CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM

DEPARTMENT: Economic and International Development

AGENDA DATE: 3/31/2015

CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Cary Westin, Economic Development, 212-1614

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 8

SUBJECT:

That the City Manager be authorized to execute a Chapter 380 Economic Development Program Agreement by and between the CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS, a Texas home rule municipal corporation, and Miguel Perez, Florentino Perez & Inocencia R. Perez, property owners, for the development of approximately 3,414 square feet located at 2126 Myrtle Ave, El Paso, Texas, 79901. (DISTRICT 8) [Cary S. Westin, Economic Development, 212-1614]

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

The applicants, Miguel Perez, Florentino Perez & Inocencia R. Perez, is proposing to construct an affordable housing complex, located at 2126 Myrtle Ave. These are to provide housing units for the surrounding local community. The total investment for the proposed development is \$306,500.00 and the agreement consists of a five (5) year property tax rebate, Development fee waivers (up to \$10,000), and a Sales Tax Rebate on Construction Materials and labor.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one?

Yes. On 8/24/10, City Council adopted and on 11/16/10 & 11/16/13 amended the Infill Development Incentive Policy. Subsequently, City Council approved a resolution authorizing the City Manager to sign an agreement between the City of El Paso and:

- 4/10/12: 2308 Wheeling Ave, 79930; 4-plex rental housing
- 4/2/13: 540 S. Yarbrough Dr. 79915; 26-unit apartment complex
- 4/2/13: 2431 Yandell Dr., 79903; ft. office space
- 8/13/13: 2413 Tremont Ave., 79930; 12-unit apartment complex
- 11/12/13: 4301 E. Missouri, 79903; 18-unit apartment complex
- 12/3/2013: 5000 Riley Ct., 79924; 10-unit apartment complex
- 7/21/2014: 1423 Missouri Ave. 79902; commercial office space
- 9/2/2014: 1217 Magoffin Ave. 79901; mixed use
- 10/22/2014: 1731 Myrtle. 79901; warehouse
- 12/11/2014: 6801 N. Mesa. 79912; retail, office, and restaurant space.
- 3/3/2015: 3359 Fred Wilson, 79904; Dialysis clinic
- 3/10/2015: 4805 Atlas & 4806 Titanic | 4801 Vulcan | 4725 Vulcan; 37 units of housing (apartments)
- 3/17/2015: 2227 Pacheco Drive | Apartment complex

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

How will this item be funded? Has the item been budgeted? If so, identify funding source by account numbers and description of account. Does it require a budget transfer? N/A

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION:

N/A

<u>LEGAL:</u> (if required) <u>DEPARTMENT HEAD:</u>	FINANCE: (if require (Example: If RCA is initiated by should sign also). Information con Manager	Purchasing, client department
APPROVED FOR AGEN	IDA:	
CITY MANAGER:	DATE	::

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

That the City Manager be authorized to execute a Chapter 380 Economic Development Sales Tax Rebate Program Agreement by and between the City of El Paso and Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez & Inocencia R. Perez, property owners, pursuant to the City's Infill Development Incentive Policy for the construction of affordable housing on the vacant lot located at 2126 Myrtle Avenue, El Paso, Texas 79901.

APPROVED this	day of, 2015.
	CITY OF EL PASO
ATTEST:	Oscar Leeser Mayor
Richarda Duffy Momsen City Clerk	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:
Karla M. Nieman Assistant City Attorney	Cary S. Westin, Managing Director Economic and International Development

STATE OF TEXAS)	CHAPTER 380 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
)	PROGRAM AGREEMENT
)	(Infill Construction Materials Sales Tax Rebate)
COUNTY OF EL PASO)	

This Chapter 380 Economic Development Program Agreement ("Agreement") is made and entered into by and between the CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS, a Texas home rule municipal corporation, ("CITY"), Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez & Inocencia R. Perez, (the "APPLICANTS"), property owners, for the purposes and considerations stated below:

RECITALS

- A. The APPLICANTS desire to enter into this Agreement pursuant to Chapter 380 of the Texas Local Government Code (hereinafter referred to as "Chapter 380").
- B. On August 24, 2010, City Council adopted, and subsequently amended on November 16, 2010, an Infill Development Incentive Policy to promote infill development through property tax abatements, sales tax rebates, and other incentives for eligible projects meeting certain criteria.
- C. The CITY desires to provide, pursuant to Chapter 380, incentives to APPLICANTS to construct or renovate the REAL PROPERTY located at 2126 Myrtle Avenue, El Paso, Texas 79901, meeting the eligibility requirements of the Infill Development Incentive Policy, such development being more specifically described in Exhibit "B" attached hereto (the "DEVELOPMENT") which is in the designated incentive area as more specifically described in the Infill Development Incentive Policy.
- D. The CITY has the authority under Chapter 380 to make loans or grants of public funds for the purposes of promoting local economic development and stimulating business and commercial activity within the City of El Paso.
- E. The CITY determines that a grant of funds to APPLICANTS will serve the public purpose of promoting local economic development and enhancing business and commercial activity within the City of El Paso.
- F. The CITY and APPLICANTS desire the construction or renovation of the DEVELOPMENT and the CITY has further determined that the DEVELOPMENT will advance the CITY'S revitalization strategy for the future growth and development of the CITY and directly and indirectly result in the creation of additional jobs in the CITY and stimulate commercial activity in an undeveloped area, the value of such benefits to the CITY outweighing the amount of the REBATE the CITY will provide to APPLICANTS under this Agreement.
- G. The contemplated use and improvement of the Property in the amounts and for the purposes set forth in this Agreement and the other terms hereof will encourage increased economic development in the CITY, provide significant increases in the CITY'S sales tax revenues, and improve the CITY'S ability to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of El Paso; and

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H. The CITY has concluded and hereby finds that this Agreement clearly promotes economic development in the City of El Paso and, as such, meets the requisites under Chapter 380 of the Texas Local Government Code and further, is in the best interests of the CITY and APPLICANTS.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual benefits and promises contained herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS.

The following words shall have the following meanings when used in this Agreement.

- A. **Agreement.** The word "Agreement" means this Chapter 380 Economic Development Program and Agreement, together with all exhibits and schedules attached to this Agreement and incorporated herein by reference.
- B. Applicants. The word "APPLICANTS" means Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez & Inocencia R. Perez
- C. **City.** The word "CITY" means the City of El Paso, Texas.
- D. **Development.** The word "DEVELOPMENT" means new construction on a vacant lot or renovation of an existing vacant or blighted building(s) to be used for any of the following land uses: single-family homes for attainable rental housing, office, retail, restaurant, multifamily residential facilities, commercial and industrial within the City of El Paso, as authorized by the existing local law, such DEVELOPMENT being more specifically described by Exhibit B, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes.
- E. **Qualified Expenditures.** The words "Qualified Expenditures" means the local sales and use tax paid or caused to be paid by APPLICANTS after the Effective Date of this Agreement on:
 - (1) The purchase of material for use in constructing or renovating the DEVELOPMENT; and
 - (2) Labor in the construction or renovation of the DEVELOPMENT.
- F. **Rebate.** The word "REBATE" means payments to APPLICANTS under the terms of this Agreement computed with reference to one hundred percent (100%) of the CITY'S one percent (1%) of Sales and Use Taxes revenue generated by and attributed solely to the APPLICANTS Qualified Expenditures
- G. **Rebate Submittal Package.** The words "Rebate Submittal Package" mean the documentation required to be supplied to CITY annually as a condition of receipt of any REBATE, accompanied by the submittal form, which is attached as Exhibit "C" to this Agreement.

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- H. **Real Property.** The words "REAL PROPERTY" mean the real property owned by APPLICANTS located at 2126 Myrtle Avenue, El Paso, Texas 79901, and as more fully described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The REAL PROPERTY is the location for APPLICANTS proposed DEVELOPMENT.
- I. **Vacant Building.** The words "Vacant Building" mean a building that is sixty percent (60%) or more unoccupied and is registered as a vacant building with the City of El Paso, pursuant to Title 18, Chapter 18.40, El Paso City Code.

SECTION 2. TERM.

Except as otherwise provided herein, the term of this Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date (as hereinafter defined) and shall terminate on the first to occur of: (i) the date when the REBATE is fully paid; (ii) thirty-six (36) months from the Effective Date; (iii) the proper termination of this Agreement in accordance with the applicable provisions contained herein; or (iv) termination by mutual consent of the parties in writing. The Effective Date of this Agreement shall be the date upon which both parties have fully executed this Agreement.

SECTION 3. OBLIGATIONS OF APPLICANTS.

During the term of this Agreement, APPLICANTS shall comply with the following terms and conditions:

A. **DEVELOPMENT.**

- (1) APPLICANTS agree that the DEVELOPMENT is a project to construct on a vacant lot or renovate an existing vacant or blighted building(s) to be used for any of the following land uses: single-family homes for attainable rental housing, office, retail, restaurant, multifamily residential facilities, commercial and industrial within the City of El Paso, as authorized by the existing local law.
- (2) APPLICANTS agree that the REAL PROPERTY is either a platted, unimproved lot; contains a vacant building; contains a building that has a Central Appraisal District physical condition factor of thirty (30) or lower; or will be renovated for use as attainable rental housing.
- (3) APPLICANTS agree that, except in the case of vacant land, that APPLICANTS purchased the REAL PROPERTY within the one-year period preceding the Effective Date of this Agreement.
- (4) APPLICANTS agree that APPLICANTS have neither caused nor contributed to the present condition of the REAL PROPERTY.
- (5) APPLICANTS agree to develop and construct, at their sole cost and expense, the DEVELOPMENT and to expend a minimum of Two Hundred Thousand and NO/100 Dollars (\$200,000.00) in Qualified Expenditures to construct the DEVELOPMENT.

- (6) APPLICANTS agree that it will first obtain or caused to be obtained all applicable approvals and permits before the construction of the DEVELOPMENT begins.
- (7) APPLICANTS shall submit within twenty-four (24) calendar months documentation to the CITY to verify:
 - (a) the expenditure of a minimum amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100 (\$200,000.00) in Qualified Expenditures; and
 - (b) that APPLICANTS have received a Certificate of Occupancy for the DEVELOPMENT.
- (8) APPLICANTS agree that the DEVELOPMENT shall not include the demolition of properties with a historic overlay that are deemed historic or contributing unless specifically approved by El Paso City Council.
- (9) APPLICANTS agree that DEVELOPMENT shall be in accordance with the requirements and review provisions of Chapter 20.20 (Historic Landmark Preservation) of the City municipal code, where applicable.
- (10) APPLICANTS agree to grant the City the option to place and operate telecommunications devices on the roof of the DEVELOPMENT. The option will have a term of seven years (7) from the effective date of this agreement. The option is part of the consideration given to the City in exchange for the economic incentives received by the APPLICANT to construct the DEVELOPMENT.

B. **DISBURSEMENT OF REBATE.**

- (1) During the term of this Agreement and beginning as of the Effective Date of this Agreement and ending Twenty-four (24) months thereafter, or at termination, whichever comes first, and subject to the conditions contained in this Agreement, APPLICANTS shall be eligible to receive a REBATE.
- (2) APPLICANTS eligibility for any payment is expressly contingent upon APPLICANTS satisfaction of the requirements of Section 3 of this Agreement. APPLICANTS shall not be entitled to receive the REBATE unless it satisfies all the requirements of this Agreement. APPLICANTS agree to provide the CITY with any documentation the CITY may reasonably require or request to substantiate the APPLICANTS compliance with this Agreement.
- (3) In order to receive the disbursement of the REBATE, APPLICANTS must submit a Rebate Submittal Package, as specified in Section 3(C) below.

C. REBATE SUBMITTAL PACKAGE.

- (1) Unless otherwise agreed by the CITY and APPLICANTS in writing, APPLICANTS shall submit annually no more than one Rebate Submittal Package in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "C", together with the requisite documentation.
- (2) The Rebate Submittal Package must contain copies of the receipts or other proof of payment as documentation of the Qualified Expenditures incurred in the construction of the DEVELOPMENT and that APPLICANTS have paid or caused to be paid all the CITY'S local sales and use taxes associated with the Qualified Expenditures.
- (3) The Rebate Submittal Package must contain copies of the permits for the DEVELOPMENT and APPLICANTS certification that all documentation attached to the Rebate Submittal Package is true and correct.
- D. <u>**DELINQUENT TAXES.**</u> APPLICANTS must demonstrate before the receipts of any REBATE payments under this incentive program that APPLICANTS have incurred no delinquency taxes by providing certified city tax certificates for each parcel of property owned in the City of El Paso.
- E. **PROPERTY VALUE.** APPLICANTS covenant and agree that during the term of this Agreement they shall not challenge or permit anyone else to take actions on their behalf to challenge any assessments by the El Paso Central Appraisal District for this Real Property with a valuation of Sixty Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Seven and 00/100 Dollars (\$65,257.00). It is the intent of the parties that the assessed value of the Property on the tax rolls have a base value of Sixty Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Seven and 00/100 Dollars (\$65,257.00) during the term of this agreement and any affirmative act by APPLICANTS to reduce the assessed value to amount lower than Sixty Five Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Seven and 00/100 Dollars (\$65,257.00) will be an event of default that will result in termination of this Agreement.
- F. RIGHT OF ACCESS AND INSPECTION. APPLICANTS, during normal business hours, at their principal place of business in El Paso, shall allow the CITY or its agents reasonable access to operating records, accounting, books, and any other records related to the economic development considerations and incentives described herein, which are in APPLICANTS possession, custody, or control, for purposes of verifying the Qualified Expenditures generated by the DEVELOPMENT and for audit, is so requested by the CITY. The confidentiality of such records will be maintained in accordance with and subject to all applicable laws.

SECTION 4. OBLIGATIONS OF CITY.

During the Term of this Agreement and so long as an event of default has not occurred and is not continuing as set forth in Section 5 of this Agreement (provided, however, an event of default hereunder shall not be deemed to have occurred until after the expiration of the applicable notice and cure period), CITY shall comply with the following terms and conditions:

A. The CITY agrees to process any REBATE payments to APPLICANTS within ninety (90) days after receipt of the APPLICANTS annual Rebate Submittal Package.

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B. The CITY'S determination of the amount of the REBATE payment due to APPLICANTS is final; provided, however, APPLICANTS may appeal to the City Council within thirty (30) days of payment, the City Council shall hear the appeal within thirty (30) days and the City Council's determination of the amount of the REBATE payment shall be final; provided, however, nothing herein shall limit (or be construed to limit) APPLICANTS rights and remedies as described in Section 5 of this Agreement.

SECTION 5. EVENTS OF DEFAULT.

Each of the following shall constitute an Event of Default under this Agreement:

- A. False Statements. Any written warranty, representation or statement made or furnished to the CITY by APPLICANTS under this Agreement or any document(s) related hereto furnished to the CITY by APPLICANTS that is/are false or misleading in any material respect, either now or at the time made or furnished, and APPLICANTS fail to cure same within thirty (30) days after written notice from the CITY describing the violation, or if such violation cannot be cured within such thirty (30) day period in the exercise of all due diligence, then if APPLICANTS fail to commence such cure within such thirty (30) day period or fail to continuously thereafter diligently prosecute the cure of such violation, or if APPLICANTS obtain actual knowledge that any such warranty, representation or statement has become false or misleading after the time that it was made, and APPLICANTS fail to provide written notice to the CITY of the false or misleading nature of such warranty, representation or statement within ten (10) days after APPLICANTS learn of their false or misleading nature.
- B. **Insolvency.** APPLICANTS file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, a proceeding in bankruptcy is instituted against the APPLICANTS and the APPLICANTS are thereafter adjudicated bankrupt, a receiver for the APPLICANTS assets is appointed, or any assignment of all or substantially all of the assets of APPLICANTS for the benefit of creditors of APPLICANTS.
- C. Construction of Development. APPLICANTS failure to comply with its construction obligations set forth in this Agreement and APPLICANTS failure to cure same within thirty (30) Days after written notice from the CITY shall be deemed an event of default. If such failure cannot be cured within such thirty (30) day period in the exercise of all due diligence but APPLICANT fails or refuses to commence such cure within such thirty (30) day period or fails or refuses to continuously thereafter diligently prosecute such cure, except to the extent such failure is caused by any act or failure to act on the part of the CITY, such actions or omission shall be deemed events of default.
- D. **Property Taxes.** If APPLICANTS allow its personal or real property taxes owed to the CITY to become delinquent and fails to timely and properly follow the legal procedures for protest and/or contest of such taxes and to cure such failure or post a satisfactory bond within thirty (30) days after written notice thereof from the CITY and/or El Paso Central Appraisal District.

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- E. Other Defaults. Failure of APPLICANTS to comply with or to perform any other term, obligation, covenant or condition contained in this Agreement or in any related documents, or failure of APPLICANTS to comply with or to perform any other term, obligation, covenant or condition contained in any other agreement between the CITY and APPLICANTS, and APPLICANTS fail to cure such failure within thirty (30) days after written notice from the CITY describing such failure, or if such failure cannot be cured within such thirty (30) day period in the exercise of all due diligence, then if APPLICANTS fail to commence such cure within such thirty (30) day period or fails to continuously thereafter diligently prosecute the cure of such failure.
- F. Failure to Cure. If any Event of Default by APPLICANTS shall occur, and after APPLICANTS fail to cure same in accordance herewith, then this Agreement is terminated and the CITY'S obligations end at that time. If a default has not been cured within the time frame stated herein, the non-defaulting party shall have all rights and remedies under the law or in equity.

SECTION 6. RECAPTURE

Should the APPLICANTS default under Section 5 of this Agreement and provided that the cure period for such default has expired, all REBATES previously provided by the CITY pursuant to this Agreement shall be recaptured and repaid by APPLICANTS within sixty (60) days from the date of such termination.

SECTION 7. TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT BY CITY WITHOUT DEFAULT.

CITY may terminate this Agreement without an event of default by APPLICANTS and effective immediately if any state or federal statute, regulation, case law, or other law renders this Agreement ineffectual, impractical or illegal, including case law holding that a Chapter 380 Economic Development Agreement such as this Agreement is an unconstitutional debt.

SECTION 8. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

The following miscellaneous provisions are a part of this Agreement:

- A. **Amendments.** This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding and agreement of the parties as to the matters set forth in this Agreement. No alteration of or amendment to this Agreement shall be effective unless given in writing and signed by the party or parties sought to be charged or bound by the alteration or amendment.
- B. **Applicable Law and Venue.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, and all obligations of the parties created hereunder are performable in El Paso County, Texas. Venue for any action arising under this Agreement shall lie in the state district courts of El Paso County, Texas.
- C. APPLICANTS Sale or Transfer of the Development. Prior to any sale or other transfer of ownership rights in the DEVELOPMENT, APPLICANTS shall notify the CITY in writing of such sale or transfer within thirty (30) business days of the effectiveness of such sale or transfer. This provision is a material term of this Agreement

and the failure to notify the CITY of such sale or transfer within the applicable period shall constitute an event of default.

- D. **Assignment.** APPLICANTS understand and agree that the CITY expressly prohibits APPLICANTS from selling, transferring, assigning or conveying in any way any rights to receive the REBATE proceeds or this Agreement without the CITY'S *prior written* consent. Any such attempt to sell, transfer, assign or convey without the CITY'S prior written consent is void and may result in the immediate termination of this Agreement and recapture of the taxes rebated prior to the attempted transfer..
- E. **Binding Obligation.** This Agreement shall become a binding obligation on the signatories upon execution by all signatories hereto. CITY warrants and represents that the individual executing this Agreement on behalf of CITY has full authority to execute this Agreement and bind CITY to the same. APPLICANTS warrant and represent that the individual executing this Agreement on its behalf has full authority to execute this Agreement and bind APPLICANTS to the same.
- F. Use of Real Property. As consideration for the agreements of the CITY as contained herein, APPLICANTS agree that they will diligently and faithfully in a good and workmanlike manner pursue the completion of the DEVELOPMENT and that the construction of same will be in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. The REAL PROPERTY shall be limited in its use to those uses consistent with the DEVELOPMENT consistent with the CITY'S development goals, which include the encouraging of development or redevelopment of the reinvestment zone.
- G. Confidentiality Obligations. The confidentiality of records related to the CITY'S economic development considerations and incentives provided herein will be maintained in accordance with and subject to all applicable laws, including the Public Information Act, Chapter 552, Texas Government Code. To the extent permitted by state or federal law, the CITY shall maintain the confidentiality of any proprietary information and shall not copy any such information except as necessary for dissemination to the CITY'S agents or employees and agrees that, as required by the Public Information Act, it will notify Applicants if a request relating to such proprietary information is received. APPLICANTS represent that they understands that the Public Information Act excepts disclosure of trade secret and confidential commercial information and that it will need to assert the proprietary interest of APPLICANTS as a basis for nondisclosure.
- H. **Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same document.
- I. **Employment of Undocumented Workers.** During the term of this Agreement, APPLICANT agrees not to knowingly employ any undocumented workers as defined in Texas Government Code Section 2264.001. If convicted of a violation under 8 U.S.C. Section 1324a(f), APPLICANTS shall repay the amount of the Grant payments received

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by APPLICANTS from the CITY as of the date of such violation not later than one hundred twenty (120) days after the date APPLICANTS are notified by CITY of a violation of this section, plus interest from the date the Grant payment(s) was paid to APPLICANTS, at the rate of seven percent (7%) per annum. The interest will accrue from the date the Grant payment(s) were paid to APPLICANTS until the date the reimbursement payments are repaid to CITY. CITY may also recover court costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred in an action to recover the Grant payment(s) subject to repayment under this section. APPLICANTS are not liable for a violation by its subsidiary, affiliate, or franchisee, or by a person which whom APPLICANTS contract.

- J. **Filing.** This Agreement shall be filed in the deed records of El Paso County, Texas. The provisions of this Agreement shall be deemed to run with the land and shall be binding on heirs, successors and assigns of APPLICANTS.
- K. **Force Majeure.** It is expressly understood and agreed by the parties to this Agreement that if the performance of any obligations hereunder is delayed by reason of war, civil commotion, acts of God, inclement weather, fire or other casualty, or court injunction, the party so obligated or permitted shall be excused from doing or performing the same during such period of delay, so that the time period applicable to such obligation or requirement shall be extended for a period of time equal to the period such party was delayed.
- L. **Notices.** All notices required to be given under this Agreement shall be given in writing and shall be effective when actually delivered or when deposited in the United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, delivered personally, sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier, or sent by facsimile with an original sent by United States first class mail, postage prepared on the same date addressed to the party to whom the notice is to be given at the addresses shown below. Any party may change its address for notices under this Agreement by giving formal written notice to the other parties, specifying that the purpose of the notice is to change the party's address. For notice purposes, each party agrees to keep the other informed at all times of its current address.

APPLICANT:

Miguel A. Perez Florentino Perez & Inocencia R.

Perez

137 Roble Drive

Sunland Park, NM 88063

CITY:

City of El Paso City Manager P.O. Box 1890

El Paso, Texas 79950-1890

Copy To:

City of El Paso

Economic Development Department Director

P.O. Box 1890

El Paso, Texas 79950-1890

- M. **Ordinance Applicability.** The signatories hereto shall be subject to all ordinances of the CITY, whether now existing or in the future arising.
- N. **Severability.** In the event any provision of this Agreement shall be determined by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, the Agreement shall, to the extent reasonably possible, remain in force as to the balance of its provisions as if such invalid provision were not a part hereof.
- O. **Headings.** The Section headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.
- P. **No Joint Venture.** It is acknowledged and agreed by the parties that the terms hereof are not intended to and shall not be deemed to create any partnership or joint venture among the parties. The CITY, its past, present and future officers, elected officials, employees and agents of the CITY, do not assume any responsibilities or liabilities to any third party in connection with the DEVELOPMENT or the design, construction, or operation of the DEVELOPMENT, or any portion thereof.

(SIGNATURE BEGIN ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE)

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of February, 2015 (the "Effective Date"). **APPLICANTS**: Miguel A. Perez Florentino Perez and Inocencia R. Perez Title: Property Owners ACKNOWLEDGMENT STATE OF COUNTY OF This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 25 day of February, 2015, by Miguel A. Perez. KARLA VIRGINIA SOTO Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires Notary Public, State of Texas April 30, 2017 My Commission Expires: 4/30/2017 **ACKNOWLEDGMENT STATE OF** ______§ COUNTY OF This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 25 day of February, 2015, by Florentino Perez. KARLA VIRGINIA SOTO Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires April 30, 2017 Notary Public, State of Fexas My Commission Expires: 4 30 2017

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF		_§								
COUNTY OF		§ _§								
This instrument	was	acknowledged	before	me	on	the	25	day	of	***

This instrument was acknowledged before me on the 25 day of February 2015, by Inocencia R. Perez.



Notary Public, State of _______

My Commission Expires:

(Signatures and Acknowledgement Continue on Next Page)

		Tomás González City Manager
APPROVED AS TO FORM	И:	APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:
Karla M. Nieman Assistant City Attorney		Cary S Westin Managing Director Economic & International Development
	ACKNOWLE	DGMENT
STATE OF TEXAS	§ 8	
COUNTY OF EL PASO	§ § §	
		re me on the day of City of El Paso, Texas, on behalf of the City o
My Commission Expires:		Notary Public, State of Texas

CITY OF EL PASO:

EXHIBIT "A"

[Legal Description of the REAL PROPERTY] Block 40, Lots 3 & 4, Bassett Subdivision (3,414 sq feet)

EXHIBIT "B"

Description of Development

Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez and Inocencia R. Perez propose to build affordable housing on vacant land located at 2126 Myrtle Ave El Paso, Texas 79901. The approximate square footage of the proposed development will be three thousand, four hundred and fourteen (3,414) square feet. The total cost of construction is THREE HUNDRED AND SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS and NO/100 (\$306,500).

EXHIBIT "C"

Rebate Submittal Package Form

Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez and Inocencia R. Perez (APPLICANTS) believe that they have substantially met his obligations under the Chapter 380 Agreement executed on (date). Pursuant to the agreement, APPLICANTS submit this Rebate Submittal Package Form in compliance with said Agreement and in anticipation of receiving the Rebate in consideration for his obligations met under the Agreement.
As required by the Agreement, the following information is submitted.
 Copies of receipts evidencing payment by APPLICANTS or an APPLICANTS' behalf of at least a minimum aggregate of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO/100 (\$200,000.00) in Qualified Expenditures associated with the Development, as those terms are defined in the Agreement. Copies of all required permits and approvals obtained by APPLICANTS or on APPLICANTS' behalf for construction of improvements in the Development. Property Tax Payment Receipt(s) of payment for tax year
It is understood by APPLICANTS that the City of El Paso has up to ninety (90) days to process this request and reserves the right to deny the Rebate claim if the APPLICANTS have failed to comply with the terms of the Agreement.
By the signature of APPLICANTS below, APPLICANTS hereby certify that: (1) the copies of the receipts attached to this Rebate Submittal Package Form represent Qualified Expenditures incurred in the improvements and new construction to the Development; (2) APPLICANTS have paid or caused to be paid the City's local sales and use taxes associated with the Qualified Expenditures; and (3) that the copies of the receipts and copies of the permits attached herein are true and correct.
Signature:
Signature:
Signature:



Infill Development Program

Applicant: Miguel A. Perez, Florentino Perez, and Inocencia Perez

District: 8

Project Address:

2126 Myrtle Ave El Paso, TX 79901

Strategic Goal 1:

Create an Environment Conducive to Strong, Sustainable Economic Development

1.1 – Stabilize & Expand El Paso's tax base





Infill Development Program

- \$306,500 in construction investment
- Total of 3,414 sq feet in development
- Current status: vacant, undeveloped land
- Applicant proposes to turn lot into a complex of single story housing units – the project aims to provide affordable housing opportunities for military veterans and the elderly.
- Five units of housing, one office unit.





Proposed Incentives

Construction Materials Rebate- Chapter 380 Agreement for a one time grant payment of the City's Portion of Sales Tax (1%) after the applicant has obtained a certificate of completion and the project is completed.

Development Fee Waivers- The City may rebate/waive up to 100% of the development fees associated with new construction or renovation of the applicant's facility up to \$10,000.

Property Tax Abatement (City's Portion): A five-year annual abatement (Incremental to the base year value) of the City's portion of ad valorem property taxes on the base year.





Current Conditions of the Site 2126 Myrtle Ave



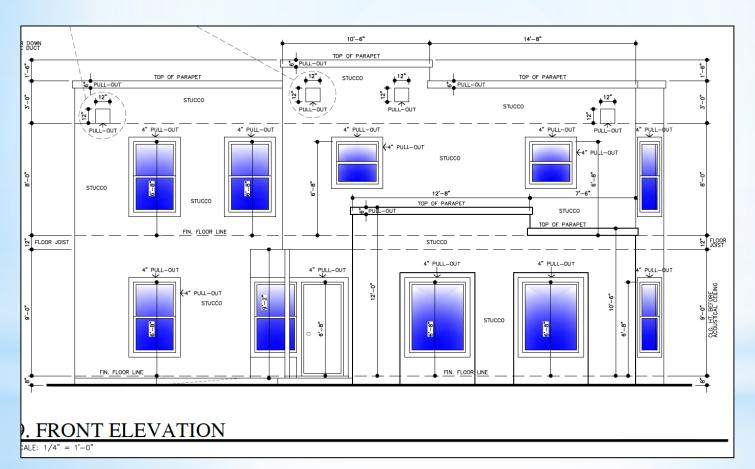


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Proposed Renderings 2126 Myrtle Ave

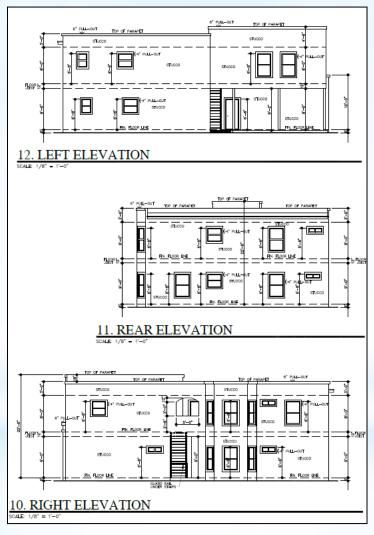




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Projected Total Incentive Package 2126 Myrtle Ave

Eligible property tax abatement per policy (City's portion):

Minimum Investment	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
\$200,000	100%	100%	75%	50%	25%
	\$2,303.27	\$2,386.07	\$1,853,51	\$1,279.59	\$662.42

Rebate Type	Grant Payment			
5 Yr. Property Tax Abatement	\$8,484.86			
Sales Tax Rebate	\$3,065.00			
Development Fees	\$10,000.00			
Projected Total Incentive	\$21,549.86			
Package				







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