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RE: Notice of Public Hearing
Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency
Proposed Log City One, LLC Project

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Section 859-a(3) of the New York General Municipal Law (the "Act"), Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") hereby informs you that the Agency has received an application (the "Application") from Log City One, LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), for financial assistance in connection with a project (the "Project") proposed to be undertaken by the Agency for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in two parcels of land containing approximately 16.5 acres located at on Log City Road (Tax Map Nos. 24.12-4-7.31 & 24.12-4-7.32) in the Town of Amsterdam, Montgomery County, New York (the "Land"), (2) the construction on the Land of approximately fourteen (14) buildings to contain approximately 164,694 square feet (collectively, the "Facility"), and (3) the acquisition and installation of certain machinery and equipment therein and thereon (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned and operated by the Company, or an affiliate thereof, as a market-rate apartment complex containing

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON PROPOSED PROJECT
AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
RELATING THERETO

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Section 859-a(2) of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York (the "Act") will be held by the Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") on the 9th day of December, 2024 at 11:00 o'clock a.m., local time at the Town of Amsterdam Municipal Building located at 283 Manny's Corners Road in the Town of Amsterdam, Montgomery County, New York in connection with the following matters:

Log City One, LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in two parcels of land containing approximately 16.5 acres located at on Log City Road (Tax Map Nos. 24.12-4-7.31 & 24.12-4-7.32) in the Town of Amsterdam, Montgomery County, New York (the "Land"), (2) the construction on the Land of approximately fourteen (14) buildings to contain approximately 164,694 square feet (collectively, the "Facility"), and (3) the acquisition and installation of certain machinery and equipment therein and thereon (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned and operated by the Company, or an affiliate thereof, as a market-rate apartment complex containing approximately 168 units and other directly or indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency.

The Agency is now considering whether (A) to undertake the Project and (B) to provide certain exemptions from taxation with respect to the Project, including (1) exemption from mortgage recording taxes with respect to any documents, if any, recorded by the Agency with respect to the Project in the office of the County Clerk of Montgomery County, New York or elsewhere, (2) exemption from deed transfer taxes on any real estate transfers, if any, with respect to the Project, (3) exemption from sales taxes relating to the acquisition, construction and installation of the Project Facility, and (4) in the event that the Project Facility would be subject to real property taxation if owned by the Company but shall be deemed exempt from real property taxation due to the involvement of the Agency therewith, exemption from real property taxes (but not including special assessments and special ad valorem levies), if any, with respect to the Project Facility, subject to the obligation of the Company to make payments in lieu of taxes with respect to the Project Facility. If any portion of the Financial Assistance to be granted by the Agency with respect to the Project is not consistent with the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy, the Agency will follow the procedures for deviation from such policy set forth in Section 874(4) of the Act prior to granting such portion of the Financial Assistance.

If the Agency determines to proceed with the Project, the Project Facility will be acquired, constructed, and installed by the Agency and will be leased (with an obligation to purchase) or sold by the Agency to the Company or its designee pursuant to a project agreement (the "Agreement") requiring that the Company or its designee make certain payments to the Agency.

The Agency has not yet made a determination pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law (the "SEQR Act") regarding the potential environmental impact of the Project.