

**AMENDMENT #1 TO THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT AMONG
THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF COOK COUNTY,
COOK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT,
NATIONAL PUBLIC HOUSING MUSEUM, AND
THE ILLINOIS STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE
REGARDING THE DEMOLITION OF THE JOHN MACKLER HOMES AND THE
WEST PORTION OF THE SUNRISE APARTMENTS IN CHICAGO HEIGHTS,
ILLINOIS
(SHPO LOG #002011221)**

WHEREAS, on July 14, 2021 the Housing Authority of Cook County (HACC), Cook County Department of Planning and Development (Cook County), the National Public Housing Museum (NPHM), and the Illinois State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (Agreement) regarding the demolition of the John Mackler Homes at 293 to 299 East 12th Street, 301 to 303 East 12th Street, and 1100 to 1140 5th Avenue and the west portion of the Sunrise Apartments at 281 to 287 East 12th Street, 1101 to 1133 Claude Court, and 1110 to 1116 Claude Court (“Undertaking”) in Chicago Heights, Cook County, IL; and

WHEREAS, on May 3, 2023, Cook County proposed to demolish 1314 Wentworth Ave. in Chicago Heights, an office and community building owned by the HACC; and

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2023, HACC, Cook County, NPHM, and the SHPO agreed that 1314 Wentworth Ave. shall be considered part of the larger complex of public housing properties in Chicago Heights, comprised of the John Mackler Homes, Sunrise Apartments, and Daniel Bergen Homes (MSB) for the purposes of this undertaking; and

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2023, the SHPO determined that 1314 Wentworth Avenue was a contributing resource to Sunrise Apartments, which was determined eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) on February 19, 2019, under Criterion A for associations with the development of postwar public housing and urban renewal and under Criterion C for planning at the local level of significance;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Stipulation VI of the Agreement, HACC, Cook County, NPHM, and the SHPO agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. The second recital of the Agreement is deleted in its entirety, and the following is inserted in lieu thereof:

WHEREAS, the sixty-five (65) units and the office and community center building at 1314 Wentworth Ave. planned for demolition form a portion of a larger complex of public housing properties in Chicago Heights, comprised of the John Mackler Homes, Sunrise Apartments, and Daniel Bergen Homes in Chicago Heights (MSB); and

All terms of the Agreement not amended herein remain in full force and effect.

Signature pages to follow.

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SIGNATORY

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF COOK COUNTY (HACC)

By: *Danita W. Childers* Date: *1-23-24*

Danita W. Childers, Executive Director
Housing Authority of Cook County

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COOK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (COOK
COUNTY)

By: *Susan M. Campbell* Date: January 16, 2024

Susan M. Campbell, Director
Department of Planning & Development
Cook County

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ILLINOIS DEPUTY STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER (SHPO)

By: Carey L. Mayer Date: 1/17/2024

Carey L. Mayer, AIA
Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer
Illinois Department of Natural Resources

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INVITED SIGNATORY

NATIONAL PUBLIC HOUSING MUSEUM (NPHM)

By:  _____ Date: January 22, 2023

Dr. Lisa Yun Lee, Executive Director
National Public Housing Museum