NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

11/04/2020 Utah County 100 East Center Street Provo, UT 84606 801-851-8135

These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by Utah County

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about November 20, 2020 the Utah County will submit a request to HUD for the release of CDBG funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, to undertake a project known as Santaquin City – Street Storm Drainage Improvements for the purpose of constructing storm drainage improvements such as curb & gutter, inlet boxes, sumps, infiltration galleries, etc. for Center Street Santaquin from 25 North to 100 North.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

Utah County has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at Mountainland Association of Governments at 586 E 800 N, Orem, UT 84097 and may be examined or copied Monday through Thursday 8 A.M. to 5 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to Jess Bedingfield at Mountainland Association of Governments at 586 E 800 N. Orem, UT 84097. All comments received by November 18th will be considered by Utah County prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

Utah County certifies to HUD that Tanner Ainge in his capacity as Commission Chair consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. HUD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows Utah County to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and Utah County's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not

executed by the Certifying Officer of Utah County; (b) Utah County has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by HUD; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to HUD to Aaron Gagné, CPD Director, U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development at 1670 Broadway, Denver, CO 80202. Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Tanner Ainge, Chair, Utah County Board of Commissioners