### SIDE LETTER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE

# INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS, LOCAL 1245 AND

### THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE

## RELATED TO THE MODIFICATION OF THE FLEX CREDIT AND RETIREE HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT PLAN

The City of Roseville (hereinafter referred to as "City") and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 1245 (hereinafter referred to as "Local 1245") entered into a Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") with a term beginning on May 1, 2022, and terminating on April 30, 2026. The City and Local 1245 are collectively referred to herein as the "Parties."

### Background and Overview

The Parties hereby agree to the terms of this Side Letter Agreement ("SLA"), entered into in December 2023, concerning modification of the Flex Credit, specifically, concerning the City's provision of a cafeteria plan flex credit amount ("Flex Credit") for employees who elect a medical plan through the City. Due to significant unexpected increases to the CalPERS medical plan premiums effective for the 2024 calendar year, the City and Local 1245 agree to increase the Flex Credit amount for those electing Employee Plus Family ("Family") or Employee Plus One Dependent ("EE+1") tiers of medical coverage as described below.

In addition, this SLA furthers the intent approved in the underlying MOU for the Flex Credit increase to be effective with the new rate changes for 2024.

Further, this SLA addresses the Parties' agreement to update the City Sponsored Retiree Health Savings Account (RHSA) to remove the vesting requirements for receiving the City contributions and that the City benefit may be included as part of the total compensation study. This RHSA vesting requirement is not found in any of the City comparable market agencies.

The specific provisions contained in this SLA are intended to supersede any previous agreements, whether oral or written, regarding the matters contained in this SLA.

The Parties have satisfied their obligations to meet and confer in good faith in accordance with the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act ("MMBA").

Except as provided here, all wages, hours, and other terms and conditions of employment presently in the City's MOU and SLAs with the Local 1245 remain in full force and effect.

A. For convenience, in pertinent part, the Parties' MOU, Chapter 4, Article I, currently provides the following:

#### C. Cafeteria Plan

 The City agrees to maintain a Cafeteria Plan, pursuant to Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code and any related regulations, for the purpose of providing employees with access to various health and welfare benefits. Benefits available through the Cafeteria Plan include medical insurance, dental insurance, long-term disability insurance (LTD) and vision insurance.

- 2. The City provides a Cafeteria Plan Allowance to all employees eligible to participate in City sponsored health and welfare benefits under Section A of this Article of up to \$1,347 per month (less the direct PEMHCA payment provided in paragraph B).
- 3. Effective May 1, 2022, the City agrees to provide a flex plan credit based on medical plan tier election (EE only, EE+1, or Family) to be used by active employees for any benefit covered under the Cafeteria Plan, as follows:

Active Employee Medical Election Tier	Employee Only (EE Only)	Employee Plus One Dependent (EE+1)	Employee Plus Family (Family)
Flex Plan Credit	\$200/month	\$273/month	\$598/month

4. Effective January 1, 2023, the City agrees to provide a flex plan credit based on medical plan tier election (EE only, EE+1 or Family) to be used by active employees for any benefit covered under the Cafeteria Plan, as follows:

Active Employee Medical Election Tier	Employee Only (EE	Employee Plus One Dependent (EE+1)	Employee Plus Family (Family)
	Only)		
Flex Plan Credit	\$200/month	\$318/month	\$673/month

5. Effective January 1, 2024, the City agrees to provide a flex plan credit based on medical plan tier election (EE only, EE+1 or Family) to be used by active employees for any benefit covered under the Cafeteria Plan, as follows:

Active Employee Medical Election Tier	Employee Only (EE Only)	Employee Plus One Dependent (EE+1)	Employee Plus Family (Family)
Flex Plan Credit	\$200/month	\$363/month	\$748/month

6. Effective January 1, 2025, the City agrees to provide a flex plan credit based on medical plan tier election (EE only, EE+1 or Family) to be used by active employees for any benefit covered under the Cafeteria Plan, as follows:

Active Employee Medical Election Tier	Employee Only (EE Only)	Employee Plus One Dependent (EE+1)	Employee Plus Family (Family)
Flex Plan Credit	\$200/month	\$408/month	\$823/month

7. Effective January 1, 2026, the City agrees to provide a flex plan credit based on medical plan tier election (EE only, EE+1 or Family) to be used by active employees for any benefit covered under the Cafeteria Plan, as follows:

Active Employee Medical Election Tier	Employee Only (EE Only)	Employee Plus One Dependent (EE+1)	Employee Plus Family (Family)
Flex Plan Credit	\$230/month	\$453/month	\$898/month

8. Employees who elect not to participate in any of the medical, dental, LTD, and vision insurance benefits sponsored by the City and who provide proof of other medical

coverage will not receive any Cafeteria Plan Allowance under Section C(2) of this Article. Instead, employees who opt out of these City sponsored benefits will receive \$150 per month.

- 9. Any Cafeteria Plan Allowance provided for under Section C(2) of this Article can only be used by an employee to offset the cost of participation in City sponsored medical, dental, and vision insurance benefits for the employee and any eligible dependents.
- Effective for the applicable annual medical premium increases, for active employees electing В. Family medical coverage, the City agrees to provide an additional amount towards flex credit of up to \$170 per month, which is in addition to the amount specified in Section C.(5), C. (6) and C.(7) for active employees electing Employee Plus One Dependent coverage up to \$150 per month additional flex credit to be used for the payment of medical insurance in addition to the amount specified in Section C.(5), C. (6) and C.(7).
- The additional flex credit contribution for family medical coverage, as described above in C. Section B, will be added to the flex credit in Chapter 4, Article I, section C.(5), C. (6) and C.(7) for the respective year and will be considered as part of the City cafeteria plan contribution amount included in total compensation.
- D. Effective January 1, 2024, and going forward, the Parties agree that the City will update the City sponsored RHSA plan document to remove the vesting requirements, in accordance with the side letter agreement with Local 1245, dated April 13, 2023. Subsequent to the RHSA plan document update, the City RHS contribution will be included in the City total compensation study.

THESE ARE TENTATIVE TERMS SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

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INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL

**WORKERS, LOCAL 1245** 

CITY OF ROSEVILLE