



## COVENANT AND AGREEMENT FOR ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS AND JUNIOR ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS

When an Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) or Junior Accessory Dwelling Unit (JADU) is legally created on or after April 16, 2021, a Covenant and Agreement for Accessory Dwelling Unit/Junior Accessory Dwelling Unit Structure (Covenant) shall be required as specified in Compton City Code (CCC) Section 30-11.2(P)(4). Outlined below is a list of steps necessary to record a Covenant. This checklist should be reviewed by the Building and Safety Department and an unrecorded Covenant must be submitted with your plans. **A Covenant will not be accepted unless accompanied by plans submitted for Plan Check.**

- CONSULT WITH PLAN CHECKER:** Before initiating any work on an ADU or JADU structure, consult a planner to verify compliance with all applicable development standards established in the Zoning Code, (i.e. setbacks, height, size, etc.). Please note this consultation is not intended to cover any building requirements or design issues. It is recommended that you consult with those departments to ensure all other requirements will be met prior to recordation of a Covenant.
- COMPLETE COVENANT:** The form Covenant must be filled out completely. Provide all the requested information, including the legal description of the subject property. The information must be clear and legible in order to produce a readable photographic record. Signature of all property owners must be provided and notarized. (Refer to attached example.)
- SITE PLAN:** The site plan to be approved by Building and Safety must contain the words “**Exhibit A**” on the top of the page in a conspicuous location. The site plan shall be of standard page size of 8-½” by 11”. Other page sizes or additional pages will incur additional recording fees by the Los Angeles County Clerk-Recorder. The site plan must contain the size and location of the primary dwelling unit(s) and all accessory structures on site. An interior floor plan of the accessory structure in question with proposed facilities shall also be provided. The site plan and floor plan must be clear and legible to produce a readable photographic record (refer to attached example).
- RECORDING A COVENANT WITH THE COUNTY:** Upon receiving the approval from Building and Safety. The applicant must then go to the Los Angeles County Clerk-Recorder office to record the Covenant (locations are provided on the back of this form). For locations, hours of service, or any other Clerk-Recorder questions, please call (800)201-8999 or visit <https://www.lavote.gov/>
- COPY OF COVENANT FOR FILE:** When the Covenant has been recorded, a copy shall be submitted back to the Building and Safety Department for filing. The final plans submitted for a building permit must match the site plan and floor plan contained in the recorded covenant. Any submitted inconsistencies in the plans will delay the issuance of a building permit.



## **Los Angeles County Clerk-Recorder Office Location:**

**Los Angeles County Registrar-  
Recorder/County Clerk Headquarters**  
12400 Imperial Hwy., Norwalk, CA 90650

RECORDING REQUESTED BY:

AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:

Space for Recorders Use Only

**COVENANT AND AGREEMENT FOR ACCESSORY DWELLING UNIT/JUNIOR ACCESSORY DWELLING UNIT STRUCTURE**

The undersigned hereby certify that they are the owners of the following described real property in the City of Compton, County of Los Angeles, State of California:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

also known as: \_\_\_\_\_ Compton, CA. \_\_\_\_\_

The above described real property contains an Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) and/or a Junior Accessory Dwelling Unit (JADU) located as set forth in the site plan attached here to as Exhibit A. The undersigned hereby agree and covenant with the City of Compton that each such structure is consistent with the applicable definition in Compton City Code Section 30-11.2. The undersigned further agree and covenant that each such structure shall be maintained in accordance with Compton City Code Section 30-11.2 including the following restrictions: (1) the structure may not be sold, transferred, or assigned separately from the primary residence; (2) the structure may not be rented for a period of less than 30 consecutive days; (3) if the property contains a JADU, the JADU shall be a legal unit and may be used as habitable space only so long as the main dwelling unit, or the JADU, is occupied by the owner of record of the property unless otherwise permitted by state law; and (4) these restrictions shall run with the land and be binding upon the undersigned and all future owners, and lack of compliance may result in legal action against the property owner to compel compliance with the Compton City Code.

**PRINT NAME OF OWNER #1**

Print Name of Property Owner:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Property Owner:

\_\_\_\_\_

Dated:

\_\_\_\_\_

**PRINT NAME OF OWNER #2**

Print Name of Property Owner:

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Signature of Property Owner

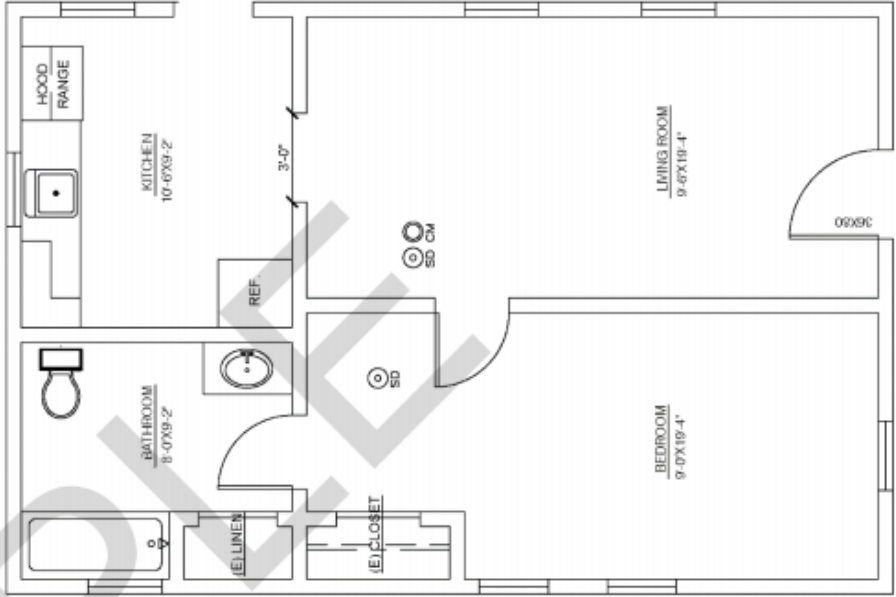
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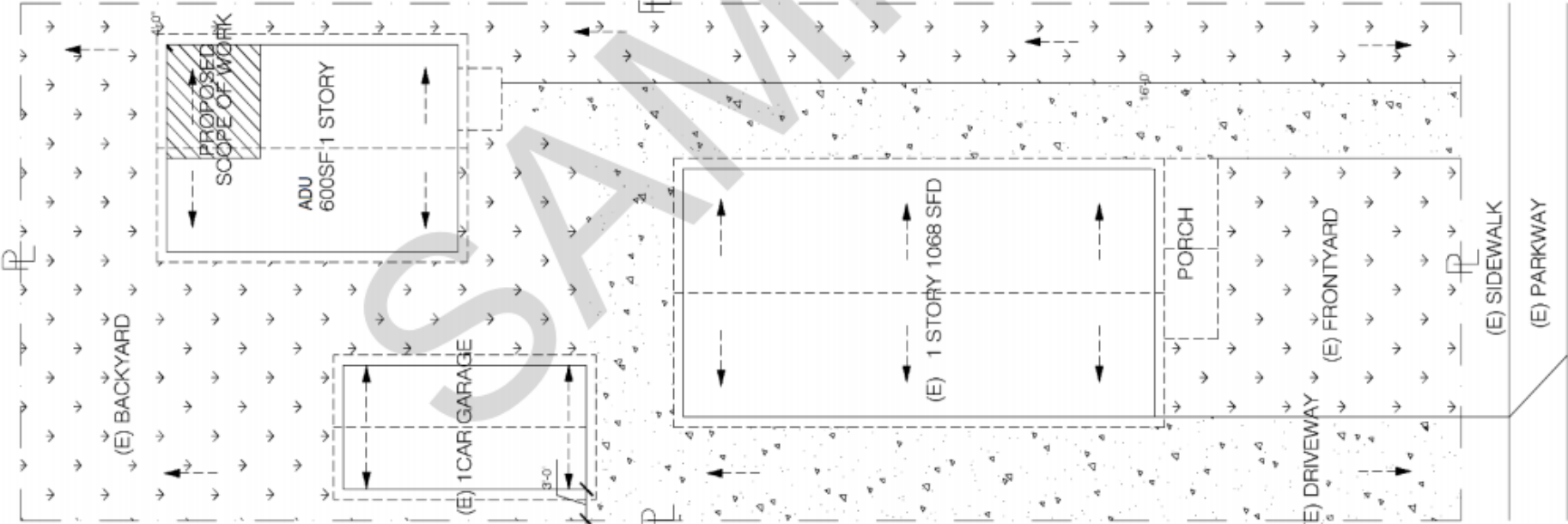
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**EXHIBIT A**

Lot Size: 7,400 sq. ft.  
 Existing and proposed square footage (all structures): 1,968 sq. ft.  
 Proposed lot coverage: 26%  
 Proposed accessory dwelling unit square footage: 600 sq. ft.



**FLOOR PLAN - ADU**



**SITE PLAN**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California                    }  
County of Los Angeles               }

On \_\_\_\_\_ before me, \_\_\_\_\_, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary Public

(seal)