

Legislation Text

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Dept/ Agency: Economic & Housing Development Action: () Ratifying (X) Authorizing () Amending Type of Service: Public Real Estate Auction Purpose: Accept bids and execute Quitclaim Deeds for properties sold at public auction on April 18, 2013 Date of Auction: April 18, 2013 Location of Auction: Newark Symphony Hall, 1020 Broad Street, Newark, New Jersey Cost Basis: () PSF () Negotiated () N/A (X) Other: Contract Basis: () Bid () State Vendor () Prof. Ser. () EUS (X) Fair & Open () No Reportable Contributions () RFP () RFQ () Private Sale () Grant () Sub-recipient (X) n/a List of Property: Refer to Resolution 7R3-c 032013, Exhibit A Additional Information:

Total Sale Amount \$6,642,600.00; Total Earnest Money Deposit \$603,649.00 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Annual Property Tax as a refundable deposit, held in escrow to insure Conditions of Sale compliance.

**WHEREAS**, on March 20, 2013, the City of Newark Municipal Council adopted Resolution 7R3-c authorizing the sale of City-owned properties, not needed for governmental purposes, by open public auction pursuant to the terms enumerated in the Standard Conditions of Sale attached to Resolution 7R3-c as Exhibit B; and

**WHEREAS,** on April 18, 2013, the Department of Economic and Housing and Development conducted a public auction for the sale of City owned properties as shown on the attached Exhibit A, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13(a); and

**WHEREAS,** this resolution seeks to accept or reject the bids received on April 18, 2013, pursuant to N.J.S.A 40A:12-13(a).

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, THAT:

- The City of Newark herby accepts the offers to purchase the properties shown on the attached Exhibit A for the total amount of \$6,642,600.00, the sale of which were authorized for an open public auction to be held on April 18, 2013 through Resolution 7R3-c, adopted March 20, 2013, and duly published in the Star Ledger on April 4, 2013 and April 11, 2013, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13(a).
- 2. The Deputy Mayor/Director of the Department of Economic and Housing Development of the City of Newark is hereby authorized to effectuate the sale of the properties shown on the attached Exhibit A to the successful bidders through a Quitclaim Deed, subject to the Standard Conditions of Sale set forth in Exhibit B attached to Resolution 7R3-c 032013.

- 3. The Quitclaim Deed and all documents pertaining to the sale of the properties shown on the attached Exhibit A shall be approved as to form by the City Corporation Counsel to be attested and acknowledged by the City Clerk.
- 4. The Director of Finance is hereby authorized to receive proceeds of sale and to deposit same as follows: fifty (50) percent into the general fund (011 505 0505 5284); forty (40) percent of the sale proceeds shall be deposited into the Community and Economic Development Dedicated Trust Fund (026 BS 3210) established under City Resolution No 7RG 110685; and ten (10) percent of the sale proceeds shall be placed in the City's Affordable Housing Trust Fund (026 BS 3035) established under City Ordinance 6PhS&FF062106 for the purpose of preserving low and moderate income affordable housing.

## **STATEMENT**

The purpose of this Resolution is to accept the bids for the properties sold at public auction on April 18, 2013 and to authorize the Deputy Mayor/Director of the Department of Economic and Housing Development to effectuate the sale of the properties shown on the attached Exhibit A through a Quitclaim Deed, subject to the Standard Conditions of Sale set forth in Exhibit B attached to Resolution 7R3-c 032013.