



March 28, 2014

Ms. Donna McKendry, Management Analyst  
Ventura County  
800 South Victoria Avenue, L# 1940  
Ventura, CA 93009

Dear Ms. McKendry:

Subject: Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule

Pursuant to Health and Safety Code (HSC) section 34177 (m), the Ventura County Successor Agency (Agency) submitted a Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule (ROPS 14-15A) to the California Department of Finance (Finance) on February 14, 2014 for the period of July through December 2014. Finance has completed its review of your ROPS 14-15A, which may have included obtaining clarification for various items.

Based on our review, we are approving all of the items listed on your ROPS 14-15A at this time.

Pursuant to HSC section 34186 (a), successor agencies were required to report on the ROPS 14-15A form the estimated obligations and actual payments (prior period adjustments) associated with the July through December 2013 period. The amount of RPTTF approved in the table below includes the prior period adjustment self-reported by the Agency. HSC section 34186 (a) also specifies prior period adjustments self-reported by successor agencies are subject to audit by the county auditor-controller (CAC) and the State Controller. Any proposed CAC adjustments were not received in time for inclusion in this letter. Therefore, the amount of RPTTF approved in the table below only includes the prior period adjustment self-reported by the Agency.

The Agency's maximum approved Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund (RPTTF) distribution for the reporting period is \$385,454 as summarized below:

<b>Approved RPTTF Distribution</b>	
<b>For the period of July through December 2014</b>	
Total RPTTF requested for non-administrative obligations	335,454
Total RPTTF requested for administrative obligations	50,000
<b>Total RPTTF requested for obligations</b>	<b>\$ 385,454</b>
Total RPTTF authorized for non-administrative obligations	335,454
Total RPTTF authorized for administrative obligations	50,000
<b>Total RPTTF authorized for obligations</b>	<b>\$ 385,454</b>
ROPS 13-14A prior period adjustment	-
<b>Total RPTTF approved for distribution</b>	<b>\$ 385,454</b>

Please refer to the ROPS 14-15A schedule that was used to calculate the approved RPTTF amount:

<http://www.dof.ca.gov/redevelopment/ROPS>

The amount available from the RPTTF is the same as the amount of property tax increment that was available prior to enactment of ABx1 26 and AB 1484. This amount is not and never was an unlimited funding source. Therefore, as a practical matter, the ability to fund the items on the ROPS with property tax is limited to the amount of funding available to the successor agency in the RPTTF.

To the extent proceeds from bonds issued after December 31, 2010 exist and are not encumbered by an enforceable obligation pursuant to HSC section 34171 (d), HSC section 34191.4 (c) (2) (B) requires these proceeds be used to defease the bonds or to purchase those same outstanding bonds on the open market for cancellation.

Please direct inquiries to Beliz Chappuie, Supervisor or Susana Medina Jackson, Lead Analyst at (916) 445-1546.

Sincerely,



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cc: Ms. Rosanna R Bati, Fiscal Manager, Ventura County  
Ms. Sandra Bickford, Chief Deputy, Ventura County  
California State Controller's Office