NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing pursuant to Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "**Code**"), will be held by the Monroe County Industrial Development Corporation (the "**Issuer**") on the 10th day of June, 2022 at 2:00 p.m., local time, in person at the business center located at 1150 CityPlace, 50 West Main Street, Rochester, New York 14614, in connection with the following matters:

Academy of Health Sciences Charter School (the "**Institution**"), a New York not-for-profit corporation and a Section 501(c)(3) organization exempt from federal income taxation pursuant to Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "**Code**"), having an office at 1001 Lake Avenue, Rochester, New York 14613, has applied to the Issuer to issue one or more series of tax-exempt and/or taxable bonds as part of a plan of finance, presently expected to include its Revenue Bonds, Series 2022A (Academy of Health Sciences Charter School Project), as qualified 501(c)(3) bonds under Section 145 of the Code (the "**Series 2022A Bonds**") and its Taxable Revenue Bonds, Series 2022B (Academy of Health Sciences Charter School Project) (the "**Series 2022B Bonds**" and together with the Series 2022A Bonds, the "**Series 2022 Bonds**"), in an aggregate principal amount presently expected to be approximately \$23,000,000 but not to exceed \$25,000,000.

The proceeds of the Series 2022 Bonds will be used by the Institution to finance and refinance the costs of the Project (as defined below), which will consist of (a) financing the acquisition, construction, renovation, furnishing and equipping of an approximately 47,623 square foot building located on an approximately 4.17 acre parcel of land located at 1151 Ridgeway Avenue, Rochester, New York (and further described as Tax Map Parcel No. 090.46-1-2) (the "**Facility**"), which will serve as the site of a charter school, to be known as the Academy of Health Sciences Charter School, which will provide educational services to students in grade 5 through grade 8, (b) funding capitalized interest and a debt service reserve fund, if required; and (c) paying for certain costs and expenses associated with the issuance of the Series 2022 Bonds (collectively (a) through (c), the "**Project**"). The Facility will be owned and operated by the Institution.

The proceeds of the Series 2022 Bonds will be loaned by the Issuer to the Institution pursuant to the terms of one or more Loan Agreements between the Issuer and the Institution to pay the costs of the Project. The Series 2022 Bonds will be special obligations of the Issuer payable solely from loan payments made by the Institution to the Issuer pursuant to the Loan Agreements and certain other assets of the Institution pledged to the repayment of the Series 2022 Bonds. The Series 2022 Bonds shall not be a debt of the State of New York, or any political subdivision thereof, including Monroe County, and neither the State of New York, nor any political subdivision thereof, including Monroe County, shall be liable thereon.

For those members of the public desiring to review the application for financial assistance before the date of the hearing, copies of these materials are available at <u>https://www.mcidcweb.com/public-hearings</u>

A representative of the Issuer will, at the above-stated time and place, hear and accept written comments from all persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the issuance of the Series 2022 Bonds, the granting of other financial assistance contemplated by the Issuer or the location or nature of the Project. At the hearing, all persons will have the opportunity to review

the application for financial assistance filed by the Institution with the Issuer, and an analysis of the costs and benefits of the proposed financing and refinancing. All individuals attending the hearing in person must wear a face mask for the duration of their attendance at the public hearing.

Minutes of the hearing will be made available to the County Executive of Monroe County. Approval of the issuance of the Series 2022A Bonds by the County Executive of Monroe County is necessary in order for the interest on the Series 2022A Bonds to be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

Dated: June 1, 2022

MONROE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

By: Ana J. Liss Title: Executive Director