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# Hollywood Park Renews Partnership with Gen2 Upgrade

*Multi-year subscription renewal includes upgrade of 27 Evolv Express® systems to Gen2 hardware and continued deployment of Evolv eXpedite™ bag screening technology at SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater*

WALTHAM, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Evolv Technologies Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ: EVLV), a leading security technology company pioneering AI-powered screening solutions designed to create safer experiences, today announced a multi-year renewal of its relationship with Hollywood Park, the global sports and entertainment destination. The renewal continues the longstanding relationship between Evolv at SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater and reinforces the venue's commitment to delivering secure, efficient, and fan-friendly entry experiences. In addition, Evolv continues to be the Official Weapons Detection Screening Service Provider of SoFi Stadium, YouTube Theater and Hollywood Park.

The subscription renewal, which extends an original agreement reached in 2022, includes an upgrade of SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater's Evolv Express® systems to the company's Gen2 hardware, while continuing to utilize two existing Gen1 systems. The venues also expanded to include Evolv eXpedite™ bag screening technology.

"At Hollywood Park, we believe that delivering an outstanding guest experience begins long before fans reach their seats," said Otto Benedict, Executive Vice President of Operations and Development, SoFi Stadium and Hollywood Park. "As we continue to host some of the biggest events in sports and entertainment, it's important that we invest in both the best technology and the trusted partners behind it. Our continued relationship with Evolv reflects our commitment to delivering an unmatched arrival experience while maintaining the operational excellence required at a venue of this scale."

Spanning nearly 300 acres, Hollywood Park is the largest urban mixed-use development under construction in the Western United States. Anchored by world-class venues, SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater, the venues host some of the biggest events in the world, welcoming millions of visitors annually.

"SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater are the most iconic and influential venues in sports and entertainment, and we're proud to continue our relationship with their team," said John Baier, Vice President of Sports & Entertainment at Evolv Technology. "Their decision to upgrade to Express Gen2 reflects their continued commitment to enhancing the fan experience. Hollywood Park and its venues host some of the world's most significant sporting and entertainment events, and we're honored to support their efforts to create safer experiences for fans, guests, and staff."

The renewal further strengthens Evolv's relationship with SoFi Stadium and YouTube Theater and expands the company's presence across over 100+ sports and entertainment venues. The upgrade to Express Gen2 reflects the growing demand for security solutions

designed to support both venue operations and the fan experience. Across California, customers including the Orpheum Theatre, Stern Grove Festival Association, and Team San Jose are leveraging Evolv's technology to help enhance safety while maintaining a positive entry guest experience.

**About Hollywood Park**

Spanning nearly 300 acres, Hollywood Park is the largest urban mixed-use development under construction in the Western United States. Anchored by an 890,000-square-foot retail area and surrounded by creative office space, Hollywood Park features sophisticated residences, public parks, a lake, a forthcoming luxury hotel, Hollywood Park Studios, lifestyle offerings, and premier entertainment venues. The mixed-use development is all linked by walkable paseos and plazas and centered around the 3.1 million-square-foot SoFi Stadium, one of Los Angeles' most striking architectural structures, and the intimate 6,000 capacity YouTube Theater. Located just six miles off the coast, a short drive from LAX and the City of Inglewood's future Crenshaw/LAX Line, Hollywood Park is poised to become an iconic global destination for millions to enjoy. For more information, please visit www.hollywoodparklife.com.

**About Evolv Technology**

Evolv (NASDAQ: EVLV) is designed to transform human security by helping organizations detect potential threats, mitigate risk, and enhance safety using AI-powered security solutions with robust insights. Our technology has helped to create efficient and positive security screening experiences for the world's most iconic venues and companies as well as schools, hospitals, and public spaces. Evolv's mission is to create a safer world to live, work, learn, and play. Evolv's advanced systems have scanned more than 5 billion people since 2019. Evolv Express® and Evolv eXpedite™ have been awarded the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) SAFETY Act Designation as a Qualified Anti-Terrorism Technology (QATT). Evolv and its products have been awarded numerous awards which can be viewed on our Certifications and Awards web page. Evolv®, Evolv Express®, Evolv Insights®, and Evolv eXpedite™ are registered trademarks or trademarks of Evolv Technologies, Inc. in the United States and other jurisdictions. For more information, visit evolv.com.

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This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Evolv Technology intends for such forward-looking statements to be covered by the safe harbor provisions for forward-looking statements contained in Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. All statements in this press release, other than that are historical facts, are statements that could be deemed forward-looking statements, as well as statements regarding the Company's strategy, financial and operational performance and growth, and efforts to create value for stakeholders. Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other important factors that may cause actual results and actions to be materially different from any future results or actions expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to, the factors discussed under the caption "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10K for the year ended December 31, 2025, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 10, 2026, as well as any such factors that may be updated from time to time in our other filings with the SEC. The forward-looking statements in this press release

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Except as required by applicable law, we do not plan to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements contained in this document, whether as a result of any new information, future events or otherwise.

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