THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED AS TO FORM BY THE CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE AND WILL BE FORMALLY SIGNED UPON APPROVAL BY THE CITY COUNCIL

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CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA, AND
NBS GOVERNMENT FINANCE GROUP

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This Continuing Disclosure Agreement, dated as of July 1, 2015 (the "Disclosure Agreement") is executed and delivered by the City of Chula Vista (the "City") and NBS Government Finance Group (the "Dissemination Agent") in connection with the execution and delivery of \$______ City of Chula Vista 2015 Refunding Certificates of Participation (Civic Center Project) (the "Certificates"). The Certificates are being executed pursuant to an Amended and Restated Trust Agreement, dated as of March 1, 2006, as supplemented by the First Supplement to Amended and Restated Trust Agreement dated as of July 1, 2015 (together, the "Trust Agreement"), by and among the City, U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee (the "Trustee") and the Chula Vista Public Financing Authority (the "Authority"). The City covenants as follows:

SECTION 1. <u>Purpose of the Disclosure Agreement.</u> This Disclosure Agreement is being executed and delivered by the City for the benefit of the Owners and Beneficial Owners of the Certificates and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with the Rule (defined below).

SECTION 2. <u>Definitions</u>. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Trust Agreement, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Agreement unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

"Annual Report" shall mean any Comprehensive Annual Financial Report provided by the City pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Agreement.

"Beneficial Owner" shall mean any person which (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Certificates (including persons holding Certificates through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Certificates for federal income tax purposes.

"Disclosure Representative" shall mean the Director of Finance/Treasurer of the City, the Administrative Services Director of the City or their designee, or such other officer or employee as the City shall designate in writing from time to time.

"Dissemination Agent" shall mean Willdan Financial Services, or any successor dissemination agent designated in writing by the City and which has filed with the City a written acceptance of such designation.

"EMMA" shall mean the Electronic Municipal Market Access system of the MSRB.

"Listed Events" shall mean any of the events listed in Sections 5(a) and 5(b) of this Disclosure Agreement.

"MSRB" shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board and any successor entity designated under the Rule as the repository for filings made pursuant to the Rule.

"Official Statement" shall mean the Official Statement relating to the Certificates, dated _______, 2015.

"Participating Underwriter" shall mean Stifel Nicolaus & Company, Incorporated

"Repository" shall mean the MSRB or any other entity designated or authorized by the Securities and Exchange Commission to receive reports pursuant to the Rule. Unless otherwise designated by the MSRB or the Securities and Exchange Commission, filings with the MSRB are to be made through the EMMA website of the MSRB, currently located at http://emma.msrb.org.

"Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

"State" shall mean the State of California.

SECTION 3. Provision of Annual Reports.

- (a) The City shall, or, upon delivery of the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent, shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, not later than July 1 of each year, commencing July 1, 2015, provide to the Repository an Annual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 of this Disclosure Agreement. The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may cross-reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Disclosure Agreement; provided that the audited financial statements of the City may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report and later than the date required above for the filing of the Annual Report if they are not available by that date. If the City's fiscal year changes, it shall give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(c). The City shall provide a written certification with each Annual Report furnished to the Dissemination Agent to the effect that such Annual Report constitutes the Annual Report required to be furnished by it hereunder. The Dissemination Agent may conclusively rely upon such certification of the City and shall have no duty or obligation to review such Annual Report.
- (b) Not later than fifteen (15) days prior to the date for the filing of an Annual Report, the City shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent (if other than the City). If by fifteen (15) days prior to such date, the Dissemination Agent has not received a copy of the Annual Report, the Dissemination Agent shall contact the City to inquire if the City is in compliance with subsection (a).
- (c) If the City is unable to provide to the Repository an Annual Report by the date required in subsection (a), the Dissemination Agent shall send a notice to the Repository in the form required by the Repository stating that the Annual Report has not been filed.

(d) The Dissemination Agent shall:

- (i) determine each year prior to date for providing the Annual Report the name and address of the Repository if other than the MSRB; and
- (ii) file a report with the City certifying that the Annual Report has been provided pursuant to this Disclosure Agreement and stating the date it was provided.

- SECTION 4. <u>Content of Annual Reports</u>. The first Annual Report will consist of the Official Statement which will be filed on or about the date of execution and delivery of the Certificates. Thereafter, the City's Annual Report shall contain or include by reference the following:
- (a) The City's audited financial statements, prepared in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards for municipalities in the State of California. If the City's audited financial statements are not available by the time the Annual Report is required to be filed pursuant to Section 3(a), the Annual Report shall contain unaudited financial statements in a format similar to the financial statements contained in the final Official Statement, and the audited financial statements shall be filed in the same manner as the Annual Report when they become available.
- (b) To the extent not contained in the audited financial statements filed pursuant to the preceding subsection (a) by the date required by Section 3 hereof, updates of Tables [9, 10, 11, 14, 17 through 23, 25 and 26] set forth in the Official Statement.

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the City or related public entities, which have been submitted to each of the Repository or the Securities and Exchange Commission. If the document included by reference is a final official statement, it must be available from the MSRB. The City shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events.

- (a) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the City shall give, or cause the Dissemination Agent to give, notice to the Repository of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Certificates in a timely manner not more than ten (10) business days after the event:
 - 1. principal and interest payment delinquencies;
 - 2. unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
 - 3. unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
 - 4. substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
 - 5. adverse tax opinions or the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability or of a Notice of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB);
 - 6. tender offers:
 - 7. defeasances;
 - 8. ratings changes; and
 - 9. bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar proceedings.

Note: for the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (9), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governmental body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person.

- (b) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the City shall give, or cause to be given, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Certificates, if material, in a timely manner not in excess of ten (10) Business Days after the occurrence of such event:
 - 1. unless described in paragraph 5(a)(5) above, notices or determinations by the Internal Revenue Service with respect to the tax status of the Certificates or other material events affecting the tax status of the Certificates;
 - 2. the consummation of a merger, consolidation or acquisition involving an obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms;
 - 3. appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of the name of a trustee;
 - 4. nonpayment related defaults;
 - 5. modifications to the rights of Owners of the Certificates;
 - 6. notices of prepayment; and
 - 7. release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the Certificates.
- (c) Whenever the City obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event under 5(b) above, the City shall as soon as possible determine if such event would be material under applicable federal securities laws.
- (d) If the City determines that knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event under 5(b) above would be material under applicable federal securities laws, the City shall file a notice of such occurrence with the Repository in a timely manner not more than 10 business days after the event. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice of Listed Events described in subsections (a)(7) and (b)(6) need not be given under this subsection any earlier than the notice (if any) of the underlying event is given to Owners of affected Certificates pursuant to the Trust Agreement.

- (e) The City hereby agrees that the undertaking set forth in this Disclosure Agreement is the responsibility of the City and that the Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible for determining whether the City's instructions to the Dissemination Agent under this Section 5 comply with the requirements of the Rule.
- SECTION 6. <u>Termination of Reporting Obligation</u>. The City's obligations under this Disclosure Agreement shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Certificates. If such termination occurs prior to the final maturity of the Certificates, the City shall give notice of such termination in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5.
- SECTION 7. <u>Dissemination Agent</u>. The City may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Agreement, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for the content of any notice or report prepared by the City pursuant to this Disclosure Agreement. The Dissemination Agent may resign by providing thirty days written notice to the City and the Trustee. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible for the content of any report or notice prepared by the City and shall have no duty to review any information provided to it by the City. The Dissemination Agent shall have no duty to prepare any information report nor shall the Dissemination Agent be responsible for filing any report not provided to it by the City in a timely manner and in a form suitable for filing.
- SECTION 8. <u>Amendment; Waiver</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Agreement, the City may amend this Disclosure Agreement, and any provision of this Disclosure Agreement may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:
- (a) If the amendment or waiver related to the provisions of Sections 3(a), 4, or 5, it may only be made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature or status of an obligated person with respect to the Certificates, or the type of business conducted;
- (b) The undertaking hereunder, as amended or taking into account such waiver, would, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the original execution and delivery of the Certificates, after taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances; and
- (c) The amendment or waiver either (i) is approved by the Owners of the Certificates in the same manner as provided in the Indenture for amendments to the Indenture with the consent of Owners, or (ii) does not, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, materially impair the interests of the Owners or Beneficial Owners of the Certificates.

In the event of any amendment or waiver of a provision of this Disclosure Agreement, the City shall describe such amendment in the next Annual Report, and shall include, as applicable, a narrative explanation of the reason for the amendment or waiver and its impact on the type (or, in the case of a change of accounting principles, on the presentation) of financial information or operating data being presented by the City. In addition, if the amendment is related to the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements, (i) notice of such change shall be given in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(a), and (ii) the Annual Report for the year in which the change is made should present a comparison (in narrative form and also, if feasible, in

quantitative form) between the financial statements as prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Agreement shall be deemed to prevent the City from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Agreement or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Agreement. If the City chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Agreement, the City shall have no obligation hereunder to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. <u>Default</u>. In the event of a failure of the City to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Agreement, any Owner or Beneficial Owner of the Certificates may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the City to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Agreement. A default under this Disclosure Agreement shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Trust Agreement, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Agreement in the event of any failure of the City to comply with this Disclosure Agreement shall be an action to compel performance.

No Owner or Beneficial Owner may institute such action, suit or proceeding to compel performance unless they shall have first delivered to the City satisfactory written evidence of their status as such, and a written notice of and request to cure such failure, and the City shall have refused to comply therewith within a reasonable time of up to thirty (30) days.

SECTION 11. <u>Duties, Immunities and Liabilities of Dissemination Agent.</u> The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Agreement, and the City agrees, to the extent permitted by law, to indemnify and save the Dissemination Agent, its officers, directors, employees and agents, harmless against any loss, expense and liabilities which it may incur arising out of or in the exercise or performance of its powers and duties hereunder, including the costs and expenses (including attorney's fees) of defending against any claim of liability, but excluding liabilities due to the Dissemination Agent's negligence or willful misconduct. The Dissemination Agent shall be paid compensation by the City for its services provided hereunder in accordance with its schedule of fees as amended from time to time and all expenses, legal fees and advances made or incurred by the Dissemination Agent in the performance of its duties hereunder. In performing its duties hereunder, the Dissemination Agent shall not be deemed to be acting in any fiduciary capacity for the City, the Certificate holders, or any other party. The obligations of the City under this Section shall survive resignation or removal of the Dissemination Agent and payment of the Certificates.

SECTION 12. <u>Notices</u>. Any notices or communications to or among any of the parties to this Disclosure Agreement may be given as follows:

To the City: City of Chula Vista

276 Fourth Avenue

Chula Vista, California 91910

Attention: Director of Finance/Treasurer

To the Dissemination Agent: Willdan Financial Services

SECTION 13. <u>Beneficiaries</u>. This Disclosure Agreement solely to the benefit of the City, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriter and Owners and Beneficial Owners from time to time of the Certificates, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

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SECTION 14. <u>Signature</u>. This Disclosure Agreement has been executed by the undersigned on the date hereof, and such signature binds the City to the undertaking herein provided.

By:	Directo	or of Finance/Tre	easurer	
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By:	Author	rized Officer		

CITY OF CHULA VISTA