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Notice to Holders of:

# Maryland Economic Development Corporation Private Activity Revenue Bonds (RSA) Series 2016A, 2016B, 2016C, and 2016D (Purple Line Rail Project)

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U.S. Bank National Association serves as trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>") for \$313,035,000 in principal amount of the Maryland Economic Development Corporation (Purple Line Light Rail Project) Revenue Bonds, Series 2016A, Series 2016B, Series 2016C and Series 2016D (the "<u>Bonds</u>") issued pursuant that certain Indenture of Trust dated June 1, 2016 (the "Indenture") between the Maryland Economic Development Corporation (the "<u>Issuer</u>") and as collateral agent (the "<u>Collateral Agent</u>") pursuant to that certain Collateral Agency and Account Agreement dated June 14, 2016 (the "<u>Collateral Agreement</u>") by and among Purple Line Transit Partners, LLC, United States Department of Transportation and the Collateral Agent

Attached as Exhibit A hereto is certain correspondence related to the Purple Line Rail Project from the Maryland Transit Administration.

# U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee

October 9, 2020

<sup>\*</sup>Trustee is not responsible for selection or use of CUSIP. It is included solely for holder convenience.

## Exhibit A



Larry Hogan Governor Boyd K. Rutherford Lt. Governor Gregory Slater Secretary Kevin B. Quinn, Jr. Administrator

October 9, 2020

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### VIA PMCS, EMAIL AND OVERNIGHT MAIL (DELIVERY RECEIPT REQUESTED)

Mr. Peter van der Waart van Gulik Chief Executive Officer/Project Manager Purple Line Transit Partners, LLC 6811 Kenilworth Avenue, Suite 400 Riverdale, MD 20737

And addresses listed in Exhibit 1

#### SUBJECT: NOTICE OF INTENT TO REMARKET P3 AGREEMENT

Dear Mr. van der Waart van Gulik:

Reference is made to the Public-Private Partnership Agreement, dated as of April 7, 2016, by and between the Maryland Department of Transportation and the Maryland Transit Administration ("Owner" or "MTA") and Purple Line Transit Partners LLC ("PLTP" or "Concessionaire") for delivery and operation of the Purple Line light rail system (as amended, the "P3 Agreement"). Capitalized terms in this letter, not otherwise defined herein, have the meanings ascribed in the P3 Agreement.

As you know, on August 10, 2020, Owner filed a complaint in the Circuit Court for Baltimore City (the "Court") seeking, among other things, a preliminary injunction (the "Lawsuit") and obtained a temporary restraining order (the "TRO") enjoining and restraining PLTP from demobilizing and abandoning the Project until PLTP established that an Extended Delay of 365 or more days to the Critical Path due to Relief Events exists in accordance with the Dispute Resolution Procedures set forth in the P3 Agreement. On September 10, 2020, the Court entered an order (the "September 10 Order") denying Owner's preliminary injunction and ordering the TRO to expire upon entry of the September 10 Order.

MTA understands that PLTP claims that the Termination Date of the P3 Agreement is September 10, 2020. As made clear in previous discussions and correspondence, MTA disputes the propriety of PLTP's June 23, 2020 notice of unconditional election to terminate the P3 Agreement and its underlying bases and PLTP's purported September 10, 2020 Termination Date. However, MTA is providing notice to PLTP that Owner has determined that a Liquid Market exists and that Owner intends to remarket the P3 Agreement in accordance with Attachment 1 to Exhibit 13B of the P3 Agreement. While MTA does not believe that such notice is required at this time, MTA is providing this notice to preserve any and all rights under

the P3 Agreement during the pendency of the parties' disputes, including Owner's right to challenge the propriety of PLTP's termination under Section 19.3.2 of the P3 Agreement. Nothing in this letter is intended to prejudice or waive any other rights and remedies under the P3 Agreement, and applicable Law, including actions at law and in equity

Sincerely,

Digitally signed by Kevin B. Quinn, Jr. Date: 2020.10.09

Kevin B. Quinn, Jr. Administrator

cc: Mr. Gregory Slater, Secretary, Maryland Department of Transportation

Mr. Matthew W. Pollack, PE, PMP, Executive Director, TD&D, MTA

Mr. Vernon G. Hartsock, PMP, Acting Purple Line Project Director, TD&D, MTA

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Ms. James W. Mitchell, PL PMC Program Director

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