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May 31, 2022

Honorable City Council Newton City Hall 1000 Commonwealth Avenue Newton Centre, MA 02459

#### Councilors:

I respectfully submit a docket item to your Honorable Council requesting authorization to appropriate and expend \$19.5 million (\$19,500,000) and authorize a general obligation borrowing of an equal amount for the Newton Center for Active Living (NewCAL).

Further, I request that your Honorable Council authorize any premium received upon the sale of the bonds or notes, less the cost of preparing, issuing and marketing them, and any accrued interest received upon the delivery of the bonds or notes be applied to the costs of the project being financed by the bonds or notes and to reduce the amount authorized to be borrowed for the project by a like amount.

As you know, we have seen significant cost increases and supply chain issues. We expect that Josh Morse, Commissioner of Public Buildings, will update the potential cost of this project when he seeks site plan approval at the Public Facilities Committee.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Room Fuller

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### CITY OF NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS

#### PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

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May 26, 2022

Ruthanne Fuller, Mayor Newton City Hall 1000 Commonwealth Avenue Newton Centre, MA 02459

Re: NewCAL

#### Dear Mayor Fuller:

The Public Buildings Department requests the balance of the funds needed to complete the above referenced project in the amount of \$19,500,000. Please see the project website page located at: <a href="https://www.newtonma.gov/government/public-buildings/capital-projects-investing-now-for-newton-s-future/municipal-facilities-projects/newton-center-for-active-living">https://www.newtonma.gov/government/public-buildings/capital-projects-investing-now-for-newton-s-future/municipal-facilities-projects/newton-center-for-active-living</a>.

Sincerely,

Josh Morse

**Public Buildings Commissioner** 

cc: Maureen Lemieux, Chief Financial Officer Alex Valcarce, Deputy Buildings Commissioner

## **NEWTON CENTER FOR ACTIVE LIVING PROJECT COSTS**

**345-22** ate: 5/31/2022

ACOUNT NUMBER CATEGORIES OF THE BUDGET		#282-18		#19		New Request	
58SB02	ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES	\$	58,000.00	\$	220,000.00	\$	1,780,000.00
58SB01	OWNER'S PROJECT MANAGER	\$	40,000.00	\$	80,000.00	; \$	1,090,000.00
58SB03	SITE/ENVIRONMENTAL	\$	-	\$	60,000.00	\$	115,000.00
58SB04	OTHER	\$	2,000.00	\$	40,000.00	\$	55,000.00
58SB40	PROJECT CONTINGENCY	\$	-	\$	-	\$	150,000.00
582500	CONSTRUCTION	\$	-	\$	_ `	\$	15,000,000.00
58SB39	CONSTRUCTION CONTINGENCY	\$	-	\$	-	\$	860,000.00
585ITE	TECHNOLOGY	\$	-	\$	-	\$	150,000.00
585FFE	FF&E	\$	-	\$	-	\$	300,000.00
	TOTAL PROJECT EXPENDITURE BUDGET	\$	100,000.00	\$	400,000.00	\$	19,500,000.00