DEVELOPMENT SERVICES CENTER Growth Management Department City of Rapid City 300 Sixth Street, Rapid City, SD 57701-2724 Phone: (605) 394-4120 Fax: (605) 394-6636 Web: www.rcgov.com	ENT	
LEGAL DESCRIPTION		
Legal Description (Attached additional sheets as necessary) Legal descriptions are included in Figure 1 for all parcels		
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Size of Site-Acres		
APPLICANT		
Name North St Fire Station, LLC Phone 605-342-28		
Address <u>616 FifthSt</u> Fax <u>605-342-0</u>	132	
City, State, Zip Rapid C.L., SD 67701 PROJECT PLANNER - AGENT		
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processed. Attachments may be provided in order to fully provide the following information.		
APPLICATION INFORMATION (attach additional sheets as necessary)	Submitted	
1. A detailed project description.	<u>X</u>	
<ol> <li>Purpose of the Tax Increment Financing.</li> <li>List of project costs to be funded by the Tax Increment Financing including identification of typical</li> </ol>	N X	
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#### **APPLICATION FOR TAX INCREMENT** FINANCING

	life of the developer's agreement. If the applicant is a publicly traded company, the applicant shall be deemed to have complied with this provision if it has provided the City a copy of its most recent annual report with the application.	
6.	A pro forma indicating projected costs and revenues.	X
7.	A statement and demonstration that the project would not proceed without the use of Tax Increment	X
	Financing.	5-7
8.	A statement identifying the specific Statutory, Other Local and Discretionary evaluation criteria that the	<b>X</b>
	applicant believes the request meets. (Please refer to the Tax Increment Financing Guide for specific evalutation criteria).	-
9.	Conceptual plans, sketches, maps or site plans for the project.	X
10.	A development time schedule including specific phasing of improvements and project costs.	
	A list of the specific public improvements and a list of the specific private improvements proposed to be constructed along with the project.	X
12.	Corporation, LLC, partnership papers or other business documents identifying the parties with ownership interest in the corporation and property involved in the project, including land ownership, contract for deed or other contractual information relating to control of the property and the applicant's ability to complete the project.	K
13.	A financial statement of the corporation, partnership, or individual for the most recent five years or life of the company.	
14.	A copy of the proposed wage scale, employee benefits package, and full and part time employment levels or, in the case of an affordable housing project, a copy of the applicable federal housing grant program.	
15.	The applicant shall notify by certified, return receipt mail every owner of property contained within the proposed boundaries of a tax increment district and shall notify by first class mail every owner of property that is adjacent to the proposed boundaries of the tax increment district. The notification shall contain the proposed boundaries as well as a description of the proposed improvements. The Growth Management Department shall provide the applicant with a list of property owners to be notified. The return receipts shall be directed to the Growth Management Department. The applicant shall pay a fee of \$20.00 per list for the cost of compiling the two property owners lists.	X
16.	A \$1,000 non-refundable application fee.	X
17.	Other information that may be required by the Tax Increment Finance Project Review Committee.	<u> </u>
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#### CHECKLIST

#### TAX INCREMENT FINANCING IN RAPID CITY A Guide for Applicants

## <u>Purpose of TIF</u>. The City of Rapid City recognizes the following purposes for the use of Tax Increment Financing:

- 1. To encourage the redevelopment of deteriorated, or otherwise blighted real property in Rapid City through the investment of public funds;
- 2. To stimulate economic development in the community by assisting projects that promote the long term economic vitality of the community;
- 3. To stimulate increased private investment in areas that would have otherwise remained undeveloped or under-developed and which will, in the long term, provide a significant source of additional tax revenues to all taxing entities;
- To stimulate the construction of safe and affordable housing units for low and moderate income residents and workers in the community; and.
- 5. To facilitate the reconstruction, maintenance and completion of the City's existing infrastructure network to support the existing growth and guide of the future growth of the community.

### <u>Uses of TIF.</u> Tax Increment Financing may be used for the following purposes in Rapid City:

- 1. Oversizing costs for sewer, water and streets required by the City of Rapid City;
- 2. Extension of off-site sewer, water, street and public improvements to the development site;
- 3. Oversizing costs for storm drainage detention and transmission facilities to accommodate storm water runoff beyond that generated by the development;
- 4. Reconstruction of existing streets, water, sewer, sidewalks or other public infrastructure;
- 5. Regional lift stations, pump stations or other public facilities to be owned by the City of Rapid City;
- 6. Public playgrounds, parks and recreational improvements to be owned by the City of Rapid City;
- 7. Demolition costs for the removal of existing structures or infrastructure;
- 8. Interest and financing fees;
- 9. Imputed administrative fees due to the City;
- 10. Removal and replacement of contaminated soils;
- 11. Professional service fees limited to engineering, design, survey and construciton management associated with the allowable project costs; and,
- 12. Costs, at the discretion of the governing body, which are found to be necessary or convenient to the creation of the Tax Incremental District or the implementation of the Project Plan.



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<u>Criteria for Evaluation</u>. Projects applying for assistance through TIF must qualify by meeting certain criteria. Some criteria are mandatory and must be met in order for the Committee to consider the project for assistance. Others are discretionary, and enable the Committee to determine the benefits of the project. The project application must demonstrate how the project meets the required criteria.

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1. The project must be located within a proposed district in which a minimum of twenty-five percent (25%) of the area of the District is determined to be "blighted" and the improvements are likely to enhance the value of substantially all of the other real property in the district. For the purposes of TIF, a "blighted area" is defined as:

A. An area in which the structures, buildings,or improvements are conductive to ill health, the transmission of disease, infant mortality, juvenile delinquency, or crime, and which is detrimental to the public health, safety, morals, or welfare; or,

B. An area that substantially impairs or arrests the sound growth of the municipality, retards the provision of adequate housing accommodations, or constitutes an economic or social liability and is a menace to the public health, safety, or morals, or welfare as a result of substandard, unsafe or deteriorating development; or,

C. An open area which because of the need for infill development and cost effective use of existing utilities and services, obsolete platting, diversity of ownership, deterioration of structures or site improvements, or otherwise is determined to be blighted, substantially impairs or arrests the sound growth of the community.

- 2. The project must comply with the adopted Comprehensive Plan and all other appropriate plans and regulations.
- 3. The use of TIF for the project will not result in the net loss of preexisting tax revenues to the City and other taxing jurisdictions.

#### In addition, a project must meet two of the following six criteria:

- 1. The project must demonstrate that it is not economically feasible without the use of TIF. In addition, if the project has site alternatives, the proposal must demonstrate that it would not occur in Rapid City without TIF.
- The project will eliminate actual or potential hazard to the public. Hazards may include condemned or unsafe buildings, sites, or structures.
- The project will not provide direct or indirect assistance to retail or service businesses competing with existing businesses in the Rapid City trade area.
- 4. The project will bring new or expanded employment opportunities as demonstrated by proposed wage scales, employee benefits and mixture of full and part-time employees.
- 5. The project will result in additional redevelopment in the following Tax Increment Financing Target Areas:

A. Downtown District (see Appendix A for description)

6. The project will result in the construction of affordable housing units defined as housing where the occupant is paying no more than thirty percent (30%) of gross income for housing costs including utilities

and complies with the following requirements:

A. Affordable housing projects must target residents at or below eighty percent (80%) of median income with rents at thirty percent (30%) of the tenants income or the Fair Market Rent (FMR) for the Section 8 Program whichever is greater. A minimum of 51% of the dwelling units of the proposed development shall be occupied by households meeting this income guideline:

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B. Affordable housing is required to remain affordable as defined above for ten (10) years. If affordability is less than ten (10) years, repayment of prorata share of increment benefit will be due and payable to the City.

<u>Discretionary Criteria</u>. In addition, the project should meet several of the following criteria. The project will be evaluated relative to the criteria outlined below. The extent to which a project meets these criteria will be used in evaluation of the project including the length of time a district may run.

- 1. The project will generate at least one full-time job for each \$10,000 in principal value of the TIF; or would create a minimum of 50 new jobs.
- 2. All TIF proceeds are used for the construction of public improvements.
- 3. The project involves the rehabilitation of a building listed on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.
- 4. The project will directly benefit low and moderate income people, as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development as applied to the Community Development Block Grant Program. A project will meet this criterion if at least 51% of the jobs created will be held by or available to low and moderate income people.
- 5. The building or site that is to be redeveloped itself displays conditions of blight as established by the provisions of SDCL 11-9.
- 6. The project involves the start-up of an entirely new business or business operation within the City of Rapid City.
- 7. The project involves the expansion of an existing business located within Rapid City.
- 8. The project site has displayed a recent pattern of declining real property assessments, as measured by the Pennington County Director of Equalization.
- 9. The project costs are limited to those specific costs associated with a site that exceed the typical or average construction costs (i.e. excessive fill, relocation costs, additional foundation requirements associated with unusual soil conditions, extension of sewer or water mains, on-site or off-site vehicular circulation improvements, etc.)
- 10. The developer agrees to waive the five-year tax abatement.

#### APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR AMENDMENT TO TIF #69

1. <u>Project Description</u>. TIF #69 was developed to assist the City of Rapid City in the construction of Tish Boulevard so that the new fire station at the end of Tish Boulevard could be built. North Street Fire Station, LLC was formed, a project plan was prepared in July of 2008 and the City Council approved the same on July 21, 2008, which resulted in a developer's agreement being signed on December 29, 2008.

2. <u>Purpose of the TIF</u>. Nothing has changed since the initial proposed TIF was approved and this amendment is to reallocate line items based upon actual bid costs. See table below showing all of the costs with the original items, the changes and the final proposed costs.

3. <u>List of Project Costs</u>. The project costs are broken down as follows:

Developer Costs	1. Gravity Sewer
	2. 12' x 5' Box Culvert
	3. 40% of Tish Boulevard extension
Exceptional Costs	1. 60% of Tish Boulevard extension
	2. Sanitary Sewer Lift Station and Force Main for the fire
	station
	3. Entirety of the Downstream Drainage Study costs
Oversizing Costs	1. Widening East Mall Drive by two lanes
	2. Traffic Signals at East Mall Drive and Dyess Avenue
Mixed Costs	1. Grass Lined Channel and Channel Protection

(Professional services should be allocated to the costs shown above in the same proportions.)

There are no changes in the necessary and convenient costs or contingency costs other than a reallocation of those costs as is shown as follows:

PHASE I NORTH STREET FIRE STATION TID				
Capitol Costs		Original	Changed	Proposed
1 Tish Boulevard	Street	563,800	63,942.59	627,742.59
Extension	Lighting	60,200	16,373.34	76,573.34
	Water	175,000	-17,596.53	157,403.47
	Sanitary Sewer	63,000	-3,752.72	59,247.28
	Storm Sewer	116,200	-19,170.11	97,029.89
Widen East Mall Dr	ive by two lanes	400,000	242,851.92	642,851.92
Traffic Signals at E	ast Mall Dr &			
Dyess Ave		42,327.50	800.00	43,127.50
Sanitary Sewer Lift Station & Force Main		53,100	-14,656.77	38,443.23
Gravity Sewer		94,500	24,300.00	118,800.00

12' X 5' Box Culvert	192,100	10,839.19	202,939.19
Grass Lined Channel and Channel Protection	237,500	23,800.00	261,300.00
Professional Services			
Engineering			
Construction of East North Street			
Street	84,570.00	0.00	84,570.00
Lighting	9,030.00	0.00	9,030.00
Water	26,250.00	0.00	26,250.00
Saitary Sewer	9,450.00	0.00	9,450.00
Storm Sewer	17,430.00	0.00	17,430.00
Sanitary Sewer Lift Station and Force Main	7,965.00	0.00	7,965.00
Gravity Sewer	14,175.00	0.00	14,175.00
12'x5' Box Culvert	28,815.00	0.00	28,815.00
Grass Lined Channel and Channel Protection	35,625.00	0.00	35,625.00
Widen East Mall Drive by two lanes	60,000.00	36,500.00	96,500.00
Traffic Signals at East Mall Dr & Dyess	6,349.13	0.00	6,349.13
Downstream Drainage Study	100,000.00	0.00	100,000.00
Financing Costs	·····		
Interest	2,082,497.19	0.00	2,082,497.19
Contingency	199,772.75	-199,772.75	0.00
Necessary and Convenient Costs	199,772.75	-164,458.16	35,314.59
Total Project Costs Reimbursable Through Tax Increment District #69	4,879,429.32	0.00	4,879,429.32

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4. <u>Development Financing Plan</u>. The Tax Increment Ioan with BankWest for the total improvement cost plus estimated interest was in the amount of \$3,175,000. The interest rate was a three year variable rate at New York Prime plus one subject to an interest rate floor of 6.5% and an interest rate ceiling of 9%. The Ioan as finalized in December of 2008 is, and has always been, at the interest rate floor of 6.5%.

#### 5. Persons and Entities Having an Interest in North Street Fire Station, LLC.

KRToyland, LLC	Kevin Randall	Sole Member
MRS Land II, LLC	Ross W. McKie	1/3 <sup>rd</sup> Member
Ī	Mark C. McKie	1/3 <sup>rd</sup> Member
	Steven R. Kalkman	1/3 <sup>rd</sup> Member

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Nine Liens Partnership	Peter Lien	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Julie Lien	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	LaRece Lien Shattuck	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Melanie Lien Palm	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Elizabeth Lien	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Suzanne Gabrielson	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Sandra Lien Brannan	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Christian Lien	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
	Stephanie Lien	1/9 <sup>th</sup> Partner
FMLC, Inc.	Patricia A. Chaulk	Shareholder of 5,115 Shares
	James and Sally Adams	Shareholder of 23,302 Shares
	Leigh and Patricia Tange	Shareholder of 23,301 Shares
	Teresa Neer	Shareholder of 23,302 Shares
	Michael Murray	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Daniel Murray	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Kelly Murray	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Greg Steinberg	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Michael Steinberg	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Richard Murray	Shareholder of 8,525 Shares
	Julie Ann Lien	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	LaRece Lien Shattuck	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Melanie Lien Palm	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Peter Lien	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Elizabeth Lien	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Suzanne Gabrielson	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Sandra Lien Brannon	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Christian Lien	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Stephanie Lien	Shareholder of 2,400 Shares
	Charles H. Lien	Shareholder of 565 Shares
	DeAnna Lien	Shareholder of 165 Shares
	Margaret Ann Yackey	Shareholder of 11,000 Shares
	Karen Yackey	Shareholder of 11,000 Shares

6. <u>Pro Forma Indicating Projected Costs and Revenues</u>. This is not a normal developer's development. There are no pro forma costs as there are no proposed sales with which to pay any of the expenses.

7. <u>Statement that Project Would Not Proceed Without TIF</u>. Without the TIF, there would not be the extension of Tish Boulevard to the new fire station site nor would the sanitary sewer lift station be built for the site and neither would the force main. The widening of East Mall Drive would not take place at this time and other than the nominal developer costs, which are less than 30% of the TIF, the rest of the improvements

would just quite frankly not be done and the City would not be able to build the fire station in its chosen location on the timeframe it wants to build it.

8. <u>Specific Statutory, Other Local and Discretionary Evaluation Criteria</u>. As previously approved, the TID meets mandatory criteria 1A, 1C, 2 and 3. Without the TID, the facilities including the major drainage improvements, the extension of Tish Boulevard to the fire station as well as the cost of the fire station itself would not be built. The project will eliminate potential hazards to the public by providing for the North Street Fire Station access on Tish Boulevard and the improved drainage facilities will better provide drainage for the entire neighborhood that may alleviate flooding of existing properties along Dyess Avenue. The project will also bring newer expanded employment opportunities by immediately providing construction of new automobile dealerships in the area. The infrastructure included in this TID will also open up adjacent lands for future development.

9. <u>Conceptual Plans, Sketches, Maps or Site Plans for the Project</u>. See attached conceptual plan, sketch and map of the project area.

10. <u>Development Time Schedule</u>. The project has been bid and Heavy Constructors, Inc. was the low bid. The bid was let on May 6, 2009. Barring weather or changes, the proposed completion of most of the improvements is December 31, 2009.

11. <u>Specific Public Improvements and Specific Private Improvements</u>. All of the improvements are public improvements and there are no specific private improvements in this TID/TIF.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS Tish Boulevard extension. Box Culvert Sanitary Sewer Lift Station and Force Main for the fire station. Downstream Drainage Study costs. Widening East Mall Drive by two lanes. Traffic Signals at East Mall Drive and Dyess Avenue. Grass Lined Channel and Channel Protection.

12. <u>Business Documents</u>. Attached hereto are the corporate papers for North Street Fire Station, LLC.

13. <u>Financial Statement</u>. North Street Fire Station, LLC was a newly formed entity for the purpose of completing this project. At the end of 2008 it had no assets and only a contingent liability for the TIF financing and did not file a tax return. It does not have a checking account or any assets.

14. <u>Proposed Wage Scale, Employee Benefits Package, etc.</u> This TIF was designed to build a road for the City's fire station and not to provide any low income housing or housing of any kind and was done to benefit the City of Rapid City.

15. <u>Notification of Property Owners</u>. Will be completed.

- 16. <u>Application Fee</u>. Has previously been sent in.
- 17. Other Information. Upon request.

# ATTACHMENT TO #9





## ATTACHMENT TO #12

## State of South Dakota



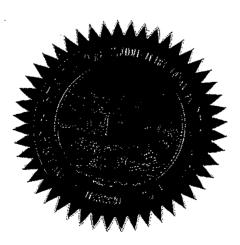
### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

## **Certificate of Organization Limited Liability Company**

**ORGANIZATIONAL ID #: DL016808** 

I, Chris Nelson, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, hereby certify that the Articles of Organization of **NORTH STREET FIRE STATION**, **LLC** duly signed and verified, pursuant to the provisions of the South Dakota Limited Liability Company Act, have been received in this office and are found to conform to law.

ACCORDINGLY and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I hereby issue this Certificate of Organization and attach hereto a duplicate of the Articles of Organization.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, at Pierre, the Capital, this June 24, 2008.

Chris Nelson Secretary of State

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SECRETARY OF STATE STATE CAPITOL. 500 E. CAPITOL AVE. PIERRE, S.D. 57501 605-773-4845

#### **ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION** OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: NORTH STREET FIRE STATION, LLC

2. The duration of the company if other than perpetual is:

3. The address of the initial designated office is: 516 5th Street, PO Box 1820, Rapid City, South Dakota 57709

1. The name and street address of the initial agent for service of process is; Richard E. Huffman, 516 5th Street, Rapid City, South Dakota 57701

i. The name and address of each organizer: Richard E. Huffman

516 5th Street, PO Box 1820 Rapid City, SD 57709-1820

5. If the company is to be a manager-managed company rather than a member-managed company, the name and address of each initial manager is:

'. Whether one or more of the members of the company are to be liable for its debts and obligations under SDCL 47-34A-303 (c).

Any other provisions not inconsistent with law, which the members elect to set out in the articles of organization.

'he Articles of Organization must be signed by the organizers and must state adjacent to the signature the name and capacity of the signer.

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Filed this.

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The Consent of Appointment below must be signed by the registered agent.

#### CONSENT OF APPOINTMENT BY THE REGISTERED AGENT

registered agent for <u>North Street Fire Station</u> , LLC Dated $(0-2)-01$ (limited liability company name)	I, <u>Richard E. Huffman</u> (name of registered agent)	, hereby give my consent to serve as the
	registered agent for <u>North Street Fire Stati</u> Dated $(0-2)-01$ (limited liability company name)	signature

ILING INSTRUCTIONS: ne or more persons may organize a Limited Liability Company ne original and one exact or conformed copy must be submitted **ILING FEE \$125** 

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#### AMENDED OPERATING AGREEMENT of North Street Fire Station, LLC Tax ID# 26-3783129

This Operating Agreement of **North Street Fire Station**, **LLC**, dated as of August 15, 2008, is executed and agreed to, for good and valuable consideration, by the members hereof.

#### ARTICLE I ORGANIZATION

**1.01.** Formation. The company has been organized as a South Dakota limited liability company by the filing of Articles of Organization under and pursuant to the South Dakota Limited Liability Company Act, (hereafter "Act"), and the issuance of a Certificate of Organization for the company by the Secretary of State of South Dakota on June 24, 2008.

**1.02.** Name. The name of the company is North Street Fire Station, LLC, and all company business must be conducted in that name or such other names that comply with applicable laws as the members may select from time to time.

1.03. Registered Office; Registered Agent; Principal Office in the United States; Other Offices. The registered office of the company required by the Act to be maintained in the State of South Dakota shall be the office of the initial registered agent named in the Articles or such other office as the members may designate from time to time in the manner provided by law.

**1.04. Purpose.** The purpose of this limited liability company is to provide an entity which will secure financing to pay for construction costs to be paid back from increased real estate taxes.

The members will guaranty the loan for the anticipated construction costs for the proposed improvements included in Phase I of the North Street Fire Station TIF and attributed in Table 2 as follows:

KRTOYLAND, LLC	\$838,758.75
MRS Land II, LLC	\$838,758.75
Charles Lien	\$749,072.50
FMLC, INC.	\$370,342.00

This North Street Fire Station TID Financing Report was a result of an Application for TIF signed by FMLC, Inc., Nine Liens Partnership and Attorney Richard E. Huffman on June 23, 2008. The amended and final report is included by reference in this Operating Agreement. The TID and the TIF plan was approved by the City of Rapid City on July 21, 2008 and the minutes and the City's report are also incorporated herein by reference.

**1.05.** Term. The company commenced on the date the Secretary of State of South Dakota issued a certificate of organization for the company and shall continue until its purpose has been fulfilled and then it will terminate.

**1.06. Definitions.** As used in this Operating Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

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"Act" means South Dakota Limited Liability Company Act, SDCL

**B.** "Articles" means the Articles of Organization filed with the South Dakota Secretary of State by which **North Street Fire Station**, **LLC**, was organized as a South Dakota limited liability company and pursuant to the Act.

**C.** "Company" means **North Street Fire Station, LLC,** a South Dakota limited liability company.

**D.** "Member" means any person executing this Operating Agreement as a member or hereafter admitted to the company as a member as provided in this Operating Agreement, but does not include any person who has ceased to be a member in the company.

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- E. "Membership interest" means the interest of a member in the

**F.** "Person" includes an individual, partnership, limited partnership, limited liability company, foreign Limited Liability Company, trust, estate, corporation, custodian, trustee, executor, administrator, nominee or other entity in a representative capacity as herein permitted.

**G.** "Sharing ratio," with respect to any member means a fraction (expressed as a percentage), the numerator of which is that member's capital contribution and the denominator of which is the sum of the capital contributions of all members.

#### ARTICLE III MEMBERS

#### 2.01. Admission of Members.

**A.** The initial members and their percentage ownership and voting is show below and is based on the dollar amount shown below:

KRTOYLAND, LLC	\$838,758.75	34.565%
MRS Land II, LLC	\$838,758.75	34.565%
Chuck Lien	\$749,072.50	30.870%

**B.** After the formation of this company, FMLC, Inc. the designated replacement for Rapid Center, LLC has become a member with the approval of the existing members the new underlying guarantee dollar amounts will be:

FMLC, INC.	\$370,342.13
KRTOYLAND, LLC	\$838,758.75
MRS Land II, LLC	\$838,758.75
Chuck Lien	\$749,072.50

and that will change the percentages as follows:

FMLC, Inc.	13.248%
KRTOYLAND, LLC	29.984%
MRS Land II, LLC	29.984
Chuck Lien	26.784%

Nothing contained herein however shall prevent the lender from requiring a different dollar amount for their guarantee.

**2.02.** Restrictions on the Disposition of an Interest. No Interest may be transferred with out consent of the members.

**2.03.** Additional Members. Rapid Center, LLC or its designee or any assignee of the current members may be admitted to the company as a member.

**2.04.** Liabilities to Third Parties. Except as otherwise expressly agreed in writing, no member shall be liable for the debts, obligations or liabilities of the company, including under a judgment decree or order of a court.

**2.05.** Withdrawal. A member does not have the right or power to withdraw from the company as a member.

**2.06.** Authority. It shall take a majority of the members as defined herein to take any action.

2.07. Classes and Voting. There shall be one class of members.

**2.08.** Place and Manner of Meeting. All meetings of the members shall be held at such time and place as called for by Dan Ferber of Ferber Engineering upon such notice as he deems reasonable.

2.09. Annual Meeting. NONE

**2.10.** Quorum of Members. Unless otherwise provided in the Articles, the holders of 51% of the membership interests entitled to vote, represented in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at a duly called meeting of members.

**2.11.** Majority Vote; Withdrawal of Quorum. With respect to any matter when a quorum is present at any meeting, the vote of the holders of a majority of the membership interests, present in person or represented by proxy, having voting power with respect to that matter, shall decide such matter brought before such meeting.

**2.12.** Voting of Membership Unit Interest. Each member shall have its percentage vote as shown in Paragraph 2.01(A) or, if Rapid Center, LLC or its designee becomes a member, than the percentages will be shown as in Paragraph 2.01(B)

2.13. Action Without Meeting. Any action required by law to be taken at a meeting of the members, or any action which may be taken at a meeting of the members, may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice, and without a vote, if a consent or consents in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall have been signed by the holder or holders of all the membership interest for each class, if more than one class, entitled to vote with respect to the action that is the subject matter of the consent, and such consent shall have the same force and effect as a unanimous vote of the members.

**2.14.** Transfer or Assignment of Member's Interest. Except as otherwise provided in this Operating Agreement, no member may transfer and/or assign, in whole or in part, his membership interest at any time.

**2.15. Assets.** The company shall not have any assets only liabilities and liabilities shall be guaranteed proportionally according to the member ship interests.

**2.16.** Bank. The Bank of the company shall be Bank West, Rapid City, SD and any member or their duly authorized representatives may sign checks on any company account. Draws on the TIF loan may be authorized by any member or Dan Ferber Engineering.

#### ARTICLE III CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

3.01. Initial Contributions. None

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3.02. Subsequent Contributions. None.

#### ARTICLE IV ALLOCATIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

**4.01.** Allocations. The company is not formed to have any assets, no income nor losses.

#### ARTICLE V MANAGEMENT BY MEMBERS

#### 5.01. Management by Members.

A. Subject to the provisions of Sections 5.02, (i) the powers of the company shall be exercised by or under the authority of, and the business and affairs of the company shall be managed under the direction of, the members; (ii) on each matter on which a member is entitled to vote, a member shall have one vote for each membership unit owned by the member; and (iii) the members may make all decisions and take all actions for the company not otherwise provided for in this Operating Agreement.

## 5.02. Actions by Members; Committees; Delegation of Authority and Duties.

A. In managing the business and affairs of the company and exercising its powers, the members shall act (i) collectively through meetings and written consents consistent as may be provided or limited in other provisions of this Operating Agreement; (ii) through committees pursuant to Section 5.02(B); and (iii) through members to whom authority and duties have been delegated pursuant to Section 5.02(C).

**B.** The members may, from time to time, designate one or more committees, each of which shall be comprised of one or more members. Any such committee, to the extent provided in such resolution or in the Articles or this Operating Agreement, shall have and may exercise all of the authority of the members, subject to the limitations set forth in the Act. At every meeting of any such committee, the presence of a majority of all the members thereof shall constitute a quorum, and the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present shall be necessary for the adoption of any resolution. The members may dissolve any committee at any time, unless otherwise provided in the Articles or this Operating Agreement.

**C.** The members may, from time to time, delegate to one or more members such authority and duties as the members may deem advisable. In addition, the members may assign titles (including, without limitation, Operating Manager, Assistant Operating Manager, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer) to any such member. Unless the members decide otherwise, if the title is one commonly used for officers of a business corporation, the assignment of such title shall constitute the delegation to such member of the authority and duties that are normally associated with that office, subject to any specific delegation of authority and duties made pursuant to the first sentence of this Section 5.02(C). Any number of titles may be held by the same member. Any delegation pursuant to this Section 5.02(C) may be revoked at any time by the members.

**D.** Any person dealing with the company, other than a member, may rely on the authority of any member or officer in taking any action in the name of the

company without inquiry into the provisions of this Operating Agreement or compliance herewith, regardless of whether that action actually is taken in accordance with the provisions of this Operating Agreement.

**5.03.** Powers of Members. No member is an agent of this company for the purpose of its business.

#### ARTICLE VI TRANSFERS OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

**6.01.** General Restrictions on Transfers. Except in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, no member may transfer all or any portion of the member's interest without the written consent of all members. Any transfer, attempted transfer or purported transfer in violation of this Agreement's terms and conditions are null and void.

6.02. Permitted Transfers. None.

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6.03 Third Party Transfers. None.

#### ARTICLE VII CERTIFICATES AND MEMBERS

There shall be no certificates representing membership interests in the company because the members will guarantee their portion of the TID/TIF loan obtained to fund the TIF package and it is not contemplated that they shall do any business.

#### ARTICLE VIII DISSOLUTION, LIQUIDATION AND TERMINATION

**8.01.** Dissolution. The company shall dissolve and its affairs shall be wound up on the first to occur of the following:

A. The written consent of all members: and

**B.** When the TIF Loan is paid in full.

**8.02.** Liquidation and Termination. Since there are no assets it is not contemplated that any liquidation shall occur when the company is terminated.

#### ARTICLE IX GENERAL PROVISIONS

**9.01.** Books and Records. The company shall maintain those books and records as provided by statute and as it may deem necessary or desirable.

**9.02.** Headings. The headings used in this Operating Agreement have been inserted for convenience only and do not constitute matter to be construed in interpretation.

**9.03.** Construction. Whenever the context so requires, the gender of all words used in this Operating Agreement includes the masculine, feminine, and neuter, and the singular shall include the plural, and conversely. All references to Articles and Sections refer to articles and sections herein, and all references to Exhibits, if any, are to Exhibits attached hereto, if any, each of which is made a part hereof for all purposes. If any portion shall be invalid or inoperative, then, so far as is reasonable and possible:

A. The remainder shall be considered valid and operative; and

**B.** Effect shall be given to the intent manifested by the portion held invalid or inoperative.

**9.04.** Entire Agreement; Supersedure. This Operating Agreement constitutes the entire agreement of the members and their affiliates relating to the company and supersedes all prior contracts or agreements with respect to the company, whether oral or written.

**9.05.** Effect of Waiver or Consent. A waiver or consent, express or implied, to any act pertains to that act only.

**9.06.** Binding Effect. Subject to the restrictions on dispositions set forth in this Operating Agreement, this Operating Agreement is binding on and inures to the benefit of the members and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns.

9.07. Governing Law; Severability. THIS OPERATING AGREEMENT IS GOVERNED BY AND SHALL BE CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, EXCLUDING ANY CONFLICT-OF-LAWS RULE OR PRINCIPLE THAT MIGHT REFER THE GOVERNANCE OR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THESE REGULATIONS TO THE LAW OF ANOTHER JURISDICTION.

**9.08.** Further Assurances. In connection with this Operating Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereto, each member shall execute and deliver any additional documents and instruments and perform any additional acts that may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and perform the provisions of this Operating Agreement and those transactions.

**9.09.** Notice to Members of Provisions of this Agreement. By executing this Operating Agreement, each member acknowledges that it has actual notice of (a) all of the provisions of this Operating Agreement including, without limitation, the restrictions on the transfer of membership interests set forth in Article III, and (b) all of the provisions of the Articles.

**9.10. Counterparts.** This Operating Agreement may be executed in any member of counterparts with the same effect as if all signing parties had signed the

same document. All counterparts shall be construed together and constitute the same instrument.

**9.11.** Conflicting Provisions. To the extent that one or more provisions of this Operating Agreement appear to be in conflict with one another, then a majority of the members shall have the right to choose which of the conflicting provisions are to be enforced. Wide latitude is given to the members, in interpreting the provisions of this Operating Agreement to accomplish the purposes and objectives of the company, and the members may apply this Operating Agreement in such a manner as to be in the best interest of the company, in their sole discretion, even if such interpretation or choice of conflicting provisions to enforce is detrimental to one or more members.

THE UNDERSIGNED, being the initial members as specified in the Articles of Organization, hereby certify that the foregoing Operating Agreement was unanimously adopted by the members effective December 3, 2008, to WITNESS WHICH we have hereunto affixed our signatures.

KRTOYLAND, LLC, a South Dakota limited liability company

By: Kévin Randall

Its: Sole Member

FMLC, Inc. a South Dakota Corporation

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Its: President

MRS Land II, LLC, a South Dakota-limited liability company By: Its:

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