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## City of Chicago

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Emanuel (Mayor)

Ordinance

Negotiated sale of City-owned property at 1122 N Christiana Ave, 1144 N Christiana Ave, 1222 N Rockwell St, 1226 N Campbell Ave, 1754-1756 N Drake Ave and 3221 W Crystal St

Committee on Housing and Real Estate



O2014-145



#### OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

CITY OF CHICAGO

RAHM EMANUEL MAYOR

January 15, 2014

## TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of the Commissioner of Planning and Development, I transmit herewith ordinances authorizing the sale of city-owned property.

Your favorable consideration of these ordinances will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Imanuel

Mayor

#### AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE NEGOTIATED SALE OF VARIOUS PARCELS IN THE HUMBOLDT PARK AND WEST TOWN COMMUNITY AREAS

WHEREAS, the City of Chicago ("<u>City</u>") is a home rule unit of government by virtue of the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970, and as such, may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

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WHEREAS, the City is the owner of the seven vacant parcels of real property commonly known as 1122 N. Christiana Avenue, 1144 N. Christiana Avenue, 1222 N. Rockwell Street, 1226 N. Campbell Avenue, 1754-56 N. Drake Avenue (two (2) parcels; collectively, the "Drake Parcels"), and 3221 W. Crystal Street, Chicago, Illinois, and which are legally described on Exhibit A attached hereto (each such parcel, a "Parcel", and collectively, the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, the current appraised fair market value of the Property is Three Hundred Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$316,000), and the value for each individual Parcel is set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to ordinances adopted by the City Council of the City (the "<u>City</u> <u>Council</u>") on June 27, 2001, and published in the Journal of the Proceedings of the City Council for such date, (i) a certain redevelopment plan and project (the "<u>Division/Homan Redevelopment</u> <u>Plan</u>") for the Division/Homan Tax Increment Financing Redevelopment Project Area (the "<u>Division/Homan Redevelopment Area</u>"), was approved pursuant to the Illinois Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act, as amended (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-1 <u>et seq.</u>) (the "<u>Act</u>"); (ii) the Division/Homan Redevelopment Area was designated as a redevelopment project area pursuant to the Act; and (iii) tax increment financing was adopted pursuant to the Act as a means of financing certain Division/Homan Redevelopment Area redevelopment Area redevelopment Project costs (as defined in the Act) incurred pursuant to the Division/Homan Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Parcels located at 1122 N. Christiana Avenue and 1144 N. Christiana Avenue are located in the Division/Homan Redevelopment Area (such Parcels, the "Division/Homan Parcels"); and

WHEREAS, L&MC Investments LLC, an Illinois limited liability company (the "<u>Developer</u>"), has offered to purchase each Parcel for One Dollar (\$1.00; for a total of \$7.00 for the entire Property); and

WHEREAS, the Developer intends to use the Property for the development of affordable single-family housing (the "<u>Project</u>"); and

WHEREAS, the use of the Division/Homan Parcels for the Project is consistent with the Division/Homan Redevelopment Plan; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 13-CDC-41 adopted by the Community Development Commission of the City (the "<u>CDC</u>") on December 10, 2013, the CDC recommended the sale of the Property to the Developer; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution Nos. 13-078-21, 13-079-21, 13-080-21, 13-081-21 and 13-082-21, adopted by the Plan Commission of the City (the "<u>Plan Commission</u>") on December 19, 2013, the Plan Commission recommended the sale of the Property; and

WHEREAS, public notices advertising the intent of the City's Department of Planning and Development (the "<u>Department</u>") to enter into a negotiated sale with the Developer and requesting alternative proposals appeared in the Chicago Sun-Times on December 13, 20 and 27, 2013; and

WHEREAS, no alternative proposals have been received by the deadline indicated in the aforesaid notice; *now, therefore,* 

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO:

**SECTION 1.** The City Council hereby approves the sale of the Property to the Developer for the amount of One Dollar (\$1.00) per Parcel (i.e., \$7.00 for the entire Property).

**SECTION 2.** The Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner of the Department are each authorized to execute any ancillary closing documents on behalf of the City.

**SECTION 3.** The Mayor or his proxy is authorized to execute, and the City Clerk or the Deputy City Clerk is authorized to attest, one or more quitclaim deeds conveying the Property to the Developer. The quitclaim deed shall contain language substantially in the following form (modified, as necessary, if the land that is the subject of the deed is less than the entire Property):

(1) The Developer must construct a single-family home on each Parcel of the Property; provided however, that only one single-family home shall be constructed on the Drake Parcels (for a total of six (6) homes). The construction of each home must be completed within eighteen (18) months of the date on which the City conveys the Parcel on which such home will be constructed, unless the Commissioner of the City's Department of Planning and Development (the "Department") extends, in writing, such completion date. The date on which the construction of a home is completed is the "Completion Date" for such home.

(2) The Developer must sell each home within twelve (12) months following the Completion Date for such home to a homebuyer whose household income, on the date such homebuyer signs his/her Homebuyer Income Qualification Application (such application will be provided by the Department), adjusted for family size, does not exceed one hundred twenty percent (120%) of the Chicago Primary Metropolitan Statistical Area median income, as determined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (a "Qualified Resident"). The Commissioner of the Department may approve in writing an extension of such twelve (12) month timeframe The Developer shall submit a completed Homebuyer Income Qualification Application, or such other documentation as the Department may reasonably require, to the Department for review and approval. The Department must approve the homebuyer's income eligibility prior to the Developer's sale of the Property. The Developer's sales price for each home may not exceed One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Dollars (\$199,000), without the prior written approval of the Commissioner of the Department.

(3) The home must be the homebuyer's Principal Residence. "Principal residence" means an owner's primary or chief residence that the owner actually occupies on a regular basis. A "Principal residence" does not include any housing unit used as an investment property, as a recreational home or a home in which 15% or more of its total

area is used for a trade or business. The date on which the Developer sells a home to a homebuyer is the "Closing Date" for such home.

(4) For each home, during the five (5) year period commencing on the Closing Date, any buyer of such home must be a Qualified Resident, as determined by the Department, and such home must be such buyer's Principal Residence.

(5) Solely with respect to the parcels commonly known as 1122 N. Christiana and 1144 N. Christiana, Chicago, Illinois, such parcels must be used in accordance with the Division/Homan Redevelopment Plan approved by the City Council of the City of Chicago, on June 27, 2001, as may be amended from time to time, until such plan expires.

(6) The City makes no covenant, representation or warranty, express or implied, of any kind, as to the structural, physical or environmental condition of the Property or the suitability of the Property for any purpose whatsoever, and the Developer agrees to accept the Property in its "as is," "where is" and "with all faults" condition.

(7) The Developer hereby waives and releases, and indemnifies the City from and against, any claims and liabilities relating to or arising from the structural, physical or environmental condition of the Property, including, without limitation, claims arising under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("<u>CERCLA</u>"), and shall undertake and discharge all liabilities of the City arising from any structural, physical or environmental condition that existed on the Property prior to the Closing, including, without limitation, liabilities arising under CERCLA. The Developer hereby acknowledges that, in purchasing the Property, the Developer is relying solely upon its own inspection and other due diligence activities and not upon any information (including, without limitation, environmental studies or reports of any kind) provided by or on behalf of the City or its agents or employees with respect thereto. If, after the Closing, the structural, physical and environmental condition of the Property is not in all respects entirely suitable for its intended use, it shall be the Developer's sole responsibility and obligation to take such action as is necessary to put the Property in a condition which is suitable for its intended use.

**SECTION 4.** The transfer of title of the Property from the City to the Developer must close on or before the date that is eighteen (18) months after the date of publication of this ordinance (the "Outside Closing Date"), unless the Commissioner in his sole discretion extends the Outside Closing Date. This ordinance shall be null and void with respect to any portion of the Property that has not yet been transferred to the Developer by the Outside Closing Date, as may be extended.

**SECTION 5.** If any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such provision shall not affect any of the other provisions of this ordinance.

**SECTION 6.** All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION 7.** This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

## EXHIBIT A

### Legal Descriptions and Appraised Fair Market Values

(Subject to Final Title Commitment and Survey):

**Parcel 1**: appraised fair market value: \$48,000

LOT 92 IN S.E. GROSS' FOURTH HUMBOLDT PARK ADDITION TO CHICAGO, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF LOT 7 IN SUPERIOR COURT PARTITION OF THE EAST ½ OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address:	1122 N. Christiana Avenue
	Chicago, Illinois 60651

Property Index Number: 16-02-408-041-0000

Parcel 2: appraised fair market value: \$50,000

LOT 83 IN S.E. GROSS' FOURTH HUMBOLDT PARK ADDITION TO CHICAGO, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF LOT 7 IN SUPERIOR COURT PARTITION OF THE EAST ½ OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address: 1144 N. Christiana Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60651

Property Index Number: 16-02-408-032-0000

Parcel 3: appraised fair market value: \$48,000

LOT 1 IN GUBBINS' SUBDIVISION OF LOTS 1, 2, 3 AND 4 IN BLOCK 8 IN HUMBOLDT PARK RESIDENCE ASSOCIATION SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTHWEST ¼ OF THE NORTHEAST ¼ OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address: 1222 N. Rockwell Street Chicago, Illinois 60622

Property Index Number: 16-01-231-022-0000

Parcel 4: appraised fair market value: \$54,500

LOT 13 IN BLOCK 6 IN WINSLOW & JACOBSON'S SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTHEAST ¼ OF THE NORTHEAST ¼ OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address:	1226 N. Campbell Avenue
	Chicago, Illinois 60622

Property Index Number: 16-01-227-028-0000

**Parcels 5 and 6 (the "Drake Parcels")**: aggregate appraised fair market value of parcels 5 and 6: \$62,500

THAT PART OF LOT 1 LYING BETWEEN THE NORTH LINE OF LOT 2 AND THE SOUTH LINE OF THE RIGHT OF WAY OF CHICAGO PACIFIC RAILROAD CO. AND ALL OF LOT 2 IN BLOCK 18 IN C.B. SIMON'S RESUBDIVISION OF BLOCKS 18 AND 19 OF E. SIMON'S ORIGINAL SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTHEAST ¼ OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address:	1754-56 N. Drake Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60647
Property Index Numbers:	13-35-412-015-0000 13-35-412-016-0000

Parcel 7: appraised fair market value: \$53,000

LOT 83 IN S.E. GROSS' FIFTH HUMBOLDT PARK ADDITION TO CHICAGO, IN SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Address:	3221 W. Crystal Street Chicago, Illinois 60651

Property Index Number: 16-02-228-015-0000

#### **CERTIFICATE OF FILING FOR**

#### CITY OF CHICAGO ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

EDS Number: 51759 Certificate Printed on: 01/08/2014 Date of This Filing:01/08/2014 02:54 PM Original Filing Date:01/08/2014 02:54 PM

Disclosing Party: L&MC Investments LLC Filed by: Mr. Luis Castro Title:Member

Matter: New Construction in Humboldt Park--Negotiated Sale of city Applicant: L&MC Investments LLC Specification #: Contract #:

The Economic Disclosure Statement referenced above has been electronically filed with the City. Please provide a copy of this Certificate of Filing to your city contact with other required documents pertaining to the Matter. For additional guidance as to when to provide this Certificate and other required documents, please follow instructions provided to you about the Matter or consult with your City contact.

A copy of the EDS may be viewed and printed by visiting

https://webapps1.cityofchicago.org/EDSWeb and entering the EDS number into the EDS Search. Prior to contract award, the filing is accessible online only to the disclosing party and the City, but is still subject to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. The filing is visible online to the public after contract award.

## CITY OF CHICAGO ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT and AFFIDAVIT Related to Contract/Amendment/Solicitation EDS # 51759

## **SECTION I -- GENERAL INFORMATION**

A. Legal name of the Disclosing Party submitting the EDS:

L&MC Investments LLC

Enter d/b/a if applicable:

L&MC Investments LLC

The Disclosing Party submitting this EDS is:

the Applicant

B. Business address of the Disclosing Party:

1301 E Higgins Rd Elk Grove Village, IL 60007 United States

C. Telephone:

630-220-3881

Fax:

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888-410-5514

Email:

luis.castro@lmc-investments.com

D. Name of contact person:

Mr. Luis Castro

E. Federal Employer Identification No. (if you have one):

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F. Brief description of contract, transaction or other undertaking (referred to below as the "Matter") to which this EDS pertains:

New Construction in Humboldt Park--Negotiated Sale of city

Which City agency or department is requesting this EDS?

DEPT OF HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Specification Number

Contract (PO) Number

Revision Number

**Release Number** 

User Department Project Number

#### SECTION II -- DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS

#### A. NATURE OF THE DISCLOSING PARTY

1. Indicate the nature of the Disclosing Party:

Limited liability company

Is the Disclosing Party incorporated or organized in the State of Illinois?

Yes

B. DISCLOSING PARTY IS A LEGAL ENTITY:

1.a.2 Does the Disclosing Party have any officers?

No

### **B. CERTIFICATION REGARDING Controlling Interest**

1.b.1 Are there any individuals who control the day-to-day management of the Disclosing Party as a general partner, managing member, manager, or other capacity?

Yes

1.b.2 List all general partners, managing members, managers, and any others who control the day-to-day management of the Disclosing Party. Don't include any legal entities in this answer- these will be named later:

Name:	Luis Castro
Title:	Member
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1.b.3 Are there any legal entities that control the day-to-day management of the Disclosing Party as a general partner, managing member, manager, or other capacity?

No

#### 2. Ownership Information

Please provide ownership information concerning each person or entity having a direct or indirect beneficial interest in excess of 7.5% of the Disclosing Party. Examples of such an interest include shares in a corporation, partnership interest in a partnership or joint venture, interest of a member or manager in a limited lability company, or interest of a beneficiary of a trust, estate, or other similar entity. Note: Pursuant to Section 2-154-030 of the Municipal code of Chicago, the City may require any such additional information from any applicant which is reasonably intended to achieve full disclosure.

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• Luis Castro - 100%
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**Owner Details** 

Name	Address
Luis Castro	1301 E Higgins Rd
	Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
	United States

## SECTION III -- BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS WITH CITY ELECTED OFFICIALS

Has the Disclosing Party had a "business relationship," as defined in <u>Chapter 2-156</u> of the <u>Municipal Code</u>, with any City elected official in the 12 months before the date this EDS is signed?

No

## SECTION IV -- DISCLOSURE OF SUBCONTRACTORS AND OTHER RETAINED PARTIES

The Disclosing Party must disclose the name and business address of each subcontractor, attorney, lobbyist, accountant, consultant and any other person or entity whom the Disclosing Party has retained or expects to retain in connection with the Matter, as well as the nature of the relationship, and the total amount of the fees paid or estimated to be paid. The Disclosing Party is not required to disclose employees who are paid solely through the Disclosing Party's regular payroll.

"Lobbyist" means any person or entity who undertakes to influence any legislative or administrative action on behalf of any person or entity other than: (1) a not-for-profit entity, on an unpaid basis, or (2) himself. "Lobbyist" also means any person or entity any part of whose duties as an employee of another includes undertaking to influence any legislative or administrative action.

If the Disclosing Party is uncertain whether a disclosure is required under this Section, the Disclosing Party must either ask the City whether disclosure is required or make the disclosure.

1. Has the Disclosing Party retained any legal entities in connection with the Matter?

Yes

2. List below the names of all legal entities which are retained parties.

Name:	WorldWide Construction and Development
Anticipated/ Retained:	Anticipated
Business Address:	1301 E Higgins Rd Elk Grove Village, IL 60007 United States
Relationship:	Subcontractor - MWDBE
Fees (\$\$ or %):	10%
Estimated/Paid:	Estimated

3. Has the Disclosing Party retained any persons in connection with the Matter?

No

## SECTION V -- CERTIFICATIONS

A. COURT-ORDERED CHILD SUPPORT COMPLIANCE

Under <u>Municipal Code Section 2-92-415</u>, substantial owners of business entities that contract with the City must remain in compliance with their child support obligations throughout the contract's term.

Has any person who directly or indirectly owns 10% or more of the Disclosing Party been declared in arrearage of any child support obligations by any Illinois court of competent jurisdiction?

No

#### **B. FURTHER CERTIFICATIONS**

1. Pursuant to <u>Municipal Code Chapter 1-23</u>, Article I ("Article I")(which the Applicant should consult for defined terms (e.g., "doing business") and legal requirements), if the Disclosing Party submitting this EDS is the Applicant and is doing business with the City, then the Disclosing Party certifies as follows:

- i. neither the Applicant nor any controlling person is currently indicted or charged with, or has admitted guilt of, or has ever been convicted of, or placed under supervision for, any criminal offense involving actual, attempted, or conspiracy to commit bribery, theft, fraud, forgery, perjury, dishonesty or deceit against an officer or employee of the City or any sister agency; and
- ii. the Applicant understands and acknowledges that compliance with Article I is a continuing requirement for doing business with the City.

NOTE: If Article I applies to the Applicant, the permanent compliance timeframe in Article I supersedes some five-year compliance timeframes in certifications 2 and 3 below.

I certify the above to be true

2. The Disclosing Party and, if the Disclosing Party is a legal entity, all of those persons or entities identified in Section II.B.1. of this EDS:

- a. are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from any transactions by any federal, state or local unit of government;
- b. have not, within a five-year period preceding the date of this EDS, been convicted of a criminal offense, adjudged guilty, or had a civil judgment rendered against them in connection with: obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; a violation of federal or state antitrust statutes; fraud; embezzlement; theft; forgery; bribery; falsification or destruction of records; making false statements; or receiving stolen property;

- c. are not presently indicted for, or criminally or civilly charged by, a governmental entity (federal, state or local) with committing any of the offenses set forth in clause B.2.b. of this Section V;
- have not, within a five-year period preceding the date of this EDS, had one or more public transactions (federal, state or local) terminated for cause or default; and
- e. have not, within a five-year period preceding the date of this EDS, been convicted, adjudged guilty, or found liable in a civil proceeding, or in any criminal or civil action, including actions concerning environmental violations, instituted by the City or by the federal government, any state, or any other unit of local government.

I certify the above to be true

3. Neither the Disclosing Party, nor any <u>Contractor</u>, nor any <u>Affiliated Entity</u> of either the Disclosing Party or any Contractor nor any <u>Agents</u> have, during the five years before the date this EDS is signed, or, with respect to a <u>Contractor</u>, an <u>Affiliated</u> <u>Entity</u>, or an <u>Affiliated Entity</u> of a <u>Contractor</u> during the five years before the date of such <u>Contractor's</u> or <u>Affiliated Entity's</u> contract or engagement in connection with the Matter:

- a. bribed or attempted to bribe, or been convicted or adjudged guilty of bribery or attempting to bribe, a public officer or employee of the City, the State of Illinois, or any agency of the federal government or of any state or local government in the United States of America, in that officer's or employee's official capacity;
- b. agreed or colluded with other bidders or prospective bidders, or been a party to any such agreement, or been convicted or adjudged guilty of agreement or collusion among bidders or prospective bidders, in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid a fixed price or otherwise; or
- c. made an admission of such conduct described in a. or b. above that is a matter of record, but have not been prosecuted for such conduct; or
- d. violated the provisions of <u>Municipal Code Section 2-92-610</u> (Living Wage Ordinance).

I certify the above to be true

4. Neither the Disclosing Party, <u>Affiliated Entity</u> or <u>Contractor</u>, or any of their employees, officials, <u>agents</u> or partners, is barred from contracting with any unit of state or local government as a result of engaging in or being convicted of

- bid-rigging in violation of <u>720 ILCS 5/33E-3;</u>
- bid-rotating in violation of <u>720 ILCS 5/33E-4;</u> or
- any similar offense of any state or of the United States of America that contains the same elements as the offense of bid-rigging or bid-rotating.

I certify the above to be true

5. Neither the Disclosing Party nor any <u>Affiliated Entity</u> is listed on any of the following lists maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the U.S. Department of the Treasury or the Bureau of Industry and Security of the U.S. Department of Commerce or their successors: the <u>Specially Designated Nationals List</u>, the <u>Denied Persons List</u>, the <u>Unverified List</u>, the <u>Entity List</u> and the <u>Debarred List</u>.

I certify the above to be true

6. The Disclosing Party understands and shall comply with the applicable requirements of <u>Chapters 2-55 (Legislative Inspector General</u>), <u>Chapter 2-56</u> (<u>Inspector General</u>) and <u>Chapter 2-156 (Governmental Ethics</u>) of the Municipal Code.

I certify the above to be true

7. To the best of the Disclosing Party's knowledge after reasonable inquiry, the following is a complete list of all current employees of the Disclosing Party who were, at any time during the 12-month period preceding the execution date of this EDS, an employee, or elected or appointed official, of the City of Chicago.

#### None

8. To the best of the Disclosing Party's knowledge after reasonable inquiry, the following is a complete list of all gifts that the Disclosing Party has given or caused to be given, at any time during the 12-month period preceding the execution date of this EDS, to an employee, or elected or appointed official, of the City of Chicago. For purposes of this statement, a "gift" does not include: (i) anything made generally available to City employees or to the general public, or (ii) food or drink provided in the course of official City business and having a retail value of less than \$20 per recipient.

None

#### C. CERTIFICATION OF STATUS AS FINANCIAL INSTITUTION

The Disclosing Party certifies that, as defined in <u>Section 2-32-455(b) of the Municipal</u> Code, the Disclosing Party

is not a "financial institution"

#### D. CERTIFICATION REGARDING INTEREST IN CITY BUSINESS

Any words or terms that are defined in Chapter 2-156 of the Municipal Code have the same meanings when used in this Part D.

1. In accordance with Section 2-156-110 of the Municipal Code: Does any official or employee of the City have a financial interest in his or her own name or in the name of any other person or entity in the Matter?

No

#### E. CERTIFICATION REGARDING SLAVERY ERA BUSINESS

If the Disclosing Party cannot make this verification, the Disclosing Party must disclose all required information in the space provided below or in an attachment in the "Additional Info" tab. Failure to comply with these disclosure requirements may make any contract entered into with the City in connection with the Matter voidable by the City.

The Disclosing Party verifies that the Disclosing Party has searched any and all records of the Disclosing Party and any and all predecessor entities regarding records of investments or profits from slavery or slaveholder insurance policies during the slavery era (including insurance policies issued to slaveholders that provided coverage for damage to or injury or death of their slaves), and the Disclosing Party has found no such records.

I can make the above verification

## SECTION VI -- CERTIFICATIONS FOR FEDERALLY-FUNDED MATTERS

Is the Matter federally funded? For the purposes of this Section VI, tax credits allocated by the City and proceeds of debt obligations of the City are not federal funding.

No

## SECTION VII -- ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, CONTRACT INCORPORATION, COMPLIANCE, PENALTIES, DISCLOSURE

The Disclosing Party understands and agrees that:

A. The certifications, disclosures, and acknowledgments contained in this EDS will become part of any contract or other agreement between the Applicant and the City in connection with the Matter, whether procurement, City assistance, or other City action, and are material inducements to the City's execution of any contract or taking other action with respect to the Matter. The Disclosing Party understands that it must comply with all statutes, ordinances, and regulations on which this EDS is based.

- B. The City's Governmental Ethics and Campaign Financing Ordinances, <u>Chapters 2-156</u> and 2-<u>164</u> of the Municipal Code, impose certain duties and obligations on persons or entities seeking City contracts, work, business, or transactions. A training program is available on line at <u>www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/ethics.html</u>, and may also be obtained from the City's Board of Ethics, 740 N. Sedgwick St., Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60610, (312) 744-9660. The Disclosing Party must comply fully with the applicable ordinances.
- I acknowledge and consent to the above

The Disclosing Party understands and agrees that:

- C. If the City determines that any information provided in this EDS is false, incomplete or inaccurate, any contract or other agreement in connection with which it is submitted may be rescinded or be void or voidable, and the City may pursue any remedies under the contract or agreement (if not rescinded or void), at law, or in equity, including terminating the Disclosing Party's participation in the Matter and/or declining to allow the Disclosing Party to participate in other transactions with the City. Remedies at law for a false statement of material fact may include incarceration and an award to the City of treble damages.
- D. It is the City's policy to make this document available to the public on its Internet site and/or upon request. Some or all of the information provided on this EDS and any attachments to this EDS may be made available to the public on the Internet, in response to a Freedom of Information Act request, or otherwise. By completing and signing this EDS, the Disclosing Party waives and releases any possible rights or claims which it may have against the City in connection with the public release of information contained in this EDS and also authorizes the City to verify the accuracy of any information submitted in this EDS.
- E. The information provided in this EDS must be kept current. In the event of changes, the Disclosing Party must supplement this EDS up to the time the City takes action on the Matter. If the Matter is a contract being handled by the City's Department of Procurement Services, the Disclosing Party must update this EDS as the contract requires. NOTE: With respect to Matters subject to Article I of <u>Chapter 1-23 of the Municipal Code</u> (imposing PERMANENT INELIGIBILITY for certain specified offenses), the information provided herein regarding eligibility must be kept current for a longer period, as required by <u>Chapter 1-23</u> and <u>Section 2-154-020 of the Municipal Code</u>.

I acknowledge and consent to the above

The Disclosing Party represents and warrants that:

F.1. The Disclosing Party is not delinquent in the payment of any tax administered by the Illinois Department of Revenue, nor are the Disclosing Party or its <u>Affiliated</u> <u>Entities</u> delinquent in paying any fine, fee, tax or other charge owed to the City. This includes, but is not limited to, all water charges, sewer charges, license fees, parking tickets, property taxes or sales taxes.

I certify the above to be true

F.2 If the Disclosing Party is the Applicant, the Disclosing Party and its <u>Affiliated</u> Entities will not use, nor permit their subcontractors to use, any facility listed by the U.S. E.P.A. on the federal <u>Excluded Parties List System ("EPLS"</u>) maintained by the U.S. General Services Administration.

I certify the above to be true

F.3 If the Disclosing Party is the Applicant, the Disclosing Party will obtain from any contractors/subcontractors hired or to be hired in connection with the Matter certifications equal in form and substance to those in F.1. and F.2. above and will not, without the prior written consent of the City, use any such contractor/subcontractor that does not provide such certifications or that the Disclosing Party has reason to believe has not provided or cannot provide truthful certifications.

I certify the above to be true

# FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS AND DEPARTMENT HEADS

This question is to be completed only by (a) the Applicant, and (b) any legal entity which has a direct ownership interest in the Applicant exceeding 7.5 percent. It is not to be completed by any legal entity which has only an indirect ownership interest in the Applicant.

Under <u>Municipal Code Section 2-154-015</u>, the Disclosing Party must disclose whether such Disclosing Party or any "Applicable Party" or any Spouse or Domestic Partner thereof currently has a "familial relationship" with any elected city official or department head. A "familial relationship" exists if, as of the date this EDS is signed, the Disclosing Party or any "Applicable Party" or any Spouse or Domestic Partner thereof is related to the mayor, any alderman, the city clerk, the city treasurer or any city department head as spouse or domestic partner or as any of the following, whether by blood or adoption: parent, child, brother or sister, aunt or uncle, niece or nephew, grandparent, grandchild, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, stepfather or stepmother, stepson or stepdaughter, stepbrother or stepsister or half-brother or half-sister. "Applicable Party" means (1) all corporate officers of the Disclosing Party, if the Disclosing Party is a corporation; all partners of the Disclosing Party, if the Disclosing Party is a general partnership; all general partners and limited partners of the Disclosing Party, if the Disclosing Party is a limited partnership; all managers, managing members and members of the Disclosing Party, if the Disclosing Party is a limited liability company; (2) all principal officers of the Disclosing Party; and (3) any person having more than a 7.5 percent ownership interest in the Disclosing Party. "Principal officers" means the president, chief operating officer, executive director, chief financial officer, treasurer or secretary of a legal entity or any person exercising similar authority.

Does the Disclosing Party or any "Applicable Party" or any Spouse or Domestic Partner thereof currently have a "familial relationship" with an elected city official or department head?

No

### ADDITIONAL INFO

Please add any additional explanatory information here. If explanation is longer than 1000 characters, you may add an attachment below. Please note that your EDS, including all attachments, becomes available for public viewing upon contract award. Your attachments will be viewable "as is" without manual redaction by the City. You are responsible for redacting any non-public information from your documents before uploading.

List of vendor attachments uploaded by City staff

None.

List of attachments uploaded by vendor

None.

#### CERTIFICATION

Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below: (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS on behalf of the Disclosing Party, and (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in this EDS are true, accurate and complete as of the date furnished to the City.

/s/ 01/08/2014 Mr. Luis Castro Member L&MC Investments LLC This is a printed copy of the Economic Disclosure Statement, the original of which is filed electronically with the City of Chicago. Any alterations must be made electronically, alterations on this printed copy are void and of no effect.

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