CITY of ALBUQUERQUE TWENTY THIRD COUNCIL

ENACTMENT NO. 7-2020-003 R-19-212 COUNCIL BILL NO. SPONSORED BY: Pat Davis, by request 1 RESOLUTION 2 A RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE PROPOSED RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN 3 CITY OF **ALBUQUERQUE'S DEPARTMENTS OF** DEVELOPMENT AND AVIATION AND THE NEW MEXICO SMALL BUSINESS 4 5 INVESTMENT CORPORATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF **PROMOTING** 6 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AT THE ALBUQUERQUE INTERNATIONAL 7 SUNPORT'S AVIATION CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE (ACE) BUSINESS PARK; DECLARING THE INTENT OF THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE TO CONSIDER 8 9 FOR ADOPTION AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PLEDGE OF CERTAIN 10 AVIATION DEPARTMENT REVENUES PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR Deletion 11 **ECONOMIC** DEVELOPMENT Bracketed/Underscored Material] - New **PURPOSES** TO **LEVERAGE** REVOLVING LOAN PROGRAM WITH THE NEW MEXICO SMALL BUSINESS INVESTMENT CORPORATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF ELIGIBLE PRIVATE ENTITIES SEEKING TO LOCATE AT THE ALBUQUERQUE INTERNATIONAL SUNPORT'S ACE BUSINESS PARK. WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque (the "City") is a legally and regularly created, established, organized, and existing municipal corporation of the State of New Mexico (the "State"); and WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 5-10-1 through 5-10-13 NMSA 1978, as amended (the "Act"), the City is authorized to provide economic development assistance to eligible entities for certain projects located within the corporate <u>*</u>22 limits of the municipality; and 23 WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the City has adopted Ordinance No. F/S 04-

10 (the "LEDA Ordinance"), approving an economic development plan for the

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City and authorizing the City to assist economic development projects in any 1 2 legally permissible manner, subject to the terms of the LEDA Ordinance; and 3 WHEREAS, the City has previously appropriated \$4,000,000 of Aviation 4 Department revenues to benefit commercial development projects at the 5 Albuquerque International Sunport (the "Sunport"); and 6 WHEREAS, the Aviation Department, with the assistance of the City's 7 **Economic Development Department, has evaluated options to maximize the** 8 benefit of the \$4,000,000 of commercial development funds at the Sunport for 9 the benefit of the Sunport; and 10 WHEREAS, the Aviation Department has identified the New Mexico Small 11 Business Investment Corporation ("SBIC") as a potential partner to facilitate 12 loans with eligible private entities seeking to locate at the Sunport's ACE 13 Business Park, with the City providing credit support; and WHEREAS, implementation of a potential partnership with SBIC requires 14 15 the City Council to consider an ordinance authorizing the commitment of 16 Aviation Department commercial development funds (consistent with Federal 17 Aviation Administration regulations and guidelines regarding the use of airport funds for this type of purpose) and to formalize the structure of the relationship between the City's Aviation and Economic Development Departments with the SBIC; and WHEREAS, the City Council's adoption of this Resolution will not obligate the City to encumber the Aviation Department's \$4,000,000 in local economic development funds or enter into a relationship with the SBIC; such commitment to occur only upon full compliance with the terms of an ordinance to be considered for adoption by the City Council authorizing the City's involvement with the SBIC pursuant to an agreed upon structure and documentation. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF **ALBUQUERQUE:** 30 Section 1. The Aviation and Economic Development Departments 31 and other appropriate City officials and employees are hereby authorized and

continue due diligence discussions with the SBIC and develop the

empowered to take such steps and to do such things as may be necessary to

documentation and structure related to a legally permissible relationship with the SBIC for the benefit of commercial development at the Sunport. The execution and delivery of any documents to which the City is a party in connection therewith shall be subject to the approval and authorization of the Council pursuant to an ordinance. X:\CL\SHARE\CL-Staff_Legislative Staff\Legislation\23 Council\R-212final.docx

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