

1 **RESOLUTION NO. 19-381**2 **A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF FRESNO APPROVING
3 AND LEVYING ASSESSMENTS ON REAL PROPERTY UNDER CHAPTER 2 OF THE LANDSCAPING
4 AND LIGHTING ACT OF 1972 FOR STREET LIGHTING AND PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY LANDSCAPE
MAINTENANCE FOR COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO. 34 ZONE G (GRANVILLE)**5 WHEREAS, the County provides certain facilities and services in County Service Area No. 34
6 Zone G (CSA 34G), which is also known as Granville; and7 WHEREAS, the facilities and services provided by the County in CSA 34G include operations and
8 maintenance of a street lighting system owned by PG&E, providing street safety lighting along all of the
9 Tract 6189 streets, to maintain the visual presentation of those streets, and all work and expenses
10 associated with the maintenance of the public right-of-way landscaping, installed pursuant to the
11 development of Tract 6189, to preserve the visual presentation of the community (collectively, Street
12 Lighting and Landscape Maintenance); and13 WHEREAS, Government Code section 25215.3 authorizes the County to impose a benefit
14 assessment in CSA 34G under Chapter 2 of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 (Streets and
15 Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, beginning with section 22500) to pay for the costs of the Street
16 Lighting and Landscape Maintenance; and17 WHEREAS, the “improvements” for purposes of Streets and Highways Code section 22525 are
18 the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance, as defined above; and19 WHEREAS, the map attached to this resolution as exhibit A shows, by the parcels shaded in
20 yellow, the territory within CSA 34G where a benefit assessment for the costs of the Street Lighting and
21 Landscape Maintenance is to be levied; and22 WHEREAS, for purposes of this proceeding, the area to be assessed, as shown in exhibit A, is
23 designated as the “Granville Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance Assessment Area”; and24 WHEREAS, the Board, by Resolution 19-323, adopted on August 20, 2019, appointed and
25 designated Kheng Vang, a registered professional engineer, as the assessment engineer (Assessment
26 Engineer) and authorized and directed him to make and, no later than August 20, 2019, file with the
27 Clerk of the Board a written report with regard to the proposed benefit assessment; and
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1 WHEREAS, on August 20, 2019, Kheng Vang, a registered professional engineer, the
2 assessment engineer (Assessment Engineer), provided an Engineer's Report which, under Article XIII
3 D, Section 4, of the California Constitution, Chapter 2 of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972
4 (Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, beginning with section 22500), which supports a benefit
5 assessment on properties benefitting from the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance; and

6 WHEREAS, on August 20, 2019, the Assessment Engineer filed an "Engineer's Report for Tract
7 6189 and Tract 4934 On Proposed Water and Wastewater Service Fees and Proposed Infrastructure
8 Operations And Maintenance Benefit Assessments for Fresno County Service Area 34 and Its Zone G
9 (Granville) and Zone F (The Vistas)," dated July 25, 2019, which, under Article XIII D, Section 4, of the
10 California Constitution, Chapter 2 of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 (Streets and Highways
11 Code, Division 15, Part 2, beginning with section 22500), which supports a benefit assessment on
12 properties benefitting from the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance (Engineer's Report); and

13 WHEREAS, the Board, by resolution 19-324 on August 20, 2019, proposed to proceed under
14 Chapter 2 of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 (Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2,
15 beginning with section 22500) to levy and collect a benefit assessment in the Granville Lighting and Public
16 Right-of-Way Landscape Maintenance Assessment Area for the cost of the Street Lighting and
17 Landscape Maintenance, and declared that, if the Board imposes the proposed benefit assessment, the
18 resolution imposing the assessment shall provide that the assessment will continue in successive years
19 through Fiscal Year 2024-25 in the amounts stated in Exhibit B and the Engineer's Report, and then
20 remain the same amounts in the following years until the assessment is reduced or terminated, or there
21 is a new proceeding to increase the assessment; and

22 WHEREAS, Exhibit B to this resolution identifies all of the parcels that receive a special benefit
23 from the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance, upon which the benefit assessment is to be
24 imposed, and the amount of the assessment for each parcel; and

25 WHEREAS, the Engineer's Report contains all of the following under Article XIII D, Section 4, of
26 the California Constitution, under Chapter 2 of the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972 (Streets and
27 Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, beginning with section 22500):

28 A. A description of the improvement to be financed through the revenue derived from the

1 assessment, which is the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance.

2 B. An identification and description of all parcels which have a special benefit conferred on them
3 and on which the assessment will be imposed, which is the Granville Lighting and Public Right-of-Way
4 Landscape Maintenance District.

5 C. A statement of the entirety of the cost of the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance.

6 D. The amount of the proposed assessment for each parcel, and the method by which it will be
7 imposed.

8 E. The basis and schedule of the assessment.

9 F. A determination of the proportionate special benefit derived by each identified parcel in
10 relationship to the entirety of the cost of the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance benefiting the
11 133 parcels within the Granville Lighting and Public Right-of-Way Landscape Maintenance District.

12 G. A statement of the methodology and rationale followed in determining the degree of benefit
13 conferred by the services for which the assessment is made.

14 H. A determination that no assessment is imposed on any parcel which exceeds the reasonable
15 cost of the proportional special benefit conferred on that parcel.

16 I. A determination that the only benefits assessed are special and that general benefits have
17 been separated from special benefits conferred on each parcel.

18 J. A determination that no parcel owned by any agency, the State of California or the United
19 States, but not identified and described above, receives any special benefit from the operation and
20 maintenance services to be provided; and

21 WHEREAS, the Board gave notice of a public protest hearing on the assessment under
22 subdivisions (c) and (d) of Article XIII D, Section 4, of the California Constitution, and subdivisions (b)
23 and (c) of Government Code section 53753, as follows: The Clerk of the Board issued notice by mail on
24 August 21, 2019, to the record owner of each parcel identified as having a special benefit conferred upon
25 it and upon which the assessment is to be imposed. Each notice contained:

26 A. The dates, times, and locations of the Public Hearing;

27 B. The total amount of the proposed benefit assessment chargeable to all of the affected parcels;

28 C. The amount of the proposed benefit assessment for each affected parcel;

- 1 D. The basis upon which the amount of the proposed benefit assessment was calculated;
- 2 E. A statement that the assessment will continue in successive years through Fiscal Year 2024-
- 3 25 in the amounts stated in Exhibit B and the Engineer's Report;
- 4 F. A website link to view the Engineer's Report;
- 5 G. The reason for the assessment, namely the costs of the Street Lighting and Landscape
- 6 Maintenance;
- 7 H. The address to which property owners may mail a protest against the proposed benefit
- 8 assessment;
- 9 I. The telephone number and address of an individual or office that interested persons may
- 10 contact to receive additional information about the proposed benefit assessment;
- 11 J. An assessment ballot that included the address for receipt of the ballot and a place where the
- 12 person returning the ballot may indicate his or her name, a reasonable identification of the
- 13 parcel, and his or her support or opposition to the proposed benefit assessment;
- 14 K. Assessment ballot instructions;
- 15 L. A conspicuous summary of the procedures for the completion, return, and tabulation of the
- 16 ballots;
- 17 M. A statement that the proposed benefit assessment shall not be imposed if the ballots
- 18 submitted in opposition to the assessment exceed the ballots submitted in favor of the
- 19 assessment, with ballots weighted according to the proportional financial obligation of the
- 20 affected property; and

21 WHEREAS, the Board held a public protest hearing on October 8, 2019, more than 45 days

22 after the mailing of the notice on August 21, 2019, as described above; and

23 WHEREAS, the Board followed the assessment ballot procedure required by Section 4 of Article

24 XIII D of the California Constitution to determine whether a "majority protest" existed at the close of the

25 public hearing of protests, summarized as follows: Immediately following the close of the public protest

26 hearing, the returned assessment ballots were tabulated, both in support of and in opposition to the

27 new assessment, with each assessment ballot weighted according to the proportional financial

28 obligation of the affected property, and the results were announced; and,

1 WHEREAS, at the public protest hearing conducted by the Board on October 8, 2019, the
2 assessment ballots submitted, and not withdrawn, in opposition to the proposed assessment did not
3 exceed the assessment ballots submitted, and not withdrawn, in its favor, with each assessment ballot
4 weighted according to the proportional financial obligation of the affected property; and,

5 WHEREAS, a “majority protest” does not exist concerning the proposed assessment on real
6 property for the Street Lighting and Landscape Maintenance;

7 **Now, for those reasons, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno hereby finds,
8 determines, and resolves as follows:**

9 1. The above recitals are all true and correct.
10 2. The Board, under Streets and Highways Code section 22594, in the Landscaping and
11 Lighting Act of 1972, orders the improvements, which are generally described as the Street Lighting
12 and Landscape Maintenance for CSA 34G; approves the Engineer’s Report; confirms the diagram and
13 assessment in the Engineer’s Report; and levies an assessment on the benefitted parcels within
14 Granville Lighting and Public Right-of-Way Landscape Maintenance District as shown and described in
15 exhibits A and B to this Resolution.

16 3. The first annual assessment will occur in Fiscal Year 2019-20. Beginning in fiscal year
17 2020-21, and for each year after, the Board may levy an annual assessment that includes an inflation
18 increase in an amount not to exceed the amounts shown in exhibit B to this resolution. The assessment
19 may not be levied in amounts exceeding what is shown in exhibit B unless the property owners in the
20 Granville Lighting and Public Right-of-Way Landscape Maintenance Assessment District approve such
21 an increase in another proceeding that complies with the requirements of Proposition 218.

22 4. The lien date shall be that prescribed by law and the assessment shall be collected
23 annually at the same time, and in the same manner, and subject to the same penalties, as the general
24 taxes of the County, except that for Fiscal Year 2019-20, the assessment may be collected by direct
25 billing to the owner of each assessed property through the Department of Public Works and Planning.

26 5. The assessment shall be published in the Master Schedule of Fees, Charges and
27 Recovered Costs for administrative purposes only.

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2 THE FOREGOING was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors
3 of the County of Fresno this 8th day of October, 2019, to-wit:

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5 AYES: Supervisors Brandau, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero
6 NOES: None
7 ABSENT: None
8 ABSTAINED: None



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11 Nathan Magsig, Chairman of the Board
12 of Supervisors of the County of Fresno
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14 **ATTEST:**

15 Bernice E. Seidel
16 Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
17 County of Fresno, State of California

18 By Bernice E. Seidel
19 Deputy

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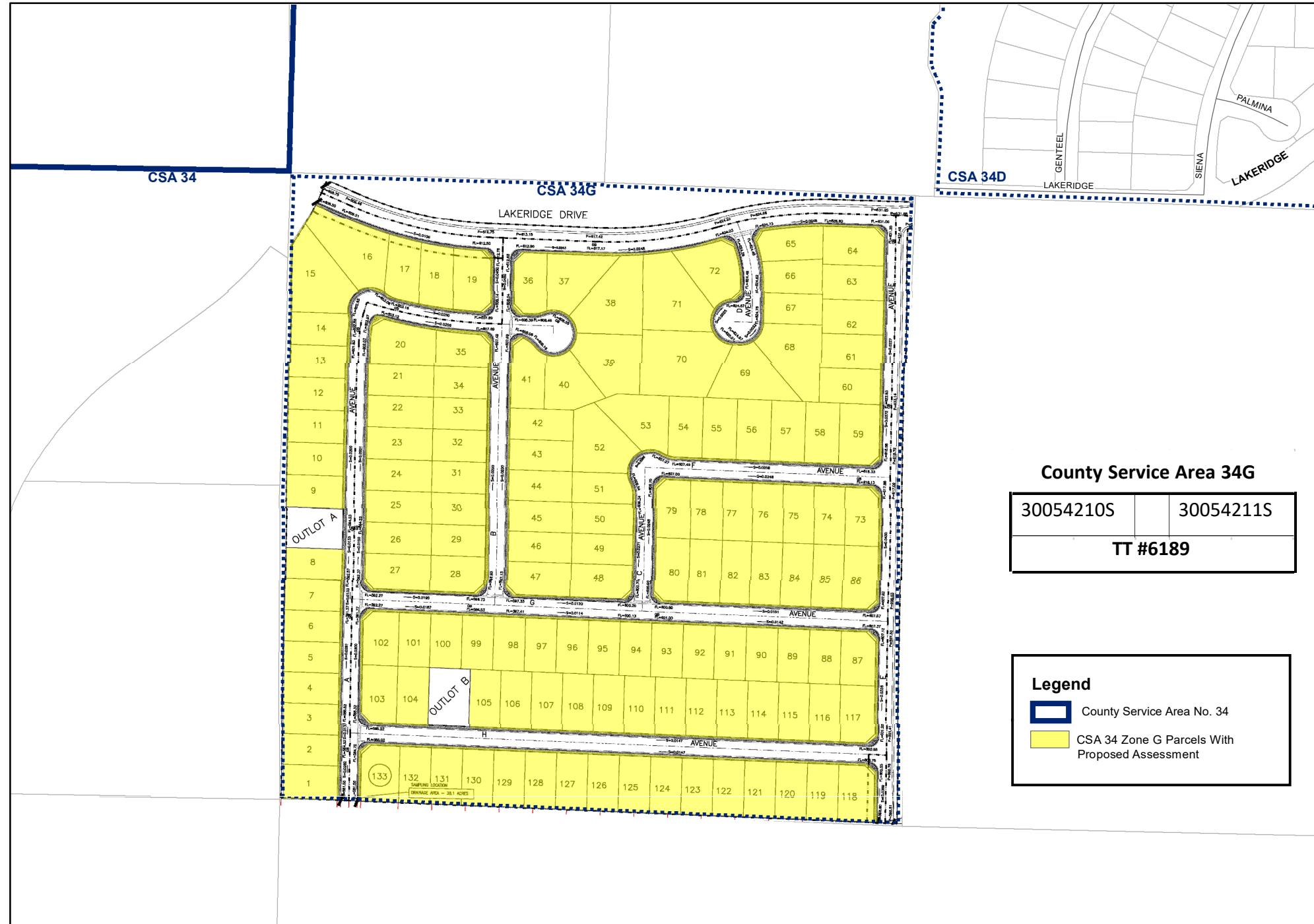


County Service Area No. 34 Zone G

STREET LIGHTING AND PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT
FOR COUNTY SERVICE AREA 34G (GRANVILLE)



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ENGINEER'S REPORT ON PROPOSED BENEFIT ASSESSMENTS FOR LANDSCAPE, OPENSPACE AND STREET LIGHTING

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE FOR FRESNO COUNTY SERVICE AREA NO 34, ZONE G

EXHIBIT B

CSA 34G LOCAL SERVICE UTILITY SYSTEMS PROPOSED PARCEL BENEFIT ASSESSMENTS FOR RECOVERY OF ALL OPERATIONS COSTS, OPERATING CONTINGENCIES, AND CAPITAL FACILITIES RESERVES IN FISCAL YEARS 2019-20 THROUGH 2024-25

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LOT NO.	OWNER	CSA	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 19-20	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 20-21	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 21-22	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 22-23	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 23-24	STREET	LANDSCAPE	FY 24-25
		34G	LIGHTING	MAINT	TOTAL															
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113	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
114	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
115	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
116	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
117	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
118	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
119	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
120	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
121	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
122	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
123	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
124	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
125	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
126	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
127	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
128	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
129	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
130	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
131	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
132	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
133	3B Developement	1	\$ 69.97	\$ 31.10	\$ 101.07	\$ 70.68	\$ 48.37	\$ 119.05	\$ 71.41	\$ 48.86	\$ 120.27	\$ 72.14	\$ 49.36	\$ 121.50	\$ 72.87	\$ 49.87	\$ 122.74	\$ 73.62	\$ 50.38	\$ 124.00
Total		133	\$ 9,306.01	\$ 4,136.30	\$ 13,442.31	\$ 9,400.44	\$ 6,433.21	\$ 15,833.65	\$ 9,497.53	\$ 6,498.38	\$ 15,995.91	\$ 9,594.62	\$ 6,564.88	\$ 16,159.50	\$ 9,691.71	\$ 6,632.71	\$ 16,324.42	\$ 9,791.46	\$ 6,700.54	\$ 16,492.00