

## ELECTRONIC RECORDING MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, is between eRecording Partners Network, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability company, with a corporate office located at 6111 W. Plano Parkway, Suite 3800, Plano, Texas 75093 ("ePN") and <u>Weber County</u> ("County") with an address of 2380 Washington Blvd. #370, Ogden, UT 84401

ePN offers a national electronic recording service to function as a trusted third party for title insurance companies, attorneys, mortgage bankers, full-service banks and other trusted entities to submit electronic documents to government entities for recording.

County desires to offer recording of real property documents by electronic transmission in substitution for conventional paper-based documents ("**Electronic Recording**") and to assure that transactions are not legally invalid or unenforceable as a result of the use of available electronic technologies for the mutual benefit of the parties of the transactions.

#### **Program Eligibility**

Title insurance companies, attorneys, mortgage bankers, full-service banks and other trusted entities may directly or through a trusted third-party provider submit real property records for electronic recording. Electronic recordation pursuant to state law mandates a close working relationship as well as mutual trust between the County and the submitting entity. All parties to the Electronic Recording transaction desire to operate and maintain a secure recording system which provides some safeguards for interested parties to the Electronic Recording from deceit, fraud and forgery. This Memorandum of Understanding outlines the procedures and rules for the trusted relationship between ePN and the County to facilitate a safe and secure Electronic Recording relationship.

Participation in the Electronic Recording program is voluntary and the decision to do so is a business judgment.

There will be no added fees or costs of any kind charged by the County for Electronic Recording to ePN or any of its licensees.

#### **County Requirements**

The Electronic Recording Program of the County is defined by the requirements attached to this Memorandum of Understanding.



- > Attachment A contains the County address and contact information.
- Attachment B contains the document and indexing specifications for the Electronic Recording program. For each document, the County specific document code is provided along with the required indexing information. Any County specific editing rules will also be described in this attachment. ePN acknowledges that County will reject and return any transactions that do not meet the document and indexing specifications.
- Attachment C contains the processing schedules and hours of operation\_for the Electronic Recording Program. Neither party shall be liable for any failure to perform processing of the transactions and documents where such failure results from any act of God or other cause beyond the party's reasonable control (including, without limitation, any mechanical, electronic or communications failure which prevents the parties from transmitting or receiving the Electronic Recording transactions. If the County system causes delays or power failures that interfere with the normal course of business, the County will notify ePN with a choice of using a courier service or waiting until the problem has been remedied.
- Attachment D provides the payment instructions for the Electronic Recording program. This form provides the account information for ePN to deposit payments via ACH into the County bank account.

#### ePN Responsibilities

ePN acknowledges that Electronic Recording permits it and/or its licensees to prepare, sign and/or transmit in electronic formats documents and business records. The document or record shall be considered as the "original" record of the transaction in substitution for, and with the same intended effect as, paper documents. Where the document or record bears a digital or electronic signature, said document or record shall be given the same presumption of validity as paper documents bearing handwritten signatures.

By use of electronic or digital certificates to sign documents, ePN and/or its licensees intend to be bound to those documents for all purposes as fully as if paper versions of the documents had been manually signed.

By use of electronic or digital certificates to sign documents, ePN and/or its licensees intend to be bound by those electronic signatures affixed to any documents and such electronic signature shall have the same legal effect as if that signature was manually affixed to a paper version of the document.

#### **General Terms**

The County will not incur any liability for the information electronically transmitted by ePN and/or its licensees. Should a dispute or legal action arise concerning an electronic transaction, the County



will be held harmless and not liable for any damages which may be awarded against ePN. ePN does not agree to indemnify County for actions or inactions of the County, including any damages awarded against the County for its own acts or omissions. Further, ePN does not agree to provide legal representation for the County for any actions brought against the County related to any Electronic Recording.

The County will not incur any liability for any breach of security, fraud or deceit as a result of Electronic Recording. Neither ePN nor the County shall be liable to the other for any special, incidental, exemplary or consequential damages arising from or as a result of any delay, omission or error in the Electronic Recording transmission or receipt.

ePN and the County will attempt in good faith to resolve any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to Electronic Recording through either negotiation or mediation prior to initiating litigation.

The County recognizes in many Electronic Recording transactions, ePN's licensees will be utilizing ePN's electronic recording solution and ePN will not be the actual entity recording the document or record. In the case of a dispute related to the authenticity of a document or record presented in an Electronic Recording transaction by one of ePN's licensees, the County agrees to not suspend or disable all of ePN's access to the Electronic Recording Program, but, rather, agrees to notify ePN of the issue so the access of the licensee may be suspended or disabled as required by the County. ePN will not be liable for defective documents or records recorded by its licensees while utilizing the Electronic Recording Program.

Either party may terminate this Memorandum of Understanding for any reason by providing thirty (30) days written notice of termination.

#### ePN Contact Information:

Pamela Trombo Vice President, Product 888-325-3365 ext. 11240 Pam@GOePN.com

ePN Support 888-325-3365 ext. 1 Support@GOePN.com

ePN Accounting 888-325-3365 <u>Accounting@GOePN.com</u>



## Agreed and Accepted:

eRecording Partners Network	County of:
Pamela Montos	Weber County
Signature	
Name: Pamela Trombo	Signature
	Name:
Title:VP, Product	
Date:12/8/2023	Title:
	Date:



## Attachment A

## **County Contact Information**

#### **Daily eRecording Contact:**

 Name:
 Debbie Christensen

 Title:
 Front Office Manager

 Address:
 2380 Washington BLVD 3rd Floor

 City, State, Zip Code:
 Ogden, UT 84401

 Email:
 DChristensen@WeberCountyUtah.Gov

 Phone Number:
 8013998442

#### Secondary eRecording Contact:

Name:Bahy RahimzadeganTitle:Chief DeputyEmail:BRahimzadegan@webercountyutah.govPhone Number:8013998075

### **Accounting Contact:**

Name	Lynelle Jensen	
name		

Title: Treasurers Office

Email: LJensen@WeberCountyUtah.Gov

## Phone Number: <u>8013998456</u>



## Attachment B

## **Document and Indexing Specifications**

## **Accepted Document Types and Document Codes for eRecording:**

(Attach document list or note that software vendor will provide document list.)

(\_X) See Attached list

OR

(\_\_) Software Vendor will provide document list

## XML Indexing Specifications if required:

(i.e. Grantor/Grantee, Consideration, etc. based on document type)



## Attachment C

## **Processing Schedules and Hours of Operation**

Office Hours of Operation: <u>8</u> AM to <u>5</u> PM (MST) Time Zone

eRecording/Processing Hours: <u>8</u> AM to <u>5</u> PM

**Closed for Holidays as Follows:** (Optional)

(<u>x</u>) See Attached List OR (\_\_) See List Below:



#### Attachment **D**

#### **Payment Instructions**

# Authorization Agreement for Direct Deposits (ACH CREDITS)

Weber County

County

87-6000308

#### County ID Number (TAX ID)

I (We) hereby authorize eRecording Partners Network LLC, herein after called COMPANY, to initiate CREDIT entries and/or correction entries to our

(X) CHECKING (M) SAVINGS account (select one) indicated below at the depository named below, herein after called DEPOSITORY.

Wells Fargo Bank Northwest N.A.	299 S Main Street		
Depository Name/Bank Name	Branch		
Salt Lake City	UT		
City	State		
124002971	730018934		
Bank Transit / ABA Number (9 digits)	Account Number		

This authorization is to remain in full force until ePN has received written notification from me (or either or us) of its termination in such manner as to afford ePN and DEPOSITORY reasonable opportunity to act upon it.

John B Bond	Weber County Treasurer
Name(s)	Title
Youngbond .	December 2023
Signature	Date
Names and email addresses of recipients of nig	htly ACH report:
Debbie Christensen	DChristensen@WeberCountyUtah.Gov
Name:	Email:
Selena Delgado	SDelgado@WeberCountyUtah.Gov
Name:	Email:
Name:	Email:

\*To be retained in ePN File until termination\*

Document Type

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Notice of Lien	

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# WEBER COUNTY - OFFICE HOURS AND HOLIDAYS

Weber Center	Office Hours			
<u>2380 Washington Blvd.</u> Ogden, Utah 84401	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday to	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday		
Weber County Home	2024 Holidays			
Department Directory Disclaimer	County offices will be closed during or in observance of the following holidays.			
Grama Records Request Holiday Schedule Online Services Social Media	New Year's Day (Observed)		January 1 <sup>st</sup> 2024	
	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day		January 15 <sup>th</sup>	
	President's Day		February 19 <sup>th</sup>	
	Memorial Day		May 27 <sup>th</sup>	
	Juneteenth		June 19 <sup>th</sup>	
	Independence Day		July 4 <sup>th</sup>	
	Pioneer Day		July 24 <sup>th</sup>	
	Labor Day		September 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
	Veteran's Day		November 11 <sup>th</sup>	
	Thanksgiving		November 28 <sup>th</sup> and 29 <sup>th</sup>	
	Christmas		December 24 <sup>th</sup> (1/2 Day) and 25 <sup>th</sup>	
	New Year's Eve		December 31 <sup>st</sup> (1/2 Day)	
WEBER COUNTY, UTAH		• ADDRESS	FACEBOOK	

Founded in 1850, Weber County occupies a stretch of the Wasatch Front, part of the eastern shores of the Great Salt Lake, and much of the rugged Wasatch Mountains.

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	Weber Center	7	TWITTER
	2380 Washington Blvd	O)	INSTAGRAM
	Ogden, Utah 84401		YOU TUBE

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