SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



FROM: Economic Development Agency

April 14, 2011

SUBJECT: California Municipal Finance Authority – Santa Rosa Academy, Inc.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors conduct a public hearing and adopt Resolution No. 2011-090, approving the issuance by the California Municipal Finance Authority of Revenue Bonds for the Santa Rosa Academy, Inc.

BACKGROUND: According to the provisions of the California Government Code, Section 6500 et seq., and the terms of a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement (Agreement), the California Municipal Finance Authority (Authority) is authorized to issue Revenue Bonds (Bonds) for the purpose of promoting economic development in the state of California. The Authority is among local agencies throughout the State of California, including the County of Riverside, to issue such Bonds.

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:		\$ O	In Current Year Budget:		Yes	
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BACKGROUND: (Continued)

The County of Riverside has been a member of the Authority since September of 2007. Pursuant to the Agreement and the Internal Revenue Code, the member agencies must conduct a Public Hearing and approve the Authority's issuance of indebtedness for projects located in the member agency's jurisdiction.

The Santa Rosa Academy, Inc. has requested that the CMFA serve as the municipal issuer of the Bonds in an aggregate principal amount not-to-exceed \$24,000,000 tax-exempt revenue bonds. The proceeds of the Bonds will be used by the Borrower to finance, refinance or reimburse the Borrower for the cost of (a) the acquisition, construction, improvement, rehabilitation, furnishing, and/or equipping of certain public charter school facilities located in the County of Riverside, California, in the community of Winchester, on property bounded to the east by La Ventana Road, to the south by Wickerd Road, to the west by El Centro Lane, and to the north by a line running parallel to and approximately 850 feet north of Wickerd Road; (b) paying capitalized interest on the Bonds; (c) funding one or more reserve funds with respect to the Bonds; and (d) paying certain costs of issuance for the Bonds (collectively, the "Project"). The Borrower is an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

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Resolution 2011-090

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RESOLUTION NO. 2011-090

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
APPROVING THE ISSUANCE BY THE CALIFORNIA MUNICIPAL FINANCE AUTHORITY
OF REVENUE BONDS FOR THE BENEFIT OF SANTA ROSA ACADEMY, INC. (OR AN
AFFILIATE THEREOF)

WHEREAS, pursuant Chapter 5 of Division 7 of Title 1 of the Government Code of the State of California (the "Act"), certain public agencies (the "Members"), including the County have entered into a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement Relating to the California Municipal Finance Authority, dated as of January 1, 2004 (the "Agreement"), in order to form the California Municipal Finance Authority (the "Authority") for the purpose of promoting economic, cultural and community development, and in order to exercise any powers common to the Members, including the issuance of bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, the Authority is authorized to issue and sell revenue bonds for the purpose, among others, of financing or refinancing the acquisition, installation, development and construction of capital projects, including equipment; and

WHEREAS, Santa Rosa Academy, Inc., a California nonprofit public benefit corporation (or an affiliate thereof) (the "Borrower"), has requested that the Authority issue and sell revenue bonds in the maximum principal amount of Twenty-Four Million Dollars (\$24,000,000) (the "Bonds") for the purpose of making a loan to the Borrower, to enable the Borrower to finance or refinance the costs of (a) the acquisition, construction, improvement, renovation and equipping of certain public charter school facilities located in the County of Riverside (the "County"), California, in the community of Winchester, on property bounded to the east by La Ventana Road, to the south by Wickerd Road, to the west by El Centro Lane, and to the north by a line running parallel to and approximately 850 feet north of Wickerd Road; (b) paying capitalized interest on the Bonds; (c) funding one or more reserve funds with respect to the Bonds; and (d) paying certain costs of issuance for the Bonds (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, in order for the interest on the Bonds to be tax-exempt, Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), requires that an "applicable elected representative" of the governmental unit, the geographic jurisdiction of which contains the site of facilities to be financed with the proceeds of the Bonds, hold a public hearing on the issuance of the Bonds and approve the issuance of the Bonds following such hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has determined that the Board of Supervisors of the County (the "Board") is an "applicable elected representative" for purposes of holding such hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has requested that the Board approve the issuance of the Bonds by the Authority in order to satisfy the public approval requirement of Section 147(f) of the Code and the requirements of Section 4 of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, notice of such public hearing has been duly given as required by the Code, and this Board has heretofore held such public hearing at which all interested persons were given an opportunity to be heard on all matters relative to the financing or refinancing of the Project and the Authority's issuance of the Bonds therefore; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest and for the public benefit that the Board approve the issuance of the Bonds by the Authority for the aforesaid purposes;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct.

Section 2. The Board of Supervisors hereby approves the issuance of the Bonds by the Authority. It is the purpose and intent of the Board that this resolution constitute approval of the issuance of the Bonds (a) by the "applicable elected representative" of the governmental unit having jurisdiction over the area in which the Project is or is to be located in accordance with Section 147(f) of the Code and (b) by the Board of Supervisors in accordance with Section 4 of the Agreement.

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<u>Section 3</u>. The issuance of the Bonds shall be subject to the approval of the Authority of all financing documents relating thereto to which the Authority is a party. The County shall have no responsibility or liability whatsoever with respect to the Bonds.

Section 4. The adoption of this resolution shall not obligate the County or any department thereof to (i) provide any financing to acquire, install or construct the Project or any refinancing of the Project; (ii) approve any application or request for or take any other action in connection with any planning approval, permit or other action necessary for the acquisition, installation or operation of the Project; (iii) make any contribution or advance any funds whatsoever to the Authority; or (iv) take any further action with respect to the Authority or its membership therein.

Section 5. The executing officers, the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and all other proper officers and officials of the County are hereby authorized and directed to execute such other agreements, documents and certificates, and to perform such other acts and deeds, as may be necessary or convenient to effect the purposes of this resolution and the transactions herein authorized.

<u>Section 6.</u> The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall forward a certified copy of this resolution to the Authority in care of its counsel:

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Los Angeles, CA 90071-2300

Section 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

1	ADOPTED by the Boar	d of Supervisors of t	he County of Riverside at a regular meeting
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