RESOLUTION NO. <u>17-</u>/33

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CLOSING OF THE ECONOMIC INCENTIVE CONTRACT & LOAN AGREEMENT BETWEEN B&B ICE, INC. AND THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR SECTION 4A ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

WHEREAS, on March 6, 2013, the Port Arthur City Council approved Resolution No. 13-101 authorizing the City of Port Arthur Section 4A Economic Development Corporation (the "PAEDC") to enter into an Economic Incentive Contract & Loan Agreement (the "Agreement") with B&B Ice, Inc. ("B&B"); and

WHEREAS, B&B has fully satisfied their contractual obligations as denoted in the memorandum attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2017, the PAEDC Board of Directors voted and acknowledged the satisfaction of the contractual obligations, thereby concluding the Agreement with B&B.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS:

<u>Section 1</u>. That the facts and opinions in the preamble are true and correct.

Section 2. That the City Council hereby acknowledges that the contractual obligations in the Economic Incentive Contract & Loan Agreement between B&B Ice, Inc. and PAEDC have been met and are complete, and therefore, approve the closing of the Agreement.

Section 3. That a copy of the caption of this Resolution shall be spread upon the Minutes of the City Council.

READ, ADOPTED AND APPROVED on this 33 day of May A.D., 2017, at a Meeting of the City Council of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, by the following vote:

AYES:			
Mayor Freeman; Mayor Pro Jem Jones, Councilmembers Scott, Kinlaw, Sound, Slewis, Suati, Moses and Frank.			
		NOES: Doll.	·
		NOES.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Mu		
ATTEST:	Derrick Freeman, Mayor		
Sherri Bellard, City Secretary			
APPROVED: Dateste			
Floyd Batiste, PAEDC CEO			
APPROVED AS TO FORM:			
Guy N. Goodson, PAEDC Attorney			
APPROVED AS TO FORM:			
Val Jugar			
Valecia R. Tizeno, City Attorney			

EXHIBIT "A"

Port Arthur Economic Development Corporation

Memorandum

To: PAEDC Board of Directors From: Floyd Batiste, CEO

CC: Krystle Muller, ED Specialist

Re: Closing of the Economic Incentive Contract & Loan Agreement with *B&B Ice, Inc.*

It is recommended that the Board close the Economic Incentive Contract & Loan Agreement with B&B Ice, Inc. ("B&B") as B&B has fully satisfied the terms of the Agreement with the PAEDC.

In 2013, B&B was awarded a conditional grant in the amount of \$285,515 to be utilized for the purchase of equipment needed for the expansion of its operations in the Spur 93 Business Park, Port Arthur, TX.

B&B has met the performance required by PAEDC by employing Port Arthur residents and receiving credits toward the incentive amount for payroll to Port Arthur residents.

Total payroll to Port Arthur residents over the three year agreement was \$467,557.38.

kvm