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Dear Signatories, Invited Signatories, and Consulting Parties:

The Louisville Jefferson County Metro Government (LJCMG) has finalized the Programmatic Agreement (PA) for the Beecher Terrace Redevelopment Project. To access the document please visit this link to the Vision Russell website: http://visionrussell.org/historic-preservation/section106.

# **Summary of Major Modifications to Programmatic Agreement**

Comments on the final draft of the PA were received from the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), the Kentucky State History Preservation Office (KY SHPO), and the Office of State Archaeology (OSA). A summary of the changes to the PA is provided here. Minor edits or typographical changes are not mentioned, nor are areas were wording was added to simply or clarify the text.

### 1-Clarification of the Lead Agency

LJCMG is the Lead Agency for the project and is listed as such throughout. Louisville Metro Housing Authority (LMHA) is a partner agency and an Invited Signatory.

# 2-Future US of the Agreement

A Stipulation has been added to allow other federal agencies to use this PA to fulfill their Section 106 responsibilities in the future.

## 3-Clarification of the Block Grid for the Neighborhood

Changes to the street grid that will occur as part of the project are intended to improve traffic flow and create a neighborhood feel. They are not intended to recreate a historic grid. The language in the document has been clarified.

# 4-Terminology of Stages and Phases

The terminology referring to Stages and Phases of the project has been clarified. Phases refer to construction phases for the project. Stages refer to consultation periods. A consultation Stage may include several construction phases.

# 5-References to Ongoing and Completed Consultation

The document has been updated to include references to steps completed in the consultation process as distinct from steps that are remaining to be completed.

# 6-Unanticipated Discoveries

The Unanticipated Discoveries Stipulation has been updated to reflect the presences of the Beecher Terrace archaeological site under the entire project area.

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#### 7-Review Timelines

The review timelines have been revised to include three 30 day extension periods.

## 8-Signatures

All signatures will be in counterpart. This document includes signature pages for all Concurring Parties.

### **Timeline for Signatures**

We ask you to review this document and to have an authorized representative execute a signature on the signature page for your organization. Please print the signed name below the signature line. Please either create a pdf of your signed page and return it to me via email at <a href="mailto:Cynthia.johnson@louisvilleky.gov">Cynthia.johnson@louisvilleky.gov</a>. If you prefer, you may fax the signed copy to me at 502-574-8129. Please provide your signed page to me by Thursday, May 31, 2018.

Please continue to provide your comments regarding the project on the Vision Russell comment page located at: http://visionrussell.org/historic-preservation/consulting-party-feedback/. *Please note that other information related to this undertaking and to the Section 106 process pursuant to 36CFR800.4 is also provided on the Vision Russell website.* 

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