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Tax-Exempt Lease/Purchase Agreement

APPLICATION NO.
2659677

ACCEPTED BY LESSOR:		
FULL LEGAL NAME U.S. Bank Equipment Finance, a division of U.S. Bank National Association ("U.S. Bank Equipment Finance")		
STREET ADDRESS 1310 Madrid Street, Suite 101		
CITY Marshall	STATE MN	ZIP 56258
SIGNATURE		DATE
PRINT NAME		
TITLE	TELEPHONE NUMBER 800-328-5371	

AGREED TO BY LESSEE:		
FULL LEGAL NAME County of San Benito		
STREET ADDRESS 400 Monterey St		
CITY Hollister	STATE CA	ZIP 95023
SIGNATURE X		DATE
PRINT NAME		
TITLE	TELEPHONE NUMBER 831-636-4070	

AGREEMENT: Lessor hereby leases to Lessee and Lessee hereby leases from Lessor all the Property described in Property Schedule incorporated herein by reference, upon the terms and conditions set forth herein and as supplemented by the terms and conditions set forth in the Property Schedule. This Tax-Exempt Lease/Purchase Agreement together with the Property Schedule shall be defined as the "Agreement."

LEASE TERM: The Lease Term of the Property listed in the Property Schedule shall commence upon the commencement date of the Property Schedule and continue for the time period set forth in the Property Schedule. This Agreement cannot be canceled or terminated by Lessee except as expressly provided herein. This Agreement is a triple net lease.

LEASE PAYMENTS: Lessee shall pay rent to Lessor for the Property in the amounts, and on the dates specified, in the Property Schedule. Lessor and Lessee intend that the obligation of Lessee to pay Lease Payments hereunder shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of Lessee in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitations or requirements concerning the creation of indebtedness by Lessee, nor shall anything contained herein constitute a pledge of the general tax revenues, funds or monies of Lessee.

NO OFFSET: SUBJECT TO THE RIGHT TO NON-APPROPRIATE, SET FORTH BELOW, THE OBLIGATIONS OF LESSEE TO PAY THE LEASE PAYMENTS DUE UNDER THE PROPERTY SCHEDULE AND TO PERFORM AND OBSERVE THE OTHER COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS CONTAINED IN THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE ABSOLUTE AND UNCONDITIONAL IN ALL EVENTS WITHOUT ABATEMENT, DIMINUTION, DEDUCTION, SET-OFF OR DEFENSE, FOR ANY REASON, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY DEFECTS, MALFUNCTIONS, BREAKDOWNS OR INFIRMITIES IN THE PROPERTY OR ANY ACCIDENT, CONDEMNATION OR UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES. THIS PROVISION SHALL NOT LIMIT LESSEE'S RIGHTS OR ACTIONS AGAINST ANY VENDOR. Lessee shall pay when due all taxes, fees and governmental charges assessed or levied against or with respect to the Property.

LATE CHARGES: Lessee shall pay a late charge of five cents per dollar or the highest amount permitted by applicable law, whichever is lower, on all delinquent Lease Payments and interest on said delinquent amounts from the date such amounts were due until paid at the rate of 12% per annum or the maximum amount permitted by law, whichever is less.

MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY: At all times during the Lease Term, Lessee shall, at Lessee's own cost and expense, maintain, preserve, and keep the Property in good working order, and condition, and from time to time make or cause to be made all necessary and proper repairs, replacements, and renewals to the Property, which shall become part of the Property. The Property is and will remain personal property.

INSURANCE OF PROPERTY: All risk of loss to the Property shall be borne by the Lessee. At all times during the Lease Term, Lessee shall, at Lessee's own cost and expense, cause casualty, public liability, and property damage insurance to be carried and maintained (or shall provide Lessor with a certificate stating that adequate self-insurance has been provided) with respect to the Property, sufficient to protect the full replacement value of the Property and to protect from liability in all events for which insurance is customarily available. Lessee shall furnish to Lessor certificates evidencing such coverage throughout the Lease Term. Any insurance policy to be carried and maintained pursuant to this Agreement shall be so written or endorsed as to make losses, if any, payable to Lessee and Lessor as their respective interests may appear. All such liability insurance shall name Lessor as an additional insured. Each insurance policy carried and maintained pursuant to this Agreement shall contain a provision to the effect that the insurance company shall not cancel the policy or modify it materially or adversely to the interest of the Lessor without first giving written notice thereof to Lessor at least 30 days in advance of such change of status.

QUIET ENJOYMENT AND TERMINATION OF LESSOR'S INTEREST: To secure Lessee's obligations hereunder, Lessor is granted a security interest in the Property, including substitutions, repairs, replacements and renewals, and the proceeds thereof, which is a first lien thereon. Lessee hereby authorizes Lessor to file all financing statements which Lessor deems necessary or appropriate to establish, maintain and perfect such security interest. Provided there does not exist an Event of Default as defined herein, the Lessee shall have the right of quiet enjoyment of the Property throughout the Lease Term. If Lessee shall have performed all of its obligations and no default shall have occurred and be continuing under this Agreement, and this Agreement shall not have been earlier terminated with respect to the Property, then, at the end of the Lease Term with respect to any item of Property, Lessor's interest in such Property shall terminate. Unless otherwise required by law, title to the Property shall be in the name of Lessee, subject to Lessor's interest hereunder.

TAX EXEMPTION: The parties contemplate that interest payable under this Agreement will be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). The tax-exempt status of this Agreement provides the inducement for the Lessor to offer financing at the interest rate set forth herein. Therefore, should this Agreement be deemed by any taxing authority not to be exempt from taxation, Lessee agrees that the interest rate shall be adjusted, as of the date of loss of tax exemption, to an interest rate calculated to provide Lessor or its assignee an after tax yield equivalent to the tax exempt rate and Lessor shall notify Lessee of the taxable rate. Provided, however, that the provision of the preceding sentence shall apply only upon a final determination that the interest payments are not excludable from gross income under Section 103(a) of the Code, and shall not apply if the determination is based upon the individual tax circumstances of the Lessor, or a finding that the party seeking to exclude such payments from gross income is not the owner and holder of the obligation under the Code.

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF LESSEE: Lessee hereby represents and warrants to Lessor that: (a) Lessee is a State, possession of the United States, the District of Columbia, or political subdivision thereof as defined in Section 103 of the Code and Treasury Regulations and Rulings related thereto, and if Lessee is incorporated, it is duly organized and existing under the Constitution and laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and will do or cause to be done all things necessary to preserve and keep such organization and existence in full force and effect; (b) Lessee has been duly authorized by the Constitution and laws of the applicable jurisdiction and by a resolution of its governing body (which resolution, if requested by Lessor, is attached hereto), to execute and deliver this Agreement and to carry out its obligations hereunder; (c) all legal requirements have been met, and procedures have been followed, including public bidding, in order to ensure the enforceability of this Agreement; (d) the Property will be used by Lessee only for essential governmental or proprietary functions of Lessee consistent with the scope of Lessee's authority and will not be used in a trade or business of any person or entity, by the federal government or for any personal, family or household use. Lessee's need for the Property is not expected to diminish during the term of the Agreement; (e) Lessee has funds available to pay Lease Payments until the end of its current appropriation period, and it intends to request funds to make Lease Payments in each appropriation period, from now until the end of the term of this Agreement; (f) Lessee shall comply at all times with all applicable requirements of the Code, including but not limited to the registration and reporting requirements of Section 149, to maintain the federal tax-exempt status of the Agreement, and

Lessee shall maintain a system with respect to this Agreement, which tracks the name, and ownership interest of each assignee who has both the responsibility for administration of, and ownership interest in this Agreement; (g) Lessee's exact legal name is as set forth on the first page of this Agreement. Lessee will not change its legal name in any respect without giving thirty (30) days prior written notice to Lessor.

RISK OF LOSS COVENANTS: Lessee shall not be required to indemnify or hold Lessor harmless against liabilities arising from the Agreement. However, as between Lessor and Lessee, and to the extent permitted by law, Lessee shall bear the risk of loss for, shall pay directly, and shall defend against any and all claims, liabilities, proceedings, actions, expenses, damages or losses arising under or related to the Property, including, but not limited to, the possession, ownership, lease, use or operation thereof, except that Lessee shall not bear the risk of loss of, nor pay for, any claims, liabilities, proceedings, actions, expenses, damages or losses that arise directly from events occurring after Lessee has surrendered possession of the Property in accordance with the terms of the Agreement to Lessor or that arise directly from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Lessor.

NON-APPROPRIATION: If sufficient funds are not appropriated to make Lease Payments under this Agreement, this Agreement shall terminate and Lessee shall not be obligated to make Lease Payments under this Agreement beyond the then current fiscal year for which funds have been appropriated. Upon such an event, Lessee shall, no later than the end of the fiscal year for which Lease Payments have been appropriated, deliver possession of the Property to Lessor. If Lessee fails to deliver possession of the Property to Lessor, the termination shall nevertheless be effective but Lessee shall be responsible for the payment of damages in an amount equal to the portion of Lease Payments thereafter coming due that is attributable to the number of days after the termination during which the Lessee fails to deliver possession and for any other loss suffered by Lessor as a result of Lessee's failure to deliver possession as required. Lessee shall notify Lessor in writing within seven (7) days after the failure of the Lessee to appropriate funds sufficient for the payment of the Lease Payments, but failure to provide such notice shall not operate to extend the Lease Term or result in any liability to Lessee.

ASSIGNMENT BY LESSEE: Without Lessor's prior written consent, Lessee may not, by operation of law or otherwise, assign, transfer, pledge, hypothecate or otherwise dispose of the Property, this Agreement or any interest therein.

ASSIGNMENT BY LESSOR: Lessor may assign, sell or encumber all or any part of this Agreement, the Lease Payments and any other rights or interests of Lessor hereunder without the necessity of providing notice to or obtaining the consent of Lessee; provided that Lessee shall have no obligation to make payments to any assignee unless and until Lessee has received notice of the name, address and tax identification number of the assignee. The initial Lessor or its assignee(s) shall maintain a register of all assignees of this Agreement. To the extent permitted by applicable law, such assignees may include trust agents for the benefit of holders of certificates of participation. Lessee agrees that if Lessor sells, assigns or transfers this Agreement, Lessor's assignee will have the same rights and benefits that Lessor has now and will not have to perform any of Lessor's obligations. Lessee agrees that Lessor's assignee will not be subject to any claims, defenses, or offsets that Lessee may have against Lessor.

EVENTS OF DEFAULT: Lessee shall be in default under this Agreement upon the occurrence of any of the following events or conditions ("Events of Default"), unless such Event of Default shall have been specifically waived by Lessor in writing: (a) default by Lessee in payment of any Lease Payment or any other indebtedness or obligation now or hereafter owed by Lessee to Lessor under this Agreement or in the performance of any obligation, covenant or liability contained in this Agreement and the continuance of such default for ten (10) consecutive days after written notice thereof by Lessor to Lessee, or (b) any warranty, representation or statement made or furnished to Lessor by or on behalf of Lessee proves to have been false in any material respect when made or furnished, or (c) actual or attempted sale, lease or encumbrance of any of the Property, or the making of any levy, seizure or attachment thereof or thereon, or (d) dissolution, termination of existence, discontinuance of the Lessee, insolvency, business failure, failure to pay debts as they mature, or appointment of a receiver of any part of the property of, or assignment for the benefit of creditors by the Lessee, or the commencement of any proceedings under any bankruptcy, reorganization or arrangement laws by or against the Lessee.

REMEDIES OF LESSOR: Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default and at any time thereafter, Lessor may, without any further notice, exercise one or more of the following remedies as Lessor in its sole discretion shall elect: (a) terminate the Agreement and all of Lessee's rights hereunder as to any or all items of Property; (b) proceed by appropriate court action to personally, or by its agents, take possession from Lessee of any or all items of Property wherever found and for this purpose enter upon Lessee's premises where any item of Property is located and remove such item of Property free from all claims of any nature whatsoever by Lessee and Lessor may thereafter dispose of the Property; provided, however, that any proceeds from the disposition of the Property in excess of the sum required to (i) pay to Lessor an amount equal to the total unpaid principal component of Lease Payments under the Property Schedule, including principal component not otherwise due until future fiscal years, (ii) pay any other amounts then due under the Property Schedule and this Agreement, and (iii) pay Lessor's costs and expenses associated with the disposition of the Property and the Event of Default (including attorney's fees), shall be paid to Lessee or such other creditor of Lessee as may be entitled thereto, and further provided that no deficiency shall be allowed against Lessee; (c) proceed by appropriate court action or actions to enforce performance by Lessee of its obligations hereunder or to recover damages for the breach hereof or pursue any other remedy available to Lessor at law or in equity or otherwise; (d) declare all unpaid Lease Payments and other sums payable hereunder during the current fiscal year of the Lease Term to be immediately due and payable without any presentment, demand or protest and / or take any and all actions to which Lessor shall be entitled under applicable law. No right or remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to Lessor is exclusive of any right or remedy herein or at law or in equity or otherwise provided or permitted, but each shall be cumulative of every other right or remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute or otherwise, and may be enforced concurrently therewith or from time to time. Lessee and Lessor hereby irrevocably waive all right to trial by jury in any action, proceeding or counterclaim (whether based on contract, tort or otherwise) arising out of or relating to this Agreement.

COSTS AND ATTORNEY FEES: Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default by Lessee in the performance of any term of this Agreement, Lessee agrees to pay to Lessor or reimburse Lessor for, in addition to all other amounts due hereunder, all of Lessor's costs of collection, including reasonable attorney fees, whether or not suit or action is filed thereon. Any such costs shall be immediately due and payable upon written notice and demand given to Lessee, shall be secured by this Agreement until paid and shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum or the maximum amount permitted by law, whichever is less. In the event suit or action is instituted to enforce any of the terms of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the other party such sum as the court may adjudge reasonable as attorneys' fees at trial or on appeal of such suit or action or in any bankruptcy proceeding, in addition to all other sums provided by law.

NOTICES: All notices, and other communications provided for herein shall be deemed given when delivered or mailed by certified mail, postage prepaid, addressed to Lessor or Lessee at their respective addresses set forth herein or such other addresses as either of the parties hereto may designate in writing to the other from time to time for such purpose.

AMENDMENTS AND WAIVERS: This Agreement and the Property Schedule executed by Lessor and Lessee constitute the entire agreement between Lessor and Lessee with respect to the Property and this Agreement may not be amended except in writing signed by both parties.

CONSTRUCTION: This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Lessee's State. Titles of sections of this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not define or limit the terms or provisions hereof. Time is of the essence under this Agreement. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon Lessor and Lessee and their respective successors and assigns. This Agreement may be simultaneously executed in counterparts, each shall be an original with all being the same instrument.



EQUIPMENT FINANCE

Property Schedule to Tax-Exempt Lease/Purchase Agreement

APPLICATION NO. 2659677

This Property Schedule is entered into pursuant to the Tax-Exempt Lease/Purchase Agreement between Lessor and Lessee.

- 1. Interpretation: The terms and conditions of the Tax-Exempt Lease/Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") are incorporated herein.
2. Commencement Date: The Commencement Date of this Property Schedule is the date that Lessor pays Vendor for the Property.
3. Property Description: The Property subject to this Property Schedule is described in Exhibit A, attached hereto.
4. Term and Payments: Lease Term and Lease Payments are per the attached Exhibit B Amortization and Lease Payment Schedule.
5. Certificate of Acceptance: Attached as Exhibit C, hereto.
6. Expiration: Lessor, at its sole determination, may choose not to accept this Property Schedule if the fully executed, original Agreement (including this Property Schedule and all ancillary documents) are not received by Lessor at its place of business by 8-20-2020.
7. Property Cost: The total principal amount under this Property Schedule for the acquisition cost of the Property is \$16,826.86.
8. Lessee's General and Incumbency Certificate: Lessee has provided the Lessee's General and Incumbency Certificate in the form attached as Exhibit D, hereto.
9. Lessee's Counsel's Opinion: If required by Lessor, Lessee has provided the opinion of its legal counsel substantially in the form as attached as Exhibit E, hereto.
10. Private Activity Issue: Lessee understands that among other things, in order to maintain the exclusion of the interest component of Lease Payments from gross income for federal income tax purposes, it must limit and restrict the rights private businesses (including, for this purpose, the federal government and its agencies and organizations described in the Code § 501(c)(3)) have to use the Property.

Lessee will comply with the requirements of Section 141 of the Code and the regulations thereunder which provide restrictions on special legal rights that users other than Lessee or a state or local government or an agency or instrumentality of a state or a local government (an "Eligible User") may have to use the Property.

Throughout the Measurement Period, all of the Property is expected to be owned by Lessee. Throughout the Measurement Period, Lessee will not permit the Non-Qualified Use of the Property to exceed 10%.

- 11. Bank Qualification: Lessee designates this Agreement and Property Schedule as a "qualified tax-exempt obligation" as defined in Section 265(b)(3)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Lessee reasonably anticipates issuing tax-exempt obligations (excluding private activity bonds other than qualified 501(c)(3) bonds and including all tax-exempt obligations of subordinate entities of the Lessee) during the calendar year this Agreement and Property Schedule was funded, in an amount not exceeding \$10,000,000.

Lessee initial here, if Bank Qualification is applicable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor and Lessee have caused this Property Schedule to be executed in their names by their duly authorized representatives.

U.S. Bank Equipment Finance

Lessor

Signature Date

Print Name Title

County of San Benito

Lessee

X Signature Date

Print Name Title

X Attest By Signature

Print Name Title

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM SAN BENITO COUNTY COUNSEL Shilley L. Murphy 7/30/20 DEPUTY COUNTY COUNSEL DATE