NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE APPLICATION OF WEST CONTRA COSTA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR A WAIVER OF BONDING CAPACITY FROM THE CALIFORNIA BOARD OF EDUCATION WITH RESPECT TO THE DISTRICT'S AUTHORIZED GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at 6:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as practicable, on September 9, 2020, the Board of Education (the "Governing Board") of the West Contra Costa Unified School District (the "District") will conduct a meeting via video conference/teleconference until further notice. Participation details will be posted with the agenda. This meeting will provide public comment opportunities through the Zoom app or by telephone. At this meeting, the Governing Board will hold a public hearing on the proposal that the District submit an application to the California Board of Education (the "CBE") for a waiver of the District's bonding capacity (the "Waiver") pursuant to Education Code Sections 15106, 15270 and 33050, being the limitation on the District's ability to issue its general obligation bonds ("Bonds") in an outstanding principal amount in excess of 2.5% of the assessed valuation of taxable property within the District (the "Assessed Value").

In the event that the CBE should grant the Waiver, the District would thereafter be authorized to issue Bonds at any time until June 30, 2028, so long as the outstanding principal amount of such Bonds at the date of issuance did not exceed 4.1% of the District's Assessed Value.

At the hearing, the testimony of all interested persons for or against the submission of an application for the Waiver, its amount and duration, will be heard.

Any interested person may attend the meeting or listen to the meeting by following the link to the meeting on the home page of the District website (wccusd.net). Any interested person may also offer public comment either in person or telephonically by dialing (510) 231-1170 between 6:20 PM and 6:40 PM on September 9, 2020. Should any interested person need to request a reasonable accommodation of a disability, please contact the office of the Associate Superintendent, Business Services at (510) 231-1170 or via email at vvega@wccusd.net. The District desires requests for reasonable accommodations of disabilities to be swiftly resolved, with any doubt whatsoever resolved in favor of accessibility.

Individuals wishing to submit written comments to the Governing Board for consideration in connection with the application for a Waiver are encouraged to provide such comments no later than noon on September 9, 2020, to insure consideration to: Clerk, Board of Education, West Contra Costa Unified School District, 1108 Bissell Avenue, Richmond, California, 94805-3135.

WEST CONTRA COSTA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Given: September 2, 2020