

CITY OF BRYAN, TEXAS
CHAPTER 380 HOME BUILDER INCENTIVE PROGRAM AGREEMENT

The City of Bryan, Texas, a Texas Home Rule Municipality, (hereinafter "City") acting by and through its City Manager in accordance with the authority delegated pursuant to Resolution No. 3598 passed and approved on April 14, 2015, and ~~Traditionally Payer/Homers~~ (hereinafter "Home Builder"), hereby enter into a Chapter 380 Agreement for Home Builder Incentive Program ("Agreement") as follows:

SECTION I
THE PROJECT

- A. **Term.** The term of this Agreement shall begin upon execution by both parties and shall continue for a period of 18 months, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.
- B. **Terms and Conditions Incorporated.** All terms, definitions, and conditions of Resolution No. 3598, are incorporated herein.
- C. **The Project.** The Project location and description, for which Incentives are granted is described in the application submitted by Home Builder.

SECTION II
INCENTIVES

- A. New Home Builders in full compliance with the requirements of this Program may be eligible for Grant Payments and Waiver of Fees as follows (Select applicable):
 - 1. **Fee Waiver.**
 - a) The City may waive building permit fees.
 - b) The City may waive tap fees (Water and Sewer) in the City of Bryan service area as follows:
 - (i) **In a new subdivisions:** City may waive tap fees (Water and Sewer) for domestic use for ¾ inch meters (up to \$400) and 4-inch sewer taps (up to \$350). This waive of TAP fees will not apply to irrigation meters.
 - (ii) **In existing subdivisions and infill development:** Waiver of Tap fees is limited to the base fee, only and will not include long side taps.

The City will keep a running total of all fees waived for Homebuilder pursuant to this Agreement.

SECTION III
CONDITIONS FOR ELIGIBILITY

- A. **Single Family Improvements.** Fee Waivers may only be granted under this Agreement for new single family, detached residential dwelling of 2,200 – 3,000 square feet, heated and cooled area, of site built construction.
- B. **Payments Subject to Appropriation of Funds.** All payments or expenditures made by the City under this Agreement are subject to the City's appropriation of funds for such payments or expenditures to be paid in the budget year for which they are made. In the event the City does not appropriate funds in any fiscal year for payments due or expenditures under this Agreement, the City shall not be liable to Homebuilder for such payments or expenditures unless and until appropriation of said funds is made; provided, however, that Homebuilder in its sole discretion, shall have the right but not the obligation to terminate this Agreement.

**SECTION IV
COVENANTS AND WARRANTIES**

A. **Home Builder's Covenants, Warranties, Obligations and Duties.** Home Builder agrees to timely and fully comply with all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement Any false or substantially misleading statement contained in Homebuilder's application or failure to timely and fully perform as required in this Agreement shall be an Act of Default by Home Builder. Failure to comply with any one covenant or warranty shall constitute an Act of Default by Home Builder.

1. Home Builder is authorized to do business and is in good standing in the State of Texas and shall remain in good standing in the State of Texas during the Term of this Agreement.

2. The execution of this Agreement has been duly authorized by Home Builder's general partner, and the individual signing this Agreement is the manager of the general partner, empowered to execute such Agreement and bind the partnership.

3. No litigation or governmental proceeding is pending or, to the knowledge of Home Builder or Home Builder's officers, threatened against or affecting Home Builder that may result in any material adverse change in Home Builder's business, properties or operation.

4. There are no bankruptcy proceedings or other proceedings currently pending or contemplated, and Home Builder has not been informed of any potential involuntary bankruptcy proceedings.

5. To its current, actual knowledge, Home Builder has acquired and maintained all necessary rights, licenses, permits and authority to carry on its business in Bryan, Texas, and will continue to use its best efforts to maintain all necessary rights, licenses, permits and authority.

**SECTION V
Breach, Recapture and Termination.**

A. **Breach.** It shall be a breach of this Agreement by the Home Builder if:

1. A slab inspection is not performed and passed within 90 days of obtaining building permit.

2. In the event of a breach, Homebuilder shall be notified in writing that it is in breach. Homebuilder will have thirty (30) days in which to cure the breach. In the event the breach is uncured, this agreement may be terminated and the City is entitled to payment from Homebuilder equal to the running total of fees that have been waived pursuant to this Agreement.

B. **Termination.** City, under the following circumstances, and at its sole discretion, may suspend its obligations under this Agreement or terminate this Agreement and all future payment obligations shall automatically cease upon any one of the following events, which are an Act of Default:

1. The appointment of a receiver of Home Builder, or of all or any substantial part of its property, and the failure of such receiver to be discharged within sixty (60) days thereafter.

6. Sole Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the sole and only Agreement of the Parties hereto respecting the subject matter covered by this Agreement, and supersedes any prior understandings or written or oral agreements between the parties.

7. Amendments. No amendment, modification or alteration of the terms hereof shall be binding unless the same shall be in writing and dated subsequent to the date hereof and duly executed by the parties hereto.

8. Rights and Remedies Cumulative. The rights and remedies provided by this Agreement are cumulative and the use of any one right or remedy by either party shall not preclude or waive its right to use any and all other legal remedies. Said rights and remedies are provided in addition to any other rights the parties may have by law, statute, ordinance or otherwise.

9. No Waiver. City's failure to take action to enforce this Agreement in the event of Home Builder's default or breach of any covenant, condition, or stipulation herein on one occasion shall not be treated as a waiver and shall not prevent City from taking action to enforce this Agreement on subsequent occasions.


10. Incorporation of Recitals. The determinations recited and declared in the preambles to this Agreement are hereby incorporated herein as part of this Agreement.

11. Headings. The paragraph headings contained in this Agreement are for convenience only and do not enlarge or limit the scope or meaning of the paragraphs.

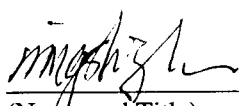
Executed and effective on this the 22nd day of December, 2015.

CITY OF BRYAN:

HOMEBUILDER:




Kean Register, City Manager



(Name and Title)

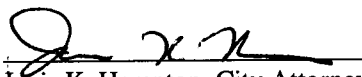
ATTEST:

Manager

for 

Mary Lynne Stratta, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Janis K. Hampton, City Attorney