

**[LIBERTY TOWNHOMES] DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT, made this [--] day of [Month], [Year], by and between the City of Ann Arbor, a Michigan municipal corporation, with principal address at 301 East Huron Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107, hereinafter called the CITY; and MCP Liberty Devco, LLC, a Michigan Limited Liability Company, with principal address at 2617 Beacon Hill Drive, Auburn Hills, Michigan 48326, hereinafter called the DEVELOPER, witnesses that:

WHEREAS, the DEVELOPER owns certain land in the City of Ann Arbor, described below and site planned as Liberty Townhomes, and

WHEREAS, the DEVELOPER has caused certain land in the City of Ann Arbor, described below to be surveyed, mapped and site planned as Liberty Townhomes, and desires Site Plan and development agreement approval thereof, and

WHEREAS, the DEVELOPER desires to build or use certain Improvements with and without the necessity of special assessments by the CITY, and

WHEREAS, the CITY desires to ensure that all of the Improvements required by pertinent CITY ordinances and regulations be properly made, and that the DEVELOPER will install these Improvements prior to any permits being issued.

**THE DEVELOPER(S) HEREBY AGREE(S):**

(P-1) To prepare and submit to the CITY for approval plans and specifications ("the Plans") prepared by a registered professional engineer for construction of public water main, public sanitary sewer mains, public storm water management system, private storm water management system, public sidewalk, and private sidewalk, ("the Improvements") provided that no work on said Improvements shall be commenced until the Plans have been approved by the City Administrator or designee, and until such other relevant information to CITY service areas as shall be reasonably required has been provided.

(P-2) To construct all Improvements set forth in Paragraph P-1 of this Agreement in accordance with the approved Plans and to repair all defects in the Improvements that occur within one year from the date of acceptance of the Improvements by the CITY, commencing on the latest date of the acceptance of any Improvements by the CITY. If the DEVELOPER fails to construct the Improvements, the CITY may send notice via first class mail to the DEVELOPER at the address listed above requiring it to commence and complete the Improvements in the notice within the time set forth in the notice. The CITY may cause the work to be completed at the expense of the DEVELOPER, if the DEVELOPER does not complete the work within the

time set forth in the notice. Every owner of a portion of the property, including co-owners of condominium units, shall pay a pro-rata share of the cost of the work. That portion of the cost of the work attributable to each condominium unit shall be a lien on that Property and may be collected as a single tax parcel assessment as provided in Chapter 13 of the Ann Arbor City Code.

(P-3) To furnish, within 30 days of completion, an engineer's certificate that the construction of the public Improvements set forth in Paragraph P-1 above have been completed in accordance with the specifications of the CITY in accordance with the approved plans. The engineer's certificate will cover only those items the DEVELOPER'S engineer inspects.

(P-4) Prior to the issuance of building permits, to deposit with a mutually acceptable escrow agent fully executed documents in a form acceptable to the CITY, which will convey, upon delivery to the CITY, easements for the construction and maintenance of public utilities. The escrow agreement shall provide for delivery of the documents to the CITY solely upon the condition that the CITY has accepted the public Improvement to be conveyed by the easement.

(P-5) To install all water mains, storm sewers, and sanitary sewers, pursuant to CITY approved plans and specifications, necessary to connect the site with existing CITY systems adjacent to the site prior to the issuance of any building permits.

(P-6) To be included in a future special assessment district, along with other benefiting property, for the construction of additional Improvements to West Liberty Street, such as street widening, storm sewers, curb and gutter, sidewalks, bike paths, street lights, and the planting of trees along West Liberty Street frontage when such Improvements are determined by the CITY to be necessary. To pay for the full costs associated with extending public sidewalk between the West Liberty Street drive approach and the west property line, such as grading possible retaining walls, tree removal and replanting, etc., when such a project is undertaken.

In lieu of installing sidewalk on the west side of the proposed drive approach, the petitioner will be required to grade, within the West Liberty Road right-of-way, a location for a future sidewalk to be constructed under a special assessment district. The graded area shall include from the back of the existing guardrail to at least sixteen feet to the north. This work shall be shown on the grading plan and the area must be stabilized as all other areas on the site.

Care shall be taken in the design and during construction to protect the landmark trees in this area, particularly the 24" pine. To protect this tree properly, at least ten feet of undisturbed area from the trunk of the tree shall be provided. Mitigation must be performed for any landmark tree that must be removed. If there is question of the survivability of other landmark trees in this area, it is strongly suggested that mitigation also be planned for those trees in advance.

(P-7) To indemnify, defend and hold the CITY harmless from any claims, losses, liabilities, damages or expenses (including reasonable attorney fees) suffered or incurred by the CITY based upon or resulting from any acts or omissions of the DEVELOPER, its employees, agents, subcontractors, invitees, or licensees in the design, construction, maintenance or repair of any of the Improvements required under this Agreement and the approved site plan.

(P-8) To cause to be maintained General Liability Insurance and Property Damage Insurance in the minimum amount of \$1,000,000 per occurrence and naming the CITY as additional insured to protect and indemnify the CITY against any claims for damage due to public use of the public improvement(s) in the development prior to final written acceptance of the public improvement(s) by the CITY. Evidence of such insurance shall be produced prior to any construction of improvement and a copy filed with the City Clerk's Office and shall remain in full force and effect during construction of the public improvement(s) and until notice of acceptance by the CITY of the Improvements.

(P-9) Existing landmark trees shown on the site plan as trees to be saved shall be maintained by the DEVELOPER in good condition for a minimum of three years after acceptance of the public Improvements by the CITY or granting of Certificate of Occupancy. Existing landmark tree that are determined by the CITY to be dead, dying or severely damaged due to construction activity within three years after acceptance of the public Improvements or granting of Certificate of Occupancy, shall be replaced by the DEVELOPER as provided by Chapter 55 of the Ann Arbor City Code.

(P-10) For the benefit of the residents of the DEVELOPER'S development, to make a park contribution of \$32,500.00 to the CITY Parks and Recreation Services Unit prior to the issuance of certificates of occupancy for Improvements to surrounding area parks such as South Maple Park and Dolph Nature Area, or regional community-wide parks such as Veterans Memorial Park, Gallup Park, and Buhr Park.

(P-11) To deposit, prior to any building permits being issued, a street tree planting escrow account with the Parks and Recreation Services Unit in the form of a check payable to the City of Ann Arbor. The escrow amount shall be based on the CITY policy in effect at that time and is to include all on-site public streets. The City Administrator may authorize the DEVELOPER to install the street trees if planted in accordance with CITY standards and specifications. If the street trees are found to be acceptable by the CITY, the escrow amount will be returned to the DEVELOPER one year after the date of acceptance by the CITY.

(P-12) To construct, repair and/or adequately maintain on-site storm water management system. If the DEVELOPER fails to construct, repair and/or maintain the private storm water management system, the CITY may send notice via first class mail to the DEVELOPER at the address listed above, requiring it to commence and complete the items stated in the notice within the time set forth in the notice. The CITY may cause the work to be completed at the expense of the DEVELOPER if the DEVELOPER does not complete the work within the time set forth in the notice.

(P-13) After construction of the private on-site storm water management system, to commission an annual inspection of the system by a registered professional engineer evaluating its operation and stating required maintenance or repairs, and to provide a written copy of this evaluation to the CITY Public Services Area.

(P-14) Prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy, as a traffic mitigation measure beneficial to the DEVELOPER'S property, to reconstruct the drive approach to South Maple Park, including reducing the curb cut width, reducing the turning radii, installing curbing, and resurfacing the approach and sidewalk as needed.

(P-15) To include on the Plans referenced in paragraphs P-1 and P-2, and elsewhere, public sidewalk connecting the public sidewalk on the site with the existing public sidewalk on

West Liberty Street east of the drive approach, and to install this public sidewalk prior to request for or issuance of any Certificate of Occupancy.

(P-16) To design, construct, repair and maintain this development in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 119 (Noise Control) to ensure that any noise emanating from said development will not impact nearby residents or businesses. In addition, DEVELOPER shall review existing noise sources surrounding said development and incorporate necessary design and construction techniques to ensure that future tenants will not be exposed to noise sources in violation of Chapter 119.

(P-17) To remove all discarded building materials and rubbish from the development at least once each month during construction of the development Improvements, and within one month after completion or abandonment of construction.

(P-18) DEVELOPER is the sole title holder in fee simple of the land described below except for any mortgage, easements and deed restrictions of record and that the person(s) signing below on behalf of DEVELOPER has (have) legal authority and capacity to enter into this Agreement for DEVELOPER.

(P-19) Failure to construct, repair and/or maintain the site pursuant to the approved site plan and/or failure to comply with any of this approved Agreement's terms and conditions shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement and the CITY shall have all remedies in law and/or in equity necessary to ensure that the DEVELOPER complies with the approved site plan and/or the terms and conditions of the approved Agreement. The DEVELOPER shall be responsible for all costs and expenses including reasonable attorney fees incurred by the CITY in enforcing the terms and conditions of the approved site plan and/or Agreement.

(P-20) In addition to any other remedy set forth in this Agreement or in law or equity, if DEVELOPER fails to make a timely or full payments to the CITY as set forth elsewhere in the Agreement to the CITY in the agreed upon manner, any unpaid amount(s) shall become a lien, as provided under Ann Arbor City Code and recorded with the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, against the land described below and may be placed on the CITY tax roll as a single lot assessment, or if the development is converted to condominium ownership, every owner of a portion of the property shall pay a pro-rata share of the amount of the payments attributable to each condominium unit. If the unpaid amount(s), in whole or in part, has been recorded as a lien on the CITY'S tax roll and with the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, upon payment of the amount in full along with any penalties and interest, the CITY, upon request, will execute an instrument in recordable form acknowledging full satisfaction of this condition.

(P-21) To pay for the cost of recording this Agreement with the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, and to pay for the cost of recording all documents granting easements to the CITY.

**THE CITY HEREBY AGREES:**

(C-1) In consideration of the above undertakings, to approve the Liberty Townhomes Site Plan.



(C-2) To use the park contribution described above for Improvements to surrounding area parks such as South Maple Park and Dolph Nature Area, or regional community-wide parks such as Veterans Memorial Park, Gallup Park, and Buhr Park.

(C-3) To provide timely and reasonable CITY inspections as may be required during construction.

(C-4) To record this Agreement with the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds.

## GENERAL TERMS

Both the DEVELOPER and the CITY agree as follows:

(T-1) This Agreement is not intended to create a contractual right for third parties.

(T-2) This Agreement and any of its terms, conditions, or provisions cannot be modified, amended, or waived unless in writing and unless executed by both parties to this Agreement. Any representations or statements, whether oral or in writing, not contained in this Agreement shall not be binding on either party.

(T-3) This Agreement and any of its terms or conditions shall not be assigned or transferred to any other individual or entity unless prior approval of the CITY is received. Such approval shall not be withheld unreasonably.

(T-4) The obligations and conditions on the DEVELOPER, as set forth above in this Agreement and in the approved site plan, shall be binding on any successors and assigns in ownership of the following described parcel:

City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan

*[ALTA Legal description(s) to be inserted here:]*

*[Parcel ID Number(s) to be inserted here:]*

(T-5) In addition to any other remedy in law or in equity failure to comply with all of the above paragraphs on the part of the DEVELOPER, or any part of the approved site plan, in part or in whole, shall give the CITY adequate basis and cause to issue a stop work order for any previously-issued building permits and shall be an adequate basis and cause for the CITY to deny the issuance of any building permits, certificates of occupancy, or any other permits unless and until the CITY has notified the DEVELOPER in writing that the DEVELOPER has satisfactorily corrected the item(s) the DEVELOPER has failed to perform.

(T-6) This agreement shall be interpreted, enforced and governed under the laws of the State of Michigan and Ann Arbor City Code.

CITY OF ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN  
301 East Huron Street

Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Christopher Taylor, Mayor

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jacqueline Beaudry, City Clerk

Approved as to Substance:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Tom E. Crawford, Interim City Administrator

Approved as to Form:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Stephen K. Postema, City Attorney

MCP Liberty Deveco, LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony F. Randazzo, Managing Member

STATE OF MICHIGAN )  
                                  ) ss:  
County of Washtenaw )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ by Christopher Taylor, Mayor, and Jacqueline Beaudry, Clerk of the City of Ann Arbor, a Michigan municipal corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

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NOTARY PUBLIC  
County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Acting in the County of Washtenaw

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss:  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ by Anthony F. Randazzo, Managing Member of MCP Liberty Devco, LLC, a Michigan Limited Liability Company, on behalf of the \_\_\_\_\_.

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NOTARY PUBLIC  
County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_  
My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Acting in the County of \_\_\_\_\_

DRAFTED BY AND AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:  
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