SUMMARY OF NOTICE OF
INTENT TO REDEVELOP A BROWNFIELDS PROPERTY
Site Name: 801 Biltmore Avenue
Brownfields Project Number: 17012-13-011

Pursuant to NCGS § 130A-310.34, Rising Sun Properties Group, LLC, as Prospective Developer, has filed with the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (“DEQ”) a Notice of Intent to Redevelop a Brownfields Property (“Property”) in Asheville, Buncombe County, North Carolina. The Brownfields Property, which is the former site of Youngblood Motor Co, Creed’s Discount Tire Service, and G&H Tire & Body Shop, consists of 1.71 acres and is located at 801 Biltmore Avenue. Environmental contamination exists on the Brownfields Property in soil, groundwater, indoor ambient air, and sub-slab gas. Rising Sun Properties Group, LLC has committed itself to redevelopment for no uses other than a restaurant, retail, and other commercial uses with prior written DEQ approval on the Brownfields Property. The Notice of Intent to Redevelop a Brownfields Property includes: (1) a proposed Brownfields Agreement between DEQ and Rising Sun Properties Group, LLC, which in turn includes (a) a map showing the location of the Property, (b) a description of the contaminants involved and their concentrations in the media of the Property, (c) the above-stated description of the intended future use of the Brownfields Property, and (d) proposed investigation and remediation; and (2) a proposed Notice of Brownfields Property prepared in accordance with NCGS § 130A-310.35.

The full Notice of Intent to Redevelop a Brownfields Property may be reviewed at Pack Memorial Library, 67 Haywood Street, Asheville, NC 28801, (M-Th: 10am-8pm, F: 10am-6pm, Sat: 10am-5pm) by contacting Gigi Francis; (828) 250-4700; library@buncombecounty.org; or at the offices of the N.C. Brownfields Program, 217 West Jones Street, Raleigh, NC or by contacting Shirley Liggins at that address, at shirley.liggins@ncdenr.gov, or at (919) 707-8383.

Written public comments may be submitted to DEQ within 30 days after the latest of the following dates: the date this Notice is (1) published in a newspaper of general circulation serving the area in which the Brownfields Property is located, (2) conspicuously posted at the Brownfields Property, and (3) mailed or delivered to each owner of property contiguous to the Brownfields Property. Written requests for a public meeting may be submitted to DEQ within 21 days after the period for written public comments begins. Those periods will start no sooner than August 29, 2017, and will end on the later of: a) 30 and 21 days, respectively, after that; or b) 30 and 21 days, respectively, after completion of the latest of the three (3) above-referenced dates. All public comments and public meeting requests should be addressed as follows:

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