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ZIEGLER CLOSES \$25,340,000 FINANCING FOR FOREFRONT LIVING SAN ANTONIO (TX)

CHICAGO, IL – JUNE 30, 2023 – Ziegler, a national boutique investment bank, is pleased to announce its role in the successful closing of \$25,340,000 of Series 2023 Bond Anticipation Notes (the "Series 2023 Notes") for Forefront Living San Antonio ("FLSA"). The Series 2023 Notes are comprised of \$22,340,000 Series 2023A Tax-Exempt Revenue Notes (the "Series 2023A Notes") sold publicly to institutional investors and \$3,000,000 of Series 2023B Subordinate Taxable Revenue Notes (the "Series 2023B Notes") placed with affiliates of FLSA.

The proceeds of the Series 2023 Notes will be used to finance (i) the cost of acquiring a tract of land consisting of approximately 27 acres situated in the city of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, (ii) the preconstruction development costs of a new senior living community to be known as "Bella Vida at La Cantera", and (iii) the costs of issuing the Series 2023 Notes.

FLSA will own and operate the Community, which is planned to include 153 independent living apartments, 40 independent living cottages, and 16 memory support assisted living units, as well as a covered parking deck, common areas and administrative support spaces. Forefront Living is the parent and sole corporate member of FLSA. Forefront Living is a Texas nonprofit corporation whose mission is "to make each moment matter for those we serve." Forefront Living has full authority over Forefront Living San Antonio and will provide certain management services to Bella Vida at La Cantera.

"We are eager to serve the residents of San Antonio with the city's first new non-profit senior living community in more than 30 years. The team at Ziegler continues to be a valuable resource to us and their expertise is a key component in our organization's success," Tim Mallad, Forefront Living CEO, stated.



<u>Brandon Powell</u>, Managing Director, Ziegler Senior Living Finance added, "Even though 2023 has been a challenging year for senior living municipal new issues, we are pleased to have successfully placed these bonds in the marketplace. This is the second new campus development for Forefront Living since 2020. It is always rewarding to assist a long-standing client further their mission."

Ziegler is the nation's leading underwriter of financing for not-for-profit senior living providers. Ziegler offers creative, tailored solutions to its senior living clientele, including investment banking, financial risk management, merger and acquisition services, seed capital, FHA/HUD, capital and strategic planning as well as senior living research, education, and communication.

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