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Contra Costa County Department of Conservation and Development 30 Muir Road Martinez, CA 94553 Attn: Affordable Housing Program Manger

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REGULATORY AGREEMENT AND DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS (Richmond Rental Rehabilitation) (CDBG Funds)

This Regulatory Agreement and Declaration of Restrictive Covenants (the "<u>Agreement</u>") is dated _____, 20___, and is between the County of Contra Costa, a political subdivision of the State of California (the "<u>County</u>"), and Richmond Neighborhood Housing Services, a California nonprofit public benefit corporation ("<u>Borrower</u>").

RECITALS

- A. Defined terms used but not defined in these recitals are as defined in Article 1 of this Agreement.
- B. The County has received funds from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("<u>HUD</u>") under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended ("<u>CDBG Funds</u>"). The CDBG Funds must be used by the County in accordance with 24 C.F.R. Part 570.
- C. Borrower owns the real property commonly known as [address] Street, located in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as more particularly described in <u>Exhibit A</u> (the "<u>Property</u>"). Borrower intends to rehabilitate the single family home currently existing on the Property (the "<u>Residence</u>"), for rental to a very low or low income household. The work being performed to rehabilitate the Residence is described in <u>Exhibit B</u> (such work, the "Rehabilitation").
- D. Pursuant to a CDBG Loan Agreement by and between the County and Borrower of even date herewith (the "Loan Agreement"), the County is lending Borrower _______ Dollars (\$____00) (the "Loan").
- E. The County has the authority to lend the Loan to Borrower pursuant to Government Code Section 26227, which authorizes counties to spend county funds for programs that will further a county's public purposes. In addition, the County has the authority to loan the

CBDG Funds pursuant to 24 C.F.R. 570.202.

- F. The Loan is being made to finance the Rehabilitation and is intended to maintain the supply of affordable rental housing in Contra Costa County. Due to the assistance provided Borrower through the Loan, the County is designating the Residence as a "County-Assisted Unit."
- G. In consideration of receipt of the Loan at an interest rate substantially below the market rate, Borrower agrees to observe all the terms and conditions set forth below.

The parties therefore agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS

1.1 Definitions.

The following terms have the following meanings:

- (a) "Actual Household Size" means the actual number of persons in the applicable household.
- (b) "Adjusted Income" means the total anticipated annual income of all persons in the Tenant household as defined in 24 CFR 5.609 and as calculated pursuant to 24 C.F.R. 5.611.
- (c) "Agreement" has the meaning set forth in the first paragraph of this Agreement.
- (d) "CDBG" means the Community Development Block Grant Program, funded pursuant to Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (42 USC 5301, et seq.).
 - (e) "CDBG Funds" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph B of the Recitals.
 - (f) "City" means the City of Richmond, California, a municipal corporation.
- (g) "Completion Date" means the date a final certificate of occupancy, or equivalent document is issued by the City to certify that the Residence may be legally occupied.
- (h) "County-Assisted Unit" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph F of the Recitals.
- (i) "Deed of Trust" means the Deed of Trust with Assignment of Rents,
 Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith by and among Borrower, as trustor,
 Title Company, as trustee, and the County, as beneficiary, that encumbers the
 Property to secure repayment of the Loan and Borrower's performance of the Loan Documents.

- (j) "Existing Tenants" means the tenants that occupy the Residence on the date of Borrower's acquisition of the Property.
- (k) "High HOME Rent" means the lesser of (1) the fair market rent for existing housing for a comparable residence in the area as established by HUD under 24 CFR 888.111, or (2) a rent that does not exceed 30 percent of the adjusted income of a family whose annual income equals 65 percent of the median income for the area, as determined by HUD, with adjustment for number of bedrooms in the Residence. The HOME rents provided by HUD will include average occupancy per unit and adjusted income assumptions.
 - (l) "HUD" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph B of the Recitals.
 - (m) "Loan" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph D of the Recitals.
- (n) "Loan Agreement" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph D of the Recitals.
- (o) "Loan Documents" means the documents evidencing the Loan including this Agreement, the Note, the Loan Agreement, and the Deed of Trust.
- (p) "Low Income Household" means a Tenant with an Adjusted Income that does not exceed eighty percent (80%) of Median Income, as determined by HUD with adjustments for smaller and larger families, except that HUD may establish income ceilings higher or lower than eighty percent (80%) of Median Income if HUD finds that such variations are necessary because of unusually high or low family incomes.
- (q) "Median Income" means the median gross yearly income, adjusted for Actual Household Size as specified herein, in the County of Contra Costa, California, as published from time to time by HUD. In the event that such income determinations are no longer published, or are not updated for a period of at least eighteen (18) months, the County shall provide Borrower with other income determinations that are reasonably similar with respect to methods of calculation to those previously published by HUD.
- (r) "Note" means the promissory note that evidences Borrower's obligation to repay the Loan, as such may be amended form time to time.
 - (s) "Property" has the meaning set forth in Paragraph C of the Recitals.
- (t) "Rent" means the total monthly payments by the Tenant for the following: use and occupancy of the Residence and land and associated facilities, any separately charged fees or service charges assessed by Borrower which are customarily charged in rental housing and required of all Tenants, other than security deposits; an allowance for the cost of an adequate level of service for utilities paid by the Tenant, including garbage collection, sewer, water, electricity, gas and other heating, cooking and refrigeration fuel, but not telephone service or cable TV; and any other interest, taxes, fees or charges for use of the land or associated facilities and assessed by a public or private entity other than Borrower, and paid by the Tenant.

- (u) "Tenant" means the tenant household that occupies the Residence.
- (v) "Term" means the term of this Agreement, which commences as of the date of this Agreement and unless sooner terminated pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, expires on the thirtieth (30th) anniversary of the Completion Date; provided, however, if a record of the Completion Date cannot be located or established, the Term will expire on the thirty-first (31st) anniversary of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 2 AFFORDABILITY AND OCCUPANCY COVENANTS

2.1 Occupancy Requirements.

- (a) Low income tenants
- (b) <u>Disabled Persons Occupancy</u>. Borrower shall operate the Residence at all times in compliance with the provisions of: (i) the Unruh Act, (ii) the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, (iii) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (iv) the United States Fair Housing Act, as amended, and (v) the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, which relate to disabled persons access. Borrower shall indemnify, protect, hold harmless and defend (with counsel reasonably satisfactory to the County) the County, and its board members, officers and employees, from all suits, actions, claims, causes of action, costs, demands, judgments and liens arising out of Borrower's failure to comply with applicable legal requirements related to housing for persons with disabilities. The provisions of this subsection will survive expiration of the Term or other termination of this Agreement, and remain in full force and effect.
- (c) Existing Tenants. Borrower shall provide the County a written report of the income and rent amount of the Existing Tenants within thirty (30) days of acquisition of the Residence. Borrower may not increase Existing Tenants' rent upon completion of the Rehabilitation without the approval of the County. Any Existing Tenant lawfully residing in the Residence as of the date of this Agreement is entitled to remain a resident of the Residence, even if the Tenant does not meet the income criteria of this Section 2.1. If and when a non-qualifying Existing Tenant voluntarily vacates the Residence, Borrower shall rent the Residence to a Low Income Household to satisfy the terms of this Section of this Agreement.

2.2 Allowable Rent.

- (a) <u>Low Income Rent</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 2.3 below, the Rent paid by Tenants may not exceed the HOME program "High HOME" Rent.
- (b) <u>No Additional Fees</u>. Borrower may not charge any fee, other than Rent, to any Tenant for any housing or other services provided by Borrower under this Agreement.

2.3 Rent Increases; Increased Income of Tenants.

- (a) <u>Rent Increases</u>. All Rent increases for the Residence are subject to County approval. The Rent for the Residence may be increased no more than once annually based upon the annual income certification described in Article 3. Tenants are to be given at least thirty (30) days written notice prior to any Rent increase.
- (b) Non-Qualifying Household. If, upon the annual certification of the Tenant's income, Borrower determines that the Tenant's income has increased above the qualifying limit for a Low Income Household, the Tenant may continue to occupy the Residence. Upon the expiration of such Tenant's lease, Borrower may: with thirty (30) days advance written notice, increase the Tenant's Rent to one-twelfth $(1/12^{th})$ of thirty percent (30%) of the actual Adjusted Income of the Tenant.
- (c) <u>Termination of Occupancy</u>. Upon termination of Tenant's occupancy of the Residence, the Residence will be deemed to be continuously occupied by a household of the same income level as the initial income level of the vacating Tenant, until the Residence is reoccupied, at which time categorization of the Residence will be established based on the occupancy requirements of Section 2.1.
- 2.4 <u>Residence Available to the Disabled</u>. Borrower shall rehabilitate the Residence in compliance with all applicable federal and state disabled persons' accessibility requirements including but not limited to the Federal Fair Housing Act; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; Title II and/or Title III of the Americans with Disabilities Act; and Title 24 of the California Code of Regulations.

ARTICLE 3 INCOME CERTIFICATION AND REPORTING

- 3.1 <u>Income Certification</u>. Borrower shall obtain, complete, and maintain on file, within sixty (60) days before expected occupancy and annually thereafter, income certifications from the Tenant. Borrower shall make a good faith effort to verify the accuracy of the income provided by the applicant or Tenant, as the case may be, in an income certification. To verify the information Borrower shall take two or more of the following steps: (i) obtain a pay stub for the most recent pay period; (ii) obtain an income tax return for the most recent tax year; (iii) conduct a credit agency or similar search; (iv) obtain an income verification form from the applicant's current employer; (v) obtain an income verification form from the Social Security Administration and/or the California Department of Social Services if the applicant receives assistance from either of such agencies; or (vi) if the applicant is unemployed and does not have a tax return, obtain another form of independent verification. Copies of Tenant income certifications are to be available to the County upon request.
- 3.2 <u>Reporting Requirements</u>. Borrower shall submit to the County (a) not later than forty-five (45) days after the close of each calendar year, or such other date as may be requested by the County, a statistical report, including income and rent data for the Residence, setting forth the information called for therein, and (b) within fifteen (15) days after receipt of a written

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request, any other information or completed forms requested by the County in order to comply with reporting requirements of HUD, the State of California, and the County.

- 3.3 <u>Additional Information</u>. Borrower shall provide any additional information reasonably requested by the County.
- 3.4 <u>Records</u>. Borrower shall maintain complete, accurate and current records pertaining to the Residence, and shall permit any duly authorized representative of the County to inspect records, including records pertaining to income and household size of each Tenant. All Tenant lists, applications and waiting lists relating to the Residence are to be at all times: (i) separate and identifiable from any other business or rental home of Borrower, (ii) maintained as required by the County, in a reasonable condition for proper audit, and (iii) subject to examination during business hours by representatives of the County. Borrower shall retain copies of all materials obtained or produced with respect to occupancy of the Residence for a period of at least five (5) years. The County may examine and make copies of all books, records or other documents of Borrower that pertain to the Residence.
- 3.5 <u>On-Site Inspection</u>. The County may perform an on-site inspection of the Residence at least one (1) time per year. Borrower shall cooperate in such inspection.

ARTICLE 4 OPERATION OF THE RESIDENCE

- 4.1 <u>Residential Use</u>. Borrower shall operate the Residence for residential use only. No part of the Residence may be operated as transient housing.
- 4.2 <u>Compliance with Loan Documents and Program Requirements</u>. Borrower's actions with respect to the Property shall at all times be in full conformity with: (i) all requirements of the Loan Documents; (ii) all requirements imposed on projects assisted with CDBG Funds as contained in 42 U.S.C. Section 5301, et seq., 24 C.F.R. Part 570, and other implementing rules and regulations, and (iii) any other regulatory requirements imposed on the Residence.
- 4.3 <u>Taxes and Assessments</u>. Borrower shall pay all real and personal property taxes, assessments and charges and all franchise, income, employment, old age benefit, withholding, sales, and other taxes assessed against it, or payable by it, at such times and in such manner as to prevent any penalty from accruing, or any lien or charge from attaching to the Property; provided, however, that Borrower may contest in good faith, any such taxes, assessments, or charges. In the event Borrower exercises its right to contest any tax, assessment, or charge against it, Borrower, on final determination of the proceeding or contest, will immediately pay or discharge any decision or judgment rendered against it, together with all costs, charges and interest.
- 4.4 <u>Property Tax Exemption</u>. Borrower shall not apply for a property tax exemption for the Property under any provision of law except California Revenue and Taxation Section 214(g) without the prior written consent of the County.

ARTICLE 5 PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE

- 5.1 <u>Management Responsibilities</u>. Borrower is responsible for managing the Residence and its rental, including without limitation the selection of Tenants, certification and recertification of household size and income, evictions, collection of rents and deposits, maintenance, landscaping, routine and extraordinary repairs, replacement of capital items, and security. The County has no responsibility for managing the Residence.
- Solution 5.2 Management Agent. Borrower is the "Management Agent" and shall operate the Residence in a manner that will provide decent, safe, and sanitary housing. If Borrower desires to engage an outside company to act as the Management Agent, Borrower shall submit for the County's approval the identity of any proposed management agent. Borrower shall also submit such additional information about the background, experience and financial condition of any proposed management agent as is reasonably necessary for the County to determine whether the proposed management agent meets the standard for a qualified management agent set forth above. If the proposed management agent is approved by the County in its reasonable discretion, the County shall notify Borrower in writing. Unless the proposed management agent is disapproved by the County within thirty (30) days, which disapproval is to state with reasonable specificity the basis for disapproval, it shall be deemed approved.
- 5.3 <u>Periodic Performance Review</u>. The County reserves the right to conduct an annual (or more frequently, if deemed necessary by the County) review of the management practices and financial status of the Residence. The purpose of each periodic review will be to enable the County to determine if the Residence is being operated and managed in accordance with the requirements and standards of this Agreement. Borrower shall cooperate with the County in such reviews.
- 5.4 Replacement of Management Agent. If, as a result of a periodic review, the County determines in its reasonable judgment that the Residence is not being operated and managed in accordance with any of the material requirements and standards of this Agreement, the County shall deliver notice to Borrower of its intention to cause the Management Agent to be replaced, including the reasons therefor. Within fifteen (15) days after receipt by Borrower of such written notice, the County staff and Borrower shall meet in good faith to consider methods for improving the financial and operating status of the Residence, including, without limitation, replacing the Management Agent.

If, after such meeting, County staff recommends in writing replacing the Management Agent, Borrower shall promptly dismiss the then-current Management Agent, and shall appoint as the Management Agent a person or entity meeting the standards for a management agent set forth in Section 5.2 above and approved by the County pursuant to Section 5.2 above.

Any contract for the operation or management of the Residence entered into by Borrower shall provide that the Management Agent may be dismissed and the contract terminated as set forth above. Failure to remove the Management Agent in accordance with the provisions of this Section constitutes a default under this Agreement, and the County may enforce this provision through legal proceedings as specified in Section 6.7 below.

- 5.5 <u>Approval of Management Policies</u>. Borrower shall submit its written management policies with respect to the Residence to the County for its review, and shall amend such policies in any way necessary to ensure that such policies comply with the provisions of this Agreement.
- 5.6 <u>Property Maintenance</u>. Borrower shall maintain, for the entire Term of this Agreement, all interior and exterior Improvements, including landscaping, on the Property in good condition and repair (and, as to landscaping, in a healthy condition) and in accordance with all applicable laws, rules, ordinances, orders and regulations of all federal, state, county, municipal, and other governmental agencies and bodies having or claiming jurisdiction and all their respective departments, bureaus, and officials, and in accordance with the following maintenance conditions:

The County places prime importance on quality maintenance to protect its investment and to ensure that all County and County-assisted affordable housing projects within the County are not allowed to deteriorate due to below-average maintenance. Normal wear and tear of the Residence will be acceptable to the County assuming Borrower agrees to provide all necessary improvements to assure the Residence is maintained in good condition. Borrower shall make all repairs and replacements necessary to keep the improvements in good condition and repair.

In the event that Borrower breaches any of the covenants contained in this section and such default continues for a period of five (5) days after written notice from the County with respect to graffiti, debris, waste material, and general maintenance or thirty (30) days after written notice from the County with respect to landscaping and building improvements, then the County, in addition to whatever other remedy it may have at law or in equity, has the right to enter upon the Property and perform or cause to be performed all such acts and work necessary to cure the default. Pursuant to such right of entry, the County is permitted (but is not required) to enter upon the Property and to perform all acts and work necessary to protect, maintain, and preserve the improvements and landscaped areas on the Property, and to attach a lien on the Property, or to assess the Property, in the amount of the expenditures arising from such acts and work of protection, maintenance, and preservation by the County and/or costs of such cure, which amount shall be promptly paid by Borrower to the County upon demand.

ARTICLE 6 MISCELLANEOUS

- 6.1 <u>Lease Provisions</u>. In newly leasing the Residence, Borrower shall use a form of lease approved by the County. The form of lease must comply with all requirements of this Agreement, the other Loan Documents and must, among other matters:
- (a) provide for termination of the lease for failure to: (i) provide any information required under this Agreement or reasonably requested by Borrower to establish or recertify the Tenant's qualification, or the qualification of the Tenant's household, for occupancy of the Residence in accordance with the standards set forth in this Agreement, or (ii) qualify as a

Low Income Household as a result of any material misrepresentation made by such Tenant with respect to the income computation.

- (b) be for an initial term of not less than one (1) year, unless by mutual agreement between the Tenant and Borrower, and provide for no increase in Rent during such year. After the initial year of tenancy, the lease may be month-to-month by mutual agreement of Borrower and the Tenant. Notwithstanding the above, any rent increases are subject to the requirements of Section 2.3 (a) above.
- (c) include a provision that requires a Tenant who resides in an accessible residence pursuant to Section 2.4 and who is not in need of an accessible residence to move to a non-accessible residence when a non-accessible residence becomes available and another Tenant or prospective Tenant is in need of an accessible residence.
- (d) include any provisions necessary to comply with the requirements of the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 (Pub. L. 113–4, 127 Stat. 54) applicable to HUD-funded programs.
- 6.2 <u>Lease Termination</u>. Any termination of a lease or refusal to renew a lease for the Residence must be preceded by not less than thirty (30) days written notice to the Tenant by Borrower specifying the grounds for the action.

6.3 Nondiscrimination.

- (a) If not occupied, the Residence must be available for occupancy on a continuous basis to members of the general public who are income eligible. Borrower may not give preference to any particular class or group of persons in renting the Residence, except to the extent that the Residence must be leased to income eligible households pursuant to this Agreement. Borrower herein covenants by and for Borrower, assigns, and all persons claiming under or through Borrower, that no discrimination exists against, or segregation of, any person or group of persons on account of race, color, creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, national origin, source of income (e.g., SSI), ancestry, or disability, in the leasing, subleasing, transferring, use, occupancy, tenure, or enjoyment of the Residence, nor will Borrower or any person claiming under or through Borrower, establish or permit any such practice or practices of discrimination or segregation with reference to the selection, location, number, use, or occupancy, of tenants, lessees, sublessees, subtenants, or vendees of the Residence or in connection with the employment of persons for the rehabilitation, operation or management of the Residence.
- (b) Borrower shall accept as Tenants, on the same basis as all other prospective Tenants, persons who are recipients of federal certificates for rent subsidies pursuant to the existing housing program under Section 8 of the United States Housing Act, or its successor. Borrower may not apply selection criteria to Section 8 certificate or voucher holders that is more burdensome than criteria applied to all other prospective Tenants, nor will Borrower apply or permit the application of management policies or lease provisions with respect to the Residence that have the effect of precluding occupancy of the Residence by such prospective Tenants.

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6.4 <u>Term</u>. The provisions of this Agreement apply to the Property for the entire Term even if the Loan is paid in full prior to the end of the Term. This Agreement binds any successor, heir or assign of Borrower, whether a change in interest occurs voluntarily or involuntarily, by operation of law or otherwise, except as expressly released by the County. The County is making the Loan on the condition, and in consideration of, this provision and would not do so otherwise.

6.5 <u>Notice of Expiration of Term.</u>

- (a) At least six (6) months prior to the expiration of the Term, Borrower shall provide by first-class mail, postage prepaid, a notice to the Tenant containing (i) the anticipated date of the expiration of the Term, (ii) any anticipated increase in Rent upon the expiration of the Term, (iii) a statement that a copy of the notice will be sent to the County, and (iv) a statement that a public hearing may be held by the County on the issue and that the Tenant will receive notice of the hearing at least fifteen (15) days in advance of any the hearing. Borrower shall also file a copy of the above-described notice with the County Deputy Director-Current Planning.
- (b) In addition to the notice required above, Borrower shall comply with the requirements set forth in California Government Code Sections 65863.10 and 65863.11. Such notice requirements include: (i) a twelve (12) month notice to existing tenants, prospective tenants and Affected Public Agencies (as defined in California Government Code Section 65863.10(a)) prior to the expiration of the Term, (ii) a six (6) month notice requirement to existing tenants, prospective tenants and Affected Public Agencies prior to the expiration of the Term; (iii) a notice of an offer to purchase the Residence to "qualified entities" (as defined in California Government Code Section 65863.11(d)), if the Residence is to be sold within five (5) years of the end of the Term; (iv) a notice of right of first refusal within the one hundred eighty (180) day period that qualified entities may purchase the Residence.
- 6.6 Covenants to Run With the Land. The County and Borrower hereby declare their express intent that the covenants and restrictions set forth in this Agreement run with the land, and bind all successors in title to the Property, provided, however, that on the expiration of the Term of this Agreement said covenants and restrictions expire. Each and every contract, deed or other instrument hereafter executed covering or conveying the Property or any portion thereof, is to be held conclusively to have been executed, delivered and accepted subject to the covenants and restrictions, regardless of whether such covenants or restrictions are set forth in such contract, deed or other instrument, unless the County expressly releases such conveyed portion of the Property from the requirements of this Agreement.
- 6.7 <u>Enforcement by the County</u>. If Borrower fails to perform any obligation under this Agreement, and fails to cure the default within thirty (30) days after the County has notified Borrower in writing of the default or, if the default cannot be cured within thirty (30) days, fails to commence to cure within thirty (30) days and thereafter diligently pursue such cure and

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complete such cure within sixty (60) days, the County may enforce this Agreement by any or all of the following actions, or any other remedy provided by law:

- (a) <u>Calling the Loan</u>. The County may declare a default under the Note, accelerate the indebtedness evidenced by the Note, and proceed with foreclosure under the Deed of Trust.
- (b) <u>Action to Compel Performance or for Damages</u>. The County may bring an action at law or in equity to compel Borrower's performance of its obligations under this Agreement, and may seek damages.
- (c) <u>Remedies Provided Under Loan Documents</u>. The County may exercise any other remedy provided under the Loan Documents.
- 6.8 <u>Attorneys' Fees and Costs</u>. In any action brought to enforce this Agreement, the prevailing party must be entitled to all costs and expenses of suit, including reasonable attorneys' fees. This section must be interpreted in accordance with California Civil Code Section 1717 and judicial decisions interpreting that statute.
- 6.9 <u>Recording and Filing</u>. The County and Borrower shall cause this Agreement, and all amendments and supplements to it, to be recorded in the Official Records of the County of Contra Costa.
- 6.10 <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of California.
- 6.11 <u>Waiver of Requirements</u>. Any of the requirements of this Agreement may be expressly waived by the County in writing, but no waiver by the County of any requirement of this Agreement extends to or affects any other provision of this Agreement, and may not be deemed to do so.
- 6.12 <u>Amendments</u>. This Agreement may be amended only by a written instrument executed by all the parties hereto or their successors in title that is duly recorded in the official records of the County of Contra Costa.
- 6.13 <u>Notices</u>. Any notice requirement set forth herein will be deemed to be satisfied three (3) days after mailing of the notice first-class United States certified mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the appropriate party as follows:

County: County of Contra Costa

Department of Conservation and Development

30 Muir Road

Martinez, CA 94553

Attn: Affordable Housing Program Manager

Borrower: Richmond Neighborhood Housing Services

2320 Cutting Boulevard

Richmond, CA 94804 Attention: Executive Director

Such addresses may be changed by notice to the other party given in the same manner as provided above.

- 6.14 <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining portions of this Agreement will not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.
- 6.15 <u>Multiple Originals; Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in multiple originals, each of which is deemed to be an original, and may be signed in counterparts.

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The parties are signing this Agreement as of the date first written above.

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		By: John Kopchik Director, Department of Conservation and Development
Appr	oved as to form:	
	RON L. ANDERSON ity Counsel	
Ву:	Kathleen Andrus Deputy County Counsel	
		BORROWER:
		Richmond Housing Neighborhood Services
		By:
		Nikki Beasly Executive Director

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EXHIBIT A

Legal Description

The land is situated in the State of California, County of Contra Costa, and is described as follows: