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Chapter 380 Grant Agreement 333 E Division, LLC

Environmental Remediation Reimbursement

Maximum Authorization:		\$ 400,000
Grant	Amount	Wire Date
Reimbursement 1	\$ 168,187.68	12/27/2022

Total Paid to Date: \$ 168,187.68

Remaining Authorization: \$ 231,812.32

Staff Report



Chapter 380 Grant Agreement – 333 E. Division Street, 308 N. East Street

City Council Meeting Date: 12-14-2021 Document Being Considered: Resolution

RECOMMENDATION

Approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute a Chapter 380 Grant Agreement by and between Urban Union, LLC and the City of Arlington relative to the acquisition and redevelopment of 313 E. Division Street and 308 N. East Street.

PRIOR BOARD OR COUNCIL ACTION

None.

ANALYSIS

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FINANCIAL IMPACT

The Innovative Venture Capital Fund (Acct. #910103-61002) will be used to fund the \$400,000 reimbursement grant.

<u>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</u>

Attached: Resolution with agreement attached.

Under Separate Cover: None Available in the City Secretary's Office: None

STAFF CONTACT(S)

Trey Yelverton
City Manager
817-459-6101
Trey.Yelverton@arlingtontx.gov

Resolution No. 21-321

A resolution authorizing the execution of a Chapter 380 Grant Agreement by and between Urban Union, LLC and the City of Arlington, Texas relative to the acquisition and redevelopment of 333 E. Division and 308 N. East Street in Arlington, Texas

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS:

I.

That all of the recitals contained in the preamble of this resolution are found to be true and are adopted as findings of fact by this governing body and as part of its official record.

II.

That the City Manager or his designee is authorized to execute a Chapter 380 Grant Agreement with OWNER to provide certain economic incentives associated with the acquisition and redevelopment of 333 E. Division and 308 N. East Street in Arlington, Texas.

In authorizing the execution of and in executing the referenced agreement, the City of Arlington, Texas, through its City Council and City officials, hereby exercises a governmental function in accordance with but not limited to Section 101.0215 of the Texas Civil Practices and Remedies Code.

IV.

A substantial copy of the Chapter 380 Grant Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein for all intents and purposes.

PRESENTED AND PASSED on this the 14 by a vote of 8 ayes and 0 nays at a	
City of Arlington, Texas.	HM P. POSS Mover
ATTEST:	JIM R. ROSS, Mayor
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ALEX BUSKEN, City Secretary	
1	APPROVED AS TO FORM:

TERIS SOLIS, City Attorney

BY Jus Solis



THE STATE OF TEXAS \$ \$ Chapter 380 Grant Agreement COUNTY OF TARRANT \$

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All notices called for or required by this Agreement shall be addressed to the following, or such other party or address as either party designates in writing, by certified mail postage prepaid or by hand delivery:

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Attn: Ryan Dodson, Manager

PO BOX 1324

Arlington, TX 76004

CITY: City of Arlington

Attention: City Manager's Office

Post Office Box 90231

Arlington, Texas 76004-3231

cc: City of Arlington

Attention: City Attorney's Office

Post Office Box 90231

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XI.

City Council Authorization

This Agreement was authorized by resolution of the City Council authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute this Agreement on behalf of the CITY.

XII. Severability

In the event any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, phrase, or word is held invalid, illegal, or unconstitutional, the balance of this Agreement shall stand, shall be enforceable, and shall be read as if the parties intended at all times to delete said invalid section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, phrase, or word.

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Any party hereto may request an estoppel certificate from another party hereto, so long as the certificate is requested in connection with a bona fide business purpose. The certificate, which if requested will be addressed to a subsequent purchaser or assignee of DEVELOPER, shall include, but not necessarily be limited to statements that this Agreement is in full force and effect without default (or if default exists the nature of same), the remaining term of this Agreement, the levels and remaining term of the grant payments in effect, and such other matters reasonably requested by the party(ies) to receive the certificates.

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DEVELOPER, as a party to this Agreement, shall be deemed a proper and necessary party in any litigation questioning or challenging the validity of this Agreement or any of the underlying ordinances, resolutions, or City Council actions authorizing same, and DEVELOPER shall be entitled to intervene in said litigation.

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This Agreement shall be construed under the laws of the State of Texas. Venue for any action under this Agreement shall be the State's District Court of Tarrant County, Texas. This Agreement is performable in Tarrant County, Texas.

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It is understood and agreed between the parties that the DEVELOPER, in performing its obligations hereunder, is acting independently, and CITY assumes no responsibility or liability to third parties in connection therewith, and DEVELOPER agrees to indemnify and hold harmless CITY from any such responsibility or liability. It is further understood and agreed among the parties that CITY, in performing its obligations hereunder, is acting independently, and the DEVELOPER assumes no responsibility or liability to third parties in connection therewith.

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[Signature Page to Follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year written above.

URBAN UNION, LLC

WITNESS:	BYCharles R. Dodson Manager Date
	CITY OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS
	BY Trey Yelverton, City Manager
ATTEST:	Date
ALEX BUSKEN, City Secretary	APPROVED AS TO FORM: TERIS SOLIS, City Attorney
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Exhibit "A" PREMISES



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cc: City of Arlington

Attention: City Attorney's Office

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XI.

City Council Authorization

This Agreement was authorized by resolution of the City Council authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute this Agreement on behalf of the CITY.

XII. Severability

In the event any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, phrase, or word is held invalid, illegal, or unconstitutional, the balance of this Agreement shall stand, shall be enforceable, and shall be read as if the parties intended at all times to delete said invalid section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, phrase, or word.

XIII. Estoppel Certificate

Any party hereto may request an estoppel certificate from another party hereto, so long as the certificate is requested in connection with a bona fide business purpose. The certificate, which if requested will be addressed to a subsequent purchaser or assignee of DEVELOPER, shall include, but not necessarily be limited to statements that this Agreement is in full force and effect without default (or if default exists the nature of same), the remaining term of this Agreement, the levels and remaining term of the grant payments in effect, and such other matters reasonably requested by the party(ies) to receive the certificates.

XIV. DEVELOPER's Standing

DEVELOPER, as a party to this Agreement, shall be deemed a proper and necessary party in any litigation questioning or challenging the validity of this Agreement or any of the underlying ordinances, resolutions, or City Council actions authorizing same, and DEVELOPER shall be entitled to intervene in said litigation.

XV. Applicable Law

This Agreement shall be construed under the laws of the State of Texas. Venue for any action under this Agreement shall be the State's District Court of Tarrant County, Texas. This Agreement is performable in Tarrant County, Texas.

XVI. Indemnification

It is understood and agreed between the parties that the DEVELOPER, in performing its obligations hereunder, is acting independently, and CITY assumes no responsibility or liability to third parties in connection therewith, and DEVELOPER agrees to indemnify and hold harmless CITY from any such responsibility or liability. It is further understood and agreed among the parties that CITY, in performing its obligations hereunder, is acting independently, and the DEVELOPER assumes no responsibility or liability to third parties in connection therewith.

XVII. 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, court injunction, necessary condemnation proceedings, acts of the other party, its affiliates/related entities and/or

their contractors, or any actions or inactions of third parties or other circumstances which are reasonably beyond the control of the party obligated or permitted under the terms of this Agreement to do or perform the same, 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 performance shall be extended for a period of time equal to the period such party was delayed.

XVIII. No Other Agreement

This Agreement embodies all of the agreements of the parties relating to its subject matter as specifically set out herein, supersedes all prior understandings and agreements regarding such subject matter, and may be amended, modified, or supplemented only by an instrument or instruments in writing executed by the parties.

XIX. Headings

The headings of this Agreement are for the convenience of reference only and shall not affect in any manner any of the terms and conditions hereof.

XX. Successors and Assigns

The parties to this Agreement each bind themselves and their successors, executors, administrators, and assigns to the other party of this Agreement and to the successors, executors, administrators, and assigns of such other party in respect to all covenants of this Agreement. No successor, executor, administrator, or assign is valid in the place of the parties to this Agreement without the written consent of CITY and such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. It is the intent of DEVELOPER to create a new entity to hold title to the Premises for liability purposes and it is expressly agreed by CITY that DEVELOPER shall have the right to assign this Agreement to an entity controlled by Charles R. Dodson, manager of Urban Union, without the written consent of CITY provided DEVELOPER gives CITY written notice of such assignment.

[Signature Page to Follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year written above.

WITNESS:

ATTEST:

Stephanie Olinos

ALEX BUSKEN, City Secretary

URBAN UNION, LLC
BY Charles R. Dodson Manager Date 12.21.21
CITY OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS
BY Jumil Trey Yelverton, City Manager Date 19903
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

TERIS SOLIS, City Attorney

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned author Texas, on this day personally appeared to me on the oath of or throu identity card or other document) to be the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to mact and deed of URBAN UNION, LLC an estate of Texas, and as the	gh (description of person whose name is subscribed to the ne that he/she executed same for and as the entity duly authorized to do business in the thereof, and for the purposes and
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THE STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF TARRANT**

CITY OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS Acknowledgment

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for the State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Trey Yelverton, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed same for and as the act and deed of the CITY OF ARLINGTON, TEXAS, a municipal corporation of Tarrant County, Texas, and as the City Manager thereof, and for the purposes and consideration therein expressed, and in the capacity therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE on this the 21 st , 2021.

STEPHANIE DIMAS Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 09-01-2025 Notary ID 129000418

My Commission Expires

Notary Public in and for

The State of Texas

Notary's Printed Name

Exhibit "A" PREMISES



Assignment of Chapter 380 Grant Agreement

This Assignment of Chapter 380 Grant Agreement (this *Assignment*), is executed as of June 2022, by and between Urban Union, LLC, a Texas limited liability company (*Assignor*) and 333 E Division, LLC, a Texas limited liability company (*Assignee*).

Background:

- A. Assignor entered into that certain Chapter 380 Grant Agreement dated effective as of December 21, 2021, by and between Assignor, as **Developer**, and the City of Arlington, Texas, a home-rule city and municipal corporation of Tarrant County, as **City**, (as amended, the **Contract**) with respect to the real property generally located at 333 E. Division & 308 N. East Street, Arlington, Texas, and more particularly described in the Contract (the **Property**).
- B. Assignor originally had the Property under contract to purchase, but assigned the purchase contract to Assignee before closing, and Assignee is the current owner of the Property. Assignee is an affiliate of Assignor, and is controlled by Charles R. Dodson, as required by Section XX of the Contract.
- C. Assignor desires to assign to Assignee all of Assignor's rights, duties and obligations under the Contract, and Assignee desires to accept such assignment from Assignor.

For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby grant and convey all of Assignor's right, title and interest in the Contract to Assignee.

Such assignment of the Contract by Assignor to Assignee is made on the following terms and conditions:

- 1. By its acceptance of this Assignment, Assignee assumes the Contract and agrees to perform all of the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Contract on the part of Developer therein required to be performed as if Assignee had entered into the Contract with City directly, and Assignee agrees to indemnify, save, and hold harmless Assignor from and against any and all loss, liability, claims, or causes of action existing in favor of or asserted by City under the Contract arising out of or relating to Assignee's failure to perform any of the obligations of Developer under the Contract. This indemnity shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of the Contract.
- 2. Assignor agrees to indemnify, save and hold harmless Assignee from and against any and all loss, liability, claims, or causes of action existing in favor of or asserted by the City under the Contract arising out of or relating to Assignor's failure to perform any of the obligations of the Developer under the Contract arising prior to the date hereof. This indemnity shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of the Contract.
- 3. Assignor represents and warrants to Assignee that it has the full right, power, and authority to assign the Contract.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Assignment to be effective as of the date first set forth above.

ASSIGNOR:

URBAN UNION, LLC, a Texas limited liability company

By:

Dodson Management, Inc.,

Its Manager

By:

Charles R. Dodson, President of Development

ASSIGNEE:

333 E DIVISION, LLC a Texas limited liability company

Charles R. Dodson, Manager



