



# City of Chicago



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Ordinance

**Title:**

Vacation of public alley(s)

**Committee(s) Assignment:**

Committee on Transportation and Public Way

## INDUSTRIAL ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the City of Chicago ("City") is a home rule unit of local government pursuant to Article VII, Section 6 (a) of the 1970 constitution of the State of Illinois and, as such, may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

WHEREAS, the City has experienced a significant loss of industry and jobs in recent years, accompanied by a corresponding erosion of its tax base, due in part to industrial firms' inability to acquire additional property needed for their continued viability and growth; and

WHEREAS, many industrial firms adjoin streets and alleys that are no longer required for public use and might more productively be used for plant expansion and modernization, employee parking, improved security, truck loading areas or other industrial uses; and

WHEREAS, the City can strengthen established industrial areas and expand the city's jobs base by encouraging the growth and modernization of existing industrial facilities through the vacation of public streets and alleys for reduced compensation; and

WHEREAS, the properties at 8463-8571 to 8571 S. Baltimore Avenue are owned by Baltimore Properties, LLC and 8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC; and

WHEREAS, Baltimore Properties, LLC and 8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC employ sixty four (64) full time employees; and

WHEREAS, Baltimore Properties, LLC and 8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC propose to use the portion of the public alley to be vacated herein for the expansion of the storage area, and a driveway for their industrial scrap metal company; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Chicago, after due investigation and consideration, has determined that the nature and extent of public use and the public interest to be subserved is such as to warrant the vacation of part of public alley described in the following ordinance; now, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. All that part of the Northwesterly-Southwesterly 14.0 foot wide alley which lies Easterly of Lots 1 through 15 inclusive in Block 16 and lots 1 through 28 inclusive in Block 22 and the vacated Northeasterly-Southwesterly 30.0 foot wide street lying between and adjacent to said Blocks 16 and 22, in the Circuit Court partition of the southeast  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 31, Township 38 North, Range 15 East of the Third Principal Meridian (excepting lands belonging to the South Chicago Railroad Company) and which lies Southerly of the Northerly line of said Lot 15 in Block 16 aforesaid extended Easterly to the Easterly line of said 14.0 foot alley, which lies North of the South line of said Lot 28 in Block 22 aforesaid extended East to the East line of said 14.0 foot alley and which lies Westerly of the Easterly line of said 14.0 foot alley, all in Cook County, Illinois as shaded and indicated by the words "TO BE VACATED" on the drawing hereto attached, which drawing for greater, is hereby made a part of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby vacated and closed, inasmuch as the same is no longer required for public use and the public interest will be subserved by such vacations.

SECTION 2. The Commissioner of Transportation is hereby authorized to accept and approve a restrictive covenant or similar instrument restricting the use and improvement of the public way vacated in Section 1 of this ordinance to industrial uses and for such use and improvements that are accessory as that term is defined in the Chicago Zoning Ordinance. The restriction on use and improvement in the covenant agreement or instrument shall be for a term of 40 years and upon breach of such restriction the public way herein vacated shall revert to the City.

SECTION 3. The City of Chicago hereby reserves for the benefit of AT&T Illinois/SBC, their successors or assigns, an easement to operate, maintain, construct, replace, and renew overhead poles, wires, and associated equipment and underground conduit, cables, and associated equipment for the transmission and distribution of telephonic and associated services under, over, and along the alley as herein vacated, with the right of ingress and egress.

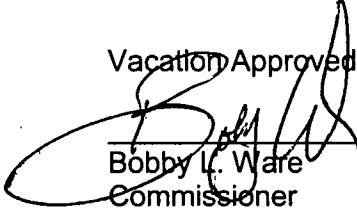
SECTION 4. The vacation herein provided for is made upon the express condition that within one hundred eighty (180) days after the passage of this ordinance, Baltimore Properties, LLC and 8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC, shall pay or cause to be paid to the City of Chicago as compensation for the benefits which will accrue to the owner of the property abutting said parts of public alley hereby vacated the sum of (\$ ) which sum on the

judgment of this body will be equal to such benefits, and further shall within one hundred eighty (180) days after passage of this ordinance, deposit in the City Treasury of the City of Chicago a sum sufficient to defray the costs of removing paving and curb returns and constructing sidewalk and curb across the entrance to that part of the public alley hereby vacated, similar to the sidewalk and curb at 8571 S. Baltimore.

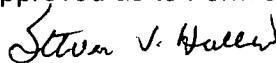
SECTION 5. The vacation herein provided for is made upon the express condition that within 180 days after the passage of this ordinance, Baltimore Properties, LLC and 8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC, shall file or cause to be filed for record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Cook County, Illinois a certified copy of this ordinance, and attached drawing together with a Restrictive Covenant complying with Section 2 of this ordinance, approved by the Corporation Counsel.

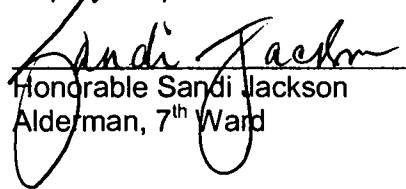
SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication. The vacation shall take effect and be in force from and after its recording.

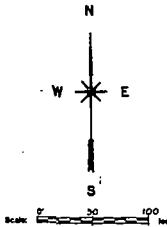
Vacation Approved:

  
Bobby L. Ware  
Commissioner

Approved as to Form and Legality

  
Steven V. Hallen  
Deputy Corporation Counsel

  
Sandi Jackson  
Honorable Sandi Jackson  
Alderman, 7<sup>th</sup> Ward

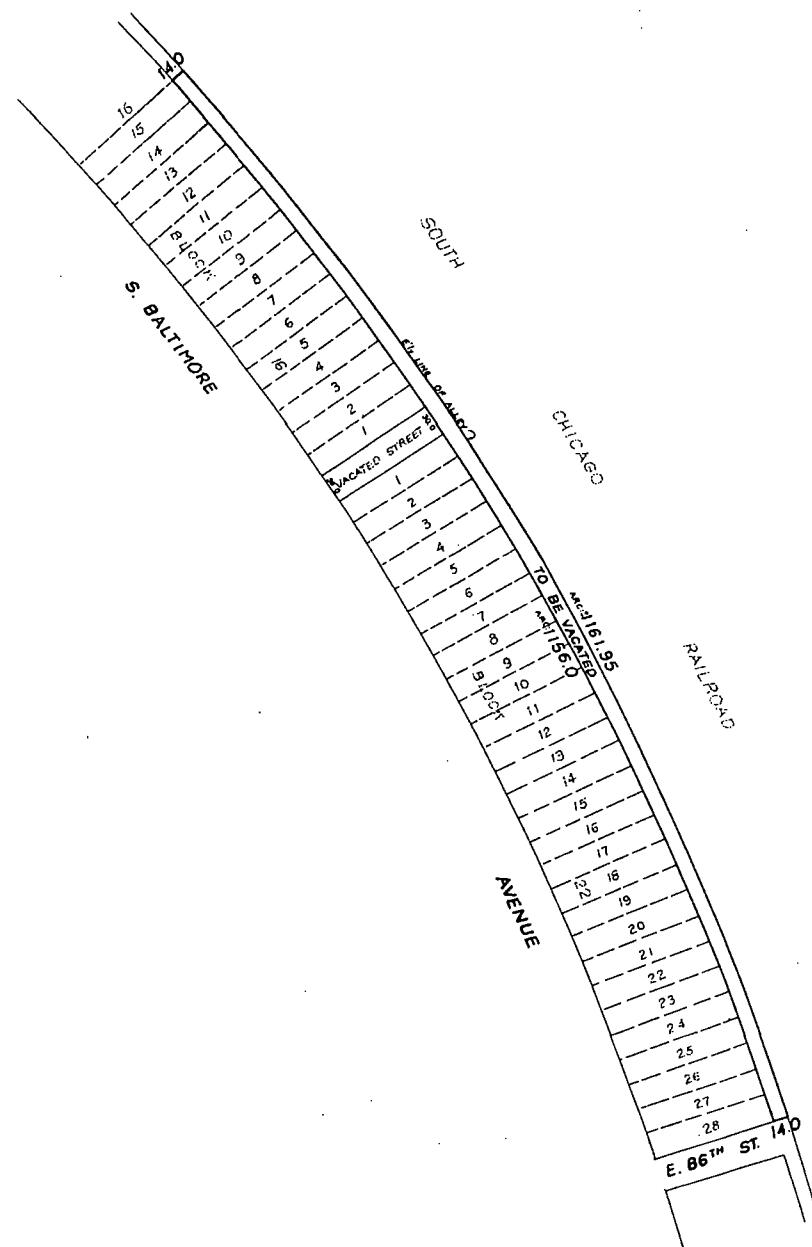


# PLAT OF VACATION

OF  
PUBLIC ALLEY

OF

THIS PART OF THE NORTHWESTERLY BOUNDARY IN #8 FOOTHILL ALLEY WHICH LIES CENTER LINE OF LOTS 1 THROUGH 13 IN BLOCK 14 AND LOTS 1 THROUGH 18 IN BLOCK 15 AND THE VACATED NORTHCASTERLY BOUNDARYLY 260 FOOT MCE STREET LINE BETWEEN 140 ALARANT TO 140 BLOCKS 18 AND TL IN THE GROSS COUNTRY PARTITION OF THE SOUTHEAST X OF SECTION 31, FERNDALE IN NORTH SINCE 18 EACH LINE THE O PINEAL MCE STREETS RECEIVING LANDS IN THE FORM OF A VACATED PUBLIC ALLEY WHICH LIES CENTER LINE OF THE NORTHEASTERLY BOUNDARYLY 18 IN BLOCK 14 ADDRESSING EXTENDED EASTERLY TO THE EASTERLY LINE OF SAME 14 8 FOOT ALLEY, WHICH LIES NORTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF 140 LOT 18 IN BLOCK 15 BY BEING EXTENDED EAST TO THE WEST LINE OF 140 14 8 FOOT ALLEY, WHICH LIES NORTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF 140 LOT 18 IN BLOCK 15 BY BEING EXTENDED EAST TO THE WEST LINE OF 140 14 8 FOOT ALLEY, ALL IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.



APRIL 29, 2010

PREPARED BY:  
CERTIFIED SURVEY, INC.  
140 RESIDENCE DR  
SUITE 140  
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068  
847-386-8888

Order No. 100247(Y)



STATE OF ILLINOIS  
COUNTY OF COOK  
WE CERTIFY SURVEY, INC. DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT  
WE HAVE PREPARED THE PLAT HEREINFORA FOR THE  
USER AND PURCHASER THEREIN SET FORTH  
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR  
COPIES EXPIRE NOVEMBER 29, 2010

FILE NO. 51-7-10-3185

TOTAL AREA of ALLEY TO BE VACATED = 16,225.65 Sq. Ft.

LAW

CITY OF CHICAGO  
ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
AND AFFIDAVIT

SECTION I -- GENERAL INFORMATION

A. Legal name of Disclosing Party submitting this EDS. Include official if applicable:

Baltimore Properties, LLC

Check ONE of the following three boxes:

Indicate whether Disclosing Party submitting this EDS is:

1.  the Applicant

OR

2.  a legal entity holding a direct or indirect interest in the Applicant. State the legal name of the Applicant in which Disclosing Party holds an interest:

OR

3.  a specified legal entity with a right of control (See ch. 3.B.I.b.) State the legal name of the entity in which Disclosing Party holds a right of control:

B. Business address of Disclosing Party:

8501 So. Baltimore Ave.  
Chicago, Illinois 60617

C. Telephone: 773/375-0874 Fax: 773/375-8629 Email: Jeff@nickelson  
demo.com

D. Name of contact person: Jeffrey A. Lev

E. Federal Employee Identification No. (if you have one): 36-4168932

F. Brief description of contract, transaction or other undertaking referred to below as the "Matter" to which this EDS pertains. (Include project number and location of property, if applicable):

Alloy Vacation

G. Which City agency or department is requesting this EDS? Division of Project  
Development

If the Matter is a contract being handled by the City's Department of Procurement Services, please complete the following:

Specification: N/A and Contract #

## SECTION II -- DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS

### A. NATURE OF DISCLOSING PARTY

1. Indicate the nature of the Disclosing Party:

- Person  
 Publicly-registered business corporation  
 Privately-held business corporation  
 Sole proprietorship  
 General partnership  
 Limited partnership  
 Trust

- Limited liability company\*  
 Limited liability partnership\*  
 Joint venture\*  
 Not-for-profit corporation  
 Is the not-for-profit corporation also a 501(c)(3)?  
 Yes       No  
 Other (please specify)

\* Note B.1.b below.

2. For legal entities, the state or foreign country of incorporation or organization, if applicable:

Illinois

3. For legal entities not organized in the State of Illinois, Has the organization registered to do business in the State of Illinois as a foreign entity?

Yes

No

N/A

### B. IF THE DISCLOSING PARTY IS A LEGAL ENTITY:

1.a. List below the full names and titles of all executive officers and all directors of the entity. For not-for-profit corporations, also list below all members, if any, which are legal entities. If there are no such members, write "no members." For trusts, estates or other similar entities, list below the legal shareholder(s):

Name	Title
Jeffrey A. Lev	President
Janice M. Lev	Secretary

1.b. If you checked "General partnership," "Limited partnership," "Limited liability company," "Limited liability partnership" or "Joint venture" in response to item A.1. above (Nature of Disclosing Party), list below the name and title of each general partner, managing member, manager or

any other person or entity that conducts the day-to-day management of the Disclosing Party. NOTE: Each legal entity listed below must submit an EDS on its own behalf.

Name	Title

2. Please provide the following information concerning each person or entity having a direct or indirect beneficial interest (including ownership) in excess of 7.5% of the Disclosing Party. Examples of such an interest include shares in a corporation, partnership interests in a partnership or joint venture, interest of a member or manager in a limited liability company, or interest of a beneficiary of a trust, estate or other similar entity. If none, state "None." NOTE: Pursuant to Section 2-154-030 of the Municipal Code of Chicago ("Municipal Code"), the City may require any such additional information from any applicant which is reasonably intended to achieve full disclosure.

Name	Business Address	Percentage Interest in the Disclosing Party
Jeffrey A. Lev	8501 So. Baltimore	100%
	Chicago, Illinois 60017	

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

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

Yes

No

If yes, please identify below the name(s) of such City elected official(s) and describe such relationship(s):

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### 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 role

ment 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.

Name (Indicate whether retained or anticipated to be retained)	Business Address	Relationship to Disclosing Party (Subcontractor, Attorney, Lobbyist, etc.)	Fees (Indicate whether paid or estimated)
N/A			

(Add sheets if necessary).

Check here if the Disclosing party has not retained, nor expects to retain, any such persons or entities.

## SECTION V--CERTIFICATIONS

### A. COURT-ORDERED CHILD SUPPORT COMPLIANCE

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

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

Yes       No       No person owns 10% or more of the Disclosing Party.

If "Yes," has the person entered into a court-approved agreement for payment of all support owed and is the person in compliance with that agreement?

Yes       No

## B. FURTHER CERTIFICATIONS

1. 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 otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in clause B.I.b. of this Section V;
  - d. 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, initiated by the City or by the federal government, any state, or any other unit of local government.
2. The certifications in subparts 2.E and 4 concern:
  - the Disclosing Party;
  - any "Applicable Party" (meaning any party participating in the performance of the Master, including but not limited to any persons or legal entities disclosed under Section IV, "Disclosure of Subcontractors and Other Retained Parties");
  - any "Affiliated Entity" (meaning a person or entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the Disclosing Party, is controlled by the Disclosing Party, or is, with the Disclosing Party, under common control of another person or entity. Indicia of control include, without limitation: interlocking management or ownership; identity of interests among family members, shared facilities and equipment, common use of employees, or organization of a business entity following the inability of a business entity to do business with federal or state or local government, including the City, using substantially the same management, ownership, or principals as the ineligible entity); with respect to Applicable Parties, the term Affiliated Entity means a person or entity that directly or indirectly controls the Applicable Party, is controlled by it, or, with the Applicable Party, is under common control of another person or entity).

any responsible official of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity or any other official, agent or employee of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity, acting pursuant to the direction or authorization of a responsible official of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity (collectively "Agents").

Neither the Disclosing Party, nor any Applicable Party, nor any Affiliated Entity of either the Disclosing Party or any Applicable Party nor any Agents have, during the five years before the date this EDS is signed, or, with respect to an Applicable Party, an Affiliated Entity, or an Affiliated Entity of an Applicable Party, during the five years before the date of such Applicable Party's or Affiliated Entity's conduct or engagement in connection with the Matter:

- a. ~~been~~ 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 respect 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 Municipal Code Section 2-92-610 (Living Wage Ordinance).
2. Neither the Disclosing Party, Affiliated Entity or Applicable Party, or any of their employees, officers, agents or partners, is banned from contracting with any unit of state or local government as a result of engaging in or being convicted of (1) bid-rigging in violation of 720 ILCS 5/35E-3; (2) bid-robbing in violation of 720 ILCS 5/35E-4; or (3) 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-robbing.
  3. Neither the Disclosing Party nor any Affiliated Entity 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 Specially Designated Nationals List, the Denied Persons List, the Unverified List, the Entity List and the Debarred List.
  4. The Disclosing Party understands and shall comply with (1) the applicable requirements of the Governmental Ethics Ordinance of the City, Title 2, Chapter 2-4 §6 of the Municipal Code; and (2) all the applicable provisions of Chapter 2-36 of the Municipal Code (Office of the Inspector General).

6. If the Disclosing Party is unable to certify to any of the above statements in this Part B (Further Certifications), the Disclosing Party must explain below:

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If the letters "NA," the word "None," or no response appears on the lines above, it will be conclusively presumed that the Disclosing Party certified to the above statements.

### C. CERTIFICATION OF STATUS AS FINANCIAL INSTITUTION

For purposes of this Part C, under Municipal Code Section 2-32-455(b), the term "financial institution" means a bank, savings and loan association, trust, credit union, mortgage banker, mortgage broker, trust company, savings bank, investment bank, securities broker, municipal securities broker, securities dealer, municipal securities dealer, securities underwriter, municipal securities underwriter, investment trust, venture capital company, bank holding company, financial services holding company, or any licensee under the Consumer Installment Loan Act, the Early Finance Agency Act, or the Residential Mortgage Licensing Act. However, "financial institution" specifically shall not include any entity whose predominant business is the providing of tax deferrals, defined contribution, pension plans to public employees in accordance with Sections 403(b) and 457 of the Internal Revenue Code. (Additional definitions may be found in Municipal Code Section 2-32-455(b).)

#### 1. CERTIFICATION

The Disclosing Party certifies that the Disclosing Party (check one)

is       is not.

a "financial institution" as defined in Section 2-32-455(b) of the Municipal Code.

2. If the Disclosing Party IS a financial institution, then the Disclosing Party pledges:

"We are not and will not become a predatory lender as defined in Chapter 2-32 of the Municipal Code. We further pledge that none of our affiliates is, and none of them will become, a predatory lender as defined in Chapter 2-32 of the Municipal Code. We understand that becoming a predatory lender or becoming an affiliate of a predatory lender may result in the loss of the privilege of doing business with the City."

If the Disclosing Party is unable to make this pledge because it or any of its affiliates (as defined in Section 2-32-455(b) of the Municipal Code) is a predatory lender within the meaning of Chapter

• 32 of the Municipal Code, explain here (enough additional pages if necessary):

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If the letters "NA," the word "None," or no response appears on the lines above, it will be conclusively presumed that the Disclosing Party certifies to the above statements.

### 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?

Yes

No

NOTE: If you checked "Yes" to Item D.1., proceed to Items D.2. and D.3. If you checked "No" to Item D.1., proceed to Part E.

2. Unless sold pursuant to a process of competitive bidding, or otherwise permitted, no City elected official or employee shall have a financial interest in his or her own name or in the name of any other person or entity in the purchase of city property that (i) belongs to the City, or (ii) is sold for taxes or assessments, or (iii) is sold by virtue of legal process at the suit of the City (collectively, "City Property Sale"). Compensation for property taken pursuant to the City's eminent domain power does not constitute a financial interest within the meaning of this Part D.

Does the Matter involve a City Property Sale?

Yes

No

3. If you checked "Yes" to Item D.1., provide the names and business addresses of the City officials or employees having such interest and identify the nature of such interest:

Name	Business Address	Nature of Interest

4. The Disclosing Party further certifies that no prohibited financial interest in the Matter will be acquired by any City official or employee.

## E. CERTIFICATION REGARDING SLAVERY ERA BUSINESS

The Disclosing Party has searched any and all records of the Disclosing Party and any and all predecessor entities for records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies from the slavery era (including insurance policies issued to slaveholders that provided coverage for damage to or injury or death of their slaves) and has disclosed in this EDS any and all such records to the City. In addition, the Disclosing Party must disclose the names of any and all slaves or slaveholders described in those records. Failure to comply with these disclosure requirements may make the Matter to which this EDS pertains voidable by the City.

Please check either 1. or 2. below. If the Disclosing Party checks 2., the Disclosing Party must disclose below or in an attachment to this EDS all requisite information as set forth in that paragraph 2.

1. The Disclosing Party verifies that (a) the Disclosing Party has searched any and all records of the Disclosing Party and any and all predecessor entities for records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies, and (b) the Disclosing Party has found no records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies and no records of names of any slaves or slaveholders.
2. The Disclosing Party verifies that, as a result of conducting the search in step 1(a) above, the Disclosing Party has found records relating to investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies and/or the names of any slaves or slaveholders. The Disclosing Party certifies that the following constitutes full disclosure of all such records:

Original company started in 1999 therefore above is N/A

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

NOTE: If the Matter is federally funded, complete this Section VI. If the Matter is not federally funded, proceed to Section VII.

### A. CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

1. List below the names of all persons or entities registered under the Federal Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 who have made lobbying contacts on behalf of the Disclosing Party with respect to the Matter. (Begin list here; add entries as necessary.)

N/A

Is the Disclosing Party the Applicant?

Yes

No

If "Yes," answer the three questions below:

1. Have you developed and do you have an affirmative action program pursuant to applicable federal regulations? (See 41 CFR Part 60-2.)

Yes

No

2. Have you filed with the Joint Reporting Committee, the Director of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, or the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission all reports due under the applicable filing requirements?

Yes

No

3. Have you participated in any previous contracts or subcontractors subject to the equal opportunity clause?

Yes

No

If you checked "No" to question 1., or 2., above, please provide an explanation:

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

The Disclosing Party understands and agrees that:

A. By completing and filing this EDS, the Disclosing Party acknowledges and agrees, on behalf of itself and the persons or entities named in this EDS, that the City may investigate the creditworthiness of some or all of the persons or entities named in this EDS.

B. 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 Mayor's, whether procurement, City assistance, or other City action, and/or material inducements to the City's execution of any contract or taking other action with respect to the Mayor. The Disclosing Party understands that it must comply with all statutes, ordinances, and regulations on which this EDS is based.

C. The City's Governmental Ethics and Campaign Financing Ordinances, Chapters 2-156 and 2-164 of the Municipal Code, impose certain duties and obligations on persons or entities seeking City contracts, work, business, or transactions. The full text of these ordinances and a training program are available on line at [www.cityofchicago.org/Ethics](http://www.cityofchicago.org/Ethics), and may also be obtained from the City's Board of Ethics, 750 N. Sedgwick St., Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60610, (312) 744-5650. The Disclosing Party must comply fully with the applicable ordinances.

J. 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, void or voidable), 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 available for a false statement of material fact may include incarceration and an award to the City of treble damages.

E. 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.

F. 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.

The Disclosing Party represents and warrants that:

G. The Disclosing Party has not withheld or reserved any disclosures as to economic interests in the Disclosing Party, or to the Matter, or any information, data or plan as to the intended use or purpose for which the Applicant seeks City Council or other City agency action.

For purposes of the certifications in H.1. and H.2. below, the term "affiliate" means any person or entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the Disclosing Party, is controlled by the Disclosing Party, or is, with the Disclosing Party, under common control of another person or entity. Indicia of control include, without limitation: interlocking management or ownership; identity of interests among family members; shared facilities and equipment; common use of employees; or organization of a business entity following the ineligibility of a business entity to do business with the federal government or a state or local government, including the City, using substantially the same management, ownership, or principals as the ineligible entity.

H.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 affiliates 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.

H.2. If the Disclosing Party is the applicant, the Disclosing Party and its affiliates will not use, nor permit their subcontractors to use, any facility on the U.S. EPA's List of Noncompliant Facilities in connection with the Matter for the duration of time that such facility remains on the list.

H.2 If the Disclosing Party is the Applicant, the Disclosing Party will obtain from any contractor/subcontractor hired or to be hired in connection with the Matrix certifications equal in form and substance to those in H.1 and H.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.

NOTE: If the Disclosing Party cannot certify as to any of the items in H.1, H.2, or H.3, above, an explanatory statement must be attached to this EDS.

## CERTIFICATION

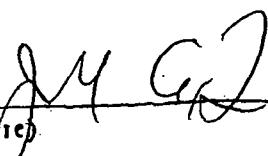
Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below: (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS on behalf of the Disclosing Party, and (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in this EDS are true, accurate and complete as of the date furnished to the City.

Jeffrey A. Lev

Date: May 21, 2010

(Print or type name of Disclosing Party)

By:



(sign here)

Jeffrey A. Lev

(Print or type name of person signing)

President

(Print or type title of person signing)

Signed and sworn to before me on (date) \_\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_, Jeffrey A. Lev  
at \_\_\_\_\_ Cook County, Illinois (state).

Notary Public.

Commission expires: March 6, 2014.

**CITY OF CHICAGO**  
**ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND AFFIDAVIT**  
**APPENDIX A**

**FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS AND  
DEPARTMENT HEADS**

This Appendix 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 Municipal Code Section 2-154-015, 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, by blood or adoption, to the mayor, any alderman, the city clerk, the city treasurer or any city department head as 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?

Yes

No

If yes, please identify below (1) the name and title of such person, (2) the name of the legal entity to which such person is connected; (3) the name and title of the elected city official or department head to whom such person has a familial relationship, and (4) the precise nature of

such familial relationship.

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## 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.

Jeffrey A. Lev

(Print or type name of Disclosing Party)

Date: May 21, 2010

By:

  
(Sign here)

Jeffrey A. Lev

(Print or type name of person signing)

President

(Print or type title of person signing)

Signed and sworn to before me on (date) \_\_\_\_\_, by Jeffrey A. Lev,  
at Cook County, Illinois (State).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public.

Commissioner expires: March 6, 2014.

*LAW*

DO NOT SUBMIT THIS PAGE WITH YOUR EDS. The purpose of this page is for you to re-certify your EDS prior to submission to City Council on the date of closing. If unable to re-certify truthfully, the Disclosing Party must complete a new EDS with correct or corrected information.

### RECERTIFICATION

Generally, for use with City Council matters. Not for City procurements unless requested.

This recertification is being submitted in connection with Baltimore Properties LLC [identify the Master]. Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below, (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS recertification on behalf of the Disclosing Party, (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in the Disclosing Party's original EDS are true, accurate and complete as of the date furnished to the City and continue to be true, accurate and complete as of the date of this recertification, and (3) reaffirms his acknowledgments.

Date: 1/31/11

(Print or type legal name of Disclosing Party)

By:

Jeffrey A. Schartz  
(sign here)

(Print or type name of signatory)

Jeffrey A. Schartz

Title of signatory:

President

Signed and sworn to before me on [date]

1/31/11

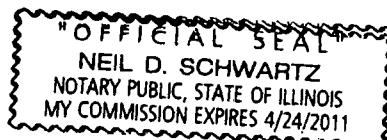
by

Neil Schwartz at Cook County, IL [state].

Neil Schwartz Notary Public.

Commission expires: 4/24/2011

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CITY OF CHICAGO  
ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
AND AFFIDAVIT

**SECTION I -- GENERAL INFORMATION**

A. Legal name of Disclosing Party submitting this EDS, include d/b/a if applicable:

8501 Baltimore Properties, LLC

Check ONE of the following three boxes:

Indicate whether Disclosing Party submitting this EDS is:

1.  the Applicant

OR

2.  a legal entity holding a direct or indirect interest in the Applicant. State the legal name of the Applicant in which Disclosing Party holds an interest:

OR

3.  a specified legal entity with a right of control (Section 3.B.1.b.) State the legal name of the entity in which Disclosing Party holds a right of control:

B. Business address of Disclosing Party:

8501 So. Baltimore Ave.

Chicago, Illinois 60617

C. Telephone: 773/375-0074 Fax: 773/375-2659 Email: Jeff@nickelsondemo.com

D. Name of contact person: Jeffrey A. Lev

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

F. Brief description of contract, transaction or other undertaking referred to below as the "Matter" to which this EDS pertains. (Include project number and location of property, if applicable):

Alley Vacation

G. Which City agency or department is requesting this EDS? Division of Project Development

If the Matter is a contract being handled by the City's Department of Procurement Services, please complete the following:

Specification: N/A and Company: \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION II -- DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS

### A. NATURE OF DISCLOSED PARTY

#### 1. Indicate the nature of the Disclosing Party:

- [ ] Person  
 Publicly registered business corporation  
[ ] Privately held business corporation  
[ ] Sole proprietorship  
[ ] General partnership  
[ ] Limited partnership  
[ ] Trust

- [ ] Limited liability company  
[ ] Limited liability partnership  
[ ] Joint venture  
[ ] Not-for-profit corporation  
Is the not-for-profit corporation also a 501(c)(3)?  
[ ] Yes      [ ] No  
[ ] Other (please specify)

\* Note B.1.b below.

#### 2. For legal entities, the state or foreign country of incorporation or organization, if applicable:

3. For legal entities not organized in the State of Illinois Has the organization registered to do business in the State of Illinois as a foreign entity?

[ ] Yes       No      [ ] N/A

### B. IF THE DISCLOSED PARTY IS A LEGAL ENTITY:

1.a. List below the full names and titles of all executive officers and all directors of the entity. For not-for-profit corporations, also list below all members, if any, which are legal entities. If there are no such members, write "no members." For trusts, estates or other similar entities, list below the legal titleholder(s).

Name	Title
Jeffrey A. Lev	President
Janice M. Lev	Secretary

1.b. If you checked "General partnership," "Limited partnership," "Limited liability company," "Limited liability partnership" or "Joint venture" in response to Item A.1. above (Nature of Disclosing Party), list below the name and title of each general partner, managing member, manager or

any other person or entity that controls the day-to-day management of the Disclosing Party. NOTE: Each legal entity listed below must submit an EDS on its own behalf.

Name	Title

2. Please provide the following information concerning each person or entity having a direct or indirect beneficial interest (including ownership) in excess of 7.5% of the Disclosing Party. Examples of such an interest include shares in a corporation, partnership interests or partnership or joint venture; interest of a member or manager in a limited liability company, or interest of a beneficiary of a trust, estate or other similar entity. If none, state "None." NOTE: Pursuant to Section 2-154-030 of the Municipal Code of Chicago ("Municipal Code"), the City may request any such additional information from any applicant which is reasonably intended to achieve full disclosure.

Name	Business Address	Percentage Interest in the Disclosing Party
Jeffrey A. Lev	8501 So. Baltimore Chicago, Illinois 60617	100%

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

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

Yes       No

If yes, please identify below the name(s) of such City elected official(s) and describe such relationship(s):

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### 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

ment 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 non-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.

Name (indicate whether retained or anticipated to be retained)	Business Address	Relationship to Disclosing Party (subcontractor, attorney, lobbyist, etc.)	Pees (indicate whether paid or estimated)
	N/A		

(Add sheets if necessary).

Check here if the Disclosing party has not retained, nor expects to retain, any such persons or entities.

## SECTION V--CERTIFICATIONS

### A. COURT-ORDERED CHILD SUPPORT COMPLIANCE

Under Municipal Code Section 2-92-435, substantial owners of business entities that contract with the City must remain in compliance with their child support obligations throughout the term of the contract.

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

Yes       No       No person owns 10% or more of the Disclosing Party.

If "Yes," has the person entered into a court-approved agreement for payment of all support owed and is the person in compliance with that agreement?

Yes       No

## B. FURTHER CERTIFICATIONS

1. 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 entered 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 otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in clause B.1.b. of this Section V;
  - d. 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.
2. The certifications in subparts 2, 3 and 4 concern:
  - the Disclosing Party;
  - any "Applicable Party" (meaning any party participating in the performance of the Matter, including but not limited to any persons or legal entities disclosed under Section IV, "Disclosure of Subcontractors and Other Retained Parties");
  - any "Affiliated Entity" (meaning a person or entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the Disclosing Party, is controlled by the Disclosing Party, or is, with the Disclosing Party, under common control of another person or entity. Indicia of control include, without limitation, interlocking management or ownership; identity of interests among family members, shared facilities and equipment, common use of employees; or organization of a business entity following the inability of a business entity to do business with federal or state or local government, including the City, using substantially the same management, ownership, or principals as the ineligible entity); with respect to Applicable Parties, the term Affiliated Entity means a person or entity that directly or indirectly controls the Applicable Party, is controlled by it, or, with the Applicable Party, is under common control of another person or entity);

any responsible official of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity or any other official, agent or employee of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity, acting pursuant to the direction or authorization of a responsible official of the Disclosing Party, any Applicable Party or any Affiliated Entity (collectively "Agents").

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

- a. bided or attempted to bribe, or been convicted or adjudged guilty of bribery or attempting to do so, 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 respect of fixing or controlling price, 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 Municipal Code Section 2-93-610 (Living Wage Ordinance).
2. Neither the Disclosing Party, Affiliated Entity or Applicable Party, or any of their employees, officials, agents or officers, is barred from contracting with any unit of state or local government as a result of engaging in or being convicted of (1) bid-rigging in violation of 720 ILCS 5/25E-3.12; bid-robbing in violation of 720 ILCS 5/25E-4; or (3) 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-robbing.
  3. Neither the Disclosing Party nor any Affiliated Entity 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 Specially Designated Nationals List, the Denied Persons List, the Unverified List, the Entity List and the Debarred List.
  4. The Disclosing Party understands and shall comply with (1) the applicable requirements of the Governmental Ethics Ordinance of the City, Title 2, Chapter 2-356 of the Municipal Code; and (2) all the applicable provisions of Chapter 2-36 of the Municipal Code (Office of the Inspector General).

6. If the Disclosing Party is unable to certify to any of the above statements in this Part B (Former Certifications), the Disclosing Party must explain below:

N/A

If the letters "N/A," the word "None," or no response appears on the lines above, it will be conclusively presumed that the Disclosing Party certified to the above statements.

### C. CERTIFICATION OF STATUS AS FINANCIAL INSTITUTION

For purposes of this Part C, under Municipal Code Section 2-32-455(b), the term "financial institution" means a bank, savings and loan corporation, trust corporation, mortgage banker, mortgage broker, trust company, savings bank, investment bank, securities broker, municipal securities broker, securities dealer, municipal securities dealer, securities underwriter, municipal securities underwriter, investment trust, venture capital company, bank holding company, financial services holding company, or any licensee under the Consumer Installment Loan Act, the Sales Finance Agency Act, or the Residential Mortgage Licensing Act. However, "financial institution" specifically shall not include any entity whose predominant business is the providing of tax deferrals, defined contribution, pension plans to public employees in accordance with Sections 403(b) and 457 of the Internal Revenue Code. (Additional definitions may be found in Municipal Code Section 2-32-455(b).)

#### 1. CERTIFICATION

The Disclosing Party certifies that the Disclosing Party (check one)

I do

I do not

a "financial institution" as defined in Section 2-32-455(b) of the Municipal Code.

2. If the Disclosing Party IS a financial institution, then the Disclosing Party pledges:

"We are not and will not become a predatory lender as defined in Chapter 2-32 of the Municipal Code. We further pledge that none of our affiliates is, and none of them will become, a predatory lender as defined in Chapter 2-32 of the Municipal Code. We understand that becoming a predatory lender or becoming an affiliate of a predatory lender may result in the loss of the privilege of doing business with the City."

If the Disclosing Party is unable to make this pledge because it or any of its affiliates (as defined in Section 2-32-455(b) of the Municipal Code) is a predatory lender within the meaning of Chapter

•**D**2 of the Municipal Code, explain here (use additional pages if necessary):

NA

If the letters "NA," the word "None," or no response appears on the lines above, it will be conclusively presumed that the Disclosing Party certifies the above statements.

#### **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 which are 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?

Yes

No

NOTE: If you checked "Yes" to Item D.1., proceed to items D.2. and D.3. If you checked "No" to Item D.1., proceed to Part E.

2. Unless sold pursuant to a process of competitive bidding, or otherwise permitted, no City elected official or employee shall have a financial interest in his or her own name or in the name of any other person or entity in the purchase of any property that (i) belongs to the City, or (ii) is sold for taxes or assessments, or (iii) is sold by virtue of legal process at the suit of the City (collectively, "City Property Sale"). Compensation for property taken pursuant to the City's eminent domain power does not constitute a financial interest within the meaning of this Part D.

Does the Matter involve a City Property Sale?

Yes

No

3. If you checked "Yes" to Item D.1., provide the names and business addresses of the City officials or employees having such interest and identify the nature of such interest:

Name	Business Address	Name of Interest

4. The Disclosing Party further certifies that no prohibited financial interest in the Matter will be acquired by any City official or employee.

## E. CERTIFICATION REGARDING SLAVERY ERA BUSINESS

The Disclosing Party has searched any and all records of the Disclosing Party and any and all predecessor entities for records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies from the slavery era (including insurance policies issued to slaveholders that provided coverage for damage to or injury or death of their slaves) and has disclosed in this EDS any and all such records to the City. In addition, the Disclosing Party must disclose the names of any and all slaves or slaveholders described in those records. Failure to comply with these disclosure requirements may make the Matter to which this EDS pertains voidable by the City.

Please check either 1. or 2. below. If the Disclosing Party checks 2., the Disclosing Party must disclose below or in an attachment to this EDS all requisite information as set forth in that paragraph 2.

1. The Disclosing Party verifies that (a) the Disclosing Party has searched any and all records of the Disclosing Party and any and all predecessor entities for records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies, and (b) the Disclosing Party has found no records of investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies and no records of names of any slaves or slaveholders.

2. The Disclosing Party verifies that, as a result of conducting the search in step 1(a) above, the Disclosing Party has found records relating to investments or profits from slavery, the slave industry, or slaveholder insurance policies and/or the names of any slaves or slaveholders. The Disclosing Party verifies that the following constitutes full disclosure of all such records:

original company started in 1909 therefore NA

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

NOTE: If the Matter is federally funded, complete this Section VI. If the Matter is not federally funded, proceed to Section VII.

### A. CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

1.. List below the names of all persons or entities registered under the Federal Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 who have made lobbying contacts on behalf of the Disclosing Party with respect to the Matter. (Begin listing here, add sheets as necessary.)

NA

If no explanation appears or begins on the line above, or if the letters "NA" or the word "None" appear, it will be conclusively presumed that the Disclosing Party means that NO persons or entities registered under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 have made lobbying contact on behalf of the Disclosing Party with respect to the issue.)

2. The Disclosing Party has not spent and will not expend any federally appropriated funds to pay any person or entity listed in Paragraph A.1. above for his or her lobbying activities or to pay any person or entity to influence or attempt to influence an officer or employee of any agency, as defined by applicable federal law, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress, in connection with the award of any federally funded contract, making any federally funded grant or loan, entering into any cooperative agreement, or to extend, continue, review, amend, or modify any federally funded contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

3. The Disclosing Party will submit an updated certification at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event that materially affects the accuracy of the statements and information set forth in paragraphs A.1. and A.2. above.

If the Matter is federally funded and any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been or will be paid to any person or entity for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency (as defined by applicable federal law), a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with the Matter, the Disclosing Party must complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions. The form may be obtained online from the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) web site at <http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants/sflllm.pdf>, linked on the page [http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants/grants\\_forms.html](http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/grants/grants_forms.html).

4. The Disclosing Party certifies that either: (i) it is not an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; or (ii) it is an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 but has not engaged and will not engage in "Lobbying Activities."

5. If the Disclosing Party is the Applicant, the Disclosing Party must obtain certifications equal in form and substance to paragraphs A.1. through A.4. above from all subcontractors before it awards any subcontracts and the Disclosing Party must maintain all such subcontractors' certifications for the duration of the Matter and must make such certifications promptly available to the City upon request.

## B. CERTIFICATION REGARDING EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

If the Matter is federally funded, federal regulations require the Applicant and all proposed subcontractors to submit the following information with their bids or in writing at the outset of negotiations:

Is the Disclosing Party the Applicant?

Yes

No

If "No," answer the three questions below:

1. Have you developed and do you have on file affirmative action programs pursuant to applicable federal regulations? (See 41 CFR Part 60-2.)

Yes

No

2. Have you filed with the Joint Reporting Committee, the Director of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, or the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission all reports due under the applicable filing requirements?

Yes

No

3. Have you participated in any previous contracts or subcontracts subject to the equal opportunity clause?

Yes

No

If you checked "No" to question 1. or 2. above, please provide an explanation:

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

The Disclosing Party understands and agrees that:

A. By completing and filing this EDS, the Disclosing Party acknowledges and agrees, on behalf of itself and the persons or entities named in this EDS, that the City may investigate the credibility of some or all of the persons or entities named in this EDS.

B. The certifications, disclosures, and acknowledgements 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 requirements 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.

C. The City's Governmental Ethics and Campaign Financing Ordinances, Chapters 2-156 and 2-164 of the Municipal Code, impose certain duties and obligations on persons or entities seeking City contracts, work, business, or transactions. The full text of these ordinances and a training program is available on line at [www.cityofchicago.org/Ethics](http://www.cityofchicago.org/Ethics), and may also be obtained from the City's Board of Ethics, 750 N. Dearborn St., Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60610, (312) 744-5660. The Disclosing Party must comply fully with the applicable ordinances.

D. 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 was submitted may be rescinded or be void or voidable; and the City may pursue any remedies under the contract or agreement (if not rescinded, void or voidable), 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.

E. 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.

F. 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 concern being handled by the City's Department of Purchasing Services, the Disclosing Party must update this EDS as the contract requires.

The Disclosing Party represents and warrants that:

G. The Disclosing Party has not withheld or reserved any disclosures as to economic interests in the Disclosing Party, or as to the Matter, or any information, data or plan as to the intended use or purpose for which the Applicant seeks City Council or other City agency action.

For purposes of the certifications in H.1. and H.2. below, the term "affiliate" means any person or entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the Disclosing Party, is controlled by the Disclosing Party, or is, with the Disclosing Party, under common control of another person or entity. Indicia of control include, without limitation: interlocking management or ownership; identity of interests among family members; shared facilities and equipment; common use of employees; or organization of a business entity following the ineligibility of a business entity to do business with the federal government or a state or local government, including the City, using substantially the same management, ownership, or principals as the ineligible entity.

H.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 affiliates 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.

H.2. If the Disclosing Party is the Applicant, the Disclosing Party and its affiliates will not use, nor permit their employees to use, any facility on the U.S. EPA's List of Noncompliant Facilities in connection with the Matter for the duration of time that such facility remains on the list.

H.2 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 Project certifications equal in form and substance to those in H.1 and H.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.

NOTE: If the Disclosing Party cannot certify as to any of the items in H.1-H.2 or H.3, above, an explanatory statement must be attached to this EDS.

#### CERTIFICATION

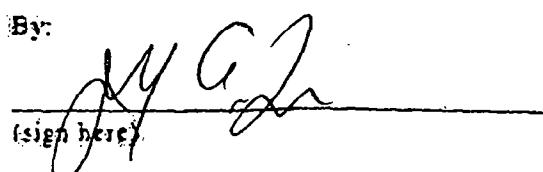
Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below: (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS on behalf of the Disclosing Party, and (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in this EDS are true, accurate and complete as of the date furnished to the City.

Jeffrey A. Lev

(Print or type name of Disclosing Party)

Date: May 21, 2010

By:



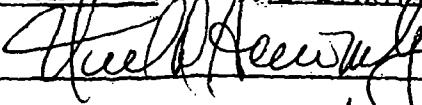
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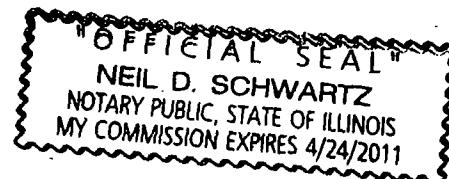
President

(Print or type title of person signing)

Signed and sworn to before me on (date) 25th May 2010, by Jeffrey A. Lev,  
at Cook County, Illinois (state).

  
Notary Public.

Commission expires: 4/24/2011



**CITY OF CHICAGO**  
**ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND AFFIDAVIT**  
**APPENDIX A**

**FAMILIAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS AND  
DEPARTMENT HEADS**

This Appendix 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 Municipal Code Section 2-154-015, 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, by blood or adoption, to the mayor, any alderman, the city clerk, the city treasurer or any city department head as 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?

Yes

No

If yes, please identify below (1) the name and title of such person, (2) the name of the legal entity to which such person is connected; (3) the name and title of the elected city official or department head to whom such person has a familial relationship, and (4) the precise nature of

such familial relationship.

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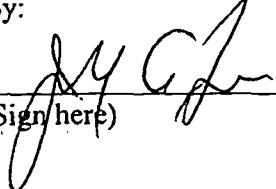
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Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below: (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS on behalf of the Disclosing Party, and (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in this EDS are true, accurate and complete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

Jeffrey A. Lev  
(Print or type name of Disclosing Party)

Date: May 21, 2010

By:

  
(Sign here)

Jeffrey A. Lev  
(Print or type name of person signing)

President

(Print or type title of person signing)

Signed and sworn to before me on (date) \_\_\_\_\_, by Jeffrey A. Lev,  
at Cook County, Illinois (State).

Notary Public.

Commissioner expires: March 6, 2014.

LAW

(DO NOT SUBMIT THIS PAGE WITH YOUR EDS. The purpose of this page is for you to re certify your EDS prior to submission to City Council or on the date of closing. If unable to re certify truthfully, the Disclosing Party must complete a new EDS with correct or corrected information.)

### RECERTIFICATION

Generally, for use with City Council members. Not for City procurement unless requested.

This recertification is being submitted in connection with E501 BALTIMORE PROPERTIES (Identify the Mailing). Under penalty of perjury, the person signing below: (1) warrants that he/she is authorized to execute this EDS recertification on behalf of the Disclosing Party; (2) warrants that all certifications and statements contained in the Disclosing Party's original EDS are true, accurate and complete as of the date furnished to the City and continue to be true, accurate and complete as of the date of this recertification; and (3) reissuing his/her acknowledgments.

Date: 1/3/11

(Print or type legal name of Disclosing Party)

By:

Jeffrey A. Lee  
(Signature)

(Print or type name of signatory)

Jeffrey A. Lee

Title of signatory:

President

Signed and sworn to before me on [date]

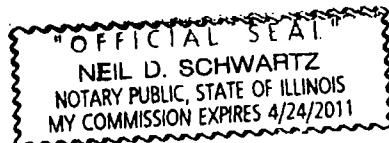
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by

Neil Schwartz, et al. Cook County, IL [state].

Notary Public.

Commission expires: 4/24/2011



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