

Resolution approving financing and/or refinancing of a facility for The Nightingale-Bamford School and authorizing the issuance and sale of approximately \$45,000,000 of Tax-Exempt and Taxable Revenue Bonds (The Nightingale-Bamford School Project), Series 2025 and the taking of other action in connection therewith

WHEREAS, Build NYC Resource Corporation (the “Issuer”) is authorized pursuant to Section 1411(a) of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law of the State of New York, as amended (the “N-PCL”) and its Certificate of Incorporation and By-Laws, (i) to promote community and economic development and the creation of jobs in the non-profit and for-profit sectors for the citizens of The City of New York (the “City”) by developing and providing programs for not-for-profit institutions, manufacturing and industrial businesses and other entities to access tax-exempt and taxable financing for their projects; (ii) to issue and sell one or more series or classes of bonds, notes and other obligations through private placement, negotiated underwriting or competitive underwriting to finance such activities above, on a secured or unsecured bases; and (iii) to undertake other projects that are appropriate functions for a non-profit local development corporation for the purpose of relieving and reducing unemployment, promoting job opportunities, carrying on scientific research for the purpose of aiding the City by attracting new industry to the City or by encouraging the development of or retention of an industry in the City, lessening the burdens of government and acting in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, The Nightingale-Bamford School (the “Applicant”), a New York not-for-profit corporation exempt from federal taxation pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), has entered into negotiations with officials of the Issuer for the Issuer’s assistance with a tax-exempt revenue bond and taxable revenue bond transaction, the proceeds of which, together with other funds of the Applicant, will be used by the Applicant to finance, refinance or reimburse the Applicant for (i) the acquisition of a 22,324 square foot parcel of land located at 157-181 East 108th Street, New York, New York (the “Land”), (ii) the construction, renovation, equipping and/or furnishing of a 64,000 square foot athletic facility on the Land (the “Facility”), (iii) the payment of capitalized interest on the Bonds, and (iv) the payment of certain costs related to the issuance of the Bonds, including, if necessary, funding a debt service reserve fund and paying fees relating to credit enhancement (i, ii, iii, and iv collectively, the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, the Facility will be owned and operated by the Applicant as an independent day school serving girls from kindergarten through grade twelve; and

WHEREAS, the Applicant has submitted an Application (the “Application”) to the Issuer to initiate the accomplishment of the above; and

WHEREAS, the Application sets forth certain information with respect to the Applicant and the Project, including the following: that the Applicant is a not-for-profit corporation that provides an independent day school serving girls from kindergarten through grade twelve, that there are approximately 22.5 full-time equivalent employees employed by the Applicant and 4 additional full-time equivalent employees are expected to be hired after completion of the Project by year 3; that the financing of the Project costs with the Issuer’s financing assistance will provide savings to the Applicant which will allow it to redirect financial

resources to provide educational services and continue its programs with a greater measure of financial security; and that, therefore the Issuer's assistance is necessary to assist the Applicant in proceeding with the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Issuer desires to further encourage the Applicant with respect to the financing of the Facility, if by so doing it is able to induce the Applicant to proceed with the Project; and

WHEREAS, in order to finance a portion of the cost of the Project, the Issuer intends to issue its Revenue Bonds (The Nightingale-Bamford School Project), Series 2025, in one or more tax-exempt and taxable series, in the aggregate principal amount of approximately \$45,000,000, or such greater amount (not to exceed 10% more than such stated amount) (the "Bonds") each as may be determined by a certificate of determination of an authorized officer of the Issuer (the "Certificate of Determination"), all pursuant to an Indenture of Trust (the "Indenture"), to be entered into between the Issuer and The Bank of New York Mellon, as Trustee, or a trustee to be appointed by the Issuer (the "Trustee"); and

WHEREAS, (i) the Issuer intends to loan the proceeds of the Bonds to the Applicant pursuant to a Loan Agreement (the "Loan Agreement") to be entered into between the Issuer and the Applicant, and (ii) the Applicant will execute one or more promissory notes in favor of the Issuer and the Trustee (collectively, the "Promissory Note") to evidence the Applicant's obligation under the Loan Agreement to repay such loan; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY BUILD NYC RESOURCE CORPORATION AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Issuer hereby determines that the financing of a portion of the costs of the Project by the Issuer will promote and is authorized by and will be in furtherance of the corporate purposes of the Issuer.

Section 2. The Issuer hereby approves the Project and authorizes the Applicant to proceed with the Project as set forth herein, which Project will be financed in part through the issuance of the Bonds of the Issuer, which Bonds will be special limited revenue obligations of the Issuer payable solely from the revenues and other amounts derived pursuant to the Loan Agreement and the Promissory Note.

Section 3. To provide for the financing of the Project, the issuance of the Bonds of the Issuer is hereby authorized subject to the provisions of this Resolution and the Indenture hereinafter authorized.

The Bonds shall be issued as fully registered bonds in one or more tax exempt and/or taxable series, shall be dated as provided in the Indenture, shall be issued as one or more serial and/or term bonds and with respect to the Bonds in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$45,000,000, or such greater amount (not to exceed 10% more than such stated amount), and the Bonds shall be payable as to principal and redemption premium, if any, at the principal office of the Trustee, shall be payable as to interest by check, draft or wire transfer as provided in the Indenture, shall bear interest at such rate(s) as determined by the Certificate of Determination, shall be subject to optional redemption and mandatory redemption as provided in the Indenture, shall be payable as provided in the Indenture until the payment in full of the principal amount

thereof and shall mature not later than December 31, 2050 (or as determined by the Certificate of Determination), all as set forth in the Bonds.

The provisions for signatures, authentication, payment, delivery, redemption and number of Bonds shall be set forth in the Indenture.

Section 4. The Bonds shall be secured by the pledge effected by the Indenture and shall be payable solely from and secured by a pledge by the Issuer of revenues and receipts of the Issuer, including loan payments made by the Applicant, to the extent set forth in the Loan Agreement and Indenture hereinafter authorized. The Bonds, together with the interest thereon, are special limited revenue obligations of the Issuer, payable solely as provided in the Indenture, including from moneys deposited in the Bond Fund, the Project Fund, and such other funds as established under the Indenture (subject to disbursements therefrom in accordance with the Loan Agreement and the Indenture), and shall never constitute a debt of the State of New York or of The City of New York, and neither the State of New York nor The City of New York shall be liable thereon, nor shall the Bonds be payable out of any funds of the Issuer other than those pledged therefor.

Section 5. The Bonds may be sold pursuant to a public offering or a private placement and J.P. Morgan Securities, LLC, or an investment bank to be determined by the Applicant may serve as the underwriter or placement agent (“Investment Bank”). The determination as to public offering or private placement, the designation of the Investment Bank, and the purchase price of the Bonds shall be approved by Certificate of Determination.

Section 6. The delivery of a Preliminary Official Statement or Preliminary Private Placement Memorandum with respect to the Bonds (the “Preliminary Offering Document”) and the execution and delivery of the Indenture, a final Private Placement Memorandum or final Official Statement with respect to the Bonds (the “Final Offering Document”), a Bond Placement Agreement or Bond Purchase Agreement with the Applicant and the Investment Bank, the Loan Agreement, a Letter of Representation and Indemnity Agreement from the Applicant, and a Tax Regulatory Agreement from the Issuer and the Applicant to the Trustee (the documents referenced in this Section 6 being, collectively, the “Issuer Documents”), each being substantially in the form approved by the Issuer for prior financings, are hereby authorized. The Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Executive Director, Deputy Executive Director and General Counsel of the Issuer are hereby authorized to execute, acknowledge and deliver each such Issuer Documents. The execution and delivery of each such Issuer Documents by said officer shall be conclusive evidence of due authorization and approval.

Section 7. The Issuer hereby authorizes the distribution of the Preliminary Offering Document and the Final Offering Document to prospective purchasers of the Bonds.

Section 8. All covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements of the Issuer contained in this Resolution and contained in the Issuer Documents shall be deemed to be the covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements of the Issuer to the full extent authorized or permitted by law, and such covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements shall be binding upon the Issuer and its successors from time to time and upon any board or body to which any powers or duties affecting such covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements shall be transferred by or in accordance with law. Except as otherwise provided in this

Resolution, all rights, powers and privileges conferred and duties and liabilities imposed upon the Issuer or the members or directors thereof by the provisions of this Resolution and the Issuer Documents shall be exercised or performed by the Issuer or by such members, directors, officers, board or body as may be required by law to exercise such powers and to perform such duties.

No covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement herein contained or contained in any of the Issuer Documents shall be deemed to be a covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement of any member, director, officer, agent or employee of the Issuer in his individual capacity, and neither the members or directors of the Issuer nor any officer executing the Bonds shall be liable personally on the Bonds or be subject to any personal liability or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof.

Section 9. The officers of the Issuer are hereby designated the authorized representatives of the Issuer and each of them is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver any and all papers, instruments, opinions, certificates, affidavits and other documents and to do and cause to be done any and all acts and things necessary or proper for carrying out this Resolution, the Issuer Documents and the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 10. The Issuer is hereby authorized to cause the Applicant to proceed with the Project, the agreed costs thereof to be paid by the Issuer by the application of the proceeds of the Bonds, all as particularly authorized by the terms and provisions of the Loan Agreement. The Applicant is authorized to proceed with the Project; provided, however, that it is acknowledged and agreed by the Applicant that neither the Issuer nor any of its members, directors, officers, employees, agents or servants shall have any personal liability for any action taken by the Applicant for such purpose or for any other purpose.

Section 11. Any expenses incurred by the Issuer with respect to the Project and the financing thereof shall be reimbursed out of the proceeds of the Bonds or, in the event such proceeds are insufficient after payment of other costs of the Project or the Bonds are not issued by the Issuer, shall be paid by the Applicant. By accepting this Resolution, the Applicant agrees to pay such expenses and further agrees to indemnify the Issuer, its members, employees and agents and hold the Issuer and such persons harmless against claims for losses, damage or injury or any expenses or damages incurred as a result of action taken by or on behalf of the Issuer in good faith with respect to the Project and the financing thereof.

Section 12. In connection with the Project, the Issuer intends to grant the Applicant financing assistance in the form of the issuance of the Bonds.

Section 13. Any qualified costs incurred by the Applicant in initiating the Project shall be reimbursed by the Issuer from the proceeds of the Bonds in accordance with Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2; provided that the Issuer incurs no liability with respect thereto except as otherwise provided in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Resolution is subject to the approval of a private investigative report with respect to the Applicant, which approval shall be conclusively evidenced by the delivery of the Issuer Documents authorized pursuant to Section 6 hereof. The provisions of this Resolution shall continue to be effective until one year from the date hereof, whereupon the effectiveness of this Resolution shall terminate (except with respect to the matters contained in

Section 11 hereof) unless (i) prior to the expiration date of such year the Issuer shall (x) have issued the Bonds for the Project, or (y) by subsequent resolution extend the effective period of this Resolution, or (ii) the Applicant shall be continuing to take affirmative steps to secure financing for the Project.

Section 15. This Resolution is subject to further compliance with the provisions of Sections 103 and 141 through 150 and related provisions of the Code, including, without limitation, the obtaining of public approval for the Project and the Bonds.

Section 16. The Issuer, as lead agency, is issuing this determination pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”) (Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law) and implementing regulations contained in 6 N.Y.C.R.R. Part 617. This determination is based upon the Issuer’s review of information provided by the Applicant and such other information as the Issuer has deemed necessary and appropriate to make this determination.

The Issuer has determined that the proposed Project, an Unlisted action, pursuant to SEQRA and the implementing regulations, would not have a significant effect on the environment and that a Draft Environmental Impact Statement will not be prepared. The reasons supporting this determination are as follows:

1. The proposed Project would not result in a substantial adverse change in existing traffic, air quality, or noise levels. Construction of the Facility would not generate traffic, as it would not alter the number of students, staff, or visitors at the affiliated school; rather the Facility would further expand the offerings associated with the school.
2. The proposed Project would not result in significant adverse impacts on cultural, archaeological, architectural, or aesthetic resources or the existing neighborhood. There are no resources that are eligible or listed on the State and National Registers of Historic Places within 400 feet of the project site.
3. The proposed Project would not result in significant adverse impacts to natural resources, critical habitats, or water quality.
4. The proposed Project would not result in significant adverse impacts from hazardous materials. A Phase I was conducted on this property in December 2024. The Phase I identified a historic Recognized Environmental Conditions (HREC) associated with the project site. Specifically, one concrete-encased fuel storage tank was located in the cellar of Lot 132. It was recommended that any inactive fuel storage tanks be decommissioned in accordance with NY Storage Tank Regulations (6 NYCRR Part 613). This work should be outlined in the construction documents, including the Health and Safety Plan, for the proposed Project. The Phase I also notes that an Asbestos Operations and Maintenance Plan should be prepared and implemented to safely manage any asbestos or lead-based paint at the project site during redevelopment. All abatement and removal of these regulated materials will need to be performed in accordance with federal and New York City regulations.
5. The proposed Project would not result in a change in existing zoning; however, it would result in a change of the existing land use. The project site includes ten vacant lots and one lot that is improved with a four-story building, which is vacant and would be removed. In the

future, the lots would be improved with the Facility, which is a three-story state-of-the-art athletic facility associated with the Applicant. Although the proposed Project would change the land use of these parcels, the change itself would not result in a significant adverse impact; instead, the proposed Project would make better use of the otherwise vacant and underutilized lots. In addition, the proposed Project would be as-of-right under zoning.

6. No other significant effects upon the environment that would require the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement are foreseeable.

Section 17. The Issuer recognizes that due to the unusual complexities of the financing it may become necessary that certain of the terms approved hereby may require modifications which will not affect the intent and substance of the authorizations and approvals by the Issuer herein. The Issuer hereby authorizes the Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Executive Director, Deputy Executive Director or General Counsel of the Issuer to approve modifications to the terms approved hereby which do not affect the intent and substance of this Resolution. The approval of such modifications shall be evidenced by the Certificate of Determination.

Section 18. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ADOPTED: January 28, 2025

THE NIGHTINGALE-BAMFORD
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Name:
Title:

Accepted: _____, 2025