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# SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR SKAGIT COUNTY

In the Matter of the Petition of the City of Mount Vernon to acquire by condemnation certain property and property rights for the improvement of College Way and Riverside Drive, as contemplated by City of Mount Vernon Ordinance No. 3401,

[In re City of Mount Vernon - College Way/ Riverside Drive (P53847 - NWCC)] No. 08-2-00769-6

STIPULATED FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, JUDGMENT AND DECREE OF APPROPRIATION

CLERK'S ACTION REQUIRED

Petitioner, City of Mount Vernon (the "City"), and Respondent NWCC INVESTMENTS VIII LLC ("NWCC") stipulate as follows:

#### 1. JUDGMENT SUMMARY

- 1.1 AMOUNT OF JUDGMENT
  - 1.1.1 Total amount:
  - 1.1.2 Previous Possession and Use Deposit

I.1.3 Costs

1.1.4 Balance remaining:

\$ 86,000

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- 1.2 JUDGMENT CREDITORS. NWCC by Michael S. Courtnage, Alston, Courtnage & Bassetti LLP, 1000 Second Avenue, Suite 3900, Seattle, WA 98104; Phone 206-623-7600.
- 1.3 JUDGMENT DEBTOR. City of Mount Vernon by Kevin Rogerson, City Attorney and P. Stephen DiJulio, Foster Pepper PLLC, 1111 Third Avenue, Suite 3400, Seattle, WA 98101; Phone 206-447-4400.

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## 1.4 JUDGMENT AMOUNT

1.4.1	Balance remaining:	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>
1.4.2	Interest owed:	<b>\$-0-</b>
1.4.3	Costs	<b>\$-0-</b>
1.4.4	Total amount due from the City:	\$-0-

- 1.5 COSTS. Statutory costs are waived.
- 1.6 LEGAL DESCRIPTION. See attached Exhibit A ("the Property").
- 1.7 SKAGIT COUNTY TAX ACCOUNT NUMBER: P53847.

# 2. INTRODUCTION

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THIS MATTER came before the undersigned judge of the above-entitled court on the stipulation of the City and NWCC. The City is represented by Kevin Rogerson, City Attorney and P. Stephen DiJulio of Foster Pepper PLLC. NWCC is represented by Michael S. Courtnage, of Alston, Courtnage & Bassetti LLP. The Court, having received the stipulation of the parties for entry of this judgment and having been advised in the premises; NOW, THEREFORE makes and enters the following judgment ("Judgment").

# 3. PUBLIC USE AND NECESSITY

An Order on Public Use and Necessity was entered on May 23, 2008.

# 4. OTHER PARTIES

- 4.1 The other parties to this action include tenants, a deed of trust trustee, a deed of trust beneficiary, and Skagit County as a taxing entity.
- 4.2 On June 13, 2008, the Court entered an order of default against Chicago Title Insurance Company, Artesia Mortgage Capital Corporation, Great Clips for Hair/Kanga Inc., Emerald City Pizza, Mountain Top Inc./Zahir Fakugi d/b/a The Copy and Print Store, and Jin Namju d/b/a Best Teryaki. These defaulted parties have no interest in the just compensation for the Property or in the total Judgment Amount.
  - 4.3 On August 19, 2008, a stipulated dismissal against MV Nails was entered. MV

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Nails has no interest in the just compensation for the Property or in the total Judgment Amount.

- 4.4 On August 19, 2008, a stipulated dismissal against Advance America was entered. Advance America has no interest in the just compensation for the Property or in the total Judgment Amount.
- 4.5 On July 1, 2008, a stipulated dismissal against AT&T Mobility was entered.

  AT&T Mobility has no interest in the just compensation for the Property or in the total

  Judgment Amount.
- 4.6 No party other than NWCC has an interest in the just compensation for the Property or in the total Judgment Amount.

# 5. JUDGMENT AND APPROPRIATION

- 5.1 The total just compensation to be paid by the City to NWCC for and in connection with the taking and damaging of the real property described in the Petition for Condemnation ("Petition") and in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Property"), together with all improvements thereon, attorney, expert/evaluation fees and interest, if any, is the amount of Eighty-Six Thousand Dollars (\$86,000.00), less any taxes owed to Skagit County at the time of disbursement, if any.
- 5.2 The City has previously paid into escrow ("Escrow") pursuant to a Possession and Use Agreement the just compensation in the total amount of \$86,000. The total balance due from the City is Zero Dollars (\$0.00).
- 5.3 Upon entry of this Judgment, the City shall have all right, title and interest in the Property, and all of the Respondent's interest in the Property will be extinguished.

# 6. JUST COMPENSATION

6.1 Within ten (10) days of entry of this Judgment, the City shall issue instructions to the Escrow authorizing the Escrow to release to NWCC funds deposited with the Escrow as payment in full of just compensation and costs for the Property ("Judgment Amount").

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- 6.2 Upon entry of this judgment, the City shall have all right, title and interest in the Property, as described in Exhibit A.
- 6.3 The parties agree to the disbursement from Escrow of the entire Judgment Amount to NWCC, as follows: payment shall be made payable to and mailed to Respondent NWCC c/o Michael S. Courtnage, Alston, Courtnage & Bassetti LLP, 1000 Second Avenue, Suite 3900, Seattle, WA 98104.
- 6.4 NWCC's interest in the Property will be extinguished as of the date of entry of this judgment.
- 6.5 The City shall provide to NWCC a temporary easement for NWCC's construction and maintenance of an advertising sign on the neighboring property commonly referred to as the "Tesoro Parcel" ("Temporary Easement") The location of the Tesoro Parcel and the temporary easement are indicated in Exhibit B; "Easement B" on Exhibit B is the Temporary Easement. The Temporary Easement is more particularly described in Exhibit C. The City and NWCC acknowledge that the City has obtained fee title to the Tesoro Parcel by statutory warranty deed recorded September 11, 2008.
- 6.6 The City will cooperate with NWCC and NWCC affiliates regarding the potential sale of the Tesoro Parcel to NWCC or to an NWCC affiliate.
- 6.7 If, seven months after the date of entry of this judgment or upon ninety-days notice by City to NWCC, whichever is sooner, NWCC or an NWCC affiliate has not entered a purchase and sale agreement to acquire a fee interest in the Tesoro Parcel from the City, NWCC will relocate all NWCC signage on the Temporary Easement to a permanent easement indicated as "Easement A" on Exhibit B and described more particularly in Exhibit D (the "Permanent Easement").
- 6.8 The City and NWCC acknowledge that the just compensation payment provided for in this judgment includes all payment for relocation and/or damages to NWCC's sign. Any relocation of the sign, including to the Temporary Easement and/or to the Permanent Easement is NWCC's sole financial obligation. The City has no further financial obligation regarding the

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relocation of the sign.

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through the Escrow.

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SO ORDERED this

City is \$0.00.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Respondent's interest in the Property will be extinguished.

Costs are waived as to all parties.

Sections 3 through 6 above shall be and hereby are adopted as and made the Findings of

Fact and Conclusions of Law. Now, therefore, in accordance with the foregoing Findings of

Sections 3 through 7 above are incorporated herein by this reference.

Property as described in the Petition and in Exhibit A attached hereto, and all of the

compensation, is Eighty-Six Thousand Dollars (\$86,000.00). The total balance due from the

execution docket, otherwise denominated by the Clerk "transcript of judgment docket," the sole

and only purpose of which is presentation for payment. The sole method of payment shall be

day of September, 2008.

Upon entry of this Judgment, the City shall have all right, title and interest in the

The total amount to be paid by the City to NWCC, as payment in full of just

The Clerk shall issue no "certified abstract of judgment" contained in the

Fact and Conclusions of Law, it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed as follows:

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**EXHIBIT A** 

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#### Parcel Number P53847

#### EXHIBIT A

## LISSER & ASSOCIATES. PLLC

320 Milwaukee St. PO Box 1109, Mount Vernon WA 98273 (360) 419-7442 FAX (360) 419-0581

Description for New Road Right-of-way

February 5, 2008

That portion of the following described Tract "X", lying Westerly of the following described line:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northwest 1/4 (West 1/4 corner) of Section 17, Township 34 North, Range 4 East, W.M.:

thence South \$7°37'00" East along the South line of said Northwest 1/4 for a distance of 275.04 feet:

thence North 0°40' 15" West for a distance of 30.00 feet, more or less, to the Southeast corner of Tract B Short Plat No. MV-26-76, approved September 10, 1976 and recorded September 23, 1976 in Volume 1 of Short Plats, page 175 under Auditor's File No.

thence continue North 0°40'15" West along the East line of said Short Plat No. MV-26-76 for a distance of 10.00 feet, more or less, to the North line of the South 40.00 feet of said Northwest 1/4 and being the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING of said line

description; thence North 74°32'14" West for a distance of 29.71 feet. thence North 88°30'23" West for a distance of 158-19 feet; thence North 44°36'10" West for a distance of 47.07 feet; thence North 2°57'41" West for a distance of 75.83 feet; thence North 2°57'41" West for a distance of 92.27 feet; thence North 0"40"15" West for a distance of 37.19 feet; thence North 89°19'45" East for a distance of 2.00 feet; thence North 0°40'15" West for a distance of 17.65 feet:

thence North 2"51'58" West for a distance of 241.29 feet;

thence North 89° | 9'45" East for a distance of 2.00 feet; thence North 2"51'58" West for a distance of 129.48 feet, more or less, to the North line of Tract 6, "PLAT OF MOUNT VERNON ACREAGE, SKAGIT COUNTY, WASH.", as per plat recorded in Volume J of Plats, page 102 records of Skagit County, Washington, at a point bearing North 89"19"45" East a distance of 8.80 feet from the Northwest corner of said Tract 6 and being the terminus of said line description.

### Truct "X"

(Shown as description on Land Title Company Limited Liability Report Order No. 123884)

The West 168 feet of Tract 9, "PLAT OF MOUNT VERNON ACREAGE, SKAGIT COUNTY, WASH.," as per plat recorded in Volume 3 of Plats, page 102, records of Skagit County, Washington, and the North 29.5 Feet of the East 100 feet of the West 268 feet of said Tract 9, "PLAT OF MOUNT VERNON ACREAGE, SKAGIT COUNTY, WASH, ".

SUBJECT TO and TOGETHER WITH easements, reservations, restrictions, covenants, liens, leases, court causes and other instruments of record.

Situate in the City of Mount Vernon, County of Skagit, State of Washington.

Area of new right-of-way = 2,628 sq. ft.

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**EXHIBIT B** 

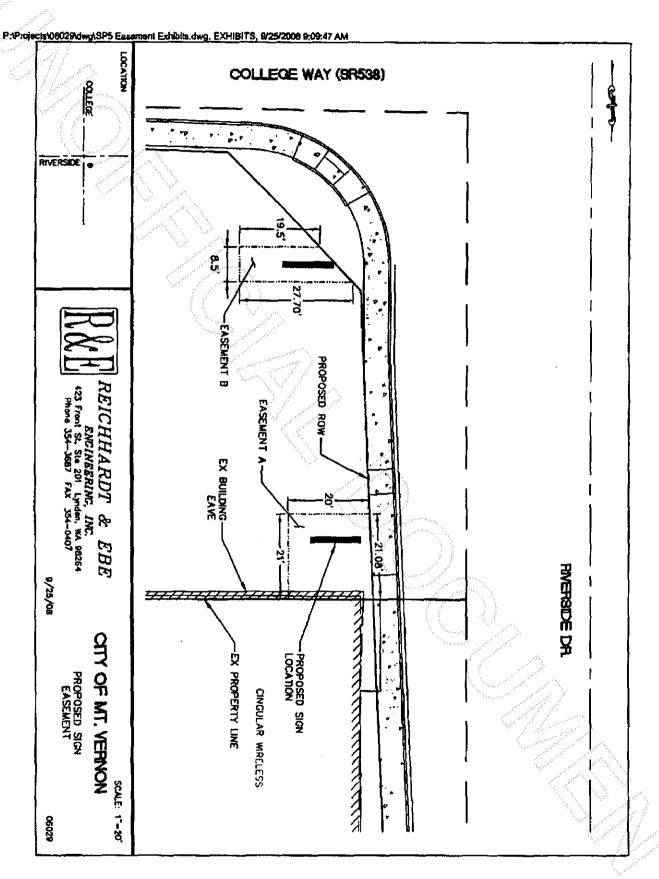
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# Proposed Signage Easement B (P-53850)

An easement for signage installation and the maintenance thereof over, under, and across a portion of Tract 10, "Plat of Mount Vernon Acreage, Skagit County, Wash.," as per plat recorded in Volume 3 of Plats, Page 102, records of Skagit County, Washington and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Tract 10, "Plat of Mount Vernon Acreage, Skagit County, Wash."

thence North 89° 19' 45" East along the north line of said Tract 10 for a distance of 22.69 feet, more or less, to the proposed easterly right of way margin of Riverside Drive thence South 2° 57' 41" East along said proposed easterly right of way margin for a distance of 75.83 feet to an angle point on said margin;

thence South 44° 36' 10" East along said margin for a distance of 2.80 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING:

thence North 89° 21' 14" East along said north line for a distance of 27.70 feet:

thence South 0° 38' 46" East for a distance of 8.50 feet;

thence South 89° 21' 14" West for a distance of 19.50 feet, more or less, to said proposed easterly right of way margin of Riverside Drive at a point bearing South 44° 36' 10" East from the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING:

thence North 44° 36' 10" West along said proposed easterly right of way margin for a distance of 11.81 feet, more or less, to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING

SUBJECT TO and TOGETHER WITH easements, reservations, restrictions, covenants, liens, leases, court causes and other instruments of record.

Situate in the City of Mount Vernon, County of Skagit, State of Washington.



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# Proposed Signage Easement A (P-53850)

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thence North 89° 19' 45" East along the north line of said Tract 10 for a distance of 22.69 feet, more or less, to the proposed easterly right of way margin of Riverside Drive and being the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING:

thence continue North 89° 19° 45" East along said north line for a distance of 20.78 feet: thence South 0° 51'22" East for a distance of 21.00 feet;

thence South 89° 08'38" West for a distance of 20.00 feet, more or less, to said proposed easterly right of way margin of Riverside Drive at a point bearing South 2° 57' 41" East from the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

thence North 2° 57' 41" West along said proposed easterly right of way margin for a distance of 21.08 feet, more or less, to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING

SUBJECT TO and TOGETHER WITH easements, reservations, restrictions, covenants, liens, leases, court causes and other instruments of record.

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