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private revenue streams. Estimates have been established for a number of these funding sources, while several are yet "to be determined" (TBD).

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\$450 million

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\$100 million Commitment from prime tenant

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-(private and public sector)

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orders of government)

TBD Corporate sector contributions

(e.g. naming opportunities, founder

support etc.)

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required within a \$450 million

financing package)

Debt Financing

\$315 million

Revenue Contributions to Finance Debt/

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dollars toward the capital fund.

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\$ 10 million Potential Community Revitalization Levy*

TBD Rental/equity contributions through associated developments (hotels,

condos, casino)

TBD Other User Pay revenues (taxi and hotellevies, parking and other surcharges)

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Findings/Recommendations

- Based on the level of analysis and the stated assumptions, a downtown sports/entertainment complex is financially feasible.
- 2. Given the scale of investment required, and the potential impact a new downtown sports/entertainment complex would have on the community, the most appropriate funding structure will require both private and public participation.

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