

**FY 2024**

**ANNUAL TAX INCREMENT FINANCE  
REPORT**



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ILLINOIS STATE COMPTROLLER

Name of Municipality: City of Chicago Reporting Fiscal Year: 2024  
County: Cook Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2024  
Unit Code: 016/620/30

**FY 2024 TIF Administrator Contact Information-Required**

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I attest to the best of my knowledge, that this FY 2024 report of the redevelopment project area(s)  
in the **City of Chicago** of:  
is complete and accurate pursuant to Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3 et. seq.] and or Industrial Jobs  
Recovery Law [65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-10 et. seq.].

6/27/2025

Written signature of TIF Administrator

Date

**Section 1 (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1.5) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1.5)\***

**FILL OUT ONE FOR EACH TIF DISTRICT**

Name of Redevelopment Project Area	Date Designated MM/DD/YYYY	Date Terminated MM/DD/YYYY
105th/Vincennes	10/3/2001	12/31/2025
107th/Halsted	4/2/2014	12/31/2038
111th/Kedzie	9/29/1999	12/31/2035
116th/Avenue O	10/31/2018	12/31/2042
119th/Halsted	2/6/2002	12/31/2026
119th/I-57	11/6/2002	12/31/2026
24th/Michigan	7/21/1999	12/31/2035
26th/King Drive	1/11/2006	12/31/2030
35th/Halsted	1/14/1997	12/31/2033
35th/State	1/14/2004	12/31/2028
43rd/Cottage Grove	7/8/1998	12/31/2034
47th/Ashland	3/27/2002	12/31/2026
47th/Halsted	5/29/2002	12/31/2026
47th/King Drive	3/27/2002	12/31/2026
47th/State	7/21/2004	12/31/2028
51st/Archer	5/17/2000	12/31/2024
51st/Lake Park	11/15/2012	12/31/2036
53rd Street	1/10/2001	12/31/2025
63rd/Ashland	3/29/2006	12/31/2030
63rd/Pulaski	5/17/2000	12/31/2036
67th/Cicero	10/2/2002	12/31/2026

67th/Wentworth	5/4/2011	12/31/2035
71st/Stony Island	10/7/1998	12/31/2034
73rd/University	9/13/2006	12/31/2030
79th Street Corridor	7/8/1998	12/31/2034
79th/Cicero	6/8/2005	12/31/2029
79th/Southwest Highway	10/3/2001	12/31/2025
79th/Vincennes	9/27/2007	12/31/2031
83rd/Stewart	3/31/2004	12/31/2028
87th/Cottage Grove	11/13/2002	12/31/2026
95th/Western	7/13/1995	12/31/2031
Addison South	5/9/2007	12/31/2031
Archer/Central	5/17/2000	12/31/2024
Archer/Western	2/11/2009	12/31/2033
Armitage/Pulaski	6/13/2007	12/31/2031
Austin Commercial	9/27/2007	12/31/2031
Avalon Park/South Shore	7/31/2002	12/31/2026
Avondale	7/29/2009	12/31/2033
Belmont/Central	1/12/2000	12/31/2036
Belmont/Cicero	1/12/2000	12/31/2024
Bronzeville	11/4/1998	12/31/2034
Bryn Mawr/Broadway	12/11/1996	12/31/2032
Canal/Congress	11/12/1998	12/31/2034
Central West	2/16/2000	12/31/2036
Chicago/Central Park	2/27/2002	12/31/2026
Chicago/Kingsbury	4/12/2000	12/31/2024
Cicero/Archer	5/17/2000	12/31/2024
Cicero/Stevenson	7/20/2022	12/31/2046
Clark/Montrose	7/7/1999	12/31/2035
Commercial Avenue	11/13/2002	12/31/2026
Cortland/Chicago River	4/10/2019	12/31/2043
Devon/Sheridan	3/31/2004	12/31/2028
Diversey/Chicago River	10/5/2016	12/31/2040
Diversey/Narragansett	2/5/2003	12/31/2027
Division/Homan	6/27/2001	12/31/2025
Edgewater/Ashland	10/1/2003	12/31/2027
Elston/Armstrong Industrial Corridor	7/19/2007	12/31/2031
Englewood Mall	11/29/1989	12/31/2025
Englewood Neighborhood	6/27/2001	12/31/2037
Ewing Avenue	3/10/2010	12/31/2034
Foster/California	4/2/2014	12/31/2038
Foster/Edens	2/28/2018	12/31/2042
Fullerton/Milwaukee	2/16/2000	12/31/2027
Galewood/Armitage Industrial	7/7/1999	12/31/2035
Goose Island	7/10/1996	12/31/2032
Greater Southwest Industrial (East)	3/10/1999	12/31/2035
Greater Southwest Industrial (West)	4/12/2000	12/31/2024
Harrison/Central	7/26/2006	12/31/2030
Hollywood/Sheridan	11/7/2007	12/31/2031
Homan/Arthington	2/5/1998	12/31/2034
Humboldt Park Commercial	6/27/2001	12/31/2025
Jefferson/Roosevelt	8/30/2000	12/31/2024
Kennedy/Kimball	3/12/2008	12/31/2032
Kinzie Industrial Corridor	6/10/1998	12/31/2034

Lake Calumet Area Industrial	12/13/2000	12/31/2036
Lakefront	3/27/2002	12/31/2026
LaSalle Central	11/15/2006	12/31/2030
Lawrence/Broadway	6/27/2001	12/31/2037
Lawrence/Kedzie	2/16/2000	12/31/2036
Lawrence/Pulaski	2/27/2002	12/31/2026
Lincoln Avenue	11/3/1999	12/31/2035
Little Village East	4/22/2009	12/31/2033
Little Village Industrial Corridor	6/13/2007	12/31/2031
Madden/Wells	11/6/2002	12/31/2038
Madison/Austin Corridor	9/29/1999	12/31/2035
Michigan/Cermak	9/13/1989	12/31/2025
Midway Industrial Corridor	2/16/2000	12/31/2024
Midwest	5/17/2000	12/31/2036
Montrose/Clarendon	6/30/2010	12/31/2034
Near North	7/30/1997	12/31/2033
North Pullman	6/30/2009	12/31/2033
Northwest Industrial Corridor	12/2/1998	12/31/2034
Ogden/Pulaski	4/9/2008	12/31/2032
Ohio/Wabash	6/7/2000	12/31/2024
Peterson/Pulaski	2/16/2000	12/31/2024
Pilsen Industrial Corridor	6/10/1998	12/31/2034
Pratt/Ridge Industrial Park Conservation Area	6/23/2004	12/31/2028
Pulaski Industrial Corridor	6/9/1999	12/31/2035
Randolph/Wells	6/9/2010	12/31/2034
Red Line Extension	12/14/2022	12/31/2058
Red Purple Modernization Phase One (Transit TIF)	11/30/2016	12/31/2052
River West	1/10/2001	12/31/2025
Roosevelt/Cicero Industrial Corridor	2/5/1998	12/31/2034
Roosevelt/Clark	4/10/2019	12/31/2043
Roosevelt/Racine	11/4/1998	12/31/2034
Roseland/Michigan	1/16/2002	12/31/2026
Sanitary and Ship Canal	7/24/1991	12/31/2027
South Chicago	4/12/2000	12/31/2036
Stevenson Brighton	4/11/2007	12/31/2031
Stockyards Southeast Quadrant Industrial	2/26/1992	12/31/2028
Stony Island Commercial/Burnside Industrial	6/10/1998	12/31/2034
Touhy/Western	9/13/2006	12/31/2030
Washington Park	10/8/2014	12/31/2038
West Irving Park	1/12/2000	12/31/2024
West Woodlawn	5/12/2010	12/31/2034
Western Avenue North	1/12/2000	12/31/2024
Western Avenue South	1/12/2000	12/31/2024
Western/Ogden	2/5/1998	12/31/2034
Western/Rock Island	2/8/2006	12/31/2030
X Wilson Yard	6/27/2001	12/31/2025
Woodlawn	1/20/1999	12/31/2035

\*All statutory citations refer to one of two sections of the Illinois Municipal Code: The Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3 et. seq.] or the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law [65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-10 et. seq.]

**SECTION 2** [Sections 2 through 8 must be completed for each redevelopment project area listed in Section 1.]

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**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

Wilson Yard

**Primary Use of Redevelopment Project Area\*:** Combination/Mixed

\*Types include: Central Business District, Retail, Other Commercial, Industrial, Residential, and Combination/Mixed.

**If "Combination/Mixed" List Component Types:** Commercial/Residential/Office

**Under which section of the Illinois Municipal Code was the Redevelopment Project Area designated? (check one):**

**Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act**     X    

**Industrial Jobs Recovery Law**           

**Please utilize the information below to properly label the Attachments.**

	No	Yes
For redevelopment projects beginning prior to FY 2022, were there any amendments, to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] <b>If yes, please enclose the amendment (labeled Attachment A).</b> For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, were there any amendments, enactments or extensions to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] <b>If yes, please enclose the amendment, enactment or extension, and a copy of the redevelopment plan (labeled Attachment A).</b>	X	
Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the municipality that the municipality has complied with all of the requirements of the Act during the preceding fiscal year. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (3) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (3)] <b>Please enclose the CEO Certification (labeled Attachment B).</b>		X
Opinion of legal counsel that municipality is in compliance with the Act. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (4) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (4)] <b>Please enclose the Legal Counsel Opinion (labeled Attachment C).</b>		X
Statement setting forth all activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan, including any project implemented and a description of the redevelopment activities. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (A and B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (A and B)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Activities Statement (labeled Attachment D).</b>		X
Were any agreements entered into by the municipality with regard to the disposition or redevelopment of any property within the redevelopment project area or the area within the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (C) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (C)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Agreement(s) (labeled Attachment E).</b>	X	
Is there additional information on the use of all funds received under this Division and steps taken by the municipality to achieve the objectives of the redevelopment plan? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (D) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (D)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Additional Information (labeled Attachment F).</b>	X	
Did the municipality's TIF advisors or consultants enter into contracts with entities or persons that have received or are receiving payments financed by tax increment revenues produced by the same TIF? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (E) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (E)] <b>If yes, please enclose the contract(s) or description of the contract(s) (labeled Attachment G).</b>	X	
Were there any reports <u>submitted to</u> the municipality <u>by</u> the joint review board? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (F) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (F)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Joint Review Board Report (labeled Attachment H).</b>	X	
Were any obligations issued by the municipality? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (A) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (A)] <b>If yes, please enclose any Official Statement (labeled Attachment I). If Attachment I is answered yes, then the Analysis must be attached (labeled Attachment J).</b>	X	
An analysis prepared by a financial advisor or underwriter, <u>chosen by the municipality</u> , setting forth the nature and term of obligation; projected debt service including required reserves and debt coverage; <u>and actual debt service</u> . [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (B)] <b>If attachment I is yes, the Analysis and an accompanying letter from the municipality outlining the contractual relationship between the municipality and the financial advisor/underwriter <u>MUST</u> be attached (labeled Attachment J).</b>	X	
Has a cumulative of \$100,000 of TIF revenue been deposited into the special tax allocation fund? 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (2) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (2) <b>If yes, please enclose audited financial statements of the special tax allocation fund (labeled Attachment K).</b>		X
Cumulatively, have deposits of incremental taxes revenue equal to or greater than \$100,000 been made into the special tax allocation fund? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (9) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (9)] <b>If yes, the audit report shall contain a letter from the independent certified public accountant indicating compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 (labeled Attachment L).</b>		X
A list of all intergovernmental agreements in effect to which the municipality is a part, and an accounting of any money transferred or received by the municipality during that fiscal year pursuant to those intergovernmental agreements. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (10)] <b>If yes, please enclose the list only, not actual agreements (labeled Attachment M).</b>	X	
For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, did the developer identify to the municipality a stated rate of return for each redevelopment project area? Stated rates of return required to be reported shall be independently verified by a third party chosen by the municipality. <b>If yes, please enclose evidence of third party verification, may be in the form of a letter from the third party (labeled Attachment N).</b>	X	



**SECTION 3.1** [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d)(5)(a)(b)(d)) and (65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5)(a)(b)(d)]

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**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Wilson Yard**

**Provide an analysis of the special tax allocation fund.**

Special Tax Allocation Fund Balance at Beginning of Reporting Period \$ 24,339,925

<b>SOURCE of Revenue/Cash Receipts:</b>	<b>Revenue/Cash Receipts for Current Reporting Year</b>	<b>Cumulative Totals of Revenue/Cash Receipts for life of TIF</b>	<b>% of Total</b>
Property Tax Increment	\$ 15,006,653	\$170,430,218	80%
State Sales Tax Increment			0%
Local Sales Tax Increment			0%
State Utility Tax Increment			0%
Local Utility Tax Increment			0%
Interest	\$ 344,047	\$ 2,122,220	1%
Land/Building Sale Proceeds			0%
Bond Proceeds		\$ 6,580,417	3%
Transfers from Municipal Sources		\$ 32,869,153	16%
Private Sources			0%
Other (identify source _____; if multiple other sources, attach schedule)	\$ -	\$ -	0%

**All Amount Deposited in Special Tax Allocation Fund** \$ 15,350,700

**Cumulative Total Revenues/Cash Receipts** \$ 212,002,008 100%

**Total Expenditures/Cash Disbursements (Carried forward from Section 3.2)** \$ 299,335

**Transfers to Municipal Sources**

**Distribution of Surplus** \$ 4,338,201

**Total Expenditures/Disbursements** \$ 4,637,536

**Net/Income/Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements** \$ 10,713,164

**Previous Year Adjustment (Explain Below)** -

**FUND BALANCE, END OF REPORTING PERIOD\*** \$ 35,053,089

\* If there is a positive fund balance at the end of the reporting period, you must complete Section 3.3

**Previous Year Explanation:**

(a) Cumulative figures for the categories of 'Interest,' 'Land/Building Sale Proceeds' and 'Other' may not be fully available for this report due to either: (i) the disposal of certain older records pursuant to the City's records retention policy, or (ii) the extraordinary administrative burden of developing cumulative City records prior to the City's conversion to its current accounting system in 2003.



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7. Costs of eliminating or removing contaminants and other impediments.		
		\$ -
8. Cost of job training and retraining projects.		
		\$ -
9. Financing costs.		
		\$ -
10. Capital costs.		
		\$ -
11. Cost of reimbursing school districts for their increased costs caused by TIF assisted housing projects.		
		\$ -
12. Cost of reimbursing library districts for their increased costs caused by TIF assisted housing projects.		
		\$ -

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13. Relocation costs.		
		\$ -
14. Payments in lieu of taxes.		
		\$ -
15. Costs of job training, retraining, advanced vocational or career education.		
		\$ -
16. Interest cost incurred by redeveloper or other nongovernmental persons in connection with a redevelopment project.		
Costs of interest incurred by a Developer related to the construction, renovation or rehabilitation		
Costs of construction of new housing units for low income or very low income households.		
		\$ -
17. Cost of day care services.		
		\$ -
18. Other.		
		\$ -
<b>TOTAL ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES</b>		<b>\$ 299,335</b>

(1) Costs relate directly to the salaries and fringe benefits of employees working solely on tax increment financing districts.

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### Wilson Yard

### Breakdown of the Balance in the Special Tax Allocation Fund At the End of the Reporting Period by source

<b>SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>	<b>\$ 4,944,013</b>
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**SECTION 4** [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (6) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (6)]

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**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Wilson Yard**

**Provide a description of all property purchased by the municipality during the reporting fiscal year within the redevelopment project area.**

X	Indicate an 'X' if no property was acquired by the municipality within the redevelopment project area.
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Property (1):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (2):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (3):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (4):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (5):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (6):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (7):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

**FY 2024****Name of Redevelopment Project Area:****Wilson Yard****PAGE 1****Page 1 MUST be included with TIF report. Pages 2 and 3 are to be included ONLY if projects are listed.****Select ONE of the following by indicating an 'X':**

<b>1. <u>NO</u></b> projects were undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area.	
<b>2. The municipality <u>DID</u> undertake projects within the Redevelopment Project Area. (If selecting this option, complete 2a and 2b.)</b>	X
<b>2a. The total <u>number</u> of <u>ALL</u> activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan:</b>	9
<b>2b. Did the municipality undertake any <u>NEW</u> projects in fiscal year 2022 or any fiscal year thereafter within the Redevelopment Project Area?</b>	1

**LIST ALL projects undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area:**

<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>11/1/99 to Date</b>	<b>Estimated Investment for Subsequent Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Total Estimated to Complete Project</b>
Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 122,202,744	\$ -	\$ 140,483,569
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 99,799,883	\$ 15,038,500	\$ 71,648,856
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	1 11/49		1 49/51

**Project 1 Name: Wilson Yard (Project is Ongoing\*\*\*)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ -		\$ 95,408,824
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 84,351,395	\$ 38,500	\$ 54,174,723
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		1 51/67

**Project 2 Name: SBIF - Wilson Yard\*\* (Project is Ongoing\*\*\*)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ -		\$ 4,000,000
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 1,038,600		\$ 2,000,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		2

**Project 3 Name: Uptown Preservation Apartments (Project Completed)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 15,886,104		\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 557,273		\$ -
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	28 37/73		0

**Project 4 Name: Mercy Housing - Wilson Yard (Project Completed)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 65,070,740		\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 3,000,000		\$ -
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	21 49/71		0

**Project 5 Name: Clifton-Magnolia Apts. (Project Completed)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 13,108,000		\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 4,941,526		\$ -
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	2 62/95		0

**Project 6 Name: Hazel Winthrop Apts (Project Completed)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 9,562,400		\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 2,425,000		\$ -
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	3 83/88		0

**Project 7 Name: TIFWorks - Wilson Yard\*\* (Project is Ongoing\*\*\*)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$	-	\$	-
Public Investment Undertaken	\$	74,133	\$	474,133
Ratio of Private/Public Investment		0		0

**Project 8 Name: Sarah's on Sheridan (Project Completed)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$	18,575,500	\$	-
Public Investment Undertaken	\$	3,411,956	\$	-
Ratio of Private/Public Investment		5 4/9		0

**Project 9 Name: Heart of Uptown (Project is Ongoing\*\*\*)**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$	-	\$	41,074,745
Public Investment Undertaken	\$	-	\$	15,000,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment		0		2 31/42

**Project 10 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 11 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 12 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 13 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 14 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 15 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

## Section 5 Notes

**FY 2024**

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Wilson Yard**

### **General Notes**

(a) Each actual or estimated Public Investment reported here is, to the extent possible, comprised only of payments financed by tax increment revenue, and may include interest amounts paid to finance the Public Investment amount. In contrast, each actual or estimated Private Investment reported here is, to the extent possible, comprised of payments financed by revenues that are not tax increment revenues and, therefore, may include private equity, private lender financing, private grants, other public monies, or other local, state or federal grants or loans.

(b) Each amount reported here under Public Investment Undertaken, Total Estimated to Complete Project, is the maximum amount of payments financed by tax increment revenue that could be made pursuant to the corresponding Project's operating documents, but not including interest that may later be payable on developer notes, and may not necessarily reflect actual expenditures, if any, as reported in Section 3 herein. The total public investment amount ultimately made under each Project will depend upon the future occurrence of various conditions, including interest that may be payable on developer notes as set forth in the Project's operating documents.

### **Project/Program-Specific Notes**

\*\* Depending on the particular goals of this type of program, the City may: i) make an advance disbursement of the entire public investment amount to the City's program administrator, ii) disburse the amounts through an escrow account, or iii) pay the funds out piecemeal to the program administrator or to the ultimate grantee as each ultimate grantee's work is approved under the program.

\*\*\* As of the last date of the reporting fiscal year, the construction of this Project was ongoing; the Private Investment Undertaken and Ratio figures for this Project will be reported on the Annual Report for the fiscal year in which the construction of the Project is completed and the total Private Investment figure is available.

SECTIONS 6.2, 6.3, and 6.4 are required by law, if applicable. (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(d))

**Wilson Yard**

<b>Number of Jobs Retained</b>	<b>Number of Jobs Created</b>	<b>Job Description and Type (Temporary or Permanent)</b>	<b>Total Salaries Paid</b>
			\$

Project Name	The number of jobs, if any, projected to be created at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement.*		The number of jobs, if any, created as a result of the development to date, for the reporting period, under the same guidelines and assumptions as was used for the projections used at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement.**	
	Temporary	Permanent	Temporary	Permanent
Heart of Uptown	N/A	3	N/A	TBD

\*\* see footnote on following page

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<sup>^^</sup> see footnote on following page

Project Name	Stated Rate of Return
N/A	N/A

## Section 6 Notes

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**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Wilson Yard**

### General Notes

#### Section 6.2

\* All RDAs shown were entered into during or after FY 2022. "Permanent" jobs are defined as permanent, full-time, or full-time-equivalent jobs that are anticipated to be created or retained at some time during the term of the RDA. "Temporary" jobs are defined as part-time, construction, temporary or seasonal jobs listed as required or aspirational in the RDA that are anticipated to be created during construction of the project. RDAs with no jobs covenant are not shown. An RDA will be removed from this Section once the job covenant ends, or the RDA terminates. TIFWorks and similar job training programs are not shown.

\*\* "Permanent" jobs shown are those that are affirmed by the Developer on the first anniversary date of the completion of the project and throughout the term of the RDA. "Temporary" jobs shown are those that are affirmed by the Developer after project construction is completed.

#### Section 6.3

^ All RDAs shown were entered into during or after FY 2022. The amount of increment increase projected is the cumulative amount that is projected to be created for all PINs in the RDA from the anticipated project stabilization year through the term of the TIF Redevelopment Area. RDAs are removed once the RDA is terminated or expired. RDAs involving tax-exempt properties and those with no increment increase projected by the City over the term of the respective RDA, are not shown.

^^ The amount shown is the increase in cumulative PIN increment collected from the actual project stabilization year through the TIF Redevelopment Area expiration year, to the extent the information is available from tax records.



**SECTION 7** [Information in the following section is not required by law, but may be helpful in evaluating the performance of TIF in Illinois.]

**FY 2024**

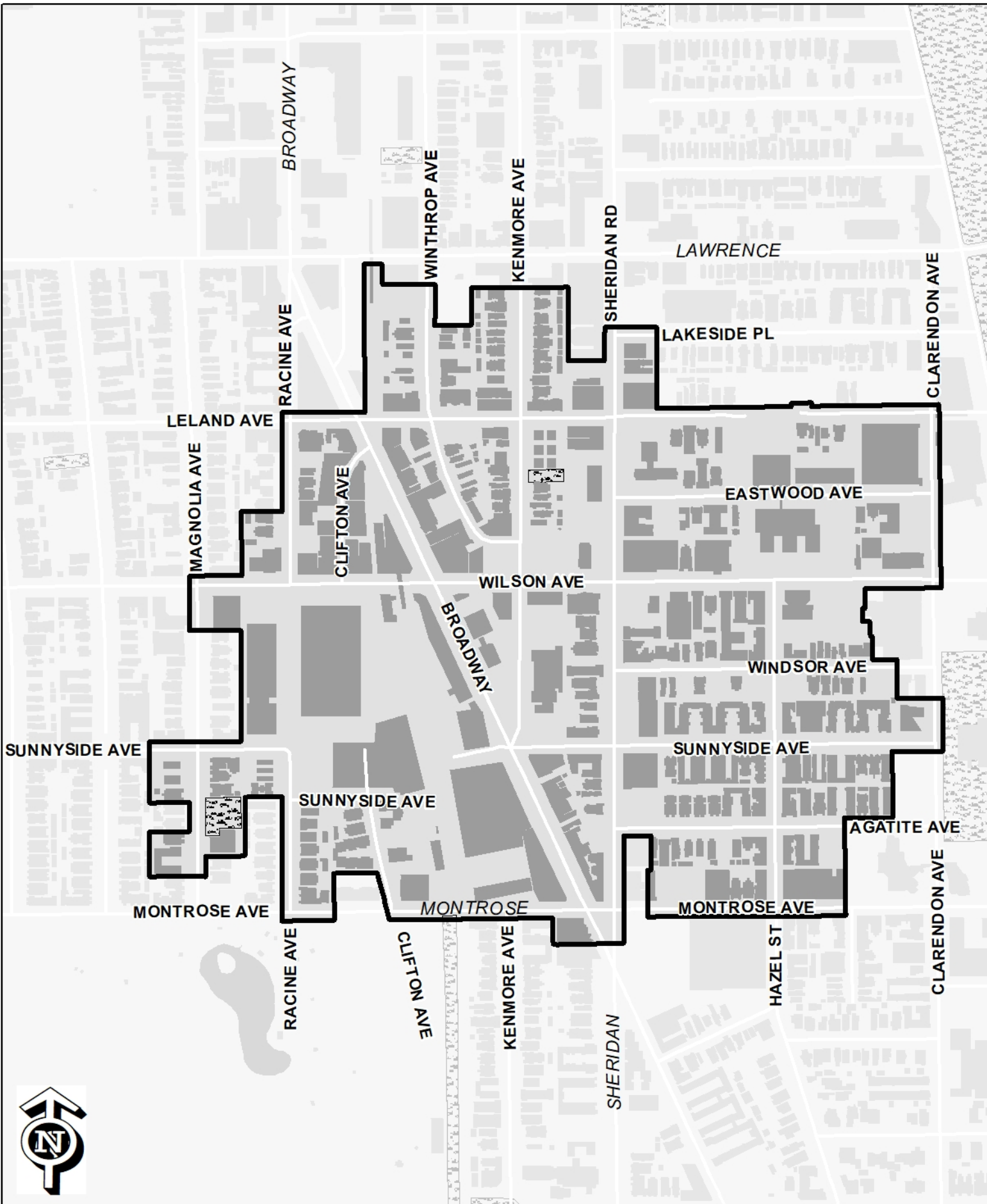
**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

*Wilson Yard*

**Provide a general description of the redevelopment project area using only major boundaries.**

Optional Documents	Enclosed
Legal description of redevelopment project area	
Map of District	X

# Annual Report



**FY 2024**

**Wilson Yard**

<b>Year of Designation</b>	<b>Base EAV</b>	<b>Reporting Fiscal Year EAV</b>

☐ Indicate an 'X' if the overlapping taxing districts did not receive a surplus.

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COUNTY OF COOK        )

CERTIFICATION

TO:

Susana Mendoza  
Comptroller of the State of Illinois  
555 W. Monroe Street, 1400S-A  
Chicago, Illinois 60661  
Attention: Rosanna Barbaro-Flores,  
Director of Local Government

Jolenna Nanalig, AVC Finance & Treasurer  
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I, Brandon Johnson, in connection with the annual report (the "Report") of information required by Section 11-74.4-5(d) of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, 65 ILCS5/11-74.4-1 et seq. (the "Act"), with regard to the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project Area (the "Redevelopment Project Area"), do hereby certify as follows:

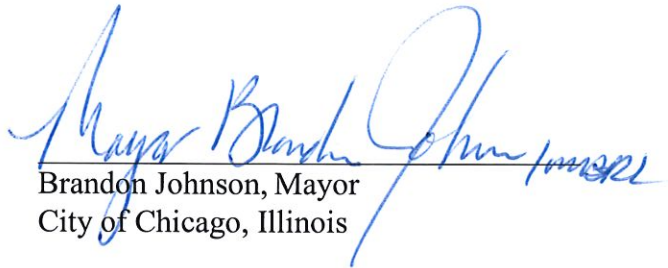
1. I am the duly qualified and acting Mayor of the City of Chicago, Illinois (the "City") and, as such, I am the City's Chief Executive Officer. This Certification is being given by me in such capacity.

2. During the preceding fiscal year of the City, being January 1 through December 31, 2024, the City complied, in all material respects, with the requirements of the Act, as applicable from time to time, regarding the Redevelopment Project Area.

3. In giving this Certification, I have relied on the opinion of the Corporation Counsel of the City furnished in connection with the Report.

4. This Certification may be relied upon only by the addressees hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature as of this June 27, 2025.

  
Brandon Johnson, Mayor  
City of Chicago, Illinois



DEPARTMENT OF LAW  
CITY OF CHICAGO

June 27, 2025

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Re: Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project Area  
(the "Redevelopment Project Area")

Dear Addressees:

I am the Corporation Counsel of the City of Chicago, Illinois (the "City") and, in such capacity, I am the head of the City's Law Department. In such capacity, I am providing the opinion required by Section 11-74.4-5(d)(4) of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-1 et seq. (the "Act"), in connection with the submission of the report (the "Report") in accordance with, and containing the information required by, Section 11-74.4-5(d) of the Act for the Redevelopment Project Area.



Attorneys, past and present, in the Law Department of the City and familiar with the requirements of the Act, have had general involvement in the proceedings affecting the Redevelopment Project Area, including the preparation of ordinances adopted by the City Council of the City with respect to the following matters: approval of the redevelopment plan and project for the Redevelopment Project Area, designation of the Redevelopment Project Area as a redevelopment project area, and adoption of tax increment allocation financing for the Redevelopment Project Area, all in accordance with the then applicable provisions of the Act. Various departments of the City, including, if applicable, the Law Department, Department of Planning and Development, Department of Finance and Office of Budget and Management (collectively, the "City Departments"), have personnel responsible for and familiar with the activities in the Redevelopment Project Area affecting such City Departments and with the requirements of the Act in connection therewith. Such personnel are encouraged to seek and obtain, and do seek and obtain, the legal guidance of the Law Department with respect to issues that may arise from time to time regarding the requirements of, and compliance with, the Act.

In my capacity as Corporation Counsel, I have relied on the factual certification of the Commissioner of the Department of Planning and Development attached hereto as Schedule 1, along with the general knowledge and actions of the appropriately designated and trained staff of the Law Department and other applicable City Departments involved with the activities affecting the Redevelopment Project Area. In addition, I have caused to be examined or reviewed by members of the Law Department of the City the certified audit report, to the extent required to be obtained by Section 11-74.4-5(d)(9) of the Act and submitted as part of the Report, which is required to review compliance with the Act in certain respects, to determine if such audit report contains information that might affect my opinion. I have also caused to be examined or reviewed such other documents and records as were deemed necessary to enable me to render this opinion. Nothing has come to my attention that would result in my need to qualify the opinion hereinafter expressed.

Based on the foregoing, it is my opinion that, in all material respects, the City is in compliance with the provisions and requirements of the Act in effect and then applicable at the time actions were taken from time to time with respect to the Redevelopment Project Area.

This opinion is given in an official capacity and not personally and no personal liability shall derive herefrom. Furthermore, the only opinion that is expressed is the opinion specifically set forth herein, and no opinion is implied or should be inferred as to any other matter. Further, this opinion may be relied upon only by the addressees hereof and the Mayor of the City in providing his required certification in connection with the Report, and not by any other party.

Very truly yours,



Mary Richardson-Lowry  
Corporation Counsel

## **SCHEDULE 1**

**June 27, 2025**

### **CERTIFICATION**

Commissioner  
Department of Planning and Development  
City of Chicago

I, Ciere Boatright, am the Commissioner of the Department of Planning and Development ("DPD") of the City of Chicago, Illinois (the "City") and, in such capacity, I am the head of DPD. I am also the TIF Administrator for the City for purposes of the Report (defined below). In such capacity, I am providing this Certification for the Corporation Counsel of the City to rely upon in connection with the opinion required by either Section 11-74.4-5(d)(4) of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-1 et seq. (the "Act"), or by Section 11-74.6-22(d)(4) of the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law, 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-1 et seq. (the "Law"), as the case may be, in connection with the submission of an annual report for calendar year 2024 (the "Report") containing the information required by Section 11-74.4-5(d) of the Act or Section 11-74.6-22(d) of the Law for each of the Redevelopment Project Areas listed in Section 1 of the Report and hereby incorporated into this Certification (the "Redevelopment Project Areas").

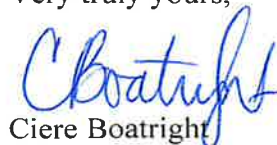
I hereby certify the following to the Corporation Counsel of the City:

1. DPD has overall responsibility for and is familiar with the activities in each of the Redevelopment Project Areas. DPD personnel are familiar with the requirements of the Act and the Law and are encouraged to seek and obtain, and do seek and obtain, the legal guidance of the City's Department of Law with respect to legal issues that may arise from time to time regarding the requirements of, and compliance with, the Act and the Law.
2. DPD personnel have monitored compliance with the requirements of the Act and the Law during the previous fiscal year under my supervision and to my reasonable satisfaction in connection with each of the Redevelopment Project Areas.

Based on the foregoing, I hereby certify to the Corporation Counsel of the City that, in all material respects, DPD has taken the appropriate actions to ensure that the City is in compliance with the provisions and requirements of the Act and the Law in effect and then applicable at the time actions were taken from time to time with respect to each of the Redevelopment Project Areas.

This Certification is given in an official capacity and not personally and no personal liability shall derive herefrom. Further, this Certification may be relied upon only by the Corporation Counsel of the City in providing the required legal opinion in connection with the Report, and not by any other party.

Very truly yours,



Ciere Boatright  
Commissioner  
Department of Planning and Development

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

Wilson Yard

Projects that were implemented during the reporting year are set forth below:

<u>Name of Project</u>
Heart of Uptown

41082217 #4

This agreement was prepared by and  
after recording return to:  
Tenniecia Williams, Esq.  
City of Chicago Department of Law  
121 North LaSalle Street, Room 600  
Chicago, IL 60602

Heart of Uptown Redevelopment Agreement

This Heart of Uptown Redevelopment Agreement (this "Agreement") is made as of December 20, 2024, by and between the City of Chicago, an Illinois municipal corporation (the "City"), through its Department of Planning and Development ("DPD"), Heart of Uptown Apartments LLC, an Illinois limited liability company (the "Owner"), and POAH TIF LLC, an Illinois limited liability company ("POAH", and collectively with the Owner, the "Developer").

RECITALS

A. Constitutional Authority: As a home rule unit of government under Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois (the "State"), the City has the power to regulate for the protection of the public health, safety, morals and welfare of its inhabitants, and pursuant thereto, has the power to encourage private development in order to enhance the local tax base, create employment opportunities and to enter into contractual agreements with private parties in order to achieve these goals.

B. Statutory Authority: The City is authorized under the provisions of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-1 et seq., as amended from time to time (the "Act"), to finance projects that eradicate blighted conditions and conservation area factors through the use of tax increment allocation financing for redevelopment projects.

C. City Council Authority: To induce redevelopment pursuant to the Act, in accordance with the provisions of the Act, the City Council of the City (the "City Council"): (i) approved and adopted a redevelopment plan and project (the "Redevelopment Plan") for the Wilson Yard redevelopment project area (the "Redevelopment Area"); (ii) designated the Redevelopment Area as a "redevelopment project area"; and (iii) adopted tax increment allocation financing for the Redevelopment Area, pursuant to ordinances (item 3, the "TIF Adoption Ordinance" and items (1) – (3) collectively, the "TIF Ordinances") adopted on June 27, 2001 and

subsequently amended on November 18, 2009 and February 10, 2010 and published in the Journal of the Proceedings of the City Council for such date.

D. The Project: Developer owns or intends to purchase certain property located within the Redevelopment Area at 4431-4441 North Clifton, 927 West Wilson, 900-902 West Windsor, 847-849 West Sunnyside, Chicago, Illinois 60640 (all four properties, collectively, the "TIF Area Properties") and 4130 North Kenmore, Chicago, Illinois 60613 (the "Outside of TIF Property") and legally described on Exhibit A (collectively, the "Property"), and, within the time frames set forth in Section 3.01, shall start and complete rehabilitation of all five multi-family residential buildings, containing approximately 112,794 square feet. (the "Facility") thereon. The "Project" means the Facility and related improvements, including but not limited to the TIF-Funded Improvements defined below and set forth on Exhibit B. The completion of the Project would not reasonably be anticipated without the financing contemplated in this Agreement.

E. Redevelopment Plan: Developer will carry out the Project in accordance with this Agreement and the Redevelopment Plan.

F. City Financing: The City agrees to use, in the amounts set forth in Section 4.03, Incremental Taxes (as defined below), to pay for or reimburse Developer for the costs of TIF-Funded Improvements pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained in this Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties to this Agreement agree as follows:

## SECTION 1. RECITALS, HEADINGS AND EXHIBITS

The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated into this Agreement by reference. The paragraph and section headings contained in this Agreement, including without limitation those set forth in the following table of contents, are for convenience only and are not intended to limit, vary, define, or expand the content thereof. Developer agrees to comply with the requirements set forth in the following exhibits which are attached to and made a part of this Agreement. All provisions listed in the Exhibits have the same force and effect as if they had been listed in the body of this Agreement.

Table of Contents	List of Exhibits
1. Recitals, Headings and Exhibits	A *Legal Description of the Property
2. Definitions	B *Project Budgets (Project Budget, MBE/WBE Budget and TIF-Funded Improvements)
3. The Project	C Requisition Form
4. Financing	D Prior Expenditures
5. Conditions Precedent	(An asterisk (*) indicates which exhibits are to be recorded.)
6. Agreements with Contractors	
7. Completion of Construction or Rehabilitation	
8. Covenants/Representations/Warranties of Developer	

9. Covenants/Representations/Warranties of the City 10. Developer's Employment Obligations 11. Environmental Matters 12. Insurance 13. Indemnification 14. Maintaining Records/Right to Inspect 15. Defaults and Remedies 16. Mortgaging of the Project 17. Notice 18. Miscellaneous	
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## SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS

For purposes of this Agreement, in addition to the terms defined in the foregoing recitals, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below, and unless otherwise specified, references to Recitals, Sections, Articles and Exhibits are references to Recitals, Sections, Articles and Exhibits of this Agreement:

"Act" is defined in the Recitals.

"Affiliate" means any person or entity directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by or under common control with Developer.

"Annual Compliance Report" means a signed report from Developer to the City (a) itemizing each of Developer's obligations under this Agreement during the preceding calendar year, (b) certifying Developer's compliance or noncompliance with such obligations, (c) attaching evidence (whether or not previously submitted to the City) of such compliance or noncompliance and (d) certifying that Developer is not in default with respect to any provision of this Agreement, the agreements evidencing the Lender Financing, if any, or any related agreements; provided, that the obligations to be covered by the Annual Compliance Report shall include the following: (1) compliance with the Jobs Covenant; Operating Covenant (Section 8.06); (2) delivery of Financial Statements and unaudited financial statements (Section 8.13); (3) delivery of updated insurance certificates, if applicable (Section 8.14); (4) delivery of evidence of payment of Non-Governmental Charges, if applicable (Section 8.15); (5) delivery of evidence of compliance with the Sustainable Development Policy (Section 8.22); (6) compliance with the Affordable Housing Covenant (Section 8.26); and (7) compliance with all other executory provisions of this Agreement.

"Available Project Funds" means: (i) the undisbursed City Funds; (ii) the undisbursed Lender Financing, if any; (iii) the undisbursed Equity and (iv) any other amounts deposited by Developer pursuant to this Agreement.

"Certificate" means the Certificate of Completion of Construction or Rehabilitation described in Section 7.01.

"City Contract" is defined in Section 8.01(l).



"City Council" is defined in the Recitals.

"City Funds" is defined in Section 4.03(b).

"Closing Date" means the date of execution and delivery of this Agreement by all parties to this Agreement, which shall be deemed to be the date appearing in the first paragraph of this Agreement.

"Contaminant" means any of those materials set forth in 415 ILCS 5/3.165, as amended from time to time, that are subject to regulation under any Environmental Law.

"Contract" is defined in Section 10.03.

"Contractor" is defined in Section 10.03.

"Construction Contract" means the construction contract to be entered into between Developer and the General Contractor providing for construction of the Project.

"Construction Lender" means Fifth Third Bank, National Association, a national banking association.

"Construction Lender Mortgage" means that certain Mortgage, Security Agreement, Fixture Filing and Assignment of Leases and Rents executed by the Owner in favor of the Construction Lender to encumber the Project relating to a not to exceed \$22,000,000 construction loan from Construction Lender to Owner.

"Corporation Counsel" means the City's Department of Law.

"CSIR/ROR" shall mean the Comprehensive Site Investigation Report and Remediation Objectives Report required by the IEPA in order to receive a Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter.

"Davis-Bacon Act" means the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. Section 3141 et seq.).

"EDS" means the City's Economic Disclosure Statement and Affidavit, on the City's then-current form, whether submitted in paper or via the City's online submission process.

"Employer(s)" is defined in Section 10.

"Environmental Laws" means any Federal, state, or local law, statute, ordinance, code, rule, permit, plan, regulation, license, authorization, order, or injunction which pertains to health, safety, any Hazardous Substance or Other Regulated Material, or the environment (including, but not limited to, ground, air, water or noise pollution or contamination, and underground or above-ground tanks) and shall include, without limitation, the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act, 42 U.S.C. § 11001 et seq.; the Toxic Substances Control Act, 15 U.S.C. § 2601 et seq.; the Hazardous Material Transportation Act, 49 U.S.C. § 1801 et seq.; the Resource

Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. § 6901 *et seq.*, as amended by the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984; the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. § 9601 *et seq.* ("CERCLA"), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 ("SARA"); the Occupational Safety and Health Act, 29 U.S.C. § 651 *et seq.*; the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 *et seq.*; the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 *et seq.*; the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/1 *et seq.*; the Gasoline Storage Act, 430 ILCS 15/0.01 *et seq.*; the Sewage and Waste Control Ordinance of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago ("MWRD"); the Municipal Code of the City of Chicago; and any other local, state, or federal environmental statutes, and all rules, regulations, orders, and decrees now or hereafter promulgated under any of the foregoing, as any of the foregoing now exist or may be changed or amended or come into effect in the future.

"Equity" means Developer's funds (other than funds derived from Lender Financing) irrevocably available for the Project, in the amount set forth in Section 4.01, which amount may be increased pursuant to Section 4.06 (Cost Overruns) or Section 4.03(b).

"Escrow" means the construction escrow established pursuant to the Escrow Agreement.

"Escrow Agreement" means the Escrow Agreement establishing a construction escrow, to be entered into as of the date of this Agreement by the City, if applicable, the Title Company (or an affiliate of the Title Company), Developer and Developer's lender(s), in a form acceptable to the City.

"Event of Default" is defined in Section 15.

"Facility" is defined in the Recitals.

"Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter" shall mean a final comprehensive residential "No Further Remediation" letter issued by the IEPA approving the use of the Property for the construction, development and operation of the Project in accordance with the site plan approved by the City and the terms and conditions of the SRP Documents, as amended or supplemented from time to time. The Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter shall state that the Property meets remediation objectives for residential properties and the construction worker exposure route as set forth in 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 742, but may be reasonably conditioned upon use and maintenance of engineered barriers and other institutional or engineering controls acceptable to the IEPA.

"Financial Interest" is defined in Section 2-156-010 of the Municipal Code.

"Financial Statements" means complete audited financial statements of Developer prepared by a certified public accountant in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and practices consistently applied throughout the appropriate periods.

"Full-Time Equivalent Employee" or "FTE" shall mean an employee of Developer or an Affiliate (or, with respect to job shares or similar work arrangements, two such employees counted collectively as a single FTE) who is employed in a permanent position at least 35 hours per week

at the Project during the applicable year, excluding (a) persons engaged as or employed by independent contractors, third party service providers or consultants and (b) persons employed or engaged by Developer or by third parties in positions ancillary to Developer's operations at the Project including, without limitation, food service workers, security guards, cleaning personnel, or similar positions.

"General Contractor" means the general contractor(s) hired by Developer.

"Hazardous Building Material Survey" shall include (but is not limited to) asbestos and lead-based paint survey, visually inspecting the Site to determine the presence and location of polychlorinated-biphenyl (PCB)-containing equipment and materials (such as lighting ballasts, switchgears, transformers, and hydraulic fluids), mercury-containing equipment and materials (mercury lamps, thermostats, switches, thermometers, regulators, and gauges), radioactive material-containing equipment and/or waste, medical wastes (such as biological or infectious wastes, hazardous chemicals, and/or wastes), refrigerants such as chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs), large appliances or equipment, mold, or any other materials that may require special handling or disposal during or after demolition.

"Hazardous Materials" means any toxic substance, hazardous substance, hazardous material, hazardous chemical or hazardous, toxic or dangerous waste defined or qualifying as such in (or for the purposes of) any Environmental Laws, or any pollutant, toxic vapor, or contaminant, and shall include, but not be limited to, petroleum (including crude oil or any fraction thereof), any radioactive material or by-product material, polychlorinated biphenyls and asbestos in any form or condition.

"Hazardous Substance" has the meaning set forth in 415 ILCS 5/3.215, as amended from time to time.

"Human Rights Ordinance" is defined in Section 10.

"IEPA" shall mean the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

"In Balance" is defined in Section 4.07.

"Incremental Taxes" shall mean such ad valorem taxes which, pursuant to the TIF Adoption Ordinance and Section 5/11-74.4-8(b) of the Act, are allocated to and when collected are paid to the Treasurer of the City of Chicago for deposit by the Treasurer into the TIF Fund established to pay Redevelopment Project Costs and obligations incurred in the payment thereof, as adjusted to reflect the amount of the TIF District Administration Fee.

"Indemnatee" and "Indemnitees" are defined in Section 13.01.

"Investor" means, collectively, BF Heart of Uptown, LLC, its successors and assigns, in its capacity as investor member of Owner, and BFIM Special Limited Partner, Inc., its successors and assigns, in its capacity as special member of Owner.

"Lender Financing" means funds borrowed by Developer from lenders (including IHDA, Construction Lender and Permanent Lender) and irrevocably available to pay for costs of the Project, in the amount set forth in Section 4.01.

"Letter of Credit" shall mean an irrevocable, direct pay letter of credit naming the City as the sole beneficiary in the amount of \$1,500,000, delivered to the City pursuant to Section 4.03(c) hereof, and, unless the context or use indicates another or different meaning or intent, any substitute letter of credit delivered to the City, in form and substance satisfactory to the City in its sole and absolute discretion, and any extensions thereof. The City shall approve the form of Letter of Credit prior to the Closing Date.

"Losses" means any and all debts, liens, claims, causes of action, demands, complaints, legal or administrative proceedings, losses, damages, obligations, liabilities, judgments, amounts paid in settlement, arbitration or mediation awards, interest, fines, penalties, costs, expenses and disbursements of any kind or nature whatsoever (including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, consultants' fees and expenses and court costs), and shall include without limitation (a) the cost of any investigation, removal, remedial or other response action that is required by any Environmental Law, that is required by judicial order or by order of or agreement with any governmental authority, or that is necessary or otherwise is reasonable under the circumstances, and (b) costs imposed under any Environmental Law enacted after Closing.

"MBE(s)" means a business identified in the Directory of Certified Minority Business Enterprises published by the City's Department of Procurement Services, or otherwise certified by the City's Department of Procurement Services as a minority-owned business enterprise, related to the Procurement Program or the Construction Program, as applicable.

"MBE/WBE Budget" means the MBE/WBE Budget attached as Exhibit B, as described in Section 10.03.

"MBE/WBE Program" is defined in Section 10.03.

"Municipal Code" means the Municipal Code of the City of Chicago, as amended from time to time.

"New Mortgage" is defined in Article 16.

"Non-Governmental Charges" means all non-governmental charges, liens, claims, or encumbrances relating to Developer, the Property, or the Project.

"Other Regulated Material" means any Waste, Contaminant, or any other material, not otherwise specifically listed or designated as a Hazardous Substance, that (a) is or contains: petroleum, including crude oil or any fraction thereof, motor fuel, jet fuel, natural gas, natural gas liquids, liquefied natural gas, or synthetic gas usable for fuel or mixtures of natural gas and such synthetic gas, asbestos, radon, any polychlorinated biphenyl, urea, formaldehyde foam insulation, explosive or radioactive material, materials known to contain per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, i.e. PFAS, or (b) is a hazard to the environment or to the health or safety of persons.

"Permanent Lender" means Zions Bancorporation, National Association, and its successors and assigns, as trustee under that certain Indenture of Trust by and between Illinois Housing Development Authority and Permanent Lender, relating to \$28,300,000 Illinois Housing Development Authority Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds (Heart of Uptown Apartments), Series 2024, as amended from time to time.

"Permanent Lender Mortgage" shall mean that certain Mortgage, Assignment of Rents and Leases, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing to be executed by the Owner in favor of the Illinois Housing Development Authority and assigned to Permanent Lender to encumber the Project delivered on the "Conversion Date" described in that certain Indenture of Trust by and between Illinois Housing Development Authority and Permanent Lender, relating to \$28,300,000 Illinois Housing Development Authority Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds (Heart of Uptown Apartments), Series 2024.

"Permitted Liens" means (i) mortgages against the Property and/or the Project recorded on or before the date of this Agreement, or otherwise approved by the City, and securing the Lender Financing, including but not limited to the Construction Lender Mortgage, (ii) upon construction completion and conversion, the Permanent Lender Mortgage, (iii) leases of portions of the Property entered into after the date hereof in Developer's ordinary course of business, if any, and (iv) those matters set forth as Schedule B title exceptions in the Title Policy, but only so long as applicable title endorsements issued in conjunction therewith on the date hereof, if any, continue to remain in full force and effect.

"Permitted Mortgage" is defined in Article 16.

"Phase I ESA" shall mean a Phase I environmental site assessment of the Property in accordance with ASTM E-1527-21 (as most recently updated at the time of assessment).

"Phase II ESA" shall mean a Phase II environmental site assessment of the Property in accordance with ASTM E-1903-19 (as most recently updated at the time of assessment).

"Plans and Specifications" means construction documents containing a site plan and working drawings and specifications for the Project, as submitted to the City as the basis for obtaining building permits for the Project.

"Prior Expenditures" is defined in Section 4.05(a).

"Project" is defined in the Recitals.

"Project Budget" means the Project Budget attached as Exhibit B, showing the total cost of the Project by line item, furnished by Developer to DPD, in accordance with Section 3.03.

"Property" is defined in the Recitals.

"RACR" shall mean the Remedial Action Completion Report required by the IEPA in order to receive a Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter.

"RAP" shall mean the Remedial Action Plan document required by the IEPA in order to receive a Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter.

"RAP Approval Letter" shall mean written approval from the IEPA of a RAP.

"Redevelopment Area" is defined in the Recitals.

"Redevelopment Plan" is defined in the Recitals.

"Redevelopment Project Costs" means redevelopment project costs as defined in Section 5/11-74.4-3(q) of the Act that are included in the budget set forth in the Redevelopment Plan or otherwise referenced in the Redevelopment Plan.

"Remediation Work" means all investigation, sampling, monitoring, testing, reporting, removal, response, disposal, storage, remediation, treatment and other activities necessary to obtain a Final Comprehensive Residential NFR Letter for the Property in accordance with the terms and conditions of the RAP Approval Letter for the Property issued by the IEPA, the SRP Documents (as defined below), all requirements of the IEPA, and all applicable laws, including, without limitation, all applicable Environmental Laws.

"Requisition Form" means the document, in the form to be provided by the City, to be delivered by Developer to DPD pursuant to Section 4.04 of this Agreement.

"Scope Drawings" means preliminary construction documents containing a site plan and preliminary drawings and specifications for the Project.

"SRP" shall mean the Illinois Site Remediation Program codified at 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 740 et seq.

"SRP Documents" means all documents submitted to the IEPA under the SRP, as amended or supplemented from time to time, including, without limitation, the CSIR/ROR, the RAP, and the RACR and any and all related correspondence, data and other information prepared by either party pursuant to Section 11.

"Survey" means a plat of survey in the most recently revised form of ALTA/NSPS land title survey of the Property, meeting the 2021 Minimum Standard Detail Requirements for ALTA/NSPS Land Title Surveys, effective February 23, 2021, dated within 75 days before the Closing Date, acceptable in form and content to the City and the Title Company, prepared by a surveyor registered in the State of Illinois, certified to the City and the Title Company, and indicating whether the Property is in a flood hazard area as identified by the United States Federal Emergency Management Agency (and updates thereof to reflect improvements to the Property in connection with the construction of the Facility and related improvements as required by the City or lender(s) providing Lender Financing).

"TACO" shall mean the Tiered Approach to Corrective Action Objectives codified at 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 742 et seq.

"Sustainable Development Policy" shall mean the Sustainable Development Policy of the City as in effect on the Closing Date.

"Term of the Agreement" means the period of time starting on the Closing Date and ending on the date that is thirty (30) years following the date of issuance of the Certificate.

"TIF Adoption Ordinance" is defined in the Recitals.

"TIF District Administration Fee" means the fee described in Section 4.05(b).

"TIF Expiration Date" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 3.01 hereof.

"TIF Fund" means the special tax allocation fund created by the City in connection with the Redevelopment Area into which the Incremental Taxes will be deposited.

"TIF-Funded Improvements" means those improvements of the Project (not including the Outside of TIF Property) which (i) qualify as Redevelopment Project Costs, (ii) are eligible costs under the Redevelopment Plan and (iii) the City has agreed to pay for out of the City Funds, subject to the terms of this Agreement. Exhibit B lists the TIF-Funded Improvements for the Project.

"TIF Ordinances" is defined in the Recitals.

"Title Company" means Greater Illinois Title Company.

"Title Policy" means a title insurance policy in the most recently revised ALTA or equivalent form, showing Owner as the insured, noting the recording of this Agreement as an encumbrance against the Property, and a subordination agreement in a form acceptable to the City in favor of the City with respect to previously recorded liens against the Property related to Lender Financing, if any, issued by the Title Company.

"WARN Act" means the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (29 U.S.C. Section 2101 et seq.).

"Waste" means those materials defined in the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/1 et seq. as waste and identified subcategories thereof, including but not limited to, construction or demolition debris, garbage, household waste, industrial process waste, landfill waste, landscape waste, municipal waste, pollution control waste, potentially infectious medical waste, refuse, or special waste.

"WBE(s)" means a business identified in the Directory of Certified Women Business Enterprises published by the City's Department of Procurement Services, or otherwise certified by the City's Department of Procurement Services as a women-owned business enterprise, related to the Procurement Program or the Construction Program, as applicable.

### SECTION 3. THE PROJECT

3.01 The Project. With respect to the Facility, Developer shall, pursuant to the Plans and Specifications and subject to the provisions of Section 18.17 hereof, endeavor to complete rehabilitation of all TIF-Funded Improvements no later than December 31, 2025. Developer acknowledges that the TIF Area expires on December 31, 2025 (the "TIF Expiration Date"). Developer further acknowledges and agrees that, unless the TIF Expiration Date is extended, no TIF-Funded Improvements that are incurred by Developer after the TIF Expiration Date will be reimbursed with City Funds. **If TIF-Funded improvements incurred by Developer by the TIF Expiration Date do not equal or exceed \$15,000,000, the total amount of City Funds payable to Developer (which payments may occur after the TIF Expiration Date, in 2026) shall be reduced accordingly and Developer shall forfeit any claim on that reduction.**

3.02 Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications. Developer shall submit to DPD and/or the City's Department of Housing ("DOH") the Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications, and each respective department reserves the right to review and approve these documents. The Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications shall always conform to the Redevelopment Plan and all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances and regulations. Developer shall submit all necessary documents to the City's Building Department, Department of Transportation and such other City departments or governmental authorities as may be necessary to acquire building permits and other required approvals for the Project.

3.03 Project Budget. Developer has furnished to DPD, and DPD has approved, a Project Budget showing total costs for the Project in an amount not less than \$56,074,745. Developer hereby certifies to the City that (a) the City Funds, together with Lender Financing and Equity described in Section 4.01, shall be sufficient to complete the Project; and (b) the Project Budget is true, correct, and complete in all material respects.

3.04 [intentionally omitted]

3.05 DPD Approval. Any approval granted by DPD of the Scope Drawings, Plans and Specifications is for the purposes of this Agreement only and does not affect or constitute any approval required by any other City department or pursuant to any City ordinance, code, regulation or any other governmental approval, nor does any approval by DPD pursuant to this Agreement constitute approval of the quality, structural soundness or safety of the Property or the Project.

3.06 Other Approvals. Any DPD approval under this Agreement shall have no effect upon, nor shall it operate as a waiver of, Developer's obligations to comply with the provisions of Section 5.03 (Other Governmental Approvals). Developer shall not start construction of the Project until Developer has obtained all necessary permits and approvals (including but not limited to DPD's approval of the Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications) and proof of the General Contractor's and each subcontractor's bonding as required under this Agreement.

3.07 Progress Reports. If requested by DPD, Developer shall provide DPD with written progress reports detailing the status of the Project, including a revised completion date, if



necessary. Written progress reports must be submitted to DPD electronically to the website and/or email specified by the City.

3.08 [intentionally omitted]

3.09 Barricades. Before starting any construction requiring barricades, Developer shall install a construction barricade of a type and appearance satisfactory to the City and constructed in compliance with all applicable federal, state or City laws, ordinances, and regulations. DPD retains the right to approve the maintenance, appearance, color scheme, painting, nature, type, content, and design of all barricades.

3.10 Signs and Public Relations. Developer shall erect a sign of size and style approved by the City in a conspicuous location on the Property during the Project, indicating that financing has been provided by the City. The City reserves the right to include the name, photograph, artistic rendering of the Project and other pertinent information regarding Developer, the Property and the Project in the City's promotional literature and communications.

3.11 Utility Connections. Developer may connect all on-site water, sanitary, storm and sewer lines constructed on the Property to City utility lines existing on or near the perimeter of the Property, provided Developer first complies with all City requirements governing such connections, including the payment of customary fees and costs related to such connections.

3.12 Permit Fees. In connection with the Project, Developer shall be obligated to pay only those building, permit, engineering, tap on and inspection fees that are assessed on a uniform basis throughout the City of Chicago and are of general applicability to other property within the City of Chicago.

## SECTION 4. FINANCING

4.01 Total Project Cost and Sources of Funds. The estimated total cost of the Project is shown below, to be applied in the manner set forth in the Project Budget. Such costs shall be funded from the following sources:

Equity (subject to <u>Sections 4.03(b) and 4.06</u> )	\$21,211,615
Lender Financing	\$17,861,955
(including from Construction Lender and Permanent Lender)	
Bond Reinvestment Income	\$2,001,175
City Funds (subject to <u>Section 4.03</u> )	\$15,000,000
Estimated Total	\$56,074,745

The payment of City Funds, including the timing of payment, is subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including but not limited to Section 4.03 and Section 5.

4.02 Developer Funds. Equity and/or Lender Financing shall be used to pay all Project costs, including but not limited to Redevelopment Project costs and costs of TIF-Funded Improvements.

#### 4.03 City Funds.

(a) Uses of City Funds. City Funds may only be used to pay directly or reimburse Developer for costs of TIF-Funded Improvements that constitute Redevelopment Project Costs. Exhibit B sets forth, by line item, the TIF-Funded Improvements for the Project, and the maximum amount of costs that may be paid by or reimbursed from City Funds for each line item in Exhibit B (subject to Sections 4.03(b) and 4.05(b)), contingent upon the City receiving documentation satisfactory in form and substance to DPD evidencing such cost and its eligibility as a Redevelopment Project Cost. Improvements to the Outside of TIF Property do not qualify as TIF-Funded Improvements.

(b) Sources of City Funds. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including but not limited to this Section 4.03 and Section 5, the City hereby agrees to provide City funds from the sources and in the amounts described directly below (the "City Funds") to pay for or reimburse Developer for the costs of the TIF-Funded Improvements:

<u>Source of City Funds</u>	<u>Maximum Amount</u>
Incremental Taxes	\$15,000,000

provided, however, that the total amount of City Funds expended for TIF-Funded Improvements shall be an amount not to exceed the lesser of \$15,000,000 or 26.8% of the actual total Project costs, with such maximum amount subject to the TIF District Administration Fee; and provided further, that the City Funds to be derived from Incremental Taxes shall be available to pay costs related to TIF-Funded Improvements and allocated by the City for that purpose only so long as:

(i) The amount of the Incremental Taxes deposited into the TIF Fund shall be sufficient to pay for such costs; and

(ii) The City has been reimbursed from Incremental Taxes for the amount previously disbursed by the City for TIF-Funded Improvements.

Developer acknowledges and agrees that the City's obligation to pay for TIF-Funded Improvements up to a maximum of \$15,000,000 is contingent upon the fulfillment of the conditions set forth in parts (i) and (ii) above. If such conditions are not fulfilled, the amount of Equity and/or Lender Financing to be contributed and/or obtained by Developer pursuant to Section 4.01 shall increase proportionately.

The City and Developer acknowledge that some portion of the City Funds will be applied by Developer to the partial re-payment of the Lender Financing provided by the Construction Lender, provided that the use of that Lender Financing was for TIF-Funded Improvements. The City and Developer also acknowledge that the City Funds may be used to collateralize the tax-exempt bond loan provided by the Illinois Housing Development Authority ("IHDA") in the amount of \$27,650,000 (the "Bond Loan"), provided that the use of that Bond Loan was for TIF-Funded Improvements.

(c) Disbursement of City Funds. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including but not limited to this Section 4.03, the City shall disburse the City Funds in not to exceed four payments as follows:

(i) \$4,500,000 upon the completion of 30% of the construction of the Project as certified to the City in a Requisition Form with required supporting documentation;

(ii) \$4,500,000 upon the completion of 60% of the construction of the Project as certified to the City in a Requisition Form with required supporting documentation;

(iii) \$4,500,000 upon the completion of 90% of the construction of the Project as certified to the City in a Requisition Form with required supporting documentation; and

(iv) \$1,500,000 upon substantial completion of the construction of the Project as certified to the City in a Requisition Form with required supporting documentation.

4.04 Requisition Form. On achieving each construction milestone set forth above, the Developer shall provide DPD with a Requisition Form for reimbursement of TIF-Funded Improvements, along with the documentation described in the Requisition Form. Developer will file all of the first three Requisition Forms not later than November 15, 2025. Developer will file the fourth Requisition Form not later than December 1, 2025.

Not later than the date of filing of the third Requisition Form, the Developer shall provide DPD with the Letter of Credit.

DPD shall endeavor to disburse the City Funds requisitioned no later than (i) for the first three requisitions, the Developer's next construction draw in accordance with the Escrow Agreement, and (ii) for the fourth requisition, January 31, 2026.

As set forth in more detail in Section 7.01 hereof, Developer must obtain the Certificate of Completion not later than September 30, 2026.

On each December 1<sup>st</sup> (or such other date as the parties may agree), beginning after the Certificate is issued and continuing throughout the Term of the Agreement, Developer shall meet with DPD at the request of DPD to discuss any Requisition Form previously delivered.

#### 4.05 Treatment of Prior Expenditures and Subsequent Disbursements.

(a) Effect of Prior Expenditures on Equity or Lender Financing demonstrated before the Closing Date. If Developer incurs and pays Project expenses before the Closing Date and wants these expenses to reduce the amount of Equity or Lender Financing Developer is required to demonstrate before the Closing Date, then Developer shall provide documentation of these expenses satisfactory to DPD. Any such expenses reviewed and approved in writing by DPD, in its sole discretion, shall be referred to as "Prior Expenditures". Prior Expenditures made for TIF-Funded Improvements may be reimbursed to Developer under the terms of this Agreement. Prior Expenditures made for items other than TIF-Funded Improvements shall not be reimbursed to Developer but shall reduce the amount of Equity and/or Lender Financing Developer is required

to contribute or obtain under Section 4.01. Prior Expenditures, if applicable, shall be listed on Exhibit D.

(b) TIF District Administration Fee. Annually, the City may allocate an amount (the "TIF District Administration Fee") not to exceed five percent (5%) of the Incremental Taxes to pay costs the City incurred to administer and monitor the Redevelopment Area, including the Project. Such fee shall be in addition to and shall not be deducted from or considered a part of the City Funds, and the City shall have the right to receive such funds before any City Funds are paid under this Agreement.

(c) Allocation Among Line Items. Disbursements for expenditures related to TIF-Funded Improvements may be allocated to and charged against the appropriate line only, with transfers of costs and expenses from one line item to another, without the prior written consent of DPD, being prohibited; provided, however, that such transfers among line items, in an amount not to exceed \$25,000 per line item or \$100,000 in the aggregate, may be made without the prior written consent of DPD.

4.06 Cost Overruns. If the aggregate cost of the TIF-Funded Improvements exceeds City Funds available pursuant to Section 4.03, or if the cost of completing the Project exceeds the Project Budget, Developer shall be solely responsible for such excess cost, and shall hold the City harmless from any and all costs and expenses of completing the TIF-Funded Improvements in excess of City Funds and of completing the Project.

4.07 Preconditions of Disbursement. Before each disbursement of City Funds, Developer shall submit documentation regarding the applicable expenditures to DPD, which shall be satisfactory to DPD in its sole discretion. Developer's delivery of any request for disbursement of City Funds shall, in addition to the items expressly set forth in such request, constitute Developer's certification to the City, as of the date of such request for disbursement, that:

(a) the total amount of the disbursement request represents the actual cost of the acquisition of the Property or the actual amount payable to (or paid to) the General Contractor and/or subcontractors who have performed work on the Project, and/or their payees;

(b) all amounts shown as previous payments on the current disbursement request have been paid to the parties entitled to such payment;

(c) Developer has approved all work and materials for the current disbursement request and such work and materials conform to the Plans and Specifications;

(d) the representations and warranties contained in this Agreement are true and correct and Developer is in compliance with all covenants contained in this Agreement;

(e) Developer has received no notice and has no knowledge of any liens or claim of lien either filed or threatened in writing against the Property except for the Permitted Liens, or such liens have been bonded over by the Owner or insured by the Title Company;

(f) no Event of Default or condition or event which, with the giving of notice or passage of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default exists or has occurred and remains uncured; and

(g) the Project is In Balance. The Project shall be deemed to be in balance ("In Balance") only if the total of the Available Project Funds equals or exceeds the aggregate of the amount necessary to pay all unpaid Project costs incurred or to be incurred in the completion of the Project. Developer hereby agrees that, if the Project is not In Balance, Developer shall, within 10 days after a written request by the City, defer the developer fee or other amounts due the Developer, or deposit with the escrow agent or will make available (in a manner acceptable to the City), cash in an amount that will place the Project In Balance, which deposit shall first be exhausted before any further disbursement of the City Funds shall be made.

The City shall have the right, in its discretion, to require Developer to submit further documentation as the City may require in order to verify that the matters certified to above are true and correct, and any disbursement by the City shall be subject to the City's review and approval of such documentation and its satisfaction that such certifications are true and correct; provided, however, that nothing in this sentence shall be deemed to prevent the City from relying on such certifications by Developer. In addition, Developer shall have satisfied all other preconditions of disbursement of City Funds for each disbursement, including but not limited to requirements set forth in the TIF Ordinances, this Agreement and/or the Escrow Agreement.

4.08 Conditional Grant. The City Funds are being granted on a conditional basis, subject to Developer's compliance with the provisions of this Agreement, and are subject to being reimbursed as provided in Section 15.02.

## SECTION 5. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

Developer has complied with the following conditions to the City's satisfaction on or before the Closing Date:

5.01 Project Budget. Developer has submitted to DPD, and DPD has approved, a Project Budget in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.03.

5.02 Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications. Developer has submitted to DPD, and DPD has approved, the Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.02.

5.03 Other Governmental Approvals. Developer has secured all other necessary approvals and permits required by any state, federal, or local statute, ordinance or regulation and has submitted evidence thereof to DPD.

5.04 Financing. Developer has furnished proof reasonably acceptable to the City that Developer has Equity and Lender Financing in the amounts set forth in Section 4.01 to complete the Project and satisfy its obligations under this Agreement. If such funds include Lender Financing, Developer has furnished proof as of the Closing Date that the proceeds of the Lender

Financing (a) are available for Developer to draw upon as needed and (b) are sufficient, along with the Equity and/or other sources set forth in Section 4.01, to complete the Project. If the City is not a party to the Escrow Agreement, then Developer has delivered to DPD a copy of the Escrow Agreement. Any liens against the Property existing at the Closing Date, other than the Permitted Liens, have been subordinated to certain encumbrances of the City set forth in this Agreement pursuant to a subordination agreement, in a form acceptable to the City, executed on or before the Closing Date, which is to be recorded, at Developer's expense, with the Cook County Clerk's Office. The City agrees that the Owner may collaterally (but not fully) assign its interests in this Agreement to any of its lenders whose loan proceeds are paying for TIF-Funded Improvements if any such lenders require such a collateral assignment.

**5.05 Acquisition and Title.** On the Closing Date, Developer has furnished the City with a copy of the Title Policy for the Property, certified by the Title Company, showing Owner as the named insured. The Title Policy is dated as of the Closing Date and contains only those title exceptions that are Permitted Liens and evidences the recording of this Agreement pursuant to the provisions of Section 8.18. The Title Policy also contains such endorsements as shall be required by Corporation Counsel, including but not limited to an owner's comprehensive endorsement and satisfactory endorsements regarding zoning (3.1 with parking), contiguity, location, access, and survey. Developer has provided to DPD, on or before the Closing Date, documentation related to the purchase of the Property and certified copies of all easements and encumbrances of record with respect to the Property not addressed, to DPD's satisfaction, by the Title Policy and any endorsements to the Title Policy.

**5.06 Evidence of Clean Title.** Owner, at its own expense, has provided the City with searches as indicated in the chart below under Owner's name and Owner's trade names showing no liens against Owner, the Property or any fixtures now or hereafter affixed to the Property, except for the Permitted Liens:

<b>Jurisdiction</b>	<b>Searches</b>
Secretary of State	UCC, Federal tax
Cook County Clerk's Office	UCC, Fixtures, Federal tax, State tax, Memoranda of judgments
U.S. District Court, Northern District - Illinois	Pending suits and judgments
Clerk of Circuit Court, Cook County	Pending suits and judgments

**5.07 Surveys.** Developer has furnished the City with a copy of the Survey.

**5.08 Insurance.** Owner, at its own expense, has insured the Property in accordance with Section 12, and has delivered certificates required pursuant to Section 12 evidencing the required coverages to DPD.

**5.09 Opinion of Developer's Counsel.** On the Closing Date, Developer has furnished the City with an opinion of counsel in form and substance acceptable to Corporation Counsel. If Developer has engaged special counsel in connection with the Project, and such special counsel

is unwilling or unable to give some of the opinions required by the Corporation Counsel, such opinions must be obtained by Developer from its general corporate counsel or such other counsel acceptable to the Corporation Counsel.

5.10 Evidence of Prior Expenditures. Developer has provided evidence satisfactory to DPD in its sole discretion of the Prior Expenditures, if any, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4.05(a).

5.11 Financial Statements. Developer has provided Financial Statements to DPD for its most recent fiscal year and audited or unaudited interim financial statements.

5.12 [intentionally omitted].

5.13 Environmental. Developer has provided DPD with copies of those certain Phase I Environmental Site Assessments completed with respect to the Property and any Phase II Environmental Site Assessments with respect to the Property required by the City. Developer has provided the Department of Fleet and Facility Management ("2FM") with copies of additional lead-based paint risk assessments and asbestos building inspection reports as part of the environmental compliance certification performed by 2FM as the Responsible Entity under 24 CFR § 58 for federal grant recipients of United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") funding for the Project. Developer has provided the City with a letter from the environmental engineer(s) who completed such assessments(s), authorizing the City to rely on such assessments.

5.14 Corporate Documents; Economic Disclosure Statement. Developer has provided a copy of its articles or certificate of incorporation or organization containing the original certification of the Secretary of State; certificates of good standing from the Secretary of State of its state of incorporation or organization and all other states in which Developer is qualified to do business; a secretary's certificate in such form and substance as the Corporation Counsel may require; bylaws or operating agreement; and such other organizational documentation as the City has requested.

Developer has provided to the City an EDS, dated as of the Closing Date, which is incorporated by reference, and Developer further will provide any other affidavits or certifications as may be required by federal, state, or local law in the award of public contracts, all of which affidavits or certifications are incorporated by reference. Notwithstanding acceptance by the City of the EDS, failure of the EDS to include all information required under the Municipal Code renders this Agreement voidable at the option of the City. Developer and any other parties required by this Section 5.14 to complete an EDS must promptly update their EDS(s) on file with the City whenever any information or response provided in the EDS(s) is no longer complete and accurate, including changes in ownership and changes in disclosures and information pertaining to ineligibility to do business with the City under Chapter 1-23 of the Municipal Code, as such is required under Sec. 2-154-020, and failure to promptly provide the updated EDS(s) to the City will constitute an event of default under this Agreement.

5.15. Letter of Credit. Developer has provided a form of Letter of Credit.

## SECTION 6. AGREEMENTS WITH CONTRACTORS

### 6.01 [intentionally omitted]

6.02 Construction Contract. Before executing the Construction Contract, Developer shall deliver to DPD a copy of the proposed Construction Contract with the General Contractor selected to handle the Project for DPD's prior written approval, which DPD shall grant or deny within ten (10) business days after delivery of the proposed Construction Contract, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld. Within ten (10) business days after the Construction Contract is executed by all parties thereto, Developer shall deliver to DPD and Corporation Counsel a certified copy of such contract together with any modifications, amendments, or supplements thereto.

Copies of all subcontracts entered or to be entered into in connection with the TIF-Funded Improvements shall be provided to DPD within ten (10) business days after they are signed. Developer shall ensure that the General Contractor shall not (and shall cause the General Contractor to ensure that the subcontractors shall not) begin work on the Project until the Plans and Specifications have been reviewed by DPD, if requested by DPD in accordance with Section 3.02, and all requisite permits have been obtained.

6.03 Performance and Payment Bonds. Before starting construction of any portion of the Project, Developer shall require that the General Contractor be bonded for its performance and payment by sureties having an AA rating or better using American Institute of Architect's Form No. A311 or its equivalent. Before starting construction of any portion of the Project which includes work on the public way, Developer shall require that the General Contractor be bonded for its payment by sureties having an AA rating or better using a bond in the form acceptable to the City. The City shall be named as obligee or co-obligee on any such bonds.

6.04 Employment Opportunity. Developer shall contractually obligate and cause the General Contractor and each subcontractor to agree to the provisions of Section 10; provided, however, that the contracting, hiring, and testing requirements associated with the MBE/WBE and the City resident obligations in Section 10 shall be applied on an aggregate basis and the failure of the General Contractor to require each subcontractor to satisfy or the failure of any one subcontractor to satisfy, such obligations shall not result in an Event of Default or require payment as remedy so long as such Section 10 obligations are satisfied on an aggregate basis by the Developer, General Contractor, and subcontractors for the Project.

6.05 Other Provisions. In addition to the requirements of this Section 6, the Construction Contract and each contract with any subcontractor shall contain provisions required pursuant to Section 8.09 (Prevailing Wage), Section 10.01(e) (Employment Opportunity), Section 10.02 (City Resident Employment Requirement), Section 10.03 (MBE/WBE Requirements, as applicable), Section 12 (Insurance) and Section 14.01 (Books and Records). Copies of all contracts or subcontracts entered or to be entered into in connection with the TIF-Funded Improvements shall be provided to DPD within five (5) business days of the execution thereof.



## SECTION 7. COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION OR REHABILITATION

**7.01 Certificate of Completion of Construction or Rehabilitation.** Upon completion of the construction and/or rehabilitation of the Project in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, and upon Developer's written request, DPD shall issue to Developer a Certificate in recordable form certifying that Developer has fulfilled its obligation to complete the construction and/or rehabilitation of the Project in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. DPD shall respond to Developer's written request for a Certificate within forty-five (45) days by issuing either a Certificate or a written statement detailing the ways in which the Project does not conform to this Agreement or has not been satisfactorily completed, and the measures which must be taken by Developer to obtain the Certificate. Developer may resubmit a written request for a Certificate upon completion of such measures.

Developer acknowledges and understands that, if the Certificate is not issued to Developer by the close of business on September 30, 2026 or, if that date is not a business day, then on the next business day to occur, then the City may claim or draw on the Letter of Credit. The City may, without limitation, extend this deadline for delays connected to City construction completion approvals (as determined by the City in its sole discretion), or other City-caused delays, including but not limited to City infrastructure projects that prevent issuance of certificate of occupancy, so long as the Developer is able to demonstrate to the City's satisfaction that any delay is caused by the City and not the Developer's own actions, timeliness or lack thereof, evidenced by the timely submission of permit applications, changes and corrections, payout documentation and, or any response for corrective actions or supportive documentation.

The Letter of Credit shall be released only if a Certificate is issued to Developer without the City having claimed or drawn on the Letter of Credit. Upon issuance of the Certificate, the City shall within 5 business days thereafter return the original Letter of Credit to the issuing bank along with any other required documentation needed for the release or cancellation thereof.

Any draw on the Letter of Credit will be in addition to and not in lieu of any other remedies available to the City as referenced in this Agreement.

Developer acknowledges and understands that the City will not issue the Certificate and pay out City Funds in connection with the Project, until the following conditions have been met:

- (a) Evidence acceptable to DPD that the Total Project Cost equals or exceeds \$56,074,745; as described in Section 4.03(b), the City Funds will be reduced on a dollar-for-dollar basis if the Total Project Cost is less than this amount; and
- (b) Evidence that Developer has incurred TIF-eligible expenses (for the TIF Area Properties only) in an amount equal to, or greater than, the total amount of City Funds for the Project (up to \$15,000,000); and
- (c) Receipt of a certificate of occupancy for the Project or other evidence acceptable to DPD that Developer has complied with building permit requirements for the Project; and
- (d) The Project is occupied and open for business, as demonstrated by executed leases; and

- (e) Evidence acceptable to DPD in the form of a closeout letter from DPD's Compliance and Monitoring division stating that Developer is in complete compliance with all City Requirements (MBE/WBE, City Residency, and Prevailing Wage); and
- (f) Evidence acceptable to DPD that the Project has complied with the Sustainable Development Policy; and
- (g) There exists neither an Event of Default which is continuing nor a condition or event which, with the giving of notice or passage of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default.

7.02 Effect of Issuance of Certificate; Continuing Obligations. The Certificate relates only to the construction and/or rehabilitation of the Project, and upon its issuance, the City will certify that the terms of the Agreement specifically related to Developer's obligation to complete such activities have been satisfied. After the Certificate is issued, however, all executory terms and conditions of this Agreement and all representations and covenants contained in this Agreement will continue to remain in full force and effect throughout the Term of the Agreement as to the parties described in the following paragraph, and the issuance of the Certificate shall not be construed as a waiver by the City of any of its rights and remedies pursuant to such executory terms.

Those covenants specifically described at Section 8.02 (Covenant to Redevelop), Section 8.06 (Jobs Covenant; Operating Covenant), Section 8.19 (Real Estate Provisions), Section 8.20 (Annual Compliance Report), Section 8.26 (Affordable Housing Covenant), Section 11.02 (Environmental Release and Indemnification), and Section 14.02 (Inspection Rights) as covenants that run with the land are the only covenants in this Agreement intended to be binding upon any transferee of the Property (including an assignee as described in the following sentence) throughout the Term of the Agreement notwithstanding the issuance of a Certificate; provided, that when the Certificate is issued, the covenants set forth in Section 8.02 shall be deemed to have been fulfilled. The other executory terms of this Agreement that remain after the Certificate is issued shall be binding only upon Developer or a permitted assignee of Developer who, pursuant to Section 18.14 (Assignment) of this Agreement, has contracted to take an assignment of Developer's rights under this Agreement and assume Developer's liabilities under this Agreement.

7.03 Failure to Complete. If Developer fails to complete the Project in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, then the City has, but shall not be limited to, any of the following rights and remedies:

(a) the right to terminate this Agreement and cease all disbursement of City Funds not yet disbursed under this Agreement;

(b) the right (but not the obligation) to complete those TIF-Funded Improvements that are public improvements and to pay for the costs of TIF-Funded Improvements (including interest costs) out of City Funds or other City monies. If the aggregate cost of completing the TIF-Funded Improvements exceeds the amount of City Funds available pursuant to Section 4.03, Developer shall reimburse the City for all reasonable costs and expenses incurred by the City in completing such TIF-Funded Improvements in excess of the available City Funds; and

(c) the right to place a lien on the Project in the amount of City Funds paid and/or to seek reimbursement of the City Funds from Developer.

7.04 Notice of Expiration of Term of Agreement. When the Term of the Agreement expires, at Developer's written request DPD shall provide Developer with a written notice in recordable form stating that the Term of the Agreement has expired.

## SECTION 8. COVENANTS/REPRESENTATIONS/WARRANTIES OF DEVELOPER.

8.01 General. The representations and warranties provided by Developer under this Agreement are material conditions precedent to the City's obligations under this Agreement. Developer represents, warrants, and covenants, as of the date of this Agreement and as of the date of each disbursement of City Funds hereunder and throughout the Term of the Agreement, that:

(a) Each Developer entity is a limited liability company duly incorporated or organized, validly existing, qualified to do business in its state of incorporation or organization and in Illinois, and licensed to do business in any other state where, due to the nature of its activities or properties, such qualification or license is required;

(b) Developer has the right, power and authority to enter into, execute, deliver and perform this Agreement;

(c) the execution, delivery and performance by Developer of this Agreement has been duly authorized by all necessary action, and does not and will not violate its certificate or articles of incorporation or organization, bylaws or operating agreement as amended and supplemented, any applicable provision of law, or constitute a breach of, default under or require any consent under any agreement, instrument or document to which Developer is now a party or by which Developer is now or may become bound;

(d) unless otherwise permitted or not prohibited pursuant to or under the terms of this Agreement, Owner shall acquire and shall maintain good, indefeasible, and merchantable fee simple title to the Property (and all improvements thereon) free and clear of all liens throughout the Term of the Agreement (except for the Permitted Liens, Lender Financing as disclosed in the Project Budget and non-governmental charges that Developer is contesting in good faith pursuant to Section 8.15);

(e) Developer is now and for the Term of the Agreement shall remain solvent and able to pay its debts as they mature;

(f) there are no actions or proceedings by or before any court, governmental commission, board, bureau or any other administrative agency pending, threatened or affecting Developer which would impair its ability to perform under this Agreement;

(g) Developer has and shall maintain all government permits, certificates and consents (including, without limitation, appropriate environmental approvals) necessary to conduct its business and to construct, complete and operate the Project;

(h) Developer is not in default with respect to any indenture, loan agreement, mortgage, deed, note or any other agreement or instrument related to the borrowing of money to which Developer is a party or by which Developer is bound;

(i) the Financial Statements are, and when hereafter required to be submitted will be, complete, correct in all material respects and accurately present Developer's assets, liabilities, results of operations and financial condition, and there has been no material adverse change in Developer's assets, liabilities, results of operations or financial condition since the date of Developer's most recent Financial Statements;

(j) during the Term of the Agreement, Developer shall not do any of the following without the prior written consent of DPD (except as otherwise permitted by this Agreement): (1) sale of controlling or managing interest in the Developer, be a party to any merger, liquidation or consolidation; (2) except for Permitted Liens, sell, transfer, convey, lease or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its assets or any portion of the Property (including but not limited to any fixtures or equipment now or hereafter attached to the Property) except in the ordinary course of business; (3) enter into any transaction outside the ordinary course of Developer's business; (4) assume, guarantee, endorse, or otherwise become liable in connection with the obligations of any other person or entity, except as required to obtain the Equity and Lender Financing; or (5) enter into any transaction that would cause a material and detrimental change to Developer's financial condition;

(k) Developer has not incurred, and, before the Certificate is issued, shall not, without the prior written consent of the Commissioner of DPD, allow the existence of any liens against the Property (or improvements thereon) other than the Permitted Liens; or incur any indebtedness, secured or to be secured by the Property (or improvements thereon) or any fixtures now or hereafter attached to the Property, except Lender Financing disclosed in the Project Budget; and

(l) Developer has not made or caused to be made, directly or indirectly, any payment, gratuity or offer of employment in connection with the Agreement or any contract paid from the City treasury or pursuant to City ordinance, for services to any City agency ("City Contract") as an inducement for the City to enter into the Agreement or any City Contract with Developer in violation of Chapter 2-156-120 of the Municipal Code;

(m) neither Developer nor any affiliate of Developer is listed on any of the following lists maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the U.S. Department of the Treasury, the Bureau of Industry and Security of the U.S. Department of Commerce or their successors, or on any other list of persons or entities with which the City may not do business under any applicable law, rule, regulation, order or judgment: the Specially Designated Nationals List, the Denied Persons List, the Unverified List, the Entity List and the Debarred List. For purposes of this subparagraph (m) only, the term "affiliate," when used to indicate a relationship with a specified person or entity, means a person or entity that, directly or indirectly, through one or more

intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with such specified person or entity, and a person or entity shall be deemed to be controlled by another person or entity, if controlled in any manner whatsoever that results in control in fact by that other person or entity (or that other person or entity and any persons or entities with whom that other person or entity is acting jointly or in concert), whether directly or indirectly and whether through share ownership, a trust, a contract or otherwise.

(n) Developer understands that (i) the City Funds are limited obligations of the City, payable solely from moneys on deposit in the account of the TIF Fund designated for the Project; (ii) the City Funds do not constitute indebtedness of the City within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision or limitation; (iii) Developer will have no right to compel the exercise of any taxing power of the City for payment of the City Funds; and (iv) the City Funds do not and will not represent or constitute a general obligation or a pledge of the faith and credit of the City, the State of Illinois or any political subdivision thereof;

(o) Developer, or its managers or members, has sufficient knowledge and experience in financial and business matters, including municipal projects and revenues of the kind represented by the City Funds, and has been supplied with access to information to be able to evaluate the risks associated with the receipt of City Funds;

(p) Developer understands that there is no assurance as to the amount or timing of receipt of City Funds, and that the amounts of City Funds actually received by such party may be substantially less than the maximum amounts set forth in Section 4.03(b);

(q) Developer understands it may not sell, assign, pledge or otherwise transfer its interest in this Agreement or City Funds in whole or in part except in accordance with the terms of Section 18.14 (Assignment) of this Agreement, and, to the fullest extent permitted by law, agrees to indemnify the City for any losses, claims, damages or expenses relating to or based upon any sale, assignment, pledge or transfer of City Funds in violation of this Agreement.

**8.02 Covenant to Redevelop.** Upon DPD's approval of the Project Budget, the Scope Drawings and Plans and Specifications as provided in Sections 3.02 and 3.03, and Developer's receipt of all required building permits and governmental approvals, Developer shall redevelop the Property in accordance with this Agreement and all its Exhibits, the TIF Ordinances, the Scope Drawings, Plans and Specifications, Project Budget and all amendments to such documents, and all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, executive orders and codes applicable to the Project, the Property and/or Developer. The covenants set forth in this Section shall run with the land and be binding upon any transferee but shall be deemed satisfied when the City issues the Certificate.

**8.03 Redevelopment Plan.** Developer represents that the Project is and shall be in compliance with all of the terms of the Redevelopment Plan, which is hereby incorporated by reference into this Agreement.

**8.04 Use of City Funds.** City Funds disbursed to Developer shall be used by Developer solely to pay for (or to reimburse Developer for its payment for) the TIF-Funded Improvements as provided in this Agreement.

8.05 Other Bonds. Developer shall, at the request of the City, agree to any reasonable amendments to this Agreement that are necessary or desirable in order for the City to issue (in its sole discretion) any bonds in connection with the Redevelopment Area, the proceeds of which may be used to reimburse the City for expenditures made in connection with, or provide a source of funds for the payment for, the TIF-Funded Improvements; provided, however, that any such amendments shall not have a material adverse effect on Developer or the Project. Developer shall, at Developer's expense, cooperate and provide reasonable assistance in connection with the marketing of any such bonds, including but not limited to providing written descriptions of the Project, making representations, providing information regarding its financial condition and assisting the City in preparing an offering statement with respect to such bonds.

8.06 Jobs Covenant; Operating Covenant. Developer will aspire to retain not less than 3 FTE permanent jobs. Developer agrees to report the number of jobs annually, whether FTE or otherwise. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement to the contrary, the failure to create the aspired number of jobs shall not constitute an Event of Default under this Agreement.

The covenants set forth in this Section shall run with the land and be binding upon any transferee.

8.07 Employment Opportunity; Progress Reports. Developer covenants and agrees to abide by, and contractually obligate and use reasonable efforts to cause the General Contractor and each subcontractor to abide by the terms set forth in Section 10. Developer shall deliver to the City written progress reports detailing compliance with the requirements of Sections 8.09, 10.02 and 10.03 of this Agreement. Such reports shall be delivered to the City when the Project is 25%, 50%, 75% and substantially complete (based on the amount of expenditures incurred in relation to the Project Budget). If any such reports indicate a shortfall in compliance, Developer shall also deliver a plan to DPD which shall outline, to DPD's satisfaction, how Developer shall correct any shortfall.

8.08 Employment Profile. Developer shall submit, and contractually obligate and cause the General Contractor or any subcontractor to submit, to DPD, from time to time, statements of its employment profile upon DPD's request.

8.09 Prevailing Wage. Unless compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act is required, Developer covenants and agrees to pay, and to contractually obligate and cause the General Contractor and each subcontractor to pay, the prevailing wage rate as ascertained by the Illinois Department of Labor (the "Department"), to all employees working on the TIF-Funded Improvements. All such contracts shall list the specified rates to be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics for each craft or type of worker or mechanic employed pursuant to such contract. If the Department revises such prevailing wage rates, the revised rates shall apply to all such contracts. Upon the City's request, Developer shall provide the City with copies of all such contracts entered into by Developer or the General Contractor to evidence compliance with this Section 8.09.

8.10 Arms-Length Transactions. Unless DPD has given its prior written consent, no Affiliate of Developer may receive any portion of City Funds, directly or indirectly, in payment for

work done, services provided or materials supplied in connection with any TIF-Funded Improvement. Developer shall provide information with respect to any entity to receive City Funds directly or indirectly (whether through payment to the Affiliate by Developer and reimbursement to Developer for such costs using City Funds, or otherwise), upon DPD's request, before any such disbursement.

8.11 Conflict of Interest. Pursuant to Section 5/11-74.4-4(n) of the Act, Developer represents, warrants and covenants that, to the best of its knowledge, no member, official, or employee of the City, or of any commission or committee exercising authority over the Project, the Redevelopment Area or the Redevelopment Plan, or any consultant hired by the City or Developer with respect thereto, owns or controls, has owned or controlled or will own or control any interest, and no such person shall represent any person, as agent or otherwise, who owns or controls, has owned or controlled, or will own or control any interest, direct or indirect, in Developer's business, the Property or any other property in the Redevelopment Area.

8.12 Disclosure of Interest. Developer's counsel has no direct or indirect financial ownership interest in Developer, the Property or any other aspect of the Project.

8.13 Financial Statements. Developer shall obtain and provide to DPD Financial Statements for Developer's most recent fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter for the Term of the Agreement. In addition, Developer shall submit unaudited financial statements as soon as reasonably practical following the close of each fiscal year and for such other periods as DPD may request.

8.14 Insurance. Developer, at its own expense, shall comply with all provisions of Section 12.

8.15 Non-Governmental Charges. (a) Payment of Non-Governmental Charges. Except for the Permitted Liens and subject to subsection (b) below, Developer agrees to pay or cause to be paid when due any Non-Governmental Charge assessed or imposed upon the Project, the Property or any fixtures that are or may become attached thereto, which creates, may create, or appears to create a lien upon all or any portion of the Property or Project; provided however, that if such Non-Governmental Charge may be paid in installments, Developer may pay the same together with any accrued interest thereon in installments as they become due and before any fine, penalty, interest, or cost may be added thereto for nonpayment. Developer shall furnish to DPD, within thirty (30) days of DPD's request, official receipts from the appropriate entity, or other proof satisfactory to DPD, evidencing payment of the Non-Governmental Charge in question.

(b) Right to Contest. Developer has the right, before any delinquency occurs:

(i) to contest or object in good faith to the amount or validity of any Non-Governmental Charge by appropriate legal proceedings properly and diligently instituted and prosecuted, in such manner as shall stay the collection of the contested Non-Governmental Charge, prevent the imposition of a lien or remove such lien, or prevent the sale or forfeiture of the Property (so long as no such contest or objection shall be deemed or construed to relieve, modify or extend Developer's covenants to pay any such

Non-Governmental Charge at the time and in the manner provided in this Section 8.15);  
or

(ii) at DPD's sole option, to furnish a good and sufficient bond or other security satisfactory to DPD in such form and amounts as DPD shall require, or a good and sufficient undertaking as may be required or permitted by law to accomplish a stay of any such sale or forfeiture of the Property or any portion thereof or any fixtures that are or may be attached thereto, during the pendency of such contest, adequate to pay fully any such contested Non-Governmental Charge and all interest and penalties upon the adverse determination of such contest.

8.16 Developer's Liabilities. Developer shall not enter into any transaction that would materially and adversely affect its ability to perform its obligations under this Agreement or to repay any material liabilities or perform any material obligations of Developer to any other person or entity. Developer shall immediately notify DPD of any and all events or actions which may materially affect Developer's ability to carry on its business operations or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any other documents and agreements.

8.17 Compliance with Laws. To the best of Developer's knowledge, after diligent inquiry, the Property and the Project are and shall be in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, executive orders and codes pertaining to or affecting the Project and the Property. Upon the City's request, Developer shall provide evidence satisfactory to the City of such compliance.

8.18 Recording and Filing. Developer shall cause this Agreement, certain exhibits (as specified by Corporation Counsel) and all amendments and supplements to this Agreement to be recorded and filed, at Developer's expense, against the Property on the date hereof in the Cook County Clerk's Office.

8.19 Real Estate Provisions.

(a) Governmental Charges.

(i) Payment of Governmental Charges. Developer agrees to pay or cause to be paid when due all Governmental Charges (as defined below) which are assessed or imposed upon Developer, the Property or the Project, or become due and payable, and which create or may create a lien upon Developer or all or any portion of the Property or the Project. "Governmental Charge" means all federal, State, county, the City, or other governmental (or any instrumentality, division, agency, body, or department thereof) taxes, levies, assessments, charges, liens, claims or encumbrances (except for those assessed by foreign nations, states other than the State of Illinois, counties of the State other than Cook County, and municipalities other than the City) relating to Developer, the Property or the Project including but not limited to real estate taxes.

(ii) Right to Contest. Developer has the right before any delinquency occurs to contest or object in good faith to the amount or validity of any Governmental Charge by appropriate legal proceedings properly and diligently instituted and prosecuted in such



manner as shall stay the collection of the contested Governmental Charge and prevent the imposition of a lien or the sale or forfeiture of the Property. Developer's right to challenge real estate taxes applicable to the Property is limited as provided for in Section 8.19(c) below; provided, that such real estate taxes must be paid in full when due and may be disputed only after such payment is made. No such contest or objection shall be deemed or construed in any way as relieving, modifying, or extending Developer's covenants to pay any such Governmental Charge at the time and in the manner provided in this Agreement unless Developer has given prior written notice to DPD of Developer's intent to contest or object to a Governmental Charge and, unless, at DPD's sole option,

(i) Developer shall demonstrate to DPD's satisfaction that legal proceedings instituted by Developer contesting or objecting to a Governmental Charge shall conclusively operate to prevent or remove a lien against, or the sale or forfeiture of, all or any part of the Property to satisfy such Governmental Charge before the final determination of such proceedings; and/or

(ii) Developer shall furnish a good and sufficient bond or other security satisfactory to DPD in such form and amounts as DPD shall require, or a good and sufficient undertaking as may be required or permitted by law to accomplish a stay of any such sale or forfeiture of the Property during the pendency of such contest, adequate to pay fully any such contested Governmental Charge and all interest and penalties upon the adverse determination of such contest.

(b) Developer's Failure To Pay Or Discharge Lien. If Developer fails to pay any Governmental Charge or to obtain discharge of the same, then Developer shall advise DPD in writing. At that time DPD in its sole discretion may, but shall not be obligated to, make all or any part of such payment or obtain such discharge and take any other related action which DPD deems advisable. By taking any action under this paragraph, DPD shall not waive or release any obligation or liability of Developer under this Agreement. Developer shall promptly reimburse DPD for all sums, if any, DPD pays under this paragraph and expenses, if any, including reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, expenses and other charges relating thereto. Notwithstanding anything contained in this paragraph to the contrary, this paragraph shall not be construed to obligate the City to pay any Governmental Charge. If Developer fails to pay any Governmental Charge, the City, in its sole discretion, may require Developer to submit to the City audited Financial Statements at Developer's own expense.

(c) Real Estate Taxes. Neither Developer nor any agent, representative, lessee, tenant, assignee, transferee or successor in interest to Developer shall, during the Term of this Agreement, directly or indirectly, initiate, seek or apply for any real estate tax incentive established under the Cook County Tax Incentive Ordinance, Classification System for Assessment, as amended from time to time, with respect to the TIF Area Properties.

(d) Notification to the Cook County Assessor of Change in Use or Ownership. If required under 35 ILCS 200/15-20 due to a change in use or ownership of the Property, within 90 days after the Closing Date, Developer shall complete a letter of notification, in accordance with 35 ILCS 200/15-20, notifying the Cook County Assessor of such change in use or ownership. After delivery of the notification, Developer shall forward a copy of the return receipt to DPD, with a

copy to the City's Corporation Counsel's office.

8.20 Annual Compliance Report. Developer will be required to provide the Annual Compliance Report annually on the anniversary of the issuance of the Certificate throughout the first 10 years of the Term of the Agreement. Failure by the Developer to submit the Annual Compliance Report within 60 days of each anniversary will be considered an Event of Default.

8.21 Inspector General. It is the duty of Developer and the duty of any bidder, proposer, contractor, subcontractor, and every applicant for certification of eligibility for a City contract or program, and all of Developer's officers, directors, agents, partners, and employees and any such bidder, proposer, contractor, subcontractor or such applicant, to cooperate with the Inspector General in any investigation or hearing undertaken pursuant to Chapter 2-56 of the Municipal Code. Developer represents that it understands and will abide by all provisions of Chapter 2-56 of the Municipal Code and that it will inform subcontractors of this provision and require their compliance.

8.22 Sustainable Development Policy. Developer shall provide evidence acceptable to the City that they have complied with the Sustainable Development Policy for the Project within one (1) year after the date of the Certificate. If a default occurs under this Section 8.22, the City shall have the right to reduce the City Funds by \$250,000 as described in Section 15.02.

8.23. FOIA and Local Records Act Compliance.

(a) FOIA. Developer acknowledges that the City is subject to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et. seq., as amended ("FOIA"). The FOIA requires the City to produce records (very broadly defined in FOIA) in response to a FOIA request in a very short period of time, unless the records requested are exempt under the FOIA. If Developer receives a request from the City to produce records within the scope of FOIA, then Developer covenants to comply with such request within 48 hours of the date of such request. Failure by Developer to timely comply with such request shall be an Event of Default.

(b) Exempt Information. Documents that Developer submits to the City as part of the Annual Compliance Report or otherwise during the Term of the Agreement that contain trade secrets and commercial or financial information may be exempt if disclosure would result in competitive harm. However, for documents submitted by Developer to be treated as a trade secret or information that would cause competitive harm, FOIA requires that Developer mark any such documents as "proprietary, privileged or confidential." If Developer marks a document as "proprietary, privileged and confidential", then DPD will evaluate whether such document may be withheld under the FOIA. DPD, in its discretion, will determine whether a document will be exempted from disclosure, and that determination is subject to review by the Illinois Attorney General's Office and/or the courts.

(c) Local Records Act. Developer acknowledges that the City is subject to the Local Records Act, 50 ILCS 205/1 et. seq, as amended (the "Local Records Act"). The Local Records Act provides that public records may only be disposed of as provided in the Local Records Act. If requested by the City, Developer covenants to use its best efforts consistently applied to assist the City in its compliance with the Local Records Act.

8.24 Survival of Covenants. All warranties, representations, covenants and agreements of Developer contained in this Section 8 and elsewhere in this Agreement shall be true, accurate and complete at the time of Developer's execution of this Agreement, and shall survive the execution, delivery and acceptance hereof by the parties to this Agreement and, except as provided in Section 7 when the Certificate is issued, shall be in effect throughout the Term of the Agreement.

8.25 [intentionally omitted]

8.26 Affordable Housing Covenant. The Owner agrees and covenants to the City that it will provide 100% of the 103 residential units to low-income families through the Term of the Agreement.

The Units will consist of the following units:

Unit Type	30% AMI	50% AMI	Under 80% AMI	Total
Studio	1	0	9	10
1 bed	5	2	18	25
2 bed	12	17	23	52
3 bed	2	6	8	16
Total	20	25	58	103

The following provisions shall govern the terms of the obligation to provide affordable housing under this Agreement:

- (a) The Project shall be operated and maintained solely as residential rental housing;
- (b) Twenty (20) residential rental units, including one (1) studio units, five (5) one-bedroom units, twelve (12) two-bedroom units and two (2) three-bedroom units, shall be affordable to 30% AMI Households (as defined below);
- (c) Twenty-five (25) residential rental units, including two (2) one-bedroom units, seventeen (17) two-bedroom units and six (6) three-bedroom units, shall be affordable to 50% AMI Households (as defined below);
- (d) Fifty-eight (58) residential rental units, including nine (9) studio units, eighteen (18) one-bedroom units, twenty-three (23) two-bedroom units and eight (8) three-bedroom units, shall be affordable to 80% AMI Households (as defined below);
- (e) As used in this Section 8.26, the following terms have the following meanings:

- i) "Household" shall mean one or more individuals, whether or not related by blood or marriage.
  - ii) "30% AMI Households" shall mean Households whose annual income does not exceed thirty percent (30%) of the Chicago-area median income, adjusted for Family size, as such annual income and Chicago-area median income are determined from time to time by HUD, and thereafter such income limits shall apply to this definition.
  - iii) "50% AMI Households" shall mean Households whose annual income does not exceed fifty percent (50%) of the Chicago-area median income, adjusted for Family size, as such annual income and Chicago-area median income are determined from time to time by HUD, and thereafter such income limits shall apply to this definition.
  - iv) "80% AMI Households" shall mean Households whose annual income does not exceed eighty percent (80%) of the Chicago-area median income, adjusted for Family size, as such annual income and Chicago-area median income are determined from time to time by HUD, and thereafter such income limits shall apply to this definition.
- (f) The covenants set forth in this Section 8.26 shall run with the land and be binding upon any transferee. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City acknowledges that the Owner is providing 100% of the 103 residential units to low-income families through the Term of the Agreement subject to Section 42(g)(1)(C) of the Internal Revenue Code (the "Average Income Test") and may need to designate different imputed income limitations to the units than set forth above to comply with the requirements of the Equity on an annual basis and to allow low-income families to remain in their units. Upon the written request of the Owner, the City may allow changes in the unit types to income limitations initially set forth in this Section 8.26, provided that 100% of the 103 residential units remain affordable housing for low-income families (80% AMI Households) and such changes maintain compliance with the Average Income Test. Changes to the unit mix pursuant to the foregoing sentence may be permitted following, among other instances, any loss of project-based rental assistance, after which the imputed income limitations of the units and the applicable rental restrictions may be increased to the maximums permitted for 80% AMI Households while remaining in compliance with the Average Income Test.

## SECTION 9. COVENANTS/REPRESENTATIONS/WARRANTIES OF CITY

9.01 General Covenants. The City represents that it has the authority as a home rule unit of local government to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations under this Agreement.

9.02 Survival of Covenants. All warranties, representations, and covenants of the City contained in this Section 9 or elsewhere in this Agreement shall be true, accurate, and complete at the time of the City's execution of this Agreement, and shall survive the execution, delivery and

acceptance hereof by the parties to this Agreement and be in effect throughout the Term of the Agreement.

## SECTION 10. DEVELOPER'S EMPLOYMENT OBLIGATIONS

10.01 Employment Opportunity. Developer, on behalf of itself and its successors and assigns, hereby agrees, and shall contractually obligate its or their various contractors, subcontractors or any Affiliate of Developer operating on the Property (collectively, with Developer, the "Employers" and individually an "Employer") to agree, that for the Term of this Agreement with respect to Developer and during the period of any other party's provision of services in connection with the construction of the Project or occupation of the Property:

(a) No Employer shall discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment based upon race, religion, color, sex, national origin or ancestry, age, handicap or disability, sexual orientation, military discharge status, marital status, parental status or source of income as defined in the City of Chicago Human Rights Ordinance, Chapter 2-160, Section 2-160-010 et seq., Municipal Code, except as otherwise provided by said ordinance and as amended from time to time (the "Human Rights Ordinance"). Each Employer shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are hired and employed without discrimination based upon race, religion, color, sex, national origin or ancestry, age, handicap or disability, sexual orientation, military discharge status, marital status, parental status or source of income and are treated in a non-discriminatory manner with regard to all job-related matters, including without limitation: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. Each Employer agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the City setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause. In addition, the Employers, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, shall state that all qualified applicants shall receive consideration for employment without discrimination based upon race, religion, color, sex, national origin or ancestry, age, handicap or disability, sexual orientation, military discharge status, marital status, parental status or source of income.

(b) To the greatest extent feasible, each Employer is required to present opportunities for training and employment of low- and moderate-income residents of the City and preferably of the Redevelopment Area; and to provide that contracts for work in connection with the construction of the Project be awarded to business concerns that are located in, or owned in substantial part by persons residing in, the City and preferably in the Redevelopment Area.

(c) Each Employer shall comply with all federal, state and local equal employment and affirmative action statutes, rules and regulations, including but not limited to the City's Human Rights Ordinance and the Illinois Human Rights Act, 775 ILCS 5/1-101 et seq. (1993), and any subsequent amendments and regulations promulgated thereto.

(d) Each Employer, in order to demonstrate compliance with the terms of this Section, shall cooperate with and promptly and accurately respond to inquiries by the City, which has the responsibility to observe and report compliance with equal employment opportunity regulations of federal, state and municipal agencies.

(e) Each Employer shall include the foregoing provisions of subparagraphs (a) through (d) in every contract entered into in connection with the Project, and shall require inclusion of these provisions in every subcontract entered into by any subcontractors, and every agreement with any Affiliate operating on the Property, so that each such provision shall be binding upon each contractor, subcontractor or Affiliate, as the case may be.

(f) Failure to comply with the employment obligations described in this Section 10.01 shall be a basis for the City to pursue remedies under the provisions of Section 15.02.

10.02 City Resident Construction Worker Employment Requirement. Developer agrees for itself and its successors and assigns, and shall contractually obligate its General Contractor and shall cause the General Contractor to contractually obligate its subcontractors, as applicable, to agree, that during the construction of the Project they shall comply with the minimum percentage of total worker hours performed by actual residents of the City as specified in Section 2-92-330 of the Municipal Code (at least 50 percent of the total worker hours worked by persons on the site of the Project shall be performed by actual residents of the City); provided, however, that in addition to complying with this percentage, Developer, its General Contractor and each subcontractor shall be required to make good faith efforts to utilize qualified residents of the City in both unskilled and skilled labor positions.

Developer may request a reduction or waiver of this minimum percentage level of Chicagoans as provided for in Section 2-92-330 of the Municipal Code in accordance with standards and procedures developed by the Chief Procurement Officer of the City.

“Actual residents of the City” means persons domiciled within the City. The domicile is an individual's one and only true, fixed and permanent home and principal establishment.

Developer, the General Contractor and each subcontractor shall provide for the maintenance of adequate employee residency records to show that actual Chicago residents are employed on the Project. Each Employer shall maintain copies of personal documents supportive of every Chicago employee's actual record of residence.

Weekly certified payroll reports (U.S. Department of Labor Form WH-347 or equivalent) shall be submitted to the Commissioner of DPD in triplicate, which shall identify clearly the actual residence of every employee on each submitted certified payroll. The first time that an employee's name appears on a payroll, the date that the Employer hired the employee should be written in after the employee's name.

Developer, the General Contractor and each subcontractor shall provide full access to their employment records to the Chief Procurement Officer, the Commissioner of DPD, the Superintendent of the Chicago Police Department, the Inspector General or any duly authorized representative of any of them. Developer, the General Contractor and each subcontractor shall maintain all relevant personnel data and records for a period of at least three (3) years after final acceptance of the work constituting the Project.

At the direction of DPD, affidavits and other supporting documentation will be required of Developer, the General Contractor and each subcontractor to verify or clarify an employee's actual address when doubt or lack of clarity has arisen.

Good faith efforts on the part of Developer, the General Contractor and each subcontractor to provide utilization of actual Chicago residents (but not sufficient for the granting of a waiver request as provided for in the standards and procedures developed by the Chief Procurement Officer) shall not suffice to replace the actual, verified achievement of the requirements of this Section concerning the worker hours performed by actual Chicago residents.

When work at the Project is completed, in the event that the City has determined that Developer has failed to ensure the fulfillment of the requirement of this Section concerning the worker hours performed by actual Chicago residents or failed to report in the manner as indicated above, the City will thereby be damaged in the failure to provide the benefit of demonstrable employment to Chicagoans to the degree stipulated in this Section. Therefore, in such a case of non-compliance, it is agreed that 1/20 of 1 percent (0.0005) of the aggregate hard construction costs set forth in the Project budget (the product of .0005 x such aggregate hard construction costs) (as the same shall be evidenced by approved contract value for the actual contracts) shall be surrendered by Developer to the City in payment for each percentage of shortfall toward the stipulated residency requirement. Failure to report the residency of employees entirely and correctly shall result in the surrender of the entire liquidated damages as if no Chicago residents were employed in either of the categories. The willful falsification of statements and the certification of payroll data may subject Developer, the General Contractor and/or the subcontractors to prosecution. Any retainage to cover contract performance that may become due to Developer pursuant to Section 2-92-250 of the Municipal Code may be withheld by the City pending the Chief Procurement Officer's determination as to whether Developer must surrender damages as provided in this paragraph.

Nothing herein provided shall be construed to be a limitation upon the "Notice of Requirements for Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity, Executive Order 11246 " and "Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity, Executive Order 11246," or other affirmative action required for equal opportunity under the provisions of this Agreement or related documents.

Developer shall cause or require the provisions of this Section 10.02 to be included in all construction contracts and subcontracts related to the Project.

10.03. MBE/WBE Commitment. Developer agrees for itself and its successors and assigns, and, if necessary to meet the requirements set forth herein, shall contractually obligate the General Contractor to agree that during the Project:

(a) Consistent with the findings which support, as applicable, (i) the Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program, Section 2-92-420 et seq., Municipal Code (the "Procurement Program"), and (ii) the Minority- and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Construction Program, Section 2-92-650 et seq., Municipal Code (the "Construction Program," and collectively with the Procurement Program, the "MBE/WBE Program"), and in reliance upon the provisions of the MBE/WBE Program to the extent contained in, and as qualified by, the

provisions of this Section 10.03, during the course of the Project, at least the following percentages of the MBE/WBE Budget (as set forth in Exhibit B) shall be expended for contract participation by MBEs and by WBEs:

- (1) At least 26 percent by MBEs.
- (2) At least six percent by WBEs.

(b) For purposes of this Section 10.03 only, Developer (and any party to whom a contract is let by Developer in connection with the Project) shall be deemed a "contractor" and this Agreement (and any contract let by Developer in connection with the Project) shall be deemed a "contract" or a "construction contract" as such terms are defined in Sections 2-92-420 and 2-92-670, Municipal Code, as applicable.

(c) Consistent with Sections 2-92-440 and 2-92-720, Municipal Code, Developer's MBE/WBE commitment may be achieved in part by Developer's status as an MBE or WBE (but only to the extent of any actual work performed on the Project by Developer) or by a joint venture with one or more MBEs or WBEs (but only to the extent of the lesser of (i) the MBE or WBE participation in such joint venture or (ii) the amount of any actual work performed on the Project by the MBE or WBE), by Developer utilizing a MBE or a WBE as the General Contractor (but only to the extent of any actual work performed on the Project by the General Contractor), by subcontracting or causing the General Contractor to subcontract a portion of the Project to one or more MBEs or WBEs, or by the purchase of materials or services used in the Project from one or more MBEs or WBEs, or by any combination of the foregoing. Those entities which constitute both a MBE and a WBE shall not be credited more than once with regard to Developer's MBE/WBE commitment as described in this Section 10.03. In accordance with Section 2-92-730, Municipal Code, Developer shall not substitute any MBE or WBE General Contractor or subcontractor without the prior written approval of DPD.

(d) Developer shall deliver quarterly reports to the City's monitoring staff during the Project describing its efforts to achieve compliance with this MBE/WBE commitment. Such reports shall include, inter alia, the name and business address of each MBE and WBE solicited by Developer or the General Contractor to work on the Project, and the responses received from such solicitation, the name and business address of each MBE or WBE actually involved in the Project, a description of the work performed or products or services supplied, the date and amount of such work, product or service, and such other information as may assist the City's monitoring staff in determining Developer's compliance with this MBE/WBE commitment. Developer shall maintain records of all relevant data with respect to the utilization of MBEs and WBEs in connection with the Project for at least five years after completion of the Project, and the City's monitoring staff shall have access to all such records maintained by Developer, on five (5) business days' notice, to allow the City to review Developer's compliance with its commitment to MBE/WBE participation and the status of any MBE or WBE performing any portion of the Project.

(e) Upon the disqualification of any MBE or WBE General Contractor or subcontractor, if such status was misrepresented by the disqualified party, Developer shall be obligated to discharge or cause to be discharged the disqualified General Contractor or subcontractor, and, if possible, identify and engage a qualified MBE or WBE as a replacement. For purposes of this



subsection (e), the disqualification procedures are further described in Sections 2-92-540 and 2-92-730, Municipal Code, as applicable.

(f) Any reduction or waiver of Developer's MBE/WBE commitment as described in this Section 10.03 shall be undertaken in accordance with Sections 2-92-450 and 2-92-730, Municipal Code, as applicable.

(g) Before starting the Project, Developer shall be required to meet with the City's monitoring staff with regard to Developer's compliance with its obligations under this Section 10.03. The General Contractor and all major subcontractors shall be required to attend this pre-construction meeting. During said meeting, Developer shall demonstrate to the City's monitoring staff its plan to achieve its obligations under this Section 10.03, the sufficiency of which shall be approved by the City's monitoring staff. During the Project, Developer shall submit the documentation required by this Section 10.03 to the City's monitoring staff, including the following: (i) subcontractor's activity report; (ii) contractor's certification concerning labor standards and prevailing wage requirements; (iii) contractor letter of understanding; (iv) monthly utilization report; (v) authorization for payroll agent; (vi) certified payroll; (vii) evidence that MBE/WBE contractor associations have been informed of the Project via written notice and hearings; and (viii) evidence of compliance with job creation/job retention requirements. Failure to submit such documentation on a timely basis, or a determination by the City's monitoring staff, upon analysis of the documentation, that Developer is not complying with its obligations under this Section 10.03, shall, upon the delivery of written notice to Developer, be deemed an Event of Default. Upon the occurrence of any such Event of Default, in addition to any other remedies provided in this Agreement, the City may: (1) issue a written demand to Developer to halt the Project, (2) withhold any further payment of any City Funds to Developer or the General Contractor, or (3) seek any other remedies against Developer available at law or in equity.

## SECTION 11. ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

11.01. General. Developer hereby represents and warrants to the City that Developer has conducted environmental studies sufficient to conclude that the Project may be constructed, completed and operated in accordance with all Environmental Laws and this Agreement and all its Exhibits, the Scope Drawings, Plans and Specifications and all amendments thereto and the Redevelopment Plan.

11.02. Release and Indemnification. The Developer, on behalf of itself and its officers, directors, employees, successors, assigns and anyone claiming by, through or under them (collectively, the "Developer Parties"), hereby releases, relinquishes and forever discharges the City, its officers, agents and employees (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties"), from and against any and all Losses which the Developer or any of the Developer's Parties ever had, now have, or hereafter may have, whether grounded in tort or contract or otherwise, in any and all courts or other forums, of whatever kind or nature, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, now existing or occurring after the Closing Date, based upon, arising out of or in any way connected with, directly or indirectly (i) any environmental contamination, pollution or hazards associated with the Property or any improvements, facilities or operations located or formerly located thereon, including, without limitation, any release, emission, discharge, generation, transportation, treatment, storage or disposal of Hazardous Substances (ii) the structural, physical

or environmental condition of the Property, including, without limitation, the presence or suspected presence of Hazardous Substances or Other Regulated Material in, on, under or about the Property or the migration of Hazardous Substances or Other Regulated Material from or to other Property; (iii) any violation of, compliance with, enforcement of or liability under any Environmental Laws, including, without limitation, any governmental or regulatory body response costs, natural resource damages or Losses arising under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. § 6901 et seq; and (iv) any investigation, cleanup, monitoring, remedial, removal or restoration work required by any federal, state or local governmental agency or political subdivision or other third party in connection or associated with the Property or any improvements, facilities or operations located or formerly located thereon (collectively, "Released Claims"); provided, however, the foregoing release shall not apply to the extent such Losses are proximately caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the City following the Closing Date. Furthermore, the Developer shall indemnify, defend (through an attorney reasonably acceptable to the City) and hold the Indemnified Parties harmless from and against any and all Losses which may be made or asserted by any third parties (including, without limitation, any of the Developer Parties) arising out of or in any way connected with, directly or indirectly, any of the Released Claims, except as provided in the immediately preceding sentence for the City's gross negligence or willful misconduct following the Closing Date. The Developer Parties waive their rights of contribution and subrogation against the Indemnified Parties.

Without limiting any other provisions hereof, Developer agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the City harmless from and against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, injuries, costs, expenses or claims of any kind whatsoever including, without limitation, any losses, liabilities, damages, injuries, costs, expenses or claims asserted or arising under any Environmental Laws incurred, suffered by or asserted against the City as a direct or indirect result of any of the following, regardless of whether or not caused by, or within the control of Developer: (i) the presence of any Hazardous Material on or under, or the escape, seepage, leakage, spillage, emission, discharge or release of any Hazardous Material from (A) all or any portion of the Property or (B) any other real property in which Developer, or any person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by or under common control with Developer, holds any estate or interest whatsoever (including, without limitation, any property owned by a land trust in which the beneficial interest is owned, in whole or in part, by Developer), or (ii) any liens against the Property permitted or imposed by any Environmental Laws, or any actual or asserted liability or obligation of the City or Developer or any of its Affiliates under any Environmental Laws relating to the Property.

11.03. Release Runs with the Property. The covenant of release in Section 11.02 above shall run with the Property and shall be binding upon all successors and assigns of the Developer with respect to the Property, including, without limitation, each and every person, firm, corporation, limited liability company, trust or other entity owning, leasing, occupying, using or possessing any portion of the Property under or through the Developer following the date of the Deed. The Developer acknowledges and agrees that the foregoing covenant of release constitutes a material inducement to the City to enter into this Redevelopment Agreement, and that, but for such release, the City would not have agreed to provide financial support to the Developer. It is expressly agreed and understood by and between the Developer and the City that, should any future obligation of the Developer or Developer Parties arise or be alleged to arise in connection with any environmental, soil or other condition of the Property, the Developer and any of the Developer

Parties shall not assert that those obligations must be satisfied in whole or in part by the City, because Section 11.02 contains a full, complete and final release of all such claims, except as provided in such section with respect to the City's gross negligence or willful misconduct following the Closing Date. This Section 11.02 shall survive the Closing Date or any termination of this RDA (regardless of the reason for such termination).

11.04. Hazardous Building Material Survey. Developer will conduct a Hazardous Building Material Survey of the Site prior to conducting any work that could constitute renovation, demolition, or abatement under the Environmental Laws ("abatement work") on or within an existing physical structure located on the Property. The Hazardous Building Material Survey shall include (but is not limited to):

- asbestos and lead-based paint surveys,
- testing and visually inspecting and, as necessary, testing the Property to determine the presence and location of polychlorinated-biphenyl (PCB)-containing equipment and materials (such as lighting ballasts, switchgears, transformers, and hydraulic fluids),
- mercury-containing equipment and materials (mercury lamps, thermostats, switches, thermometers, regulators, and gauges),
- radioactive material-containing equipment and/or waste,
- medical wastes (such as biological or infectious wastes, hazardous chemicals, and/or wastes),
- refrigerants such as chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs),
- large appliances or equipment,
- mold,
- or any other materials that may require special handling or disposal during or after renovation, demolition, or abatement work.

The Hazardous Building Material Survey must discuss each of the Hazardous Building Materials listed above and state whether or not they were identified. The Survey must document the type, location, quantity, and condition of each Hazardous Building Material that is identified. The Hazardous Building Material Survey may reference and/or append lead-based paint risk assessments, asbestos building surveys, and/or mold surveys previously performed at the Property, provided that the City is given written reliance as an authorized user of said reports.

11.05 Hazardous Building Material Abatement. Any Hazardous Building Materials that will be impacted by renovation or demolition activities, or are in poor or unstable condition, must be properly abated. A report documenting the Hazardous Building Material Survey results and an abatement plan shall be submitted to the City for review prior to beginning any renovation, demolition, or abatement work. Please note that abatement does not necessarily require removal and disposal of materials. Alternative methods to stabilize or prevent access to materials may be utilized if appropriate.

The Developer will incorporate the results of the Hazardous Building Material Survey into its Project documents and perform abatement work as part of the Project in accordance with all Environmental Laws. Abatement of lead-based paint hazards or asbestos-containing building materials will conform to the mitigation requirements included within any environmental

compliance certification documentation prepared by the City in its capacity as the Responsible Entity under 24 CFR § 58 for the grantees of any federal funding provided by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the Project. A report documenting the completion of the abatement work shall be submitted to the City prior to approval of the Property for occupancy. If abatement work activities are not deemed sufficient by the City, the Developer shall continue work at their own expense until approved.

11.06. Reliance for Environmental Site Assessments. The Developer provided the City with a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment ("Phase I ESA") compliant with ASTM E-1527-21 updated within 180 days prior to the execution of the Redevelopment Agreement. The Phase I ESA previously identified Recognized Environmental Conditions ("RECs") and the Developer performed a Phase II ESA to ascertain the presence of any environmental impacts that may be associated with the RECs. The Phase II ESA did not identify the presence of any environmental impacts that may be associated with the RECs identified in the Phase I ESA.

The City must be named in a reliance letter for all environmental assessment reports produced concerning the Property prior to the execution of the Redevelopment Agreement. Developer acknowledges that, except in the case of information specifically designated by the Developer to be treated confidentially as a trade secret or secret process, the City may make environmental assessments, hazardous material building surveys, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency site remediation program submittals, or similar environmental documents relating to the property publicly available, subject to the provisions of Section 8.23, and Developer consents to the City's publication of those documents.

## SECTION 12. INSURANCE

Developer must provide and maintain, at Developer's own expense, or cause to be provided and maintained during the Term of this Agreement, the insurance coverage and requirements specified below, insuring all operations related to the Agreement.

(a) Before execution and delivery of this Agreement.

(i) Workers Compensation and Employers Liability

Workers Compensation Insurance, as prescribed by applicable law covering all employees who are to provide work under this Agreement and Employers Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$100,000 each accident, illness or disease.

(ii) Commercial General Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

Commercial General Liability Insurance or equivalent with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, and property damage liability. Coverages must include the following: All premises and operations, products/completed operations independent contractors, separation of insureds, defense, and contractual liability (with no limitation endorsement). The City of Chicago is to be named as an

additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis for any liability arising directly or indirectly from the work.

(iii) All Risk Property

All Risk Property Insurance at replacement value of the property to protect against loss of, damage to, or destruction of the building/facility. The City is to be named as an additional insured and loss payee/mortgagee if applicable.

(b) Construction. Before the construction of any portion of the Project, Developer will cause its architects, contractors, subcontractors, project managers and other parties constructing the Project to procure and maintain the following kinds and amounts of insurance:

(i) Workers Compensation and Employers Liability

Workers Compensation Insurance, as prescribed by applicable law covering all employees who are to provide work under this Agreement and Employers Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$500,000 each accident, illness or disease.

(ii) Commercial General Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

Commercial General Liability Insurance or equivalent with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, and property damage liability. Coverages must include the following: All premises and operations, products/completed operations (for a minimum of two (2) years following project completion), explosion, collapse, underground, separation of insureds, defense, and contractual liability (with no limitation endorsement). The City of Chicago is to be named as an additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis for any liability arising directly or indirectly from the work.

(iii) Automobile Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

When any motor vehicles (owned, non-owned and hired) are used in connection with work to be performed, the Automobile Liability Insurance with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. The City of Chicago is to be named as an additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis.

(iv) Railroad Protective Liability

When any work is to be done adjacent to or on railroad or transit property, Developer must provide cause to be provided with respect to the operations that Contractors perform, Railroad Protective Liability Insurance in the name of railroad or transit entity. The policy must have limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 in the aggregate for losses arising out of injuries to or death of all persons, and for damage to or destruction of property, including the loss of use thereof.

(v) All Risk /Builders Risk

When Developer undertakes any construction, including improvements, betterments, and/or repairs, Developer must provide or cause to be provided All Risk Builders Risk Insurance at replacement cost for materials, supplies, equipment, machinery and fixtures that are or will be part of the project. The City of Chicago is to be named as an additional insured and loss payee/mortgagee if applicable.

(vi) Professional Liability

When any architects, engineers, construction managers or other professional consultants perform work in connection with this Agreement, Professional Liability Insurance covering acts, errors, or omissions must be maintained with limits of not less than \$ 1,000,000. Coverage must include contractual liability. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with, or precede, start of work on the Contract. A claims-made policy which is not renewed or replaced must have an extended reporting period of two (2) years.

(vii) Valuable Papers

When any plans, designs, drawings, specifications and documents are produced or used under this Agreement, Valuable Papers Insurance must be maintained in an amount to insure against any loss whatsoever, and must have limits sufficient to pay for the re-creation and reconstruction of such records.

(viii) Contractors Pollution Liability

When any remediation work is performed which may cause a pollution exposure, Developer must cause remediation contractor to provide Contractor Pollution Liability covering bodily injury, property damage and other losses caused by pollution conditions that arise from the contract scope of work with limits of not less than \$ 1,000,000 per occurrence. Coverage must include completed operations, contractual liability, defense, excavation, environmental cleanup, remediation and disposal. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with or precede, start of work on the Agreement. A claims-made policy which is not renewed or replaced must have an extended reporting period of two (2) years. The City of Chicago is to be named as an additional insured.

(c) Post Construction:

(i) All Risk Property Insurance at replacement value of the property to protect against loss of, damage to, or destruction of the building/facility. The City is to be named as an additional insured and loss payee/mortgagee if applicable.

(d) Other Requirements:

Developer must furnish the City of Chicago, Department of Planning and Development, City Hall, Room 1000, 121 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602, original Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, to be in force on the date of this

Agreement, and Renewal Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, if the coverages have an expiration or renewal date occurring during the Term of this Agreement. Developer must submit evidence of insurance on the City of Chicago Insurance Certificate Form (copy attached) or equivalent before closing. The receipt of any certificate does not constitute agreement by the City that the insurance requirements in the Agreement have been fully met or that the insurance policies indicated on the certificate are in compliance with all Agreement requirements. The failure of the City to obtain certificates or other insurance evidence from Developer is not a waiver by the City of any requirements for Developer to obtain and maintain the specified coverages. Developer shall advise all insurers of the Agreement provisions regarding insurance. Non-conforming insurance does not relieve Developer of the obligation to provide insurance as specified herein. Nonfulfillment of the insurance conditions may constitute a violation of the Agreement, and the City retains the right to stop work and/or terminate agreement until proper evidence of insurance is provided.

The insurance must provide for 60 days prior written notice to be given to the City in the event coverage is substantially changed, canceled, or non-renewed.

Any deductibles or self insured retentions on referenced insurance coverages must be borne by Developer and Contractors.

Developer hereby waives and agrees to require their insurers to waive their rights of subrogation against the City of Chicago, its employees, elected officials, agents, or representatives.

The coverages and limits furnished by Developer in no way limit Developer's liabilities and responsibilities specified within the Agreement or by law.

Any insurance or self insurance programs maintained by the City of Chicago do not contribute with insurance provided by Developer under the Agreement.

The required insurance to be carried is not limited by any limitations expressed in the indemnification language in this Agreement or any limitation placed on the indemnity in this Agreement given as a matter of law.

If Developer is a joint venture or limited liability company, the insurance policies must name the joint venture or limited liability company as a named insured.

Developer must require Contractor and subcontractors to provide the insurance required herein, or Developer may provide the coverages for Contractor and subcontractors. All Contractors and subcontractors are subject to the same insurance requirements of Developer unless otherwise specified in this Agreement.

If Developer, any Contractor or subcontractor desires additional coverages, the party desiring the additional coverages is responsible for the acquisition and cost.

The City of Chicago Risk Management Department maintains the right to modify, delete, alter or change these requirements.

## SECTION 13. INDEMNIFICATION

13.01 General Indemnity. Developer agrees to indemnify, pay, defend and hold the City, and its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and affiliates (individually an "Indemnitee," and collectively the "Indemnitees") harmless from and against, any and all liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, penalties, actions, judgments, suits, claims, costs, expenses and disbursements of any kind or nature whatsoever (and including without limitation, the reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel for such Indemnitees in connection with any investigative, administrative or judicial proceeding commenced or threatened, whether or not such Indemnitees shall be designated a party thereto), that may be imposed on, suffered, incurred by or asserted against the Indemnitees in any manner relating or arising out of:

(i) Developer's failure to comply with any of the terms, covenants and conditions contained within this Agreement; or

(ii) Developer's or any contractor's failure to pay General Contractors, subcontractors or materialmen in connection with the TIF-Funded Improvements or any other Project improvement; or

(iii) the existence of any material misrepresentation or omission in this Agreement, any official statement, limited offering memorandum or private placement memorandum or the Redevelopment Plan or any other document related to this Agreement that is the result of information supplied or omitted by Developer or any Affiliate of Developer or any agents, employees, contractors or persons acting under the control or at the request of Developer or any Affiliate of Developer; or

(iv) Developer's failure to cure any misrepresentation in this Agreement or any other agreement relating to this Agreement;

provided, however, that Developer shall have no obligation to an Indemnitee arising from the gross negligence, wanton or willful misconduct of that Indemnitee or that Indemnitee's breach of this Agreement or any other agreement relating thereto. To the extent that the preceding sentence may be unenforceable because it is violative of any law or public policy, Developer shall contribute the maximum portion that it is permitted to pay and satisfy under the applicable law, to the payment and satisfaction of all indemnified liabilities incurred by the Indemnitees or any of them. The provisions of the undertakings and indemnification set out in this Section 13.01 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.



## SECTION 14. MAINTAINING RECORDS/RIGHT TO INSPECT

14.01 Books and Records. Developer shall keep and maintain separate, complete, accurate and detailed books and records necessary to reflect and fully disclose the total actual cost of the Project and the disposition of all funds from whatever source allocated thereto, and to monitor the Project. All such books, records and other documents, including but not limited to Developer's loan statements, if any, General Contractors' and contractors' sworn statements, general contracts, subcontracts, purchase orders, waivers of lien, paid receipts and invoices, shall be available at Developer's offices for inspection, copying, audit and examination by an authorized representative of the City, at Developer's expense. Developer shall incorporate this right to inspect, copy, audit and examine all books and records into all contracts entered into by Developer with respect to the Project.

14.02 Inspection Rights. Upon three (3) business days' notice, Developer shall permit any authorized representative of the City to access to all portions of the Project and the Property during normal business hours for the Term of the Agreement. The covenant in this Section 14.02 shall run with the land.

## SECTION 15. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES

15.01 Events of Default. The occurrence of any one or more of the following events during the Term of this Agreement, subject to the provisions of Section 15.03, shall constitute an "Event of Default" by Developer under this Agreement:

(a) Developer fails to perform, keep or observe any of the covenants, conditions, promises, agreements or obligations of Developer under this Agreement or any related agreement;

(b) Developer fails to perform, keep or observe any of the covenants, conditions, promises, agreements or obligations of Developer under any other agreement with any person or entity if such failure may have a material adverse effect on Developer's business, property, assets, operations or condition, financial or otherwise;

(c) Developer makes or furnishes to the City any written representation, warranty, certificate, schedule, report or other communication within or in connection with this Agreement or any related agreement which is untrue or misleading in any material respect;

(d) except as otherwise permitted under this Agreement, the creation (whether voluntary or involuntary) of, or any attempt by Developer to create, any lien or other encumbrance upon the Property, including any fixtures now or hereafter attached thereto, other than the Permitted Liens and those described in Section 8.01(k), or the making or any attempt to make any levy, seizure or attachment thereof;

(e) the commencement of any proceedings in bankruptcy by or against Developer or for the liquidation or reorganization of Developer, or alleging that Developer is insolvent or unable to pay its debts as they mature, or for the readjustment or arrangement of Developer's debts,

whether under the United States Bankruptcy Code or under any other state or federal law, now or hereafter existing for the relief of debtors, or the commencement of any analogous statutory or non-statutory proceedings involving Developer; provided, however, that if such commencement of proceedings is involuntary, such action shall not constitute an Event of Default unless such proceedings are not dismissed within sixty (60) days after the commencement of such proceedings;

(f) the appointment of a receiver or trustee for Developer, for any substantial part of Developer's assets or the institution of any proceedings for the dissolution, or the full or partial liquidation, or the merger or consolidation, of Developer; provided, however, that if such appointment or commencement of proceedings is involuntary, such action shall not constitute an Event of Default unless such appointment is not revoked or such proceedings are not dismissed within sixty (60) days after the commencement thereof;

(g) any judgment or order is entered against Developer and remains unsatisfied or undischarged and in effect for sixty (60) days after such entry without a stay of enforcement or execution;

(h) an event of default occurs under the Lender Financing, which default is not cured within any applicable cure period;

(i) the dissolution of Developer;

(j) a criminal proceeding (other than a misdemeanor) is instituted in any court against Developer or any natural person who owns a material interest in Developer and is not dismissed within thirty (30) days, or Developer or any natural person who owns a material interest in Developer is indicted for any crime (other than a misdemeanor);

(k) a refinance, sale or transfer of the Project or any part thereof before the expiration of the Term of the Agreement (other than the Permanent Lender refinancing the Lender Financing from the Construction Lender), except with respect to transfers of the Property to a mortgagee under an Existing Mortgage or Permitted Mortgage, a majority of the ownership interests of Developer are sold or transferred without the prior written consent of the City except with respect to (i) the sale, assignment, pledge or transfer of Investor interests in Owner pursuant to the terms of Owner's operating agreement and (ii) the removal of Owner's managing member for cause and replacement therewith with an affiliate of Investor pursuant to the terms of Owner's operating agreement (any transfer pursuant to (i) or (ii) being a permitted transfer that shall not result in a default hereunder);

(l) Developer or any party that is a Controlling Person (defined in Section 1-23-010 of the Municipal Code) with respect to Developer fails to maintain eligibility to do business with the City in violation of Section 1-23-030 of the Municipal Code; such failure shall render this Agreement voidable or subject to termination, at the option of the Chief Procurement Officer; or

(m) failure to provide the City with an Annual Compliance Report within sixty (60) days of when it is due, as set forth in Section 8.20.

For purposes of Sections 15.01(i) and 15.01(j), a person with a material interest in Developer shall be one having a direct or indirect beneficial interest (including ownership) exceeding 10% of Developer's membership interests.

15.02 Remedies. Upon the occurrence and during the continuation of an Event of Default, that is not cured during the time period set forth in Section 15.03 below, the City may terminate this Agreement and any other agreements to which the City and Developer are or shall be parties, suspend disbursement of City Funds, place a lien on the Project in the amount of City Funds paid and/or seek reimbursement from Developer of any City Funds paid, as set forth in this Section 15.02 below. The City may, in any court of competent jurisdiction by any action or proceeding at law or in equity, pursue and secure any available remedy, including but not limited to damages, injunctive relief or the specific performance of the agreements contained in this Agreement.

Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default under Section 15.01(m), Developer shall be obligated to pay to the City the amount of \$10,000 as liquidated damages, and not as a penalty, which such payment shall be required no more often than once per calendar year. Any payment of liquidated damages by Developer shall not relieve Developer of its obligation under Section 8.20.

Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default because of failure to comply with Section 8.22, (Sustainable Development Policy), the City's remedy shall be the right to reduce the amount of City Funds by \$250,000.

For an Event of Default caused by failing to provide the City with an Annual Compliance Report, in addition to any other remedy the City may choose to pursue, Developer shall be required to pay to City \$10,000, as liquidated damages, for each such Event of Default.

Notwithstanding any of the foregoing to the contrary, it is acknowledged and agreed that:

- (a) Any lien placed on the Project pursuant to the foregoing shall be subordinate to the Permanent Lender Mortgage; and
- (b) Without the prior written consent of the Permanent Lender, the City may not (i) commence any action to foreclose such a lien against the Project, (ii) accept a deed or assignment in lieu of foreclosure of such a lien against the Project, (iii) seek or obtain a receiver for the Project or any part or portion thereof; (iv) take possession or control of the Project, or collect or accept any rents from the Project, (v) take any action that would terminate any leases or other rights held by or granted to or by third parties with respect to the Project; (vii) initiate or join any other creditor in commencing any bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, insolvency, liquidation or similar proceedings with respect to the Developer, or (viii) take any other enforcement action against the Developer or against the Project or any part or portion thereof, except for an enforcement action to seek specific performance of the affordability covenants described in Section 8.26 hereof.

15.03 Curative Period. In the event Developer shall fail to perform a monetary covenant which Developer is required to perform under this Agreement, notwithstanding any other provision

of this Agreement to the contrary, an Event of Default shall not be deemed to have occurred unless Developer has failed to perform such monetary covenant within ten (10) days of its receipt of a written notice from the City specifying that it has failed to perform such monetary covenant. In the event Developer shall fail to perform a non-monetary covenant which Developer is required to perform under this Agreement, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, an Event of Default shall not be deemed to have occurred unless Developer has failed to cure such default within thirty (30) days of its receipt of a written notice from the City specifying the nature of the default; provided, however, with respect to those non-monetary defaults which are not capable of being cured within such thirty (30) day period, Developer shall not be deemed to have committed an Event of Default under this Agreement if it has started to cure the alleged default within such thirty (30) day period and thereafter diligently and continuously prosecutes the cure of such default until the same has been cured.

15.04 Right to Cure by Lenders and Investor. In the event that an Event of Default occurs under this Agreement, and if, as a result thereof, the City intends to exercise any right or remedy available to it that could result in the termination of this Agreement and all related agreements or the cancellation, suspension, reimbursement or reduction of City Funds disbursed hereunder, any Lender providing Lender Financing or the Investor shall have the right (but not the obligation) to cure such an Event of Default under the following conditions:

(i) if the Event of Default is a monetary default, Lender or Investor may cure it within 30 days after the later of: (a) the expiration of the cure period, if any, granted to the Developer with respect to such monetary default; or (b) receipt by the Lender or the Investor, as applicable, of such notice from the City; and

(ii) if the Event of Default is of a non-monetary nature, Lender or Investor shall have the right to cure it within 30 days after the later of: (a) the expiration of the cure period, if any, granted to the Developer with respect to such non-monetary default; or (b) receipt of such notice from the City; provided however, that if such non-monetary default is not capable of being cured by the Lenders or the Investor within such 30-day period, such period shall be extended for such period of time as may be necessary, in the City's sole discretion, to cure such default, provided that the party seeking such cure has commenced to cure the alleged default within such thirty (30) day period and thereafter diligently and continuously prosecutes the cure of such default until the same has been cured and, if possession of the Project is necessary to effect such cure, the party seeking such cure must have instituted appropriate legal proceedings to obtain possession.

## SECTION 16. MORTGAGING OF THE PROJECT

All mortgages or deeds of trust in place as of the date of this Agreement with respect to the Property or any portion thereof that were made before or on the date of this Agreement in connection with Lender Financing and which are Permitted Liens are referred to in this Agreement as the "Existing Mortgages." Any mortgage or deed of trust that Developer may hereafter elect to execute and record or permit to be recorded against the Property or any portion thereof is referred to in this Agreement as a "New Mortgage." Any New Mortgage that Developer may hereafter elect to execute and record or permit to be recorded against the Property or any portion thereof with the prior written consent of the City is referred to in this Agreement as a "Permitted Mortgage." For the avoidance of doubt, the Permanent Lender Mortgage is a Permitted Mortgage.

The City and Developer agree as follows:

(a) If a mortgagee or any other party shall succeed to Owner's interest in the Property or any portion thereof pursuant to the exercise of remedies under a New Mortgage (other than a Permitted Mortgage), whether by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure, and in conjunction therewith accepts an assignment of Developer's interest under this Agreement in accordance with Section 18.14 (Assignment), the City may, but shall not be obligated to, attorn to and recognize such party as the successor in interest to Developer for all purposes under this Agreement and, unless so recognized by the City as the successor in interest, such party shall be entitled to no rights or benefits under this Agreement, but such party shall be bound by those provisions of this Agreement that are covenants expressly running with the land.

(b) If any mortgagee or other party shall succeed to Developer's interest in the Property or any portion thereof pursuant to the exercise of remedies under an Existing Mortgage or a Permitted Mortgage, whether by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure, and in conjunction therewith accepts an assignment of Developer's interest under this Agreement in accordance with Section 18.14 (Assignment), the City hereby agrees to attorn to and recognize such party as the successor in interest to Developer for all purposes under this Agreement so long as such party accepts all of the obligations and liabilities of "Developer" under this Agreement; provided, however, that, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, it is understood and agreed that if such party accepts an assignment of Developer's interest under this Agreement, such party has no liability under this Agreement for any Event of Default of Developer which accrued before such party succeeded to the interest of Developer under this Agreement, in which case Developer shall be solely responsible (including, without limitation, with respect to the reimbursement of City Funds paid). However, if such party does not expressly accept an assignment of Developer's interest under this Agreement, such party shall be entitled to no rights and benefits under this Agreement, and such party shall be bound only by those provisions of this Agreement, if any, which are covenants expressly running with the land; provided, however, that, such party shall have no liability under this Agreement for any Event of Default of Developer which accrued prior to the time such party acquired the Property by foreclosure or deed in lieu of foreclosure, in which case Developer shall be solely responsible (including, without limitation, with respect to the reimbursement of City Funds paid).

(c) Before the City issues a Certificate under Section 7, Developer shall not execute a New Mortgage with respect to the Property or any portion of the Property without the prior written consent of the Commissioner of DPD.

## SECTION 17. NOTICE

Unless otherwise specified, any notice, demand or request required under this Agreement shall be given in writing at the addresses set forth below, by any of the following means: (a) personal service; (b) telecopy or facsimile; (c) overnight courier, or (d) registered or certified mail, return receipt requested.

<p><b>If to the City:</b></p> <p>City of Chicago  Department of Planning and Development  121 North LaSalle Street, Room 1000  Chicago, Illinois 60602  Attention: Commissioner</p>	<p><b>If to Developer:</b></p> <p>Heart of Uptown Apartments LLC  c/o Heart of Uptown Apartments MM LLC  2 Oliver Street, Suite 500  Boston, MA 02109  Attn: General Counsel  Tele: 617-449-0866 / Fax: 617-261-6661  Email: <a href="mailto:generalcounsel@poah.org">generalcounsel@poah.org</a></p>
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<p><b>With Copies To:</b></p> <p>City of Chicago  Department of Law  121 North LaSalle Street, Room 600  Chicago, Illinois 60602  Attention: Finance and Economic Development Division</p>	<p><b>With Copies To:</b></p> <p>Applegate &amp; Thorne-Thomsen, P.C.  425 S. Financial Place, Suite 1900  Chicago, Illinois 60605  Attn: Diane K. Corbett, Esq.  Tele: 312-491-4401 / Fax: 312-491-4411  Email: <a href="mailto:dcorbett@att-law.com">dcorbett@att-law.com</a></p> <p><b>And with copies to Owner's Investor:</b></p> <p>BF Heart of Uptown, LLC  c/o Boston Financial Investment Management, LP  225 Franklin Street, 28th Floor  Boston, MA 02110</p> <p><b>With copies to:</b></p> <p>Kutak Rock, LLP  1650 Farnam Street  Omaha, Nebraska 68102  Attn: Shane Deaver, Esq.</p>
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	<p>And to Permanent Lender:</p> <p>Zions Bancorporation, National Assn. 111 West Washington Street, Suite 1860 Chicago, Illinois 60602</p> <p>With copies to:</p> <p>R4 Servicer, LLC 155 Federal Street, Suite 1400 Boston, Massachusetts 02110 Attention: Greg Doble and Shannon Chase</p> <p>Kutak Rock LLP Two Logan Square 100 North 18th Street, Suite 1920 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103 Attention: Andrew P. Schmutz, Esquire</p>
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Such addresses may be changed by notice to the other parties given in the same manner provided above. Any notice, demand, or request sent pursuant to either clause (a) or (b) hereof shall be deemed received upon such personal service or upon dispatch. Any notice, demand or request sent pursuant to clause (c) shall be deemed received on the day immediately following deposit with the overnight courier and any notices, demands or requests sent pursuant to subsection (d) shall be deemed received two (2) business days following deposit in the mail.

## SECTION 18. MISCELLANEOUS

18.01 Amendment. This Agreement and its Exhibits may not be amended or modified without the prior written consent of the parties to this Agreement except as otherwise set forth herein; provided, however, that the City, in its sole discretion, may amend, modify, or supplement the Redevelopment Plan without the consent of any party to this Agreement. No material amendment or change to this Agreement shall be made or be effective unless ratified or authorized by an ordinance duly adopted by the City Council. The term "material" for the purpose of this Section 18.01 shall be defined as any deviation from the terms of the Agreement which operates to cancel or otherwise reduce any developmental, construction or job-creating obligations of Developer (including those set forth in Sections 10.02 and 10.03) by more than five percent (5%) or materially changes the Project site or character of the Project or any activities undertaken by Developer affecting the Project site, the Project, or both, or increases any time agreed for performance by Developer by more than ninety (90) days.

18.02 Entire Agreement. This Agreement (including each Exhibit attached to this Agreement, which is hereby incorporated into this Agreement by reference) constitutes the entire

agreement between the parties to this Agreement and it supersedes all prior agreements, negotiations, and discussions between the parties relative to the subject matter of this Agreement.

18.03 Limitation of Liability. No member, official or employee of the City shall be personally liable to Developer or any successor in interest in the event of any default or breach by the City or for any amount which may become due to Developer from the City or any successor in interest or on any obligation under the terms of this Agreement.

18.04 Further Assurances. Developer agrees to take such actions, including the execution and delivery of such documents, instruments, petitions and certifications as may become necessary or appropriate to carry out the terms, provisions and intent of this Agreement.

18.05 Waiver. Waiver by the City or Developer with respect to any breach of this Agreement shall not be considered or treated as a waiver of the rights of the respective party with respect to any other default or with respect to any particular default, except to the extent specifically waived by the City or Developer in writing. No delay or omission on the part of a party in exercising any right shall operate as a waiver of such right or any other right unless pursuant to the specific terms of this Agreement. A waiver by a party of a provision of this Agreement shall not prejudice or constitute a waiver of such party's right otherwise to demand strict compliance with that provision or any other provision of this Agreement. No prior waiver by a party, nor any course of dealing between the parties to this Agreement, shall constitute a waiver of any such parties' rights or of any obligations of any other party to this Agreement as to any future transactions.

18.06 Remedies Cumulative. The remedies of a party under this Agreement are cumulative and the exercise of any one or more of the remedies provided for in this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any other remedies of such party unless specifically so provided in this Agreement.

18.07 Disclaimer. Nothing contained in this Agreement nor any act of the City shall be deemed or construed by any of the parties, or by any third person, to create or imply any relationship of third-party beneficiary, principal or agent, limited or general partnership or joint venture, or to create or imply any association or relationship involving the City.

18.08 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same agreement.

18.09 Severability. If any provision in this Agreement, or any paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, word or the application thereof, in any circumstance, is held invalid, this Agreement shall be construed as if such invalid part were never included in this Agreement and the remainder of this Agreement shall be and remain valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

18.10 Conflict. In the event of a conflict between any provisions of this Agreement and the provisions of the TIF Ordinances, such ordinance(s) shall prevail and control.



18.11 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of Illinois, without regard to its conflicts of law principles.

18.12 Form of Documents. All documents required by this Agreement to be submitted, delivered or furnished to the City shall be in form and content satisfactory to the City.

18.13 Approval. Wherever this Agreement provides for the approval or consent of the City, DPD or the Commissioner, or any matter is to be to the City's, DPD's or the Commissioner's satisfaction, unless specifically stated to the contrary, such approval, consent or satisfaction shall be made, given, or determined by the City, DPD or the Commissioner in writing and in the reasonable discretion thereof. The Commissioner or other person designated by the Mayor of the City shall act for the City or DPD in making all approvals, consents, and determinations of satisfaction, granting the Certificate or otherwise administering this Agreement for the City.

18.14 Assignment. Except as expressly permitted elsewhere in this Agreement, Developer may not sell, assign, or otherwise transfer its interest in this Agreement in whole or in part without the written consent of the City. Any successor in interest to Developer under this Agreement shall certify in writing to the City its agreement to abide by all remaining executory terms of this Agreement, as described in Section 7.02 (Effect of Issuance of Certificate; Continuing Obligations), for the Term of the Agreement. Developer consents to the City's sale, transfer, assignment, or other disposal of this Agreement at any time in whole or in part.

18.15 Binding Effect. This Agreement shall be binding upon Developer, the City and their respective successors and permitted assigns (as provided in this Agreement) and shall inure to the benefit of Developer, the City and their respective successors and permitted assigns (as provided in this Agreement). Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, this Agreement shall not run to the benefit of, or be enforceable by, any person or entity other than a party to this Agreement and its successors and permitted assigns. This Agreement should not be deemed to confer upon third parties any remedy, claim, right of reimbursement or other right.

18.16 Force Majeure. Neither the City nor Developer nor any successor in interest to either of them shall be considered in breach of or in default of its obligations under this Agreement in the event of any delay caused by damage or destruction by fire or other casualty, strike, shortage of material, epidemic or pandemic, unusually adverse weather conditions such as, by way of illustration and not limitation, severe rain storms or below freezing temperatures of abnormal degree or for an abnormal duration, tornadoes or cyclones, and other events or conditions beyond the reasonable control of the party affected which in fact interferes with the ability of such party to discharge its obligations under this Agreement. The individual or entity relying on this section with respect to any such delay shall, upon the occurrence of the event causing such delay, immediately give written notice to the other parties to this Agreement. The individual or entity relying on this section with respect to any such delay may rely on this section only to the extent of the actual number of days of delay effected by any such events described above.

18.17 Business Economic Support Act. Pursuant to the Business Economic Support Act (30 ILCS 760/1 et seq.), if Developer is required to provide notice under the WARN Act, Developer

shall, in addition to the notice required under the WARN Act, provide at the same time a copy of the WARN Act notice to the Governor of the State, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the House of Representatives of the State, the President and minority Leader of the Senate of State, and the Mayor of each municipality where Developer has locations in the State. Failure by Developer to provide such notice as described above may result in the termination of all or a part of the payment or reimbursement obligations of the City set forth in this Agreement.

18.18 Venue and Consent to Jurisdiction. If there is a lawsuit under this Agreement, each party to this Agreement agrees to submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of Cook County, the State of Illinois, and the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

18.19 Costs and Expenses. In addition to and not in limitation of the other provisions of this Agreement, Developer agrees to pay upon demand the City's out-of-pocket expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, incurred in connection with the enforcement of the provisions of this Agreement. This includes, subject to any limits under applicable law, reasonable attorney's fees and legal expenses, whether or not there is a lawsuit, including attorney's fees for bankruptcy proceedings (including efforts to modify or vacate any automatic stay or injunction), appeals and any anticipated post-judgment collection services. Developer also will pay any court costs, in addition to all other sums provided by law.

18.20 Business Relationships. Developer acknowledges (A) receipt of a copy of Section 2-156-030 (b) of the Municipal Code, (B) that Developer has read such provision and understands that pursuant to such Section 2-156-030 (b), it is illegal for any elected official of the City, or any person acting at the direction of such official, to contact, either orally or in writing, any other City official or employee with respect to any matter involving any person with whom the elected City official or employee has a business relationship that creates a "Financial Interest" (as defined in Section 2-156-010 of the Municipal Code)(a "Financial Interest"), or to participate in any discussion in any City Council committee hearing or in any City Council meeting or to vote on any matter involving any person with whom the elected City official or employee has a business relationship that creates a Financial Interest, or to participate in any discussion in any City Council committee hearing or in any City Council meeting or to vote on any matter involving the person with whom an elected official has a business relationship that creates a Financial Interest, and (C) that a violation of Section 2-156-030 (b) by an elected official, or any person acting at the direction of such official, with respect to any transaction contemplated by this Agreement shall be grounds for termination of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby. Developer hereby represents and warrants that, to the best of its knowledge after due inquiry, no violation of Section 2-156-030 (b) has occurred with respect to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to this Agreement have caused this Agreement to be executed on or as of the day and year first above written.

**OWNER:**

HEART OF UPTOWN APARTMENTS LLC,  
an Illinois limited liability company

By: HEART OF UPTOWN APARTMENTS MM LLC,  
an Illinois limited liability company, its manager

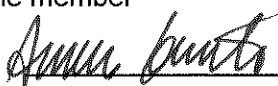
By: PRESERVATION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING,  
INC., an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, its manager

By:   
Name: Aaron Gornstein  
Title: President and CEO  
Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc.

**POAH:**

POAH TIF LLC, an Illinois limited liability company,

By: Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc.,  
an Illinois not-for-profit corporation,  
its sole member

By:   
Name: Aaron Gornstein  
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Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc.

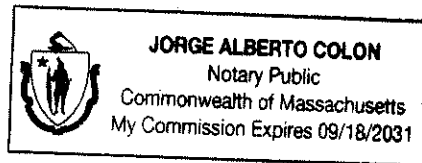
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through its Department of Planning and Development~~

~~By: Ciere Boatright, Commissioner~~

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS )  
COUNTY OF Suffolk ) ss.  
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On this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024, before me, the undersigned notary public, Aaron Gornstein, personally appeared, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which was my personal knowledge, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that ~~s/he~~ signed it voluntarily, as the President & CEO of Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc., the manager of Heart of Uptown Apartments MM LLC, the manager of Heart of Uptown Apartments LLC, for its stated purpose as the voluntary act of Heart of Uptown Apartments LLC.

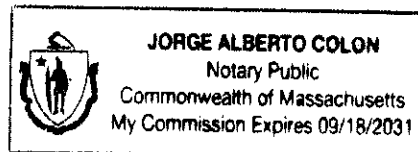
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Notary Public  
My commission expires: Sept. 18, 2031



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS )  
COUNTY OF Suffolk ) ss.  
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On this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024, before me, the undersigned notary public, Aaron Gornstein, personally appeared, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which was my personal knowledge, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that ~~s/he~~ signed it voluntarily, as the President & CEO of Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc., the sole member of POAH TIF LLC, for its stated purpose as the voluntary act of POAH TIF LLC.

[Signature]  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: Sept. 18, 2031



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By: HEART OF UPTOWN APARTMENTS MM LLC,  
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By: PRESERVATION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING,  
INC., an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, its manager

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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By: Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc.,  
an Illinois not-for-profit corporation,  
its sole member

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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CITY OF CHICAGO, a municipal corporation, by and  
through its Department of Planning and Development

By:   
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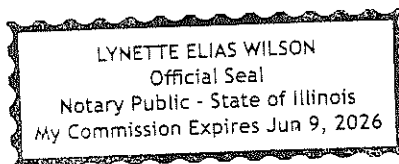
STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF COOK )

I, LYNETTE ELIAS WILSON, a notary public in and for the said County, in the State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Ciere Boatright, personally known to me to be the Commissioner of the Department of Planning and Development of the City of Chicago (the "City"), and personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that she signed, sealed, and delivered said instrument pursuant to the authority given to her by the City, as her free and voluntary act and as the free and voluntary act of the City, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal this 19th day of December, 2024

Lynette Elias Wilson  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires June 9, 2026



## **Exhibit A**

### **Legal Description of the Property**

#### **PARCEL 1:**

LOTS 13 AND 14 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 266 TO 273, BOTH INCLUSIVE AND LOTS 1 TO 4 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 274 AND 275 AND VACATED STREET BETWEEN SAID LOTS, AND LOTS 276 TO 283, INCLUSIVE OF WILLIAM DEERING SURRENDEN SUBDIVISION IN THE WEST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 4431-41 NORTH CLIFTON AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60640

PIN: 14-17-217-012-0000

#### **PARCEL 2:**

LOT 4 IN PRUITT AND MOORE'S RESUBDIVISION OF LOT 3 (EXCEPT WEST 70 FEET) IN RUFUS C. HALL'S SUBDIVISION TOGETHER WITH LOT 5 (EXCEPT THE WEST 30 FEET) IN H.J. WALLINGFORD'S SUBDIVISION OF 15 RODS SOUTH AND ADJOINING THE NORTH 95 RODS IN THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 900-02 WEST WINDSOR AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60640

PIN: 14-17-220-017-0000

#### **PARCEL 3:**

THE EAST 50 FEET OF THE WEST 150 FEET OF LOT 2 IN RUFUS C. HALL'S SUBDIVISION OF THE 15 RODS SOUTH OF AND ADJOINING THE NORTH 80 RODS OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 927 WEST WILSON AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60640

PIN: 14-17-220-005-0000

#### **PARCEL 4:**

THE EAST 125 FEET OF LOT 35 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF BLOCK 6 OF BUENA PARK AND THE WEST 205 FEET OF LOTS 18 AND 21 OF INGLEHART'S SUBDIVISION OF THE WEST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 4130 NORTH KENMORE AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60613

PIN: 14-17-401-028-0000

**PARCEL 5:**

THE EAST 40 FEET OF LOT 35 IN A.T. GALT'S SHERIDAN ROAD SUBDIVISION OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 847-849 WEST SUNNYSIDE AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60640

PIN: 14-17-227-002-0000



## **Exhibit B**

### **Project Budgets (Project Budget, MBE/WBE Budget and TIF-Funded Improvements)<sup>1</sup>**

(attached)

Notwithstanding the total of TIF-Funded Improvements or the amount of TIF-eligible costs, the assistance to be provided by the City is limited to the amount described in Section 4.03.

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<sup>1</sup> The MBE/WBE budget is an estimate calculated as of the Closing Date. The final percentages will be based on the final hard construction costs of the Project.

## Project Budget:

Line Item	Amount
Building Cost	8,880,000
Land Cost	4,120,000
Net Construction Costs	22,063,074
General Conditions	1,323,784
Overhead	441,261
Profit	1,323,784
Furniture, Fixtures, & Equip't	275,000
Building Permits	186,329
GC Insurance	288,347
Contingency	2,515,191
Architect - Design	831,637
Architect - Supervision	554,425
Engineering Fees	137,000
PNA Report	81,745
Aa-Ia Plats & Surveys	50,000
Accountant - General	80,000
Legal - Organizational	337,500
Legal - Syndication	45,000
Consultant - Historic	55,363
Appraisal	16,000
Market Study	6,500
Phase I Environ. Report	138,400
Title & Recording Fees	239,837
Other Professional Fees	77,163
Tax Credit Issuer Fees	226,237
Application Fees	3,061
Construction Points	171,374
Perm Loan Points	80,000
Lender Legal Fees	283,500
Bond - Trustee	9,200
Bond - Bond Counsel	81,500
Bond - Other	668,200
Construction Interest	1,710,000
Other Lender Fees	1,862,205
Liability Insurance	220,631
Leasing Personnel	60,000
Other Tenant Relocation	1,965,000
Developer Fee	1,875,000
Deferred Developer Fee	2,000,000
Insurance Reserve	136,819
Property Tax Reserve	69,107
Operating Reserve	475,571
Replacement Reserve	103,000
Other Tenant Services	7,000
	<b>56,074,745</b>

## MBE/WBE Budget

<b>MBE/WBE BUDGET</b>	
<b>Project MBE/WBE Total Budgets</b>	<b>\$ 22,063,073</b>
<b>Project MBE Total at 26%</b>	<b>\$ 5,736,399</b>
<b>Project WBE Total at 6%</b>	<b>\$ 1,323,784</b>

## TIF Eligible Improvements

<b>TIF-FUNDED IMPROVEMENTS</b>			
<b>Category</b>	<b>Project Budget*</b>	<b>% TIF Eligible</b>	<b>TIF Eligible Cost</b>
Land Acquisition	\$ 4,120,000		\$ -
Public Works or Site Improvements	\$ -		\$ -
Affordable Housing Unit Hard Costs	\$ 25,151,903	85%	\$ 21,379,118
Environmental Remediation	\$ -	100%	\$ -
<b>Eligible Soft Costs (Constr. Related)</b>			
Architect-Design	\$ 831,637	85%	\$ 706,891
Architect-Supervision	\$ 554,425	85%	\$ 471,261
Engineer	\$ 137,000	85%	\$ 116,450
Soft Interest	\$ 1,710,000	85%	\$ 1,453,500
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 24,127,220</b>

**Exhibit C**  
**Requisition Form**

STATE OF ILLINOIS   )  
                                  ) SS  
COUNTY OF COOK    )

The affiant, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, a  
\_\_\_\_\_ (the "Developer"), hereby certifies that with respect to the  
\_\_\_\_\_ Redevelopment Agreement between Developer and the City of Chicago  
dated \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Agreement"):

A. Expenditures for the Project, in the total amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, have  
been made.

B. This paragraph B sets forth and is a true and complete statement of all costs of  
TIF-Funded Improvements for the Project reimbursed by the City to date:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

C. Developer requests reimbursement for the following cost of TIF-Funded  
Improvements:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

D. None of the costs referenced in paragraph C above have been previously  
reimbursed by the City.

E. Developer hereby certifies to the City that, as of the date hereof:

1. Except as described in the attached certificate, the representations and  
warranties contained in the Agreement are true and correct and Developer is in compliance with  
all applicable covenants contained in the Agreement.

2. No event of Default or condition or event which, with the giving of notice or  
passage of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default, exists or has occurred.

All capitalized terms which are not defined in this Requisition Form has the meanings  
given such terms in the Agreement.

POAH TIF LLC,  
an Illinois limited liability company,

By: Preservation of Affordable Housing, Inc.,  
an Illinois not-for-profit corporation,  
its sole member

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Agreed and accepted:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
City of Chicago  
Department of Planning and Development

**Exhibit D**

**[List of Prior Expenditures]**

None

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD  
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CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Brandon Johnson, Mayor  
Members of the City Council  
City of Chicago, Illinois

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project of the City of Chicago, Illinois, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Project's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project of the City of Chicago, Illinois, as of December 31, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the City of Chicago, Illinois, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Emphasis of Matter**

As described in Note 1, the financial statements of the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project, City of Chicago, Illinois, are intended to present the financial position and the changes in financial position, of only that portion of the special revenue funds of the City of Chicago, Illinois that is attributable to the transactions of the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project. They do not purport to, and do not, present the financial position of the City of Chicago, Illinois, as of December 31, 2024 and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

### **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery,

intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Chicago's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

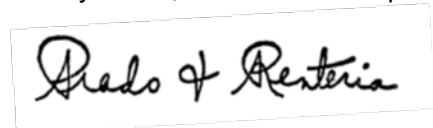
We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

### **Required Supplementary Information**

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

### **Supplementary Information**

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project's basic financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures by Statutory Code is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, such information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.



June 27, 2025

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
(UNAUDITED)

As management of the Wilson Yard Tax Increment Redevelopment Project Area (Project), we offer the readers of the Project's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the Project's financial performance for the year ended December 31, 2024. Please read it in conjunction with the Project's financial statements, which follow this section.

*Overview of the Financial Statements*

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Project's basic financial statements. The Project's basic financial statements include three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) governmental fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information concerning the Project's expenditures by statutory code.

*Basic Financial Statements*

The basic financial statements include two kinds of financial statements that present different views of the Project – the *Government-Wide Financial Statements* and the *Governmental Fund Financial Statements*. These financial statements also include the notes to the financial statements that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detail.

*Government-Wide Financial Statements*

The government-wide financial statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the Project's financial status and use accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes all of the project's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the statement of activities regardless of when cash is received or paid. The two government-wide statements report the Project's net position and how they have changed. Net position – the difference between the Project's assets and liabilities – is one way to measure the Project's financial health, or position.

*Governmental Fund Financial Statements*

The governmental fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the Project's significant funds – not the Project as a whole. Governmental funds focus on: 1) how cash and other financial assets can readily be converted to cash flows and 2) the year-end balances that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Project. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, we provide additional information at the bottom of the statements to explain the relationship (or differences) between them.

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WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
(UNAUDITED)  
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*Notes to the Financial Statements*

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and governmental fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements follow the basic financial statements.

*Other Supplementary Information*

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents a schedule of expenditures by statutory code. This supplementary information follows the notes to the financial statements.

*Condensed Comparative Financial Statements*

The condensed comparative financial statements are presented on the following page.

*Analysis of Overall Financial Position and Results of Operations*

Property tax revenue for the Project was \$15,341,809 for the year. This was a decrease of 13 percent over the prior year. The change in net position (including other financing uses) produced an increase in net position of \$11,048,320. The Project's net position increased by 30 percent from the prior year making available \$42,746,754 (net of surplus distribution) of funding to be provided for purposes of future redevelopment in the Project's designated area. Expenses decreased this year due to the Project's formulation of a redevelopment plan or necessary funding was not substantially complete or available.

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
(UNAUDITED)  
(Concluded)

Government-Wide

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Total assets	\$ 47,937,079	\$ 39,897,375	\$ 8,039,704	20%
Total liabilities	<u>246,312</u>	<u>3,254,928</u>	<u>(3,008,616)</u>	-92%
Total net position	<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>	<u>\$ 36,642,447</u>	<u>\$ 11,048,320</u>	30%
Total revenues	\$ 15,685,856	\$ 17,475,074	\$ (1,789,218)	-10%
Total expenses	<u>299,335</u>	<u>12,664,517</u>	<u>(12,365,182)</u>	-98%
Other financing (uses) sources	<u>(4,338,201)</u>	<u>10,269,836</u>	<u>(14,608,037)</u>	-142%
Changes in net position	<u>11,048,320</u>	<u>15,080,393</u>	<u>(4,032,073)</u>	-27%
Ending net position	<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>	<u>\$ 36,642,447</u>	<u>\$ 11,048,320</u>	30%

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND  
GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE SHEET  
DECEMBER 31, 2024

<u>A S S E T S</u>	Governmental Fund	Adjustments	Statement of Net Position
Cash and investments	\$ 32,900,100	\$ -	\$ 32,900,100
Property taxes receivable	14,926,323	-	14,926,323
Accrued interest receivable	110,656	-	110,656
Total assets	<u>\$ 47,937,079</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 47,937,079</u>
<u>LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS</u>			
Vouchers payable	\$ 39,345	\$ -	\$ 39,345
Due to other City funds	161,124	-	161,124
Other accrued liability	45,843	-	45,843
Total liabilities	<u>246,312</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>246,312</u>
Deferred inflows	12,637,678	(12,637,678)	-
<u>FUND BALANCE/NET POSITION</u>			
Fund balance:			
Restricted for surplus distribution (Note 2)	4,944,013	(4,944,013)	-
Restricted for future redevelopment project costs	<u>30,109,076</u>	<u>(30,109,076)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total fund balance	<u>35,053,089</u>	<u>(35,053,089)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balance	<u>\$ 47,937,079</u>		
Net position:			
Restricted for surplus distribution (Note 2)		4,944,013	4,944,013
Restricted for future redevelopment project costs		<u>42,746,754</u>	<u>42,746,754</u>
Total net position		<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>	<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Total fund balance - governmental fund	\$ 35,053,089
Property tax revenue is recognized in the period for which levied rather than when "available". A portion of the deferred property tax revenue is not available.	<u>12,637,678</u>
Total net position - governmental activities	<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND GOVERNMENTAL FUND REVENUES, EXPENDITURES  
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

	<u>Governmental Fund</u>	<u>Adjustments</u>	<u>Statement of Activities</u>
Revenues:			
Property tax	\$ 15,006,653	\$ 335,156	\$ 15,341,809
Interest	344,047	-	344,047
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Total revenues	15,350,700	335,156	15,685,856
Expenditures/expenses:			
Economic development projects	299,335	-	299,335
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Excess of revenues over expenditures	15,051,365	335,156	15,386,521
Other financing uses:			
Surplus distribution (Note 2)	(4,338,201)	-	(4,338,201)
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Excess of revenues over expenditures and other financing uses	10,713,164	(10,713,164)	-
Change in net position	-	11,048,320	11,048,320
Fund balance/net position:			
Beginning of year	24,339,925	12,302,522	36,642,447
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End of year	<u>\$ 35,053,089</u>	<u>\$ 12,637,678</u>	<u>\$ 47,690,767</u>

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Net change in fund balance - governmental fund	\$ 10,713,164
Property tax revenue is recognized in the period for which levied rather than when "available". A portion of the deferred property tax revenue is not available.	<hr/> 335,156
Change in net position - governmental activities	<u>\$ 11,048,320</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) *Reporting Entity*

In June 2001, the City of Chicago (City) established the Wilson Yard Tax Increment Redevelopment Project Area (Project). The area has been established to finance improvements, leverage private investment and create and retain jobs. The Project is accounted for within the special revenue funds of the City.

The financial statements present only the activities of the Wilson Yard Tax Increment Redevelopment Project and do not purport to present the financial position and the changes in financial position of any other special revenue funds of the City of Chicago, Illinois, as of December 31, 2024 and for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

(b) *Accounting Policies*

The accounting policies of the Project are based upon accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

(c) *Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements*

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) and the governmental fund financial statements (i.e., the balance sheet and the statement of governmental fund revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance) report information on the Project. See Note 1(a).

(d) *Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statements Presentation*

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied.

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting* with only current assets and liabilities included on the balance sheet. Under *the modified accrual basis of accounting*, revenues are recorded when susceptible to accrual, i.e., both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Property taxes are susceptible to accrual and recognized as a receivable in the year levied. Revenue recognition is deferred unless the taxes are received within 60 days subsequent to year-end. Expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred.



CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
(Continued)

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

(d) *Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statements Presentation (Concluded)*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from these estimates.

(e) *Assets, Liabilities and Net Position*

*Cash and Investments*

Cash being held by the City is generally deposited with the City Treasurer as required by the Municipal Code of Chicago. The City Comptroller issues warrants for authorized City expenditures which represent a claim for payment when presented to the City Treasurer. Payment for all City warrants clearing is made by checks drawn on the City's various operating bank accounts.

The City Treasurer and City Comptroller share responsibility for investing in authorized investments. Interest earned and fair market value adjustments on pooled investments are allocated to participating funds based on their average combined cash and investment balances. Since investment income is derived from pooled investments, the fair value measurement and fair value hierarchy disclosures of GASB 72 will not be separately presented in a note disclosure.

The City values its investments at fair value or amortized cost. U.S. Government securities purchased at a price other than par with a maturity of less than one year are recognized at amortized cost.

*Deferred Inflows*

Deferred inflows represent deferred property tax revenue amounts to be recognized as revenue in future years in the governmental fund financial statements.

*Capital Assets*

Capital assets are not capitalized in the governmental fund but, instead, are charged as current expenditures when purchased. The Government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) of the City includes the capital assets and related depreciation, if any, of the Project in which ownership of the capital asset will remain with the City (i.e., infrastructure, or municipal building). All other construction will be expensed in both the government-wide financial statements and the governmental fund as the City nor Project will retain the right of ownership.

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
(Concluded)

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Concluded)

(f) *Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability*

*Illinois Tax Increment Redevelopment Allocation Act Compliance*

The Project's expenditures include reimbursements for various eligible costs as described in subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 of the Illinois Tax Increment Redevelopment Allocation Act and the Redevelopment Agreement relating specifically to the Project. Eligible costs include but are not limited to survey, property assembly, rehabilitation, public infrastructure, financing and relocation costs.

The maximum reimbursable amount is set forth in each agreement. If the total project cost is lower than the project budget established in the agreement, the reimbursable amount will be prorated.

Note 2 – Surplus Distribution

In December 2023, the City declared a surplus within the fund balance of the Project in the amount of \$4,338,201. In April 2024, the surplus funds were sent to the Cook County Treasurer's Office to be redistributed to the various taxing agencies.

In December 2024, the City declared a surplus within the fund balance of the Project in the amount of \$4,944,013. In March 2025, the surplus funds were sent to the Cook County Treasurer's Office to be redistributed to the various taxing agencies.

Note 3 – Tax Abatement Agreement

GASB Statement No. 77, Tax Abatement Disclosures ("GASB 77"), requires governments that enter into tax abatement agreements to disclose: (1) brief descriptive information concerning the agreement; (2) the gross dollar amount of taxes abated during the period; and (3) commitments made by government, other than to abate taxes, that are part of the tax abatement agreement.

The City uses tax increment financing to pay for (or reimburse) developers for the costs of the TIF funded improvements pursuant to the terms and conditions of the redevelopment agreement entered into by the City and the developer.

Under the terms of a redevelopment agreement, the Project paid a developer \$38,500 during the year ended December 31, 2024.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS  
WILSON YARD REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES BY STATUTORY CODE

Code Description

Costs of studies, surveys, development of plans and specifications, implementation and administration of the redevelopment plan including but not limited to staff and professional service costs for architectural, engineering, legal, marketing	\$ 179,835
Costs of rehabilitation, reconstruction or repair or remodeling of existing public or private buildings and fixtures	<u>119,500</u>
	<u><u>\$ 299,335</u></u>

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

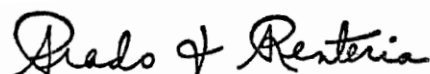
The Honorable Brandon Johnson, Mayor  
Members of the City Council  
City of Chicago, Illinois

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial statements of Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project of the City of Chicago, Illinois, which comprise the statement of net position and governmental fund balance sheet as of December 31, 2024, and the related statement of activities and governmental fund revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and we have issued our report thereon dated June 27, 2025.

In connection with our audit, nothing came to our attention that caused us to believe that the Project failed to comply with the regulatory provisions in Subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 of the Illinois Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act and Subsection (o) of Section 11-74.6-10 of the Illinois Industrial Jobs Recovery Law as they relate to the eligibility for costs incurred incidental to the implementation of the Wilson Yard Redevelopment Project of the City of Chicago, Illinois.

However, our audit was not directed primarily toward obtaining knowledge of such noncompliance. Accordingly, had we performed additional procedures, other matters may have come to our attention regarding the Project's noncompliance with the above referenced regulatory provisions, insofar as they relate to accounting matters.

This report is intended for the information of the City of Chicago's management. However, this report is a matter of public record, and its distribution is not limited.



June 27, 2025