RESOLUTION NO: 15-19 WEST LAFAYETTE COMMON COUNCIL

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE DESIGNATION OF AN ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION AREA FOR REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENT FOR PURDUE RESEARCH FOUNDATION/SAAB

WHEREAS, I.C. §6-1.1-12.1 allows a partial abatement over a period of not more than ten years of taxes attributable to certain real estate improvements or rehabilitation property taxes; allows a partial abatement of personal property taxes attributable to manufacturing equipment, research and development equipment, logistical distribution equipment, and new information technology equipment in an Economic Revitalization Area ("ERA");

WHEREAS, I.C. §6-1.1-12.1 empowers the Common Council to designate Economic Revitalization Areas by following a procedure involving the adoption of a preliminary declaratory resolution pending the recommendation of the West Lafayette Economic Development Commission pursuant to Section 36-20 of the West Lafayette City Code, publishing a public notice, conducting a public hearing and adoption of a final resolution confirming the declaratory resolution or a modified version of the declaratory resolution.

WHEREAS, Purdue Research Foundation ("PRF") has an ownership interest in the geographic area described in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein ("Real Estate");

WHEREAS, on September 17, 2019, the West Lafayette Economic Development Commission reviewed the request and recommended that the application of PRF to designate the subject real estate as an Economic Revitalization Area be approved;

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of West Lafayette held a preliminary hearing on October 7, 2019 at which time it received evidence about whether the subject real estate should be designated an Economic Revitalization Area; the Common Council adopted Resolution No. 10-19 (called Declaratory Resolution) wherein they made various findings and designated the subject real estate an Economic Revitalization Area subject to the Common Council adopting a Confirming Resolution and any limiting conditions provided therein;

WHEREAS, the Common Council fixed December 9, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the West Lafayette Council Chamber as the date, time and place for the final public hearing on this matter for receiving remonstrances and objections from persons interested in whether the subject real estate should be designated as an Economic Revitalization Area;

WHEREAS, a copy of the Declaratory Resolution was properly filed with the Tippecanoe County Assessor; proper legal notices were published indicating the adoption and substance of the

Declaratory Resolution and set forth when and where such final hearing for Confirming Resolution No. 15-19 would be held; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council held a final public hearing on the date and time published; all evidence and testimony, together with any written remonstrances and objections previously filed, were considered by the Common Council;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST LAFAYETTE that:

Section 1. The Common Council CONFIRMS its findings that:

- 1. The Real Estate is undesirable for normal development and occupancy due to a lack of development and growth which has impaired the values and the development or use of the Real Estate.
- **Section 2.** The Common Council CONFIRMS, ADOPTS AND APPROVES the Declaratory Resolution and designates, finds and establishes the subject real estate an Economic Revitalization Area.
- Section 3. The ERA designation shall terminate two (2) years after the date of the final confirming resolution of the Common Council. This designation is subject to the condition that the designation allows abatement of real estate taxes for the Real Estate and abatement for personal property taxes for the installation of manufacturing equipment for a maximum period of ten (10) years.

This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and upon the signature of the Mayor.

INTRODUCED ON FIRST READING ON THE DAY OF
MOTION TO ADOPT MADE BY COUNCILOR DOCUMENT., AND SECONDED BY COUNCILOR DOCUMENT.
DULY RESOLVED, PASSED, AND ADOPTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST LAFAYETTE, INDIANA, ON THE DAY OF, 2019, HAVING BEEN PASSED BY A VOTE OF IN FAVOR AND OPPOSED, THE ROLL CALL VOTE BEING:

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Attest: Sana G. Booker, Cle	Borkerk	Peter	SEAL Clerk	Bundi ding Officer	
PRESENTED BY ME TO ON THE DAY O	TO THE MAYOR OF DECEM	ser Si	, 2019.	Y. Bor	4
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EXHIBIT A PAGE 1 OF 2

A LAND BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION OF A PROPOSED LAND EXCHANGE - PARCEL 4A PURDUE UNIVERSITY AIRPORT (LAF) WEST LAFAYETTE, INDIANA AUGUST 1, 2019

A part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 23, Township 23 North, Range 5 West and a part of the Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 23 North, Range 5 West, Tippecanoe County, Indiana, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a Berntsen A1NB monument found marking the northeast corner of said Northeast Quarter; thence South 00 degrees 20 minutes 28 seconds East 411.28 feet along the east line of said Northeast Quarter to a magnail with washer found marking the southeast quarter of Parcel 1 as described in Instrument Number 201616018675 on the file in the Office of the Recorder of Tippecanoe County, Indiana; thence South 89 degrees 38 minutes 57 seconds West 1,156.68 feet along the south line of said Parcel 1; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 25 seconds West 420.76 feet; thence North 89 degrees 22 minutes 29 seconds East 1,091.57 feet; thence Southeasterly 33.91 feet along an arc to the right having a radius of 35.50 feet and subtended by a long chord having a bearing of South 63 degrees 15 minutes 41 seconds East and a length of 32.63 feet to a point on the south line of said Southeast Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 22 minutes 29 seconds East 33.61 feet along said south line to the POINT OF BEGINNING. Containing 11.219 acres, more or less.

NOTE: Legal Description prepared by Structurepoint.

EXHIBIT A PAGE 2 OF 2 **PURDUE UNIVERSITY AIRPORT LAF** PROPOSED LAND EXCHANGE PARCEL 4A 300 600 WABASH TOWNSHIP, TIPPECANOE COUNTY, INDIANA PURDUE PURDUE UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY R=35.50' L=33.91' CH=32.63' CHB=N 63' 15' 41" W N 89" 22' 29" E 33,61' NE CORNER EXISTING 30' GAS LINE ESMT. EXISTING AIRPORT PROPERTY LINE NE QUARTER 2019 SEC. 26, T-23-N, R-5-W N 1882626.899 E 2991792.616 6 N 89" 22' 29" E POINT OF BEGINNING PARCEL 4A 11.219 ACRES Plotted S 89" 38" 57" W PURDUE UNIVERSITY (FOR AIRPORT) TAXIWAY C RUNWAY 10-28 University Airport IN\Exhibits\2019 G: \DE\Clients\Purdue CONTRACT #: DATE REVISIONS 333 North Alabama St DRAWING FOLDER: & VOE\Climbi\/\undersity Airport M\Exhbits\2019 Aerospace Plot exhbit Suite 200 Indianapolis, IN 46204 WOOLPERT 317.299.7500 DATE 07/25/2019 DR. PJD CKD. CJS FAX: 317.291.5805