# CITY MANAGER AND/OR MAYOR'S REVIEW AND SIGNATURE REQUEST COVERSHEET 1) ORIGINATATING OFFICES (Charter/Department): Routing Start Date: 5-19-7 ■ Agenda Item □ Non-Agenda Charter Ofc: CAO Router Name: Erica K. Ext: 6088 Department: Router Name: CAM #: 25-0449 Item #: D-Z Commission Mtg. Date: 4-15-25 **Document Title:** Satisfaction of Mortgage-Retcher Progresso 837, LLC CAM attached: □Yes □No Action Summary attached: □Yes □No CIP FUNDED: ■ YES □ NO Capital Investment / Community Improvement Project defined as having a life of at least 10 years and a cost of at least \$50,000 and shall mean improvements to real property (land, buildings, or fixtures) that add value and/or extend useful life, including major repairs such as roof replacement, etc. Term "real property" include land, real estate, realty or real. 2) CITY ATTORNEY OFFICE (CAO): Documents to be signed/routed? ■ Yes □ No Is the attached Granicus document Final? ■Yes □No Number of originals attached: 1 Attorney's Name: Lynn Solomon Approved as to Form: ■Yes □No Initials: ( Continue Routing To: FIN (if applicable) Date: and then to CCO Date: 3) CITY CLERK OFFICE (CCO): Clerk Initials: Routed to Dept/Charter Ofc.: \_\_ Date: 4) CITY MANAGER OFFICE (CMO): Received From: Date: 5 TO ACM/AcACM: S. Grant A. Fajardo B. Rogers, C. Cooper L. Reece Date: 2/2/2 Comments/Questions for continuous routing to Manager/Executive Director Rickelle Williams. CMO Log Out & Forward to CCO, Date: for continuous routing to the Mayor. 5) MAYOR/CRA CHAIRMAN: **Date Received:** Date to CCO: Please sign as indicated and forward the originals to the City Clerk's Office for a final processing and review of attestation and/or seal, if applicable. 6) INSTRUCTIONS TO CITY CLERK'S OFFICE: Please retain a scan record copy and forward originals to: Dept.: CAO \*Name: EQICO 1/2 Contact # COSS \*Please scan the record copy to the City Clerk once review and sign at the last level of government (Federal, State, County) is complete.

\_\_\_Attach certified Resolution #\_\_\_\_\_ \Boxed Yes \Boxed No Original form route to CAO

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#25-0449

TO:

CRA Chairman & Board of Commissioners

Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency

FROM:

Rickelle Williams, CRA Executive Director

DATE:

April 15, 2025

TITLE:

Resolution Adopting a Policy for the Issuance of Satisfaction of Mortgages, Full and Partial Releases, Releases of Restrictive Covenants and Other Instruments for the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Community Redevelopment Area and the Central City Community Redevelopment Area; Authorizing the Executive Director to Execute Any and All Related Instruments; and Delegating Authority to the Executive Director to Take

Certain Actions - (Commission Districts 2 and 3)

### Recommendation

Staff recommends the Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) Board of Commissioners approve a Resolution adopting a policy for the issuance of satisfaction of mortgages, full and partial releases, releases of restrictive covenants and other instruments for the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights (NPF) Community Redevelopment Area and the Central City Community Redevelopment Area; authorize the Executive Director to execute any and all related instruments; and delegate authority to the Executive Director to take certain actions.

## **Background**

Pursuant to the Redevelopment Plans for the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Community Redevelopment Area and the Central City Community Redevelopment Area, the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency has adopted several economic incentives which provide funding for qualified projects and has donated land for affordable and workforce housing projects. These incentives are typically forgivable loans which expire over time or after certain community benefits or deliverables are met.

In most instances, funding under the programs is secured by mortgages which require a satisfaction of mortgage after the conditions for satisfaction are met. Under these programs, restrictive covenants are recorded on real property to provide for community benefits such as affordable housing or discounts on market rate rents for commercial tenants. In addition, there are CRA housing programs that have residency requirements for eligible homeowners and as the residency requirement is met, the eligible homeowner is entitled to receive a satisfaction of mortgage and/or a release of the restrictive covenant(s).

The proposed policy authorizes, empowers, and directs to issue satisfaction of mortgages, full or partial releases, releases of restrictive covenants or other instruments as appropriate to the transaction by the CRA Executive Director, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Review, by staff, of signed copies of the Note, Recorded Mortgage, Recorded Restrictive Covenant and other appropriate documents;
- 2. Identification of the "Deliverable", and/or "Community Benefit";
- 3. Certification from staff that the Deliverable or Community Benefit has been met;
- 4. Certification by the Developer or homeowner, in the form of an affidavit, that the "Deliverable" or "Community Benefit" has been met;
- 5. Copy of the Certificate of Completion and/or Certificate of Occupancy, as applicable;
- 6. Copy of the Lease when the First Tenant occupied the Residential unit, if applicable;
- 7. Copy of the Lease when the First Tenant occupied the Commercial Unit, if applicable;
- 8. In lieu of satisfying the Deliverable or Community Benefit, if the forgivable loan has been paid or if the loan is not forgivable, then a copy of the check with verification from finance that the check has cleared, or the wire payment has been received:
- 9. Copy of the Broward County Property Appraiser Information Sheet;
- 10. Such other documents or information as reasonably requested by the Executive Director and the General Counsel office.

The Executive Director is delegated authority to waive some of these conditions in the exercise of his or her reasonable judgment in the event of extenuating circumstances or circumstances beyond the control of the affected party which prohibits performance of the deliverable or community benefit. Notwithstanding this delegation of authority, the governing body reserves the right to approve a reduction in payment required under the transactional documents for CRA projects. The General Counsel's Office will be responsible for preparing the legal instruments and will conduct its own independent review.

## Consistency with NPF CRA Community Redevelopment Plan

The Redevelopment Program seeks to preserve and expand affordable housing, commercial development and job opportunities. The NPF CRA Community Redevelopment Plan is designed, in part, to stimulate private development of areas. The Project is consistent with the NPF CRA Plan which provides for direct physical improvements to enhance the overall environment, improve the quality of life, promote public private partnerships, and investment in the area. In addition, per the Future Land Use Plan and CRA Plan, redevelopment and housing opportunities for low- and moderate-income households within the CRA should be encouraged. The CRA will establish incentive programs, as deemed appropriate, to address redevelopment

obstacles at any given point in time which may be modified, expanded, eliminated or added, and incentive program policies shall be approved by the CRA Board.

Land assembly may be used as a government intervention technique or predominant method of redevelopment programming to foster private redevelopment. In connection with those programs, projects or activities where land assembly for private disposition and use is deemed appropriate, the purpose, intent and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan shall be protected. Prior to the disposition of any such public property acquired directly in connection with the Redevelopment Plan, the City or CRA shall approve conditions of control deemed appropriate at the time to facilitate the intended program, project or activity while adequately protecting the intent and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan.

### Consistency with Central City Community Redevelopment Plan

The Central City CRA Community Redevelopment Plan is designed in part to encourage the rehabilitation of existing, usable and viable structures, in addition to construction of new retail and office facilities, as well as attraction of new jobs in office retail and restaurants in areas planned for commercial and business development. The Central City CRA Community Redevelopment Plan identifies and develops processes and activities to eliminate and prevent the spread of blighting conditions and to develop workable programs to aid in rehabilitation, conservation and redevelopment. These shall include economic development projects and programs, housing projects and programs, acquisition of vacant lots, and disposal via developer RFP and their administration. The Community Redevelopment Agency reserves for itself, its officers, employees and agents, all the powers, duties and responsibilities vested to it and provided by the Redevelopment Act to carry out the purposes and intent of the Redevelopment Plan.

## Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with these actions.

# **Strategic Connections**

This item is a FY 2025 Commission Priority, advancing the Affordable Housing and Economic Development initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2029* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Business Growth and Support Focus Area, Goal 6: Build a diverse and attractive economy
- The Housing Focus Area, Goal 2: Enable housing options for all income levels

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Community

This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan, specifically advancing:

• The Business Development Focus Area

- The Economic Development Element
- Goal 2: Enhance the economic competitiveness of Fort Lauderdale through policies that encourage retention and recruitment of businesses and industry which provide living-wage employment and increased training and competitiveness of the local workforce.
- The Neighborhood Enhancement Focus Area
- The Future Land Use Element
- Goal 2: Sustainable Development: The City shall encourage sustainable, smart growth which designates areas for future growth, promotes connectivity, social equity, preservation of neighborhood character and compatibility of uses.
- The Housing Element
- Goal 1: The Comprehensive Plan shall support the provision of adequate sites for future housing, including affordable workforce housing, housing for low-income, very low-income, and moderate-income families, mobile homes, and group home facilities and foster care facilities, with supporting infrastructure and public facilities.
- Goal 2: Be a community of strong, beautiful and healthy neighborhoods.

### **Attachment**

Exhibit 1 - Resolution

Prepared by: Bob Wojcik, AICP, CRA Housing and Economic Development Manager Clarence Woods, CRA Manager

CRA Executive Director: Rickelle Williams

#### **ROLL CALL**

Present 5 - Vice Chair John C. Herbst, Commissioner Steven Glassman,
Commissioner Pam Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Ben Sorensen,
and Chair Dean J. Trantalis

#### **MOTIONS**

**M-1** 25-0451

Motion Approving Minutes for April 1, 2025, Community Redevelopment Agency Board Meeting Minutes - (Commission Districts 2 and 3)

#### **APPROVED**

Yea: 5 - Vice Chair Herbst, Commissioner Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sorensen and Chair Trantalis

#### RESOLUTIONS

**R-1** 25-0405

Resolution Approving CRA Funding in the Amount of \$500,000 for Lateral Sewer Connections for Infill Housing in the CRA Area; Authorizing the Executive Director to Execute Any and All Related Instruments; and Delegating Authority to the Executive Director to Take Certain Actions - (Commission Districts 2 and 3)

#### **ADOPTED**

Yea: 5 - Vice Chair Herbst, Commissioner Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sorensen and Chair Trantalis

**R-2** 25-0449

Resolution Adopting a Policy for the Issuance of Satisfaction of Mortgages, Full and Partial Releases, Releases of Restrictive Covenants and Other Instruments for the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Community Redevelopment Area and the Central City Community Redevelopment Area; Authorizing the Executive Director to Execute Any and All Related Instruments; and Delegating Authority to the Executive Director to Take Certain Actions - (Commission Districts 2 and 3)

### **ADOPTED**

Yea: 5 - Vice Chair Herbst, Commissioner Glassman, Commissioner Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sorensen and Chair Trantalis

#### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

### **RESOLUTION NO. 25-10 (CRA)**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ADOPTING A POLICY FOR THE ISSUANCE OF SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGES, FULL AND PARTIAL RELEASES, RELEASES OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS FOR THE NORTHWEST-PROGRESSO-FLAGLER **HEIGHTS** COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AREA AND CENTRAL CITY COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AREA; DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE SUCH INSTRUMENTS AND TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III of the Florida Statutes, the Community Redevelopment Plan for the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Community Redevelopment Area ("NWPFH Plan") was adopted in 1995 under Resolution 95-170 and subsequently amended; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale adopted a community redevelopment plan for the Central City Community Redevelopment Area on January 5, 2012, pursuant to Resolution No. 12-02 as amended on April 17, 2018, by Resolution No. 18-78 of the City Commission and as subsequently amended (the "Central City Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the NWPFH Plan and Central City Plan are designed to combat slum and blight and to stimulate economic development; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the NWPFH Plan and the Central City Plan, the Board of Commissioners of the CRA has adopted several economic incentives which provides funding for qualified projects and has donated land for affordable and workforce housing projects (the "Projects"); and

WHEREAS, the incentives are typically forgivable loans which expire over time or after certain "community benefits" or "deliverables" are met; and

WHEREAS, in most instances, funding under the programs is secured by mortgages which require the issuance of a satisfaction of mortgage after the conditions for satisfaction are met; and

WHEREAS, restrictive covenants are recorded on real property to provide for 'community benefits' such as affordable housing or discounts on market rate rents for commercial tenants; and

WHEREAS, as the residency requirement is met under the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Infill Housing Program, River Garden Townhomes and other projects, the eligible homeowner is entitled to receive a satisfaction of mortgage and/or a release of the Restrictive Covenant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY.

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated in this Resolution.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. The Executive Director is authorized, empowered and directed to issue satisfaction of mortgages, full or partial releases, releases of restrictive covenants or other instruments as appropriate to the transaction subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Review of signed copies of the Note, Recorded Mortgage, Recorded Restrictive Covenant and other appropriate documents;
- 2. Identify the "Deliverable" and/or "Community Benefit";
- 3. Certification from staff that the Deliverable or Community Benefit has been met:
- 4. Certification by the Developer or homeowner, in the form of an affidavit, that the "Deliverable" or "Community Benefit" has been met;
- 5. Copy of the Certificate of Completion and/or Certificate of Occupancy, as applicable:
- 6. Copy of the Lease when the First Tenant occupied the Residential Unit, if applicable;
- 7. Copy of the Lease when the First Tenant occupied the Commercial Unit, if applicable;
- 8. In lieu of satisfying the Deliverable or Community Benefit, if the forgivable loan has been paid or if the loan is not forgivable, then a copy of the check with verification from finance that the check has cleared, or the wire has been received:
- 9. Copy of Broward County Property Appraiser Information Sheet;
- 10. Such other documents or information as reasonably requested by the Executive Director and the General Counsel office.

SECTION 3. The Executive Director is delegated authority to waive some of these conditions in the exercise of his or her reasonable judgment in the event of extenuating circumstances or circumstances beyond the control of the affected party which prohibits performance of the "Deliverable" or "Community Benefit". Notwithstanding this delegation of authority, the governing body reserves the right to approve a reduction in payment required under the transactional documents for CRA projects.

SECTION 4. This governing body hereby approves the issuance of Satisfactions of Mortgages for Rechter Holdings, Inc. and Lin, LLC, subject to satisfaction of the conditions set forth above.

This Resolution is not intended to repeal or replace prior Resolutions delegating SECTION 5. authority to the Executive Director to issue Satisfactions of Mortgages for other Projects.

That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final passage. SECTION 6.

ADOPTED this 15th day of April, 2025

DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

DAVID R. SOLOMAN

AND CORRECTNESS:

Dean J. Trantalis

Yea

John C. Herbst

Yea

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Steven Glassman

Yea

Pamela Beasley-Pittman

<u>Yea</u>

Ben Sorensen

Yea

Space Reserved for Recording Information PREPARED BY AND RETURN TO: Lynn Solomon, Esq. Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency 1 E. Broward Blvd., Suite 1320 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

### SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that the FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, (hereinafter "Mortgagee"), the holder of a (a) Mortgage given by RECHTER PROGRESSO 835, LLC, a Florida limited liability company (hereinafter "Mortgagor"), dated May 7, 2018, and recorded December 2, 2019, at Instrument No. 116206003, of the Public Records of Broward County, Florida, given to secure the sum of Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00), (b) Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency Property and Business Investment Improvement Program Agreement dated May 11, 2018, and recorded December 2, 2019, at Instrument No. 116206002 of the Public Records of Broward County Florida, (c) Declaration of Restrictive Covenants dated May 7, 2018, and recorded December 2, 2019, at Instrument No. 116206004 of the Public Records of Broward County Florida, on the following described property, situated, lying and being in Broward County, Florida; said lands situate, lying and being in Broward County Florida.

Lots 4, 5 and 6, Block 257, PROGRESSO, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 18 of the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; said land lying and situate in Broward County, Florida.

Mortgagee does hereby acknowledge satisfaction and discharge of said Mortgage and other instruments referenced herein and hereby directs cancellation of same of record.

Pursuant to Resolution No. 25-10 (CRA) adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency, the Executive Director is authorized to execute this Satisfaction of Mortgage on behalf of the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency.

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	the FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY used this instrument to be fully executed on this, 2025.
WITNESSES:	FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a body corporate and politic of the State of Florida
Amford	Created pursuant to Part III, Chapter 163
Witness Signature  Ambur Cabrera  Witness name - printed or typed  101 NE 329 Ave Furthadidal  Address: Fi 33301  Witness Signature  Materina Skoundridakis  Witness name - printed or typed  Address: 101 NE 3rd Nunda  Fort Lauderdale, Ft 33301	Rickelle Williams, Executive Director
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD	
presence or  online notarization, the Williams, as Executive Director of the Agency on behalf of the agency.  Notary Public, State of Florida  Name of Notary Typed, Printed or Stam	e Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment
Personally Known Type of Identification Produced	OR Produced Identification
Approved as to form and correctness: D'Wayne M. Spence, Interim General C	ounsel

Lynn Solomon, Assistant General Counsel

#### **COMPLIANCE AFFIDAVIT**

COMES NOW, the undersigned, Michael R. Rechter, who under oath states as follows:

- 1. I am the President of Rechter Progresso 837, LLC (the "Entity") and am authorized to execute this affidavit in my individual capacity and on behalf of the Entity.
- The Entity is the owner of the real property described below and entered into the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency Property and Business Investment Improvement Program Agreement (Outside Focus Area) with the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency (the "CRA"):

**Legal Description:** Lots 2 and 3, Block 257, of PROGRESSO, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 18, of the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; said land lying and situate in Broward County, Florida.

Property Address: 837 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33304.

- 3. I held title to the Property as of June 15 2017. I have not transferred ownership of the Property, since entering into the <u>Agreement with the CRA</u>.
- 4. I hereby certify, represent, and warrant that the Entity has met and satisfied all the conditions under the Agreements.

<u>ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:</u> I acknowledge that the information I have deposed to and stated herein is true, accurate, and complete.

WARNING: The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading, or incomplete information may result in penalties as provided for by Federal, State and/or Local laws, which may result in imprisonment.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

Done this <u>/5</u> of <u>14.4.</u> , 2025.
Michael R. Rechter , individually
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF BROWARD
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization this 15 day of May 2025, by Michael R. Rechter.
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Signature of Notary Public, State of Florida  VILLOUD POUT LOW  Name of Notary Typed, Printed or Stamped  SVETLANA PASTEAN MORENO MY COMMISSION # HH 613477 EXPIRES: December 3, 2025
Personally Known OR Produced Identification Type of Identification Produced

### **Erica Keiper**

From:

**Bob Woicik** 

Sent:

Friday, April 25, 2025 11:19 AM

To:

Lynn Solomon

Cc:

Erica Keiper; Clarence Woods

Subject:

Rechter Progresso 835, LLC; 835 & 857 NE 2nd Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

**Attachments:** 

Certificate of Occupancy - 835 and 837 NE 2 Ave.pdf

Subject Rechter Progresso 835, LLC; 835 & 857 NE 2nd Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

Attached is the CO for 835 NE 2 Avenue issued 3/26/2019 and Fort Lauderdale Building Services printout saying the CO for 837 NE 2 Avenue was issued on 1/3/2019.

The Forgivable Loan for the two projects was for 5 years from time of CO, and Delivery of community benefit has been met by business/retail uses as a result of the renovation the blighted buildings, so the Developer has satisfied the requirement and should be provided a satisfaction.

From: Lynn Solomon <LSolomon@fortlauderdale.gov>

Sent: Thursday, April 24, 2025 5:12 PM

To: <a href="mailto:christine@robertschwartzpa.com">christine@robertschwartzpa.com</a>; Erica Keiper <a href="mailto:EKeiper@fortlauderdale.gov">EKeiper@fortlauderdale.gov</a>; Bob Wojcik

<<u>BWojcik@fortlauderdale.gov</u>>; Clarence Woods <<u>CWoods@fortlauderdale.gov</u>>

Cc: 'Dr. Michael R. Rechter' < miker@integracorps.com >; bob@robertschwartzpa.com

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL:CAUTION!]- Rechter Progresso 835, LLC; 835 & 857 NE 2nd Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

This is the legal department not the CRA.

From: Christine Procter < christine@robertschwartzpa.com>

Sent: Thursday, April 24, 2025 5:00 PM

To: Lynn Solomon < LSolomon@fortlauderdale.gov >; Erica Keiper < EKeiper@fortlauderdale.gov >; Bob Wojcik

< BWojcik@fortlauderdale.gov >; Clarence Woods < CWoods@fortlauderdale.gov >

Cc: 'Dr. Michael R. Rechter' < miker@integracorps.com>; bob@robertschwartzpa.com

Subject: [EXTERNAL:CAUTION!]- Rechter Progresso 835, LLC; 835 & 857 NE 2nd Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

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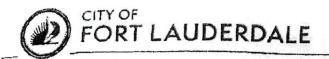
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Hello Lynn.

Attached for your review are two Compliance Affidavits. I have taken the liberty of modifying your form of Compliance Affidavit for the above referenced properties. Please make any corrections or changes you deem appropriate.





# CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY

RECHTER PROGRESSO 835 LLC 241 E PROSPECT ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33334

Certificate of Occupancy #: 20122671

Date of Issuance: 03/26/2019

Permit: 18041834

Permit Issued: 07/17/2018



compliant and divis occupancy

# **EgovPlus Online Services**

Permit Number	17122364	FOLIO NBR	9234062500
Permit Type	PFIXREPLAC	Balance Due	\$0.00
Property	837 NE 2 AVE	Status	Closed
Address	<b>∜</b> **		

Permit Plan Inspections Fees Contractors All Reviews

# Permit

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# Permit Search Results

<u>Permit</u> Number	Status	Permit Type	Owner Name	Address (click to show map).
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18100255	CLOSED	GLANDSCAPE -	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVE
18100257	CLOSEDO	GCONCRETE	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	<u>837 NE 2 AVE</u>
18100259	CLOSED	<b>SMOT</b>	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVE
18100254	CLOSEDE	BPAVINGC	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVE
18100260	CLOSEDL	GENERAL	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVÉ
18110578	CLOSEDE	ETHIRTY	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVE
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18081348	CLOSEDP	METERDOM	RECHTER PROGRESSO 837 LLC	837 NE 2 AVE
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# FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY PROPERTY AND BUSINESS INVESTMENT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AGREEMENT

(\$50,000.00 or Less) (Outside Focus Area)

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2018 by and between:

FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a Community Redevelopment Agency created pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes, hereinafter referred to as "Agency",

and

**RECHTER PROGRESSO 837, LLC,** a Florida Limited Liability Company, hereinafter referred to as "Developer",

WHEREAS, pursuant to Motion, approved at its meeting of October 15, 2013, the Agency authorized the creation of the Property and Business Investment/Improvement Program ("Program"); and

WHEREAS, the Program was subsequently amended by Motion on June 7, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Developer owns a Project Site with an existing building and desires to rehabilitate the building for use; and

WHEREAS, to encourage the development within the Area, the Agency will contribute funds to be applied to completion of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Agency and the Developer are desirous of entering into this Agreement to effectuate the development of the Project; and

WHEREAS, on N.A., 2017, the Advisory Board, as defined below, recommended approval of a funding for this Project for funds under the Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and



covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

### ARTICLE 1 RECITALS

1.1 The foregoing recitals are true and correct are hereby incorporated herein.

# ARTICLE 2 DEFINITIONS

- 2.1 For the purposes of this Agreement the following initially capitalized terms when used in this Agreement (except as herein and otherwise expressly provided or required by the context) shall have the following meanings:
- 2.2 <u>Advisory Board</u>. The Northwest Progresso Flagler Heights Redevelopment Advisory Board.
- 2.3 Act. Part III, Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, and any amendments or revisions thereto.
- 2.4 Agency. The Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency, and its successors or assigns.
- 2.5 Agency Funds or Funding. The lesser of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) or 60% of the Project Improvement Cost.
  - 2.6 Agreement. This Agreement and any exhibits or amendments thereto.
- Area or Community Redevelopment Area. The community redevelopment area, known and referred to as the Northwest-Progresso-Flagler Heights Redevelopment Area, located within the corporate limits of the City and constituting an area in which conditions of blight exist and in which the Agency may carry out community redevelopment projects pursuant to Part III, Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, as amended, as found and declared by the City Commission in this Resolution No. 95-86 adopted on June 20, 1995, as amended by Resolution No. 01-121, adopted on July 10, 2001, and established as the area of operation of the Agency by Resolution No. 95-86 and for which a community redevelopment plan for the Northwest Progresso Flagler Heights Redevelopment Area was approved by the City Commission in Resolution No. 95-170 on November 7, 1995, as amended on May 15, 2001 by Resolution No. 01-86 and as subsequently amended by Resolution 13-137 ("Plan") and as amended by Resolution 16-52 on March 15, 2016.
  - 2.8 Authorized Representative. For Agency, the Executive Director of the

Agency. For Developer, Michael Rechter, Manager. The Authorized Representative shall be the person designated and appointed to act on behalf of a party as provided in this Development Agreement. In the administration of this Agreement, as contrasted with matters of policy, all parties may rely upon instructions or determinations made by the Authorized Representative to the extent not in conflict with the terms of this Agreement.

- 2.9 <u>Building Permit</u>. The one or more permits, required by the City or any other applicable governmental authority having jurisdiction over the Project, to be issued after the Permits have been obtained, but required before commencement of any construction of the Project, including demolition of any structure located on the Project Site.
- 2.10 <u>Certificate of Occupancy</u>. Means the certificate of occupancy or certificate of completion issued by the City or other appropriate Governmental Authority for the entire Project to be properly permitted, occupied, opened for business and used as contemplated by this Agreement.
- 2.11 <u>City</u>. The City of Fort Lauderdale, a Florida municipal corporation, and its successors and/or assigns, and any officers, employees and agents thereof.
- 2.12 <u>Commencement Date</u>. The date upon which the Developer issues a notice to proceed to the Contractor to commence construction of the Project, which date shall be identified by the Developer in a notice to Agency.
- 2.13 <u>Completion Date</u>. The later date on which the construction of the Project has been substantially completed in accordance with this Agreement as evidenced by a letter executed by the Agency Authorized Representative, and a final Certificate of Occupancy.
- 2.14 <u>Contractor</u>. One or more individuals or firms licensed as a general contractor by the State of Florida, bonded to the extent required by applicable law, and hired by the Developer to construct any part of or the entire Project, or both.
- 2.15 <u>Construction Contract</u>. Contract or contracts between the Developer and the Contractor for the construction of all or any part of the Project.
- 2.16 <u>Construction Period</u>. The period of time beginning on the Commencement Date and ending on the Completion Date, as provided in the Project Schedule.
- 2.17 <u>Developer</u>. Rechter Progresso 837, LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company, or its successors or assigns.
- 2.18 <u>Developer's Architect</u>. Such individuals, partnerships, firms or other persons retained by Developer as architects to prepare the plans and specifications for

the Project, and any engineers, planners, designers, consultants, or others retained by the Developer or any architect retained by the Developer in connection with the preparation thereof.

- 2.19 <u>Developer Interests</u>. The Developer's interest in the Project Site and all improvements thereon, this Agreement and all related or appurtenant property and rights.
- 2.20 <u>Effective Date</u>. The date on which this Agreement is executed by both parties as dated at the beginning of this Agreement.
- 2.21 <u>Executive Director</u>. The Executive Director of the Agency as designated and appointed by the governing body of the Agency.
  - 2.22 Exhibits. The exhibits attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement.
- 2.23 <u>Florida Statutes</u>. References to Florida Statutes herein are to Florida Statutes (2016), as same shall be amended from time to time.
- 2.24 <u>Force Majeure</u>. The following described events that for the purposes of Article 15.1 of this Agreement result in delays in any performance contemplated by and set forth in this Agreement: fire, flood, earthquake, hurricane; unavailability of labor, materials, equipment or fuel; war, declaration of hostilities, terrorist attack, revolt, civil strife, altercation or commotion, strike, labor dispute, or epidemic; archaeological excavation; lack of or failure of transportation facilities; any law, order, proclamation, regulation, or ordinance of any government or any subdivision thereof except the City, or acts of God.
- 2.25 <u>Including</u>. As used herein, the term "include," "including" and similar terms shall be construed as if followed by the words "without limitation."
- 2.26 <u>Project Improvement Cost.</u> Costs for the Project that are eligible for reimbursement with Agency Funds as shown on Exhibit "D" up to a maximum of 60% of the total Project Improvement Costs for the Project or \$50,000, whichever is less), including the cost of material and labor for building and site improvements contemplated by this Agreement, development permitting cost and architectural and engineering design fees. The Developer has represented that the Project Improvement Cost is approximately \$300,000. An updated accounting of the Project Improvement Cost will be provided to the Agency in conjunction with Developer reimbursement request for Agency Funds.
- 2.27 Loan Closing Date/Closing Date/Forgivable Loan Closing Date. The date the Developer and Agency close on the Agency Funding for the forgivable loan as described in Article 6.1, which date shall be no later than as provided in the Project Schedule.

- 2.28 <u>Permits</u>. Any permits, licenses, certificates or other approvals or consents of the City or any other governmental authority having jurisdiction over the Project or the Project Site required to be issued or granted before issuance of the Building Permit and commencement of construction of the Project, including, without limitation, approvals or consents relating to the site plan, zoning, land use, or environmental regulations.
- 2.29 <u>Plans and Specifications</u>. Architectural, engineering and construction documents constituting the concept documents, preliminary plans and drawings, schematic design documents, design development documents and construction documents for the Project prepared by the Developer's Architect.
- 2.30 <u>Project</u>. Improvements to both the interior and exterior structure located at 837 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, more particularly described in Exhibit "B" which shall improve and enhance the business operations at 837 NE 2nd Avenue for retail or office uses.
- 2.31 <u>Project Schedule</u>. The schedule for the commencement and completion of construction of the Project, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "C".
- 2.32 <u>Project Site</u>. The property located at 837 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL and more particularly described in Exhibit "A".
  - 2.33 Intentionally Omitted.
- 2.34 <u>Site and Project Plans</u>. Design plans, drawings, and other descriptions of the Project indicating the size and location of the Developer's proposed improvements to the Project Site which is attached hereto as Exhibit "B", as the same may be amended as approved by Agency subject to development review requirements under the City's Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR) as applicable.
- 2.35 <u>ULDR</u>. The City of Fort Lauderdale Unified Land Development Regulations.
- 2.36 <u>Use of Words and Phrases</u>. Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders. Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, the singular shall include the plural as well as the singular number, and the word "person" shall include corporations and associations, including public bodies, as well as natural persons. "Herein," "hereby," "hereunder," "hereof," "hereinbefore," "hereinafter" and other equivalent words refer to this Agreement and not solely to the particular portion thereof in which any such word is used.

### ARTICLE 3 FINDINGS

- 3.1. <u>Findings</u>. The Agency and the Developer do hereby find and acknowledge the following as of the Effective Date:
- (a) The Developer represents that it owns the Project Site legally described as follows:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof,

and more generally known as:

837 NE 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311

- (b) The Agency desires to encourage and assist redevelopment within the Area, and it is necessary for the Agency to financially assist projects providing such commercial use in the Area.
- (c) The Developer qualifies for financial assistance under the Agency's Program as approved by the Agency.
- (d) The Developer needs assistance from the Agency and that but for the commitment by the Agency to loan funds as provided herein to be used to pay costs of developing the Project, the Developer would be unable to develop the Project as contemplated by this Agreement.
- (e) The Project is necessary for carrying out the community redevelopment objectives in the Area as set forth in the Plan.
- (f) The public benefits accruing from the Project (i) warrant the contribution and expenditure of the Agency Funds, (ii) are for a public purpose, (iii) are in the public interest, and (iv) further the goals and objectives of the Plan.

# ARTICLE 4 PROJECT SITE

- 4.1 The Developer represents to the Agency that the Project Site is appropriate and available for development of the Project thereon.
- 4.2 The Developer represents to the Agency that the Project Site does not contain any adverse environmental conditions that will prevent or adversely affect development of the Project thereon or the use of the Project as described in this Development Agreement following the Completion Date.

4.3 The Developer covenants and agrees with the Agency that it and its principal owners shall continue to own the Project Site for a period of no less than five (5) years commencing on the Project Completion Date. During this five year period, the Developer agrees to submit on the annual anniversary of the Effective Date of the Agreement an affidavit executed by the Developer that the Project has not been sold. The project shall be used only for non-residential uses unless approved by the Agency. Further Developer agrees that the building shall not be used for those non permitted uses as provided in Section 47-12 of the ULDR and shall not be used for the following (i) "adult uses" as such term is defined in Section 47-18.2 of the ULDR; (ii) tattoo parlors; or (iii) massage parlors (other than as an ancillary use to a health club or beauty salon or beauty space; or (iv) liquor store or bar; or convenience kiosk as provided in the ULDR, during a five (5) year term commencing on Project Completion Date and will execute at Closing a restrictive covenant to be recorded in the public records of Broward County evidencing these restrictions.

# ARTICLE 5 PROJECT PLANS AND GOVERNMENTAL APPROVALS

### 5.1 Site and Project Plans.

- (a) The Developer will submit the project plans to the City, if required by and in accordance with the Unified Land Development Regulations and will diligently continue the review process until the project plans are approved by the City. The project plans shall be in substantial compliance with graphic representations of the Project by the Developer attached as Exhibit B.
- 5.2 <u>Permits.</u> The Developer shall file, on or before the time provided in the Project Schedule, the Plans and Specifications to the City for review and approval in accordance with its customary procedures for review of plans and specifications required for issuance of any of the Permits and issuance of the Building Permit. Developer shall be responsible for any fees and costs associated with the application and approval of the required Permits.

#### 5.3 Agency Assistance.

- (a) The Agency's staff assistance and cooperation with the Developer contemplated shall not affect the City's right to act on regulatory matters in its governmental capacity in accordance with all applicable laws or ordinances. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed or deemed to contractually or otherwise obligate the City to enact any ordinance or take any other regulatory action.
- (b) The permitting, licensing and other regulatory approvals by the City shall be in accordance with the established procedures and requirements of the City for projects of a similar type and nature as the Project.

# ARTICLE 6 PROJECT FINANCING

6.1 <u>Project Financing</u>. The Developer represents that in addition to Agency funds it will fund the remainder of the Project through its own funds or through an additional project lender.

### 6.2 Agency Funds-Forgivable Loan.

- (a) Pursuant to the Agency's Program and the calculations submitted by the Developer and in consideration of the Developer developing the Project in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the Agency agrees to loan to the Developer for the Project the lesser of an amount not to exceed \$50,000 or 60% of the total Project Improvement Cost.
- 6.3 <u>Interest Rate</u>. The interest rate on the Principal amount of the loan shall be zero percent (0%) per annum, except in any event of default as described in Paragraph 15.
- 6.4 Term of Repayment. Payment on the principal amount of the loan shall not be required so long as the Developer operates its current business on the property, the property is not sold or transferred and is maintained as the Project and not in default, for a five (5) year period following the Completion Date. The loan will be forgiven five (5) years after the Project Completion Date. Repayment will become due and payable upon sale, or transfer of the Property during the five (5) year period or a default of the terms of this Agreement occurs. The maximum legal interest rate shall be applied to the principal amount due and owing commencing thirty (30) days after the date of an event of default. If no sale, transfer or other event of default occurs during the five (5) year period, the terms of this encumbrance shall be satisfied and the Developer shall be issued a Satisfaction of Mortgage executed by the Agency.
- (a) <u>Closing on Agency Funds</u>. The Closing on Agency Funds for the forgivable loan shall occur on the date provided in the Project Schedule. As a condition to the Closing, Developer shall have entered into a Construction Contract executed by Developer and a Contractor for construction of the Project in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. The Project Improvement Cost including the construction cost of the Project as shown in the executed Construction Contract and soft cost relating to construction consisting of permitting cost and architectural and engineering fees shall be used in the formula outlined herein to determine the amount of the loan.

The total amount of Agency Funds shall be calculated at the time of Closing. In no event will the Agency Funds exceed the lesser of \$50,000 or 60% of the total Project Improvement Cost.

(b) Additional Conditions Precedent to the Agency's Obligation to Pay the Agency

<u>Funds</u>. The duty of the Agency to pay the Agency Funds, and Agency's other duties under the terms, covenants, and conditions of this Agreement, are expressly subject to the fulfillment to the satisfaction of, or waiver as provided herein, prior to Closing of any of the Agency Funds of the conditions precedent set forth in this subsection (d). The Developer hereby covenants and agrees to satisfy each of the following obligations on or before the Closing Date, unless waived in writing by the Agency as to each covenant to be performed by the Developer.

The Developer shall have shown:

- (1) Evidence that there is sufficient funding and interest held by the Developer in the Project Site to secure the completion of the Project including a copy of the deed showing ownership in Developer and an affidavit of outstanding liens and mortgages on the Project Site.
  - (2) The site plan approval by the City, if required, and the Agency; and
- (3) The Permits approved by the City or other appropriate governmental authority, and
- (4) A Construction Contract with the Contractor for construction of the Project, a copy of which shall have been delivered to and approved by the Agency on or before the Closing Date. If the Agency is funding more than 60% of the Project Improvement Cost, then the Contractor must be selected from the Agency's approved list of Contractors. In addition, the Contractor and scope of work must be selected and approved in accordance with the Agency's procurement policies and procedures.
- (5) The Developer has executed a restrictive covenant in substantially the form attached as Exhibit "E" to be recorded in the public records of Broward County with the provisions of Article 4.3.
- (6) The Developer executes a mortgage and UCC-1 statement, if necessary, in substantially the form attached as Exhibit "E" securing the Agency Loan in the total amount to be provided by the Agency as provided in this Agreement and Developer executes a note payable to Agency (with each disbursement) in substantially the form attached as Exhibit "F".
- (7) No action or proceeding shall be pending (whether or not on appeal) or shall have been threatened, and no statute, regulation, rule or order of any federal, state or local governmental body shall be in effect or proposed, in each case, which in the good faith judgment of either party adversely affects (or if adopted, would adversely affect) the consummation of the transactions by the Developer contemplated by this Agreement; and
  - (8) The Developer shall not be in default of this Agreement;

- (9) Proof of all applicable insurance; and
- (10) Proof of recording of a Notice of Commencement in the public records of Broward County, Florida according to Chapter 713, Florida Statutes; The Agency shall be listed on the Notice of Commencement as a party to receive Notice to Owners.
- (c) It is understood and agreed that in the event that any of the conditions precedent provided in subsections (1) through (10) have not been met as provided on or before the Closing Date, then this Agreement may be terminated by Agency and be of no further force and effect.
- (d) <u>Security</u>. City shall secure the loan for this Agreement with a second mortgage on the Project Site.
- 6.5 <u>Closing</u>. The Closing shall occur in the office of the Agency at which time evidence of all requirements shall be submitted and confirmed by the parties in writing. All applicable recording cost and taxes shall be paid by the Agency.

# ARTICLE 7 PROJECT CONSTRUCTION

- 7.1 <u>Contractor Prior to the Closing Date, the Developer shall enter into a Construction Contract with a Contractor and provide a copy of the Construction Contract to the Agency.</u> The Contractor shall not be an agent or contractor for or of the Agency.
- 7.2 <u>Construction of Project</u>. The Developer shall cause construction of the Project to begin on or before the Commencement Date. Developer shall diligently continue such construction to the Completion Date and shall not abandon the Project site. The Project shall be constructed in accordance with the Plans and Specifications and the Permits.
- 7.3 <u>Encumbrances</u>. While the Project is under construction, the Developer shall notify the Agency promptly of any lien or encumbrance which has been asserted, created on or attached to the realty constituting all or part of the Project Site, whether by the involuntary act of the Developer or otherwise, including mechanics liens.
- 7.4 <u>Inspection</u>. Developer shall permit reasonable inspection of the subject Property by inspectors of the City, Agency or their agents, for determining compliance with all applicable governmental regulations and for the purpose of approving reimbursement request.

# ARTICLE 8 ADDITIONAL FUNDS

8.1 <u>Administration</u>. In the event that the Developer selects a contractor whose costs otherwise exceed the policies and guidelines on determining the maximum reasonable costs for the Project or for contract items or additional work which are at the sole cost of the Developer, Developer shall provide evidence at the time of Closing that sufficient funds are available to complete the Project.

# ARTICLE 9 DISBURSEMENTS

- 9.1 <u>Procedures for Invoicing and Payment.</u> During the development of the Project, Agency shall make disbursements for eligible expenses associated with the Project on a reimbursement basis as provided on Exhibit "C" and described as follows:
- 9.2 Agency Funds provided herein shall be given to the Developer on a reimbursement basis with a maximum of three requests from the Developer upon receipt and review of invoices, for each draw request, from the Developer for material or services paid for by the Developer, with supporting documentation in the form of cancelled checks paid by the Developer, an updated accounting of Project Improvement Cost and partial releases and/or waivers of liens from all subcontractors or lienors providing notice to owner. The first reimbursement may be requested when the Project is 33.3% completed. The second reimbursement may be requested when the project is 66.6% complete. The third (final) reimbursement may be requested when the project is 100% complete. The final invoice for reimbursement shall also be accompanied by proof of inspections and signoffs by the Building Official for the Project, final releases by the Contractor customary to construction and a Final Certificate of Occupancy or Completion Upon approval of the invoices by Agency staff, payment shall be made payable to the Developer. However, in the event the Agency funds more than 60% of the approved Project Improvement Cost, then the Agency reserves the right to make payment directly to the Contractor.

# ARTICLE 10 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT

- Maintenance and Repairs by the Developer. The Developer shall, at its own expense and subject to reasonable construction conditions and activities, keep the Project and Project Site in good and clean order and condition and will promptly make all necessary or appropriate repairs, replacements and renewals, thereof, whether interior or exterior, structural or non-structural, ordinary or extraordinary, foreseen or unforeseen. All repairs, replacements and renewals shall be equal in quality and class to the original work. When making such repairs, replacements and renewals, the Developer shall comply, if legally required, with all laws, ordinances, codes and regulations then applicable to the Project or Project Site.
- 10.2 <u>Waste</u>. The Developer shall not permit, commit or suffer waste or impairment of the Project or the Project Site except as may be due to construction

activity on the Project Site.

- 10.3 Project Alterations or Improvements. Before the Completion Date, the Developer may, from time to time, make such alterations and improvements, structural or otherwise, to the Project as the Developer deems desirable and in accordance with the Site and Project Plan and the Plans and Specifications; provided, however, that prior to the commencement of any such alterations or improvements of sufficient size and scope as to require a Building Permit, the Developer shall submit its plans and specifications for such alterations or improvements to the Agency for review in accordance with the appropriate provisions of this Agreement and receive approvals thereof from the Agency, City or both as required by the Unified Land Development Regulations prior to undertaking such alterations and improvements.
- 10.4 Post Completion Maintenance and Repair. Notwithstanding anything else contained in this Agreement, The Developer shall, at its own expense and subject to reasonable construction conditions and activities, keep the Project and Project Site in good and clean order and condition and will promptly make all necessary or appropriate repairs, replacements and renewals, thereof, whether interior or exterior, structural or non-structural, ordinary or extraordinary, foreseen or unforeseen. All repairs, replacements and renewals shall be equal in quality and class to the original work. When making such repairs, replacements and renewals, the Developer shall comply, if legally required, with all laws, ordinances, codes and regulations then applicable to the Project or Project Site.

# ARTICLE 11 INSURANCE

- 11.1 <u>Insurance to be Carried by the Developer/Contractor</u>. The Developer/Contractor shall purchase and maintain at its own expense, the following types and amounts of insurance, in forms and companies reasonably satisfactory to the Agency.
- (a) During the Construction Period, the Developer, at its expense, shall keep all of the insurable buildings, property and equipment located on the Project Site insured under a Builder's Risk Insurance policy providing for "all risk property coverage" for loss or damage including the perils of fire, wind, flood, tropical storm or hurricane, theft, vandalism and malicious mischief. Such insurance shall be in a face amount not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the cost of construction of the Project, as set forth in the Construction Contract, and the insurer shall be obligated to pay one hundred percent (100%) of the cost of restoring the improvements constructed, from time to time, during the Construction Period. Each insurance policy shall include the Agency and such project lenders as request it as insured, as the interest of each may appear, and shall provide for loss to be payable to Developer or, to the extent required under the Project Financing, the project lenders.

- (b) Following any Completion Date and during the term of this Agreement, the Developer or its successors, at their expense, shall keep all of the insurable buildings, structures, property and equipment on the Project Site insured under an All Risk property policy for loss or damage including the perils of fire, wind, flood, tropical storm or hurricane, theft, vandalism, and malicious mischief. Such insurance shall be in an amount of no less than the replacement value of said insurable real property, including structures, property and equipment. As provided in Article 11 for any loss or damage to the Project, to the extent that insurance proceeds are available and the necessary or contemplated repairs are feasible, the Developer shall repair any damage or destruction to the Project. Each insurance policy shall name the Agency and such project lenders as request it as additional insured and loss payee, as the interest of each may appear, and provide for the loss to be payable to the Developer or, to the extent provided, the project lenders.
- During the Construction Period, the Developer or Contractor shall secure and maintain or cause to be secured and maintained in full force and effect such commercial general liability insurance including coverage for operations, independent contractors, products, completed operations, broad form property damage and personal injury as will protect the Developer, the Agency, and their agents and employees from any and all claims and damages for injury to persons or death or damage to any property of the Agency, or of the public, which may arise out of or in connection with the performance of any work or operations by the Developer in, on, under, or over the Project Site during the construction of the Project, whether said work or operations shall be by the Developer, the Contractor, or by anyone directly or indirectly contracted, employed or retained by any of them. The amounts of such insurance shall not be less than limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence for injury to persons or death, or for property damage or such larger amount as determined by Developer. The limit of liability for personal injury shall be no less than \$1,000,000,000 and the limit of liability for contractual liability shall be no less than \$1,000,000.00. Each policy shall name the Agency and such project lenders, as request it, as additional insured.
- (d) After any Completion Date and during the term of this Agreement, the Developer shall secure and maintain, or cause to be secured and maintained, in full force and effect, commercial general liability insurance, in an amount not less than \$500,000 per occurrence, and including coverage for premises, completed operations, independent contractors, broad form property damage and personal injury from any and all claims for damages for injury to persons or death, or for damage to any property of the Agency or the public which may arise out of the Developer's use and occupancy of the Project Site and the operation of the project on the Project Site. Developer may provide this insurance by adding the Agency and their agents and employees as an "additional insured" on any and all policies provided.
- (e) During the Construction Period, the Contractor shall secure and maintain or cause to be secured and maintained in full force and effect auto liability insurance in compliance with State law.

- (f) The Developer, Contractor and all subcontractors shall each secure and maintain in full force and effect Workers' Compensation insurance, if applicable, for all their respective personnel, employed at the site of the work or in any way connected with the work that is the subject of this Agreement if such insurance is required by law to be provided. The insurance required by this provision shall comply fully with the Florida Worker's Compensation law shall include statutory limits on worker's compensation, as well as Employees Liability Insurance with limits of no less than \$500,000.00 per occurrence.
- (g) All insurance and lesser amounts for insurance need to be approved in writing by the City's Risk Manager based on City's insurance requirements for similarly situated developments.
- 11.2 <u>Non-Cancellation Clause</u>. All insurance policies or agreements required by Article 12.1 hereof shall provide that such policies or agreements cannot be substantially modified, canceled or terminated until after at least a thirty (30) day notice has been given to the Agency and the Developer, to the effect that such insurance policies or agreements are to be substantially modified (including the terms of such modification), canceled or terminated at a particular stated time thereafter.
- 11.3 <u>Certificate of Insurance</u>. The Developer shall provide or cause to be provided to the Agency policies or certificates of insurance or other acceptable proof of compliance with the insurance provisions of this Agreement at such times as shall be reasonably required and shall file replacement certificates thirty (30) days prior to expiration or termination of the required insurance during the term of this Agreement.
- 11.4 Right of Parties to Obtain Insurance. In the event the Developer at any time during the term of this Agreement refuses, neglects or fails to secure and maintain in full force and effect any or all of the insurance required by this Agreement, the Agency may procure or renew such insurance and after notice to the Developer that it must obtain such insurance within thirty (30) days of such notice, all amounts of money paid by the Agency for procurement or renewal of such insurance shall be due and payable forthwith by the Developer to the Agency to the extent either paid the cost of any such insurance together with interest, at the statutory rate, to the date of payment thereof by the Developer. The Agency shall notify the Developer in writing of the date, purposes, and amounts of any such payments made by it pursuant to this Article.
- 11.5 <u>Non-Waiver of Developer's Obligations</u>. No acceptance or approval of any insurance policy or policies by the Agency or the Developer shall relieve or release or be construed to relieve or release any other party from any liability, duty or obligation assumed by or imposed upon it by the provisions of this Agreement.
- 11.6 <u>Reasonable Deductible</u>. Any insurance policy required by this Article may contain a reasonable deductible provision provided advance notice of said deductible

provision is given by the Developer to the Agency and approval from the Agency is given in writing, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. In the event that the Agency fails to approve or disapprove such deductible provision pursuant to this Article 11.6, within thirty (30) days of the notice from the Developer as required by this Article 11.6, such failure shall be deemed an approval of such deductible provision by the Agency.

# ARTICLE 12 REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES AND COVENANTS OF THE DEVELOPER

- 12.1 <u>Representations and Warranties</u>. The Developer represents and warrants to the Agency that each of the following statements is presently true and accurate.
- (a) The Developer is a Florida Limited Liability Company created pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, duly organized and validly existing, and has all requisite power and authority to carry on its business as now conducted, to own or hold under lease or otherwise, its properties and to enter into and perform its obligations hereunder and under each instrument described herein to which it is or will be a party.
- (b) This Agreement and each of the Exhibits have been duly authorized by all necessary action on the part of, and have been duly executed and delivered by the Developer and neither the execution and delivery thereof, nor its compliance with the terms and provisions of this Agreement at any time such action is necessary (i) requires the approval and consent of any other party, except such as have been duly obtained, certified copies thereof having been delivered to the Agency, or (ii) contravenes any existing law, judgment, governmental rule, regulation or order applicable to or binding on the Developer, or (iii) contravenes or results in any breach of, default under, or the creation of, any lien or encumbrance upon any property of the Developer under any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, bank loan or credit agreement, or any other agreement or instrument in existence on the date of this Agreement to which the Developer is a party.
- (c) This Agreement and each of the Exhibits hereto constitute legal, valid and binding obligations of the Developer, enforceable against the Developer in accordance with the terms thereof, except as such enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency or similar laws from time to time in effect which affect creditors' rights generally and subject to usual equitable principles in the event that equitable remedies are involved.
- (d) There are no pending, or to the knowledge of the Developer, threatened actions or proceedings before any court or administrative agency against the Developer, or against any officer, employee, partner or shareholder of the Developer, which question the validity of this Agreement or any Exhibit hereto, or which are likely in any case, or in

the aggregate, to materially adversely affect the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder or the financial condition of the Developer.

- (e) All written information and other documentation relating to the Project and the Developer delivered by the Developer to the Agency are true and correct to the extent such information and documentation has not been superseded by this Agreement.
- (f) The chief place of business and offices of the Developer are in Broward County, Florida, and the office where it keeps its records concerning the Project and all contracts, licenses and similar documents or instruments relating thereto is in Broward County, Florida.
- 12.2 <u>Covenants</u>. In addition to covenants of the Developer expressly set forth within the four corners of this Agreement, including all exhibits, attachments and addenda, the Developer covenants with the Agency that:
- (a) During the term of this Agreement, the Developer shall cause to occur and continue to be in effect at the appropriate times as contemplated by this Agreement the following:
- (1) all governmental permits, licenses and approvals necessary for the construction or operation by the Developer of the Project that are the responsibility of the Developer to obtain;
  - (2) construction of the Project;
  - (3) financing necessary to complete the Project;
  - (4) all insurance as required by Article 11 hereof;
- (b) The Developer shall perform, or cause to be performed, the construction, development, and operation of the Project in accordance with the requirements of this Agreement will not violate any laws, ordinances, rules, regulations or orders applicable thereto.
- (c) The Developer shall use, or cause to be used, and operate or cause to be operated, the Project in accordance with this Agreement. All other principal or accessory uses are prohibited unless expressly permitted by the Agency pursuant to Developers request. This restriction may, in the discretion of the Agency, be included in restrictive covenants running with the land, executed by Developer and recorded in the Public Records of Broward County.
- (d) The Developer shall maintain and repair the Project after the Completion Date.
  - 12.3 <u>Developer Good Faith Efforts</u>: The Developer shall use Good Faith Efforts

in hiring employees for its business from the Northwest-Progresso Flagler-Heights Community Redevelopment (NPF CRA) Area. Developer will be required to report to the Agency annually on its hiring efforts for a period of five (5) years following Project Completion by providing a report on a form prepared by the Authorized Representative. Good faith efforts means that the Developer through their solicitation and advertising for jobs have tried to hire employees from the NPF CRA Area.

# ARTICLE 13 REPRESENTATIONS, WARRANTIES AND COVENANTS OF THE AGENCY

- 13.1 <u>Representation and Warranties</u>. The Agency represents and warrants to the Developer that each of the following statements is presently, and will during the term of this Agreement be, true and accurate.
- (a) The Agency is a validly existing body politic and corporate authority under the laws of the State of Florida, has all requisite corporate power and authority to carry on its business as now conducted and to perform its obligations under this Agreement and each document contemplated hereunder to which it is or will be a party.
- (b) This Agreement and each of the Exhibits have been duly authorized by all necessary action on the part of, and has been or will be duly executed and delivered by the Agency, and neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement nor the Agency's compliance with the terms and provisions of said Agreement (i) requires the approval and consent of any other party, except such as have been duly obtained and certified copies thereof having been delivered to the Developer, or (ii) contravenes any existing law, judgment, governmental rule, regulation or order applicable to or binding on the Agency, or (iii) contravenes or results in any breach of, default under, or the creation of any lien or encumbrance upon any part of the Agency, under any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, bond(s), note(s), loan or credit agreement, ordinance(s), resolution(s), interlocal agreement, regulation(s), code(s), or policy(ies), or any other agreement or instrument to which the Agency is a party.
- (c) This Agreement and each of the Exhibits hereto, will constitute a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Agency enforceable against the Agency in accordance with the terms thereof.
- (d) There are no pending or, to the knowledge of the Agency, threatened actions or proceedings before any court or administrative agency to which the Agency is a party questioning the validity of this Agreement or any document or action contemplated hereunder, or which are likely in any case or in the aggregate to materially adversely affect the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereunder or the financial condition of the Agency.

(e) No further action, notice, public hearing, or other prerequisite or condition is required to be initiated, commenced, undertaken, completed, or waived prior to the approval and execution by the Agency of this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 14 DEFAULT; TERMINATION

#### 14.1 <u>Default by the Developer.</u>

- (a) There shall be an "event of default" by the Developer under this Agreement upon the occurrence of any one or more of the following:
- (1) The Developer shall fail to perform or comply with any provision of this Agreement and such failure materially and adversely affects the successful and timely development and completion of the Project or materially and adversely affects the rights, duties or responsibilities of the Agency under this Agreement and such failure shall continue for more than sixty (60) days after the Agency shall have given the Developer written notice of such failure (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "non-monetary default cure period"); provided, however, that if such failure can reasonably be cured within said sixty (60) days of said notice by the Agency, then the event of default under this paragraph shall be suspended if and for so long as the Developer proceeds diligently to cure such default within the said sixty (60) days and diligently continues to proceed with curing such default until so cured.
- (2) Developer fails to complete the Project by the date shown in the Project Schedule, unless extended by the Agency.
- 3) Developer sells or otherwise transfers the Property prior to the expiration of a five (5) year term as described in this Agreement.
- (b) Upon the occurrence of an event described in Article 14.1(a) hereof, but subject to the rights of any project lender, the Agency may, at any time thereafter if such event of default has not been cured, at its election bring an action in a court of competent jurisdiction for specific performance by the Developer, or other injunctive relief including repayment of funds contributed by Agency, to the fullest extent permitted by law, or give a written notice of termination of this Agreement to the Developer, and on the date specified in such notice, this Agreement shall terminate and all rights of the Developer hereunder shall cease and Agency shall be released from any and all obligations, unless before such date all other events of default by the Developer hereunder occurring or existing at the time shall have been cured, however, that this Agreement may not be terminated by the Agency unless and until the project lender has notified the Agency of their election not to cure said defaults. Agency must be provided the name, title and address of project lender by Developer as a condition of this obligation not to terminate.

### 14.2 <u>Default by the Agency; Remedies.</u>

- (a) There shall be an "event of default" by the Agency under this Agreement upon the occurrence of the following: Provided all conditions precedent have been satisfied or waived, the Agency shall fail to timely pay the amounts of the Agency Funds to the Developer set forth in this Agreement, or if any representation and warranty of the Agency hereunder fails to be true and correct, and such failure adversely affects the Developer or the Project and such failure shall continue for a period of forty-five (45) days after the Developer shall have given the Agency written notice of such failure; provided, however, that if such failure can reasonably be cured within said forty-five (45) days, then the event of default under this Article shall be suspended if and for so long as the Agency proceeds diligently to cure such default within the said forty-five (45) days and diligently continues to proceed with curing such default until so cured.
- (b) Upon the occurrence of an event described in Article 14.1(a), but subject to the rights of any project lender, the Developer may, at any time thereafter, at its election either institute an action for specific performance of the Agency's obligations hereunder, or other injunctive relief, to the fullest extent permitted by law, or give a written notice of termination of this Agreement to the Agency, and on the date specified in such notice, which shall be not less than forty-five (45) days, this Agreement shall terminate and all rights of the Agency hereunder shall cease and the Developer shall be released from any and all obligations hereunder, unless before such date sums payable to the Developer under this Agreement shall have been paid and all other defaults by the Agency hereunder existing at that time shall have been remedied, including, without limitation, such damages or suits for damages to which the Developer may be entitled as a result of any breach or event of default by the Agency. Notwithstanding, in any action, suit, cause of action or litigation for damages, the Agency liability shall not exceed \$50,000.00 which shall include reasonable attorney's fees and costs.
- 14.3 <u>Obligations, Rights and Remedies Cumulative</u>. The specified rights and remedies to which either the Agency or the Developer may resort under the terms of this Agreement are in addition to any other remedies or means of redress to which the Agency or the Developer may lawfully be entitled at law or in equity.
- 14.4 <u>Non-Action on Failure to Observe Provisions of this Agreement</u>. The failure of the Agency or the Developer to insist upon strict performance of any term, covenant, condition or provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of any right or remedy that the Agency or the Developer may have, and shall not be deemed a waiver of a subsequent default or nonperformance of such time, covenant, condition or provision.

### ARTICLE 15 FORCE MAJEURE

15.1 <u>Force Majeure</u>. If any party is delayed in the performance of any act or obligation pursuant to or required by this Agreement as a result of any one or more of

the events of Force Majeure which are beyond the control of the party being delayed, the time for required substantial completion of such act or obligation shall be extended by the number of calendar days equal to the total number of calendar days, if any, that such party is actually delayed by such event(s) of Force Majeure. The party seeking excuse for nonperformance and delay in performance as the result of an occurrence of an event of Force Majeure shall give written notice to the other party and the project lender, specifying the cost of the anticipated delay and its actual or anticipated duration, and if such delay shall be continuing thereafter no less than bi-weekly so long as such event of Force Majeure continues, similar written notice stating that the condition continues and its actual or anticipated duration. Any party seeking delay in nonperformance due to an event of Force Majeure shall use its best efforts to rectify or limit the effect of any condition causing such delay and shall cooperate with the other parties, except for the incidence of unreasonable additional costs and expenses, to overcome any delay that has resulted.

# ARTICLE 16 INDEMNIFICATION

#### 16.1 Indemnification.

- Developer agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Agency, its respective agents, officers, or employees from any and all liabilities, damages, penalties, judgments, claims, demands, costs, losses, expenses or attorneys' fees through appellate proceedings, arising out of this Agreement, or by reason of any act or omission of the Developer, its agents, employees or contractors arising out of, in connection with or by reason of, the performance of any and all obligations covered by this Agreement, or which are alleged to have arisen out of, in connection with or by reason of, the performance of any and all obligations covered by this Agreement, or which are alleged to have arisen out of, in connection with, or by reason of, the performance or non-performance of such obligations. Developer further agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for, and defend (with counsel selected by Agency) any such claims at its sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto even if the claim is groundless, false or fraudulent and if called upon by the Agency, Developer shall assume and defend not only itself but also the Agency in connection with any claims, suits or causes of action, and any such defense shall be at no cost or expense whatsoever to Agency, provided that Agency, exercisable by Agency's General Counsel (the "Risk Manager") shall retain the right to select counsel of its own choosing.
- (b) The Developer's indemnification under subsection (a) shall survive the Completion Date or termination of this Agreement.
- (c) The Developer's indemnity hereunder is in addition to; and not limited by any insurance policy and is not and shall not be interpreted as an insuring agreement between or among the parties to this agreement, nor as a waiver of sovereign immunity

for any party entitled to assert the defense of sovereign immunity.

## ARTICLE 17 MISCELLANEOUS

#### 17.1 Notices.

(a) Unless and to the extent otherwise provided for in this Agreement, all notices, demands, requests for approvals or other communications which may be or are required to be given by either party to the other(s) in writing shall be deemed given and delivered on the date delivered in person or on the fourth (4th) business day after being mailed by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, or on the first (1st) business day after being sent by nationally recognized overnight courier service and addressed:

DEVELOPER:

Rechter Progresso 837, LLC 241 East Prospect Road Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334

ATTN.: Michael Rechter, Manager

AGENCY:

Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency

100 North Andrews Avenue, 7th Floor

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301 Attention: Executive Director

With a copy to:

City Attorney's Office City of Fort Lauderdale

100 North Andrews Avenue, 7th Floor

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

- (b) The person and address to which notices are to be sent may be changed from time to time by written notice to such effect delivered to the other parties hereto. Until such a notice of change is received, a party may rely upon the last person or address given.
- 17.2 <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby if such remainder would then continue to conform to the requirements of applicable laws and if the remainder of this Agreement can substantially be reasonably performed without material hardship, so as to accomplish the intent and the goals of the parties hereto.
- 17.3 <u>Applicable Law</u>. The laws of the State of Florida shall govern the validity, performance and enforcement of this Agreement.
- 17.4 Not An Offer. The submission of this Agreement to the parties hereto for examination thereby does not and did not constitute an offer to sell or lease, or a

reservation of or option for the Project Site, or any part thereof.

- 17.5 <u>Agreement Negotiated by All Parties</u>. This Agreement has been negotiated by the Agency and the Developer, and this Agreement shall not be deemed to have been prepared by either the Agency of the Developer, but by all equally.
- 17.6 <u>Complete Agreement</u>. This Agreement constitutes the full and complete agreement between the parties hereto, and supersedes and controls any and all prior agreements, understandings, representations, and statements, whether written or oral.

#### 17.7 Submission to Jurisdiction.

- (a) Each party to this Agreement hereby submits to the jurisdiction of the State of Florida, Broward County and the courts thereof and to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, for the purposes of any suit, action or other proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement, and hereby agrees not to assert by way of a motion as a defense or otherwise that such action is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such action is improper or that the subject matter thereof may not be enforced in or by such courts.
- If at any time during the term of this Agreement the Developer is not a resident of the State of Florida (including not being a corporation, partnership or other legal entity authorized to do business in the State of Florida) or has no officer, employee, agent, or general partner thereof available for service of process as a resident of the State of Florida, or if any assignee or successor thereof shall not be a resident of the State of Florida (including not being a corporation, partnership or other legal entity authorized to do business in the State of Florida) or shall have no officer, employee, agent, or general partner available for service of process in the State of Florida, the Developer hereby designates the Secretary of State of the State of Florida as its agent for the service of process in any court proceeding between it and the Agency arising out of or related to this Agreement, and such service shall be made as provided by the laws of the State of Florida for service upon a non-resident; provided, however, that at the time of service on the Secretary of State, a copy of the pleading, instrument, or other document served on the Secretary of State shall be mailed by prepaid, registered mail, return receipt requested, to the Developer (or its successors or assigns) at the address for notices as provided in this Article or such address as may have been provided as authorized in this Article.
- 17.8 <u>Estoppel Certificates</u>. The Developer or the Agency shall, from time to time, upon not less than twenty (20) days prior notice by any other party to this Agreement, execute, acknowledge and deliver to the other parties a statement in recordable form certifying that this Agreement is unmodified and in full force and effect (or if there has any modification that the same as so modified is in full force and effect and setting forth such modification), the dates to which any charges have been paid in advance, if any, and, to the knowledge of such party, that neither it nor any other party

is then in default hereof, (or if a party is then in default hereof, stating the nature and details of such default) and certifying as to such other matters as are reasonably requested by the party requesting the statement in question. The Authorized Representative of the party is authorized to execute such statement on behalf of such party. It is the intent of the parties hereto that any such statement delivered pursuant to this Article may be relied upon by the other parties hereto and current or prospective project lenders or any prospective purchaser, mortgagee, assignee of any mortgage or assignee of the respective interests in the Project, if any, of either party hereto. It is agreed that Developer shall pay Agency for the time and costs associated with the production of an estoppel letter and shall pay to Agency's estimated cost of producing the letter prior to Agency commencing the production of such letter.

17.9 <u>Captions</u>. The Article and Section headings and captions of this Agreement and the table of contents preceding this Agreement are for convenience and reference only and in no way define, limit, or describe the scope or intent of this Agreement, or any part thereof, or in any way affect this Agreement, or construe any Article or Section hereof.

#### 17.10 Successors and Assigns.

- (a) The Developer may not assign any or all of its rights, duties and obligations under this Agreement to any other person unless and until the Agency has agreed to such assignment. The Agency may assign this Agreement to the City or to any successor to the Agency at any time without any prior approval by the Developer, provided that notice of such assignment shall be given by the Agency to the Developer as provided in Article 17.1.
- (b) The terms herein contained shall bind and inure to the benefit of the Agency and its successors and assigns and the Developer and its successors and assigns, except as may be otherwise specifically provided herein.
- 17.11 <u>Holidays</u>. It is hereby agreed and declared that whenever a notice or performance under the terms of this Agreement is to be made or given on a Saturday or Sunday or on a legal holiday observed in the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, it shall be postponed to the next following business day not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.
- 17.12 Exhibits. Each Exhibit referred to in and attached to this Agreement is an essential part of and is incorporated as a part of this Agreement. The Exhibits, and any amendments or revisions thereto, even if not physically attached hereto, shall be treated as if a part of this Agreement.
- 17.13 <u>No Brokers</u>. The Agency and the Developer hereby represent, agree and acknowledge that, as of the date hereof, no real estate broker or other person is entitled to claim or to be paid a commission by the Agency or the Developer as a result of the execution and delivery of this Agreement, including any of the Exhibits, or any proposed

improvement, use, disposition, lease, or conveyance of any or all of the Project Site.

- 17.14 <u>Failure To Address Particular Matters</u>. The failure of this Agreement to address a particular permit, condition, term, or restriction shall not relieve the Developer of the necessity of complying with the law governing said permitting requirements, conditions, term or restriction.
- 17.15 <u>Developer Not Agent of Agency</u>. During the term of this Agreement, the Developer and the Contractor are not individually or collectively, and shall not be deemed to be individually or collectively, an agent or contractor of the Agency. Nothing contained in the Agreement shall be construed or deemed to name, designate, or cause (directly, indirectly, or implicitly) the Developer or the Contractor to be an agent for the City or the Agency.
- 17.16 <u>Recordation of Development Agreement</u>. The Agency or the Developer may record this Agreement or a memorandum of this Agreement in the public records of Broward County, Florida, as soon as possible after the execution hereof and thereof. The party recording this Agreement or a memorandum of this Agreement shall pay the cost of such recording. Upon the termination or expiration of this Agreement and upon request of the Developer the Agency agrees to record in the public records of Broward County, Florida, a notice that this Agreement has terminated or expired and is no longer in effect.
- 17.17 <u>Public Purpose</u>. This Agreement satisfies, fulfills, and is pursuant to and for a public purpose and municipal purpose, is in the public interest, and is a proper exercise of the Agency's power under the Act.
- 17.18 Technical Amendments. If, due to minor inaccuracies in this Agreement or in any other agreement contemplated hereby, or changes are needed resulting from technical matters arising during the term of this Agreement, it becomes necessary to amend this Agreement to correct such minor inaccuracies or to make such technical changes, the parties agree that such changes which are required due to unforeseen events or circumstances or which do not change the substance of this Agreement, the Executive Director of the Agency, or his designee, is authorized to approve such changes and execute any required instruments to make and incorporate such amendment or change to this Agreement or any other agreement contemplated hereby.
- 17.19 Expiration of Agreement. Unless otherwise earlier terminated as provided herein, or by agreement of the parties, this Agreement shall expire on the Completion Date, except for those provisions hereof that specifically state they survive the Completion Date.
- 17.20 <u>Agency Approvals</u>. Whenever Agency approval is required as provided in this Agreement, the Agency will not unreasonably withhold such approval.

- 17.21 <u>Time of the Essence</u>. In all matters affecting this Agreement, time is of the essence.
- 17.22 <u>Not A Development Agreement</u>. The parties acknowledge, agree and represent that this Agreement, including without limitation, any of the Exhibits, is not a development agreement as described in Sections 163.3220-163.3243, Florida Statutes.
- 17.23 <u>Audit Right and Retention of Records</u> Agency shall have the right to audit the books, records, and accounts of Developer that are related to this Agreement. Developer shall keep, and such books, records, and accounts as may be necessary in order to record complete and correct entries related to this Agreement. All books, records, and accounts of Developer shall be kept in written form, or in a form capable of conversion into written form within a reasonable time, and upon request to do so, Developer shall make same available at no cost to City in written form.

Developer shall preserve and make available, at reasonable times for examination and audit by Agency in Broward County, Florida, all financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other documents pertinent to this Agreement for the required retention period of the Florida public records law, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, as may be amended from time to time, if applicable, or, if the Florida Public Records Act is not applicable, for a minimum period of three (3) years after termination of this Agreement. If any audit has been initiated and audit findings have not been resolved at the end of the retention period or three (3) years, whichever is longer, the books, records, and accounts shall be retained until resolution of the audit findings. If the Florida public records law is determined by City to be applicable to Developer shall comply with all requirements thereof; however, Contractor and Contractor's subcontractors shall violate no confidentiality or non-disclosure requirement of either federal or state law. Any incomplete or incorrect entry in such books, records, and accounts shall be a basis for Agency's disallowance and recovery of any payment upon such entry.

The Developer shall maintain during the term of the contract all books of account, reports and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices and standards for records directly related to this contract.

17.24 <u>Public Records</u>. Each party shall maintain its own respective records and documents associated with this Agreement in accordance with the records retention requirements applicable to public records. Each party shall be responsible for compliance with any public documents request served upon it pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, as same may be amended from time to time and any resultant award of attorney's fees for non-compliance with that law.

Developer and all contractors or subcontractors (the "Contractor") engaging in services in connection with construction and/or maintenance of the Project shall:

- (a) Keep and maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by Agency in order to perform the services rendered.
- (b) Upon request from Agency's custodian of public records, provide Agency with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes (2016), as may be amended or revised, or as otherwise provided by law.
- (c) Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law and as to Developer for the duration of the Agreement and as to Contractor for the duration of the contract term and following completion of said contract if Contractor does not transfer the records to Agency.
- (d) Upon completion of said construction or maintenance at the Project, transfer, at no cost, to Agency all public records in possession of Developer or Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by Agency to perform the service. If Contractor transfers all public records to Agency upon completion of the Project, Developer and Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If Developer or Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the Project, Developer and Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to Agency, upon request from Agency's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of Agency.
- (e) If Developer or any contractor has questions regarding the application of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, to Developer or Contractor's duty to provide public records relating to its contract, contact the Agency's custodian of public records by telephone at 954-828-5002 or by e-mail at PRRCONTRACT@FORTLAUDERDALE.GOV or by mail at 100 North Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301 Attention: Custodian of Public Records.

#### 17.24 Not A General Obligation.

(a) Neither this Agreement nor the obligations imposed upon the Agency hereunder shall be or constitute an indebtedness or general obligation of the Agency or other Governmental Authority within the meaning of any constitutional, statutory or charter provisions requiring the Agency or other Governmental Authority to levy ad valorem taxes nor a lien upon any properties or funds of the Agency or other Governmental Authority. The Developer agrees that the obligation of the Agency to make any payments by the Agency to the Developer pursuant to this Agreement shall be subordinate to the obligations of the Agency to pay debt service on any bonds to be issued by the Agency up to the principal amount of the first issuance of such bonds.

(b) Nothing contained herein shall be deemed, construed or applied to cause any Governmental Authority, specifically including the Agency, to waive its right to exercise its governmental power and authority or to consider any request causing the exercise of its governmental powers in any manner other than that which is customary for the exercise of such governmental powers.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their hands effective as of the date set forth in the introductory paragraph.

#### AGENCY:

WITNESSES:

FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY
REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a body
corporate and politic of the State of Florida
created pursuant to Part III, Chapter 163

Ву

Lee R. Feldman, Executive Director

ATTEST

Jeffrey A. Modarelli- CRA Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Alain E. Boileau, Interim General

Counsel

Lynn Solomon, Assistant General Counsel

WITNESSES:	Rechter Progresso 837, LLC, a Florida
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#### EXHIBIT "A"

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Lot 2 and 3, Block 257, of PROGRESSO, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 18 of the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; said land lying and situate in Broward County, Florida.

# EXHIBIT "B" PROPOSED PROJECT PLANS

### EXHIBIT "C"

### PROJECT SCHEDULE

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Effective Date of Agreement	Full execution of the Agreement
Developer Obtains all government approvals and permits	Within Sixty (60) days from the Effective Date of the Agreement
Commencement Date	Within Ninety (90) days of the Effective Date
Completion Date: Building permit has been inspected and passed by Building Official and building received Certificate of Occupancy	Within 180 Days after Commencement Date
First Disbursement - Upon completion of 33% of the Project, subject to satisfaction of conditions for disbursement.	At or following Closing Date*
Second Disbursement - Upon completion of 66% of the Project, subject to satisfaction of conditions for disbursement.	Within 90 days of Completion Date
Third Disbursement, upon completion of 100% of the Project, subject to satisfaction of conditions for disbursement.	
*Closing Date	Date on which all conditions precedent in section 6.2 of this Agreement are satisfied

#### **EXHIBIT** "D"

#### BUDGET - PROJECTED AGENCY FUNDING

Complete renovation of both the interior and exterior structure formerly used for automotive uses and retrofit for retail/office/lifestyle uses including new windows, stucco, paint, mural, storefront, finishes, air conditioning, mechanical, electrical and other improvements.

\$300,000 (construction estimate)
\_\_\_50,000 (architectural/engineering/permits estimate)
\$350,000 Total

Maximum Agency Funding: Lesser of 60% of actual Project Improvement Cost or \$50,000.00

# Exhibit "E" RESTRICTIVE COVENANT

PREPARED BY AND RETURN TO: Lynn Solomon City Attorney's Office City of Fort Lauderdale 100 North Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301 Exhibit E

### **DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS**

THIS INDENTURE is ma	ide this	_day of _	May	, 20	18.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, Agency and Developer anticipated that the Property would be subject to a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants, the primary purpose of such Declaration of Restrictive Covenants being to ensure development and operation of the Property in accordance with the Plan which affects this Property and other properties in the vicinity; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Commission Resolution No. 95-86, adopted June 20, 1995, and by Resolution No. 01-121, adopted on July 10, 2001, the City of Fort Lauderdale established an area of economic restoration ("CRA Area") for which a Community Redevelopment Plan pursuant to Section 163.360, Florida Statutes was approved by the City Commission by Resolution No. 95-170 on November 7, 1995, as amended on May 15, 2001 by Resolution No. 01-86, and as subsequently amended (the "Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the Property is located within the CRA Area which has conditions of slum and blight as those conditions are defined in the Constitution of the State of Florida, Section 163.01, Florida Statutes, Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes and other applicable provisions of law and ordinances and Resolutions of the City of Fort Lauderdale and Agency implementing the Community Redevelopment Act; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectuate the terms and conditions contained in the Agreement, and the goals and objectives of the Community Redevelopment Plan, as amended, it is necessary and proper to create this Declaration of Restrictive Covenants; and

NOW, THEREFORE, Developer hereby declares that the Property shall be, held, conveyed, encumbered, leased, rented, used, occupied and improved, subject to the following limitations, restrictions, conditions and covenants, all of which shall run with the land and are declared to be in furtherance of the Agreement and the Plan, as amended, and that such limitations, restrictions, conditions and covenants are also established for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Property and every part thereof and to establish a development compatible with the properties under the Plan, and, in accordance therewith, Developer does hereby create and establish the following Declaration of Restrictive Covenants:

- 1. <u>Construction and Intent.</u> This Declaration shall be construed and interpreted in conjunction with the terms set forth in the Agreement, as same may be amended from time to time, provided, however, that it is the intent of the Developer that only those sections of the Agreement specifically referenced below shall be construed as covenants running with the property.
- 2. Restrictions On Use; Declaration of Restrictive Covenants The Developer covenants and agrees with the Agency that the Project Site shall be used continuously as commercial uses as permitted and authorized under the ULDR except as prohibited herein, on the Property for which Agency funding was provided for a period of five (5) years commencing on the date the improvements are complete ("Project Completion Date"). The Developer further agrees that the building shall not be used for those non-permitted uses as provided in the Unified Land Development Regulations ("ULDR") and shall not be used for the following: (i) adult uses as such term is defined in Section 47-18.2 of the ULDR; (ii) tattoo parlors; or (iii) massage parlors (other than as an ancillary use to a health club or beauty salon or beauty space); or (iv) liquor store; or (v) convenience store or convenience kiosk as provided in the ULDR, during a five (5) year term commencing on Project Completion Date.

SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW

WITNESSES:	RECHTER PROGRESSO 835, LLC, a Florida limited liability company
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**DEVELOPER:** 

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EXHIBIT "F" MORTGAGE

# Exhibit F

Prepared by: Lynn Solomon City Attorney Office City of Fort Lauderdale 100 North Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

MORTGAGE

THIS MORTGAGE, entered into this day of day of 2018, between Rechter Progresso 835, LLC., a Florida limited liability company, whose address is 241 East Prospect Road, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33334 hereinafter called the "Mortgagor", and the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency, a Community Redevelopment Agency created pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes, with an address of 100 North Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301, hereinafter called the "Mortgagee".

WITNESSETH: That to secure the payment of an indebtedness in the principal amount of Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00) with interest if any, thereon, which shall be payable in accordance with a certain Promissory Note (s), hereinafter called "Note", bearing even date herewith or dated thereafter and all other indebtedness which the Mortgagor is obligated to pay to the Mortgagee pursuant to the provisions of the Note(s) and this Mortgage, the Mortgagor hereby grants, convey, encumbers and mortgages to the Mortgagee the real property situated in Broward County, Florida, described as follows:

Lot 4, 5 and 6, Block 257, of PROGRESSO, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 18 of the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; said land lying and situate in Broward County, Florida.

Together with the buildings and improvements situated upon said properties; as security for the payment of the Note(s) and all future advances made by Mortgagee to Mortgagor in accordance with the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency Property and Business Investment Improvement Program Agreement dated

10 10 2018 entered into by Mortgagor and Mortgagee (the "Agreement").

The said Mortgagor does covenant with the said Mortgagee that the said Mortgagor is indefeasibly seized of said land in fee simple and has the full power and

lawful right to mortgage and encumber the same, that the said land is free from all encumbrances except as set forth below, and that the said Mortgagor except as above noted does fully warrant the title to said land and will warrant and defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

And the said Mortgagor does further agree as follows:

- 1. To make promptly all payments required by the above described Note and this Mortgage as such payments become due.
- 2. To pay promptly when due all taxes, assessments, liens, and encumbrances on said property.
- To keep the improvements now existing or hereafter erected on the mortgaged property insured as required in the Agreement and as may be required from time to time by the Mortgagee against loss by fire and other hazards, casualties, and contingencies in such amounts and for such periods as may be required by Mortgagee, and will pay promptly, when due, any premiums on such insurance for payment of which provision has not been made hereinbefore. All insurance shall be carried in companies approved by Mortgagee and the policies and renewals thereof shall be held by Mortgagee and have attached thereto loss payable clauses in favor of in a form acceptable to the In event of loss, Mortgagor shall give immediate notice by mail to Mortgagee, and Mortgagee may make proof of loss if not made promptly by Mortgagor, and each insurance company concerned is hereby authorized and directed to make payment for such loss directly to Mortgagee instead of to Mortgagor and Mortgagee jointly, and the insurance proceeds, or any part thereof, may be applied by Mortgagee at its option either to the reduction of the indebtedness hereby secured or to the restoration of repair of the property damaged. In event of foreclosure of this Mortgage or other transfer of title to the mortgaged property in extinguishment of the indebtedness secured hereby, all right, title and interest of the Mortgagor in and to any insurance policies then in force shall pass to the purchaser or grantee.
- 4. To permit, commit, or suffer no waste or impairment of the mortgaged property.
- 5. To pay all expenses reasonably incurred by the Mortgagee because of failure of the Mortgagor to comply with the obligations in the Agreement, the Note(s) or this Mortgage, including reasonable attorneys' fees.
- 6. If the buildings are not kept insured as provided, or if the Mortgagor defaults in any of the other covenants, stipulations or agreements contained herein or in the Agreement, the Mortgagee, without waiting or affecting the option to foreclose, may pay any and all such payments or obligations, may insure the buildings, or may otherwise perform any of the covenants or agreements on behalf of the Mortgagor, and any and all such sums or expenses paid or incurred, with interest thereon from the date of

payment at the rate of interest prescribed in the Note secured by this Mortgage, shall also be secured by this Mortgage.

- 7. This mortgage lien shall extend to and include all rents and profits of the mortgaged property. In the event of foreclosure the court is authorized to appoint a receiver of the mortgaged property and to apply such rents or profits to the indebtedness hereby secured, regardless of the solvency of the Mortgagor or the adequacy of the security.
- 8. If any provision of this Mortgage is breached, then the unpaid principal balance, together with accrued interest, shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the Mortgagee, and the Mortgagee may foreclose this Mortgage in accordance with procedures established by law, and have the property sold to satisfy or apply on the indebtedness hereby secured.
- 9. The agreements and promises of the Note(s) secured hereby and of this Mortgage and the Agreement are intended to be covenants running with the land or of any interest therein, to be binding on the respective promisors, their heirs, legal representatives and assigns, and to inure to the benefit of the respective promises, their heirs, legal representatives and assigns.
- 10. The lien hereby created shall cease and become null and void upon complete performance of all the covenants, stipulations and agreements contained in this Mortgage, the Note(s) which it secures, and the Agreement.
- 11. The Mortgagee and Mortgagor have entered into the Agreement pursuant to which the indebtedness evidenced by the Note(s) is being incurred by the Mortgagor. The Mortgagor covenants and agrees that any breach of the terms of such Agreement, as same may be amended from time to time, by the Mortgagor shall constitute a breach and default under this Mortgage entitling the Mortgagee herein to declare the entire unpaid principal sum secured hereby, together with interest then accrued, immediately due and payable and to enforce collection thereof by foreclosure or otherwise.
- 12. Privilege is reserved to prepay this note and mortgage, in whole or in part, at any time without notice and without penalty.
- 13. Mortgagee shall give written notice to Mortgagor of any event of default under this Mortgage or the Note and Mortgagor shall have thirty days in which to cure said default. All notice shall be given in the manner provided in the Agreement.
- 14. The Mortgagee acknowledges and agrees that the Mortgagor has executed a promissory note with an institutional lender(s) to be secured by a mortgage encumbering the Property (the "First Mortgage"). Mortgagee further acknowledges and

agrees that this Mortgage and the Note(s) in favor of the Mortgagee shall be subject to and at all times subordinate to the First Mortgage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Mortgage has been duly signed and sealed by the Mortgagor on or as of the day and year first above written.

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Fort Lauderdale, Florida Hay 7, 2018

#### **PROMISSORY NOTE**

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned RECHTER PROGRESSO 837, LLC., a Florida limited liability company (the "Maker") promises to pay to the order of the FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a Community Redevelopment Agency created pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes (the "Agency") or its successors in interest, the principal amount of Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00) or so much as shall be advanced under this Note.

- I. <u>TERM</u>: The term of this loan is five (5) years from the Project Completion Date as contemplated in the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency Property and Business Investment Improvement Program Agreement between Maker and Agency dated <u>Houll</u>, 2018 the "Agreement") such Agreement being on file with the City Clerk of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 100 North Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.
- II. <u>INTEREST RATE</u>: The interest rate on the principal amount of the loan shall be zero percent (0%) per annum, except in any event of default under this Note, the Mortgage (as hereinafter defined) or the Agreement in which case the maximum legal interest rate shall be applied to the principal amount due and owing commencing thirty (30) days after the date of an event of default.
- III. PAYMENT: Payment on the principal amount of the loan shall not be required so long as the property is not sold or transferred for a five (5) year period following the Project Completion Date and the Property continues to be used for the Project as contemplated by the Agreement for a five (5) year period following the Project Completion Date and the Developer is not in default of any provision of the Agreement. After 5 years from the Project Completion Date, the principal balance due shall be reduced to zero provided Maker has complied with all the terms of the Agreement and is not in default. Payment of the entire principal amount, plus the maximum interest rate allowable by applicable law is due immediately: (1) upon the sale, transfer or refinance of the property legally described in the Mortgage within five (5) years from the Project Completion Date; or (2) should there be any uncured event of default as described in this Note, the Mortgage, or the Agreement within five (5) years from the Completion Date.

Payment of the principal amount and all interest on this Note shall be made in lawful money of the United States paid at:

Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency 100 North Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

or such other place as shall be designated by the holder of this Note in writing.

- V. <u>WAIVER</u>: The Maker of this Note further agrees to waive demand, notice of non-payment and protest, and to the extent authorized by law, any and all exemption rights which otherwise would apply to the debt evidenced by this Note. In the event suit shall be brought for the collection hereof, or the same has to be collected upon demand of an attorney, the Maker agrees to pay all costs of such collection, including reasonable attorney's fees and court costs at the trial and appellate levels. Failure of the Agency to exercise any of its rights hereunder shall not constitute a waiver of the right of Agency to exercise the same.
- VI. GOVERNING LAW: This note is to be construed and enforced according to the laws of the State of Florida.

Maker:

RECHTER PROGRESSO 837, LLC., a Florida

limited liability company

Michael Rechter, Manager

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PREPARED BY AND RETURN TO: Lynn Solomon City Attorney's Office City of Fort Lauderdale 100 North Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

### **DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS**

THIS INDENTURE is made this day of May, 2018.
WHEREAS, in furtherance of the Plan (defined herein), and pursuant to duly
convened public meetings, a certain Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment
Agency Property and Business Investment Improvement Program Agreement dated
May 1, 2018, (the "Agreement") was executed by and between Fort
Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency, a community redevelopment agency
created pursuant to Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes ("Agency") and Rechter
Progresso 837, LLC a Florida Limited Liability Company ("Developer"), such Agreement
being on file with the City Clerk of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 100 North
Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, and such Agreement being in connection
with improvements to the Property described in Exhibit "A" owned by Developer; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, Agency and Developer anticipated that the Property would be subject to a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants, the primary purpose of such Declaration of Restrictive Covenants being to ensure development and operation of the Property in accordance with the Plan which affects this Property and other properties in the vicinity; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Commission Resolution No. 95-86, adopted June 20, 1995, and by Resolution No. 01-121, adopted on July 10, 2001, the City of Fort Lauderdale established an area of economic restoration ("CRA Area") for which a Community Redevelopment Plan pursuant to Section 163.360, Florida Statutes was approved by the City Commission by Resolution No. 95-170 on November 7, 1995, as amended on May 15, 2001 by Resolution No. 01-86, and as subsequently amended (the "Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the Property is located within the CRA Area which has conditions of



slum and blight as those conditions are defined in the Constitution of the State of Florida, Section 163.01, Florida Statutes, Chapter 163, Part III, Florida Statutes and other applicable provisions of law and ordinances and Resolutions of the City of Fort Lauderdale and Agency implementing the Community Redevelopment Act; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectuate the terms and conditions contained in the Agreement, and the goals and objectives of the Community Redevelopment Plan, as amended, it is necessary and proper to create this Declaration of Restrictive Covenants; and

NOW, THEREFORE, Developer hereby declares that the Property shall be, held, conveyed, encumbered, leased, rented, used, occupied and improved, subject to the following limitations, restrictions, conditions and covenants, all of which shall run with the land and are declared to be in furtherance of the Agreement and the Plan, as amended, and that such limitations, restrictions, conditions and covenants are also established for the purpose of enhancing and protecting the value, desirability and attractiveness of the Property and every part thereof and to establish a development compatible with the properties under the Plan, and, in accordance therewith, Developer does hereby create and establish the following Declaration of Restrictive Covenants:

- 1. <u>Construction and Intent.</u> This Declaration shall be construed and interpreted in conjunction with the terms set forth in the Agreement, as same may be amended from time to time, provided, however, that it is the intent of the Developer that only those sections of the Agreement specifically referenced below shall be construed as covenants running with the property.
- 2. Restrictions On Use; Declaration of Restrictive Covenants The Developer covenants and agrees with the Agency that the Project Site shall be used continuously as commercial uses as permitted and authorized under the ULDR except as prohibited herein, on the Property for which Agency funding was provided for a period of five (5) years commencing on the date the improvements are complete (" Project Completion Date"). The Developer further agrees that the building shall not be used for those non-permitted uses as provided in the Unified Land Development Regulations ("ULDR") and shall not be used for the following: (i) adult uses as such term is defined in Section 47-18.2 of the ULDR; (ii) tattoo parlors; or (iii) massage parlors (other than as an ancillary use to a health club or beauty salon or beauty space); or (iv) liquor store; or (v) convenience store or convenience kiosk as provided in the ULDR, during a five (5) year term commencing on Project Completion Date.

SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW

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