSCANY	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-041
Single Family	\$480
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$427
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$35 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$31 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$23 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$35 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

11. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #11 - Provance

Table 11 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #11 of the CFD.

IMPROVEMENT AREA #11 - PROVANCE	
Maximum Special Tax	
Fiscal Year 2003-041	
\$638	
per Unit	
\$542	
per Unit	
\$101 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$96 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$61 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$101 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	

TABLE 11 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #11 - PROVANCI

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

12. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #12 – Promenade

Table 12 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #12 of the CFD.

TABLE 12 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #12 – PROMENADE	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-041
Single Family	\$438
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$401
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$14 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$12 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$10 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$14 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

13. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #13 - Alfarata Ranch Unit 2

Table 13 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #13 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #13 – ALFARATA RANCH UNIT 2	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-041
Single Family	\$593
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$471
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$116 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$100 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$80 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$116 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 13	
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #13 - ALEADATA RANCH UNIT 2	

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

14. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #14 - Franco

Table 14 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #14 of the CFD.

TABLE 14 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #14 – FRANCO	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2003-041
Single Family	\$504
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$430
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$57 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$49 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$40 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$57 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

15. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #15 – Cottages

Table 15 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #15 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #15 – COTTAGES	
Maximum Special Tax	
Fiscal Year 2003-04 ¹	
\$631	
per Unit	
\$548	
per Unit	
\$87 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$86 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$50 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$87 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	

TABLE 15
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #15 – COTTAGES

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

16. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #16 – Tuscany East

Table 16 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #16 of the CFD.

TABLE 16MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXESIMPROVEMENT AREA #16 – TUSCANY EAST	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$572
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$486
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$77 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$70 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$50 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$77 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

17. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #17 – Hartley Crossings

Table 17 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #17 of the CFD.

MAANTON SI ECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #17 – HARTLEY CROSSINGS	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$528
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$438
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$73 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$61 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$52 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$73 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 17
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #17 – HARTLEY CROSSINGS

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

18. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #18 – The Crossing at River Oaks

Table 18 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #18 of the CFD.

TABLE 18 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #18 – THE CROSSING AT RIVER OAKS	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$639
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$529
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$110 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$100 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$71 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$110 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

19. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #19 - Mohamed Apartments

Table 19 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #19 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #19 – MOHAMED APARTMENTS		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061	
Single Family	\$433	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$408	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail		
Property	Not Applicable	
Office		
Property	Not Applicable	
Industrial		
Property	Not Applicable	
Other		
Property	Not Applicable	

TABLE 19
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #19 – MOHAMED APARTMENTS

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

20. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #20 - Sunnyview Apartments

Table 20 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #20 of the CFD.

TABLE 20 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #20 – SUNNYVIEW APARTMENTS		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$433	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$408	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail		
Property	Not Applicable	
Office		
Property	Not Applicable	
Industrial		
Property	Not Applicable	
Other		
Property	Not Applicable	

21. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #21 – University Park II

Table 21 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #21 of the CFD.

MAAIMON SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #21 – UNIVERSITY PARK II	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$691
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$548
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$149 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$133 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$98 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$149 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 21	
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #21 – UNIVERSITY PA	RK II

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

22. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #22 - Moraga of Merced

Table 22 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #22 of the CFD.

TABLE 22 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #22 – MORAGA OF MERCED	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$752
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$623
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$147 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$140 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$89 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$147 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

23. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #23 – Mission Ranch

Table 23 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #23 of the CFD.

MARAINOW SI ECIAL TAXES	
REA #23 – MISSION RANCH	
Maximum Special Tax	
Fiscal Year 2005-061	
\$774	
per Unit	
\$595	
per Unit	
\$194 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$174 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$128 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$194 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	

TABLE 23
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #23 – MISSION RANCH

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

24. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #24 – Cypress Terrace (Phases 6 and 7)

Table 24 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #24 of the CFD.

TABLE 24 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #24 –	CYPRESS TERRACE (PHASES 6 AND 7)	
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$728	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$606	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$137 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$130 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$83 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$137 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

25. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #25 - Cypress Terrace East

Table 25 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #25 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #25 – CYPRESS TERRACE EAST		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$914	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$737	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$218 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$209 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$131 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$218 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

TABLE 25
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #25 – CYPRESS TERRACE EAST

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

26. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #26 - The Meadows

Table 26 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #26 of the CFD.

MAXIMU	Table 26 im Special Taxes area #26 – The Meadows
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$947
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$743
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$225 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$215 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$135 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$225 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

27. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #27 - Lantana Estates South

Table 27 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #27 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #27 – LANTANA ESTATES SOUTH	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$834
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$700
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$166 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$164 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$95 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$166 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 27
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #27 – LANTANA ESTATES SOUTH

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

28. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #28 - The Meadows #2

Table 28 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #28 of the CFD.

MAXIMU	Table 28 jm Special Taxes Rea #28 – The Meadows #2
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$947
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$743
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$225 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$215 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$135 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$225 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

29. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #29 - Paseo

Table 29 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #29 of the CFD.

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IMPROVEME	NT AREA #29 – PASEO
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$1,008
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$762
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$294 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$271 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$186 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$294 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 29 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #29 – PASEO

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

30. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #30 - Highland Park

Table 30 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #30 of the CFD.

	Table 30 jm Special Taxes rea #30 – Highland Park
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$650
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$557
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$97 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$93 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$58 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$97 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

31. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #31 – Mercy Hospital

Table 31 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #31 of the CFD.

M SFECIAL TAXES
REA #31 – MERCY HOSPITAL
Maximum Special Tax
Fiscal Year 2005-061
\$172
per Unit
\$139
per Unit
\$59 per 1,000 Square
Feet of Building
\$62 per 1,000 Square
Feet of Building
\$30 per 1,000 Square
Feet of Building
\$59 per 1,000 Square
Feet of Building

TABLE 31
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #31 – MERCY HOSPITAL

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

32. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #32 – Fahrens Park Plaza

Table 32 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #32 of the CFD.

	TABLE 32 IM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT ARE	A #32 – FAHRENS PARK PLAZA
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$988
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$889
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$161 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$181 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$71 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$181 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

33. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #33 – Mansionette Estates No. 5

Table 33 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #33 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #3	3 – MANSIONETTE ESTATES NO. 5
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$1,130
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$957
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$252 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$260 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$133 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$260 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 33
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #33 – MANSIONETTE ESTATES NO. 5

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

34. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #34 – Northview Professional Center

Table 34 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #34 of the CFD.

TABLE 34 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES I <u>MPROVEMENT AREA #34 – NORTHVIEW PROFESSIONAL CENTER</u>		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061	
Single Family	\$850	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$742	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$146 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$152 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$75 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$152 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

35. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #35 - Compass Pointe Apartments

Table 35 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #35 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #35 – COMPASS POINTE APARTMENTS	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$543
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$479
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$53 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$50 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$33 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$53 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 35		
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #35 – COMPASS POINTE APARTMENTS		

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

36. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #36 – Merced Station

Table 36 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #36 of the CFD.

Table 36 Maximum Special Taxes Improvement Area #36 – Merced Station	
Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$580
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$483
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$89 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$78 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$59 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$89 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

37. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #37 – Reserved for Future Use

38. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #38 - PG&E Merced Regional Service Center

Table 38 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #38 of the CFD.

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	JM SPECIAL TAXES
ROVEMENT AREA #38 – PG	&E MERCED REGIONAL SERVICE CE
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹
Single Family	\$4,028
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$3,572
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$1,007 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$1,150 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$431 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$1,150 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

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39. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #39 – Merced Gateway Park

Table 39 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #39 of the CFD.

MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #39 – MERCED GATEWAY PARK		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061	
Single Family	\$813	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$707	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$138 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$142 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$73 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$142 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

TABLE 39		
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #39 – MERCED GATEWAV PARK		

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

40. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #40 - Stone Ridge South

Table 40 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #40 of the CFD.

TABLE 40 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #40 – STONE RIDGE SOUTH	
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$824
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$603
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$241 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$211 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$162 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$241 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

41. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #41 – Reserved for Future Use

42. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #42 – Compass Pointe Apartments Phase 2

TABLE 42

Table 42 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #42 of the CFD.

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	JM SPECIAL TAXES
MPROVEMENT AREA #42 – C	OMPASS POINTE APARTMENTS PHAS
	Maximum Special Tax
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single Family	\$770
Residential Property	per Unit
Multi-Family	\$684
Residential Property	per Unit
Retail	\$112 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Office	\$120 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Industrial	\$56 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building
Other	\$120 per 1,000 Square
Property	Feet of Building

43. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #43 – Highway 59 & Santa Fe Drive AM/PM

Table 43 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #43 of the CFD.

	MAXIMUM SI ECIAL TAXES	
MPROVEMENT AREA #43 – HIGHWAY 59 & SANTA FE DRIVE AM/PI		
		Maximum Special Tax
	Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
	Single Family	\$3,653
	Residential Property	per Unit
	Multi-Family	\$2,837
	Residential Property	per Unit
	Retail	\$1,259 per 1,000 Square
	Property	Feet of Building
	Office	\$1,265 per 1,000 Square
L	Property	Feet of Building
	Industrial	\$700 per 1,000 Square
	Property	Feet of Building
	Other	\$1,265 per 1,000 Square
	Property	Feet of Building

TABLE 43		
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #43 – HIGHWAY 59 & SANTA FE DRIVE AM/PM		

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

44. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #44 – Stone Ridge South Apartments (Future Annexation Area)

The Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #44 will be identified at the time such property is annexed into the CFD and will be included in the unanimous approval form signed by the annexing property owner.

45. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #45 - Yosemite Crossing

Table 45 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #45 of the CFD.

MAAIMONI SPECIAL TAXES	
IMPROVEMENT AREA #45 – YOSEMITE CROSSING	
Maximum Special Tax	
Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
\$810	
per Unit	
\$676	
per Unit	
\$161 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$157 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$94 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	
\$161 per 1,000 Square	
Feet of Building	

TABLE 45
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #45 - VOSEMITE CROSSING

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

46. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #46 – Sage Creek

Table 46 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #46 of the CFD.

TABLE 46MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXESIMPROVEMENT AREA #46 – SAGE CREEK		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$689	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$613	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$90 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$94 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$47 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$94 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

47. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #47 – The Hub 2.0 Merced Student Housing

Table 47 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #47 of the CFD.

MAAIMUM SPECIAL TAXES		
MPROVEMENT AREA #47 – THE HUB 2.0 MERCED STUDENT HOUSIN		
		Maximum Special Tax
Type of	[•] Property	Fiscal Year 2005-061
Single	e Family	\$505
Residenti	al Property	per Unit
Multi	-Family	\$443
Residenti	al Property	per Unit
Re	etail	\$45 per 1,000 Square
Pro	perty	Feet of Building
Of	fice	\$39 per 1,000 Square
Pro	perty	Feet of Building
Indu	ıstrial	\$31 per 1,000 Square
Pro	perty	Feet of Building
Ot	her	\$45 per 1,000 Square
Prop	perty	Feet of Building

TABLE 47
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #47 – THE HUB 2.0 MERCED STUDENT HOUSING

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

48. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #48 - Merzoian Estates

Table 48 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #48 of the CFD.

TABLE 48 MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES IMPROVEMENT AREA #48 – MERZOIAN ESTATES		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$1,183	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$858	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$397 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$362 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$254 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$397 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

49. Special Tax Rates, Improvement Area #49 - Campus Parkway Plaza

Table 49 below identifies the Maximum Special Taxes for Taxable Property within Improvement Area #49 of the CFD.

MAAIMUM SI ECIAL TAXES		
IMPROVEMENT AREA #49 – CAMPUS PARKWAY PLAZA		
	Maximum Special Tax	
Type of Property	Fiscal Year 2005-06 ¹	
Single Family	\$1,018	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Multi-Family	\$892	
Residential Property	per Unit	
Retail	\$191 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Office	\$205 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Industrial	\$94 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	
Other	\$205 per 1,000 Square	
Property	Feet of Building	

TABLE 49
MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAXES
IMPROVEMENT AREA #49 – CAMPUS PARKWAY PLAZA

¹ Subject to annual escalation as described in Section C.50 below.

50. Special Tax Increases

In January 2004, and each January thereafter, all figures shown in Tables 1 through 15 above shall be adjusted by applying the Average Increase, if any, in the Indices. Each annual adjustment of the Maximum Special Tax shall become effective on the subsequent July 1.

In January 2006, and each January thereafter, all figures shown in Tables 16 through 49 above shall be adjusted by applying the Average Increase, if any, in the Indices. Each annual adjustment of the Maximum Special Tax shall become effective on the subsequent July 1.

SECTION D. <u>METHOD OF LEVY</u>

Each Fiscal Year, the Special Tax shall be levied on all Assessor Parcels of Developed Property, separately for each Improvement Area, according to the steps outlined below.

- Step 1:Determine for an Improvement Area the Special Tax Requirement,
as defined in Section A above, for the Fiscal Year in which the Special Tax
will be collected;
- Step 2:Calculate the total Special Tax revenues that could be collected
from Developed Property in the Improvement Area based on application

of the Maximum Special Tax rates determined pursuant to Section C above;

- Step 3: If the amount determined in Step 1 is greater than or equal to the amount calculated in Step 2, levy the Maximum Special Tax on all Assessor Parcels of Developed Property in the Improvement Area;
- Step 4: If the amount determined in Step 1 is less than the amount calculated in Step 2, levy the Special Tax Proportionately on each Assessor Parcel of Developed Property in the Improvement Area so the amount of the Special Tax levy equals the Special Tax Requirement for that Fiscal Year.

SECTION E. <u>COLLECTION</u>

Except as may be provided by the CFD or the City, and for delinquencies, the Special Taxes shall be collected in the same manner and at the same time as ordinary ad valorem property taxes. The Special Tax obligation applicable to an Assessor Parcel in the CFD may not be prepaid and the obligation of the Assessor Parcel to pay the Special Tax may not be permanently satisfied.

For the portion of Improvement Area #22 that was annexed into the CFD pursuant to Annexation #16, the Special Tax levy shall commence in Fiscal Year 2020-21 and for such Fiscal Year shall be based on the building permits issued by the City as of May 1, 2020.

SECTION F. <u>EXEMPTIONS</u>

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Rate and Method, no Special Tax shall be levied on Public Property, except as otherwise provided in the Act.

No Special Tax shall be levied on the portion of an Assessor Parcel that constitutes Lower Income Household Welfare Exemption Property; provided, however, that if, in any Fiscal Year, applicable law does not require that Lower Income Household Welfare Exemption Property be exempt from some portion, or all, of the Special Tax, such portion, or all, of the Special Tax shall be levied on such property in accordance with this Rate and Method based on the type of property to which the Assessor Parcel is assigned.

SECTION G. <u>INTERPRETATION</u>

The Administrator may interpret this Rate and Method as necessary to clarify any inconsistency, vagueness, or ambiguity.

SECTION H. <u>APPEALS</u>

Appeals of any claim of incorrect computation of Special Tax or application of this Rate and Method may be made by the owner of an Assessor Parcel or such owner's duly-authorized representative by filing a written notice of appeal with the Administrator not later than thirty (30) days after having paid the disputed Special Tax. The Administrator shall promptly review the appeal and, if necessary, meet with the property owner (or representative), consider written and oral evidence regarding the amount of the Special Tax, and decide the appeal. If the property owner disagrees with the Administrator's decision, the owner may then file a written appeal with the Council, whose decision shall be final. If the decision of the Administrator or the Council requires the Special Tax to be modified or changed in favor of the property owner, no cash refund shall be made for prior years' Special Tax levies, but an adjustment shall be made to the next Special Tax levy(ies) as appropriate. This procedure shall be exclusive and its exhaustion by any property owner shall be a condition precedent to filing any legal action by such owner.

ATTACHMENT 1

BOUNDARY MAP AND IMPROVEMENT AREAS OF CITY OF MERCED COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES)

(to come from City)



EXHIBIT B

SAMPLE BALLOT

COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2003-2 (SERVICES) OF THE CITY OF MERCED

ANNEXATION NO. 23

SPECIAL TAX ELECTION May 1, 2023

To vote, mark an "X" in the voting square after the word "YES" or after the word "NO." All marks otherwise made are forbidden.

This ballot represents _____ votes.

If you wrongly mark, tear, or deface this ballot, return it to the City Clerk of the City of Merced at 678 West 18th Street, Merced, California 95340.

PROPOSITION: Shall the Community Facilities District No. 2003-2 (Services) of the City of Merced (the "CFD"), annex property known as Annexation No. 23 to the CFD and be authorized to levy special taxes within Annexation No. 23 to the CFD pursuant to the amended rate and method of apportionment of special taxes (the "Special Tax Formula") set forth in that certain resolution adopted on March 6, 2023, by the City Council of the CFD, to finance the authorized services and administrative expenses, all as provided in the Special Tax Formula?

YES	
NO	