



# CITY OF FRANKLIN

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

## Memorandum

**To:** City of Franklin Economic Development Commission  
**From:** Krista Linke, Director of Planning & Economic Development  
**Date:** April 2, 2012  
**Re:** Case C 2012-29: Laugle Properties

### Summary:

1. On April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2008, the Franklin Common Council passed Resolution No. 2008-06, approving a 10-year tax abatement on real property for Laugle Properties, located at 351 Blue Chip Court.
2. Actual and estimated benefits, as projected for 2011:

|                            | Estimated on SB-1 | Actual in 2011 | Difference |
|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|
| Employees Retained         | 17                | 16             | -1         |
| Salaries                   | \$551,760         | \$641,523      | \$89,763   |
| New Employees              | 2                 | 12             | 10         |
| Salaries                   | \$64,480          | \$663,958      | \$599,478  |
| Total Salaries             | \$616,240         | \$1,305,481    | \$689,241  |
| Average Hourly Salaries    | \$15.59           | \$22.42        | \$6.82     |
| Real Property Improvements | \$804,500         | \$900,000      | \$95,500   |

3. Dualtech was located across the street at 400 Blue Chip Court. There was a fire on February 3, 2008 at this location which destroyed all of Dualtech's equipment and damaged the building. Dualtech relocated to 351 Blue Chip Court. Laugle Properties is the owner of 351 Blue Chip Court and Dualtech leases the real estate from them.
4. The company has exceeded their estimate provided on the SB-1 Form for real property.
5. Overall, the company has exceeded the total number of employees as well as the average hourly salary for these employees estimated on the SB-1 Form.
6. The real property tax abatement is scheduled to expire in tax year 2019 payable 2020. The final compliance review will take place in 2020.

### Staff Recommendation:

Approval



Laugle Properties, LLC  
3719 E 700 N.  
Whiteland, IN 46184  
738-5966



February 17, 2012

Krista Linke  
Dept. of Planning and Economic Dev.  
70 E. Monroe St.  
Franklin, IN 46131

RE: Tax Abatement Compliance for Laugle Properties, LLC

Enclosed please find Form CF-1 (Compliance with Statement of Benefits) regarding compliance with real property tax abatements; which were granted to Laugle Properties, LLC in 2008 under Franklin Common Council Resolution No. 08-06.

As can be seen from reviewing the enclosed documents, our company has been highly successful in (a) making all of the capital investments which had been projected for the initial year, and (b) creating the full complement of jobs which had been proposed in the Statement of Benefits (Form SB-1) which was approved on April 30, 2009.

Please review all of the enclosed documents, and if you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

  
Sandy Laugle  
Laugle Properties, LLC

Enclosures



# COMPLIANCE WITH STATEMENT OF BENEFITS REAL ESTATE IMPROVEMENTS

State Form 51766 (R2 / 1-07)

Prescribed by the Department of Local Government Finance

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FORM CF-1 / Real Property

## PRIVACY NOTICE

The cost and any specific individual's salary information is confidential; the balance of the filing is public record per IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.1 (c) and (d).

This statement is being completed for real property that qualifies under the following Indiana Code (check one box):

- ☒ Redevelopment or rehabilitation of real estate improvements (IC 6-1.1-12.1-4)  
☐ Eligible vacant building (IC 6-1.1-12.1-4.8)

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- This form does not apply to property located in a residentially distressed area. (IC 6-1.1-12.1-2 (b))
- Property owners must file this form with the County Auditor and the Designating Body for their review regarding the compliance of the project with the Statement of Benefits (SB-1 / Real Property).
- This form must accompany the initial deduction application that is filed with the County Auditor.
- Property owners whose Statement of Benefits was approved after June 30, 1991, must file an updated form with the County Auditor and the local Designating Body to show the extent to which there has been compliance with the Statement of Benefits. (IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.1)
- The updated form must be filed annually by May 15, or by the due date for the real property owner's personal property return that is filed in the township where the project is located, whichever is later. (IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.1 (b))
- With the approval of the Designating Body, compliance information for multiple projects may be consolidated on one (1) compliance form (CF-1 / Real Property).

## SECTION 1

### TAXPAYER INFORMATION

Name of taxpayer

Laugle Properties, LLC - Jack and Sandy Laugle

Address of taxpayer (number and street, city, state, and ZIP code)

3719 E 700 N Whiteland, IN 46184

Name of contact person

Jack or Sandy Laugle

Telephone number

738-5966

## SECTION 2

### LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Name of designating body

City of Franklin Common Council

Resolution number

08-06

Location of property

351 Blue Chip Court, Franklin

County

Johnson

DLGF taxing district number

031

Description of real property improvements:

20,000 sq.ft manufacturing facility

Estimated starting date (month, day, year)

04/01/2008

Estimated completion date (month, day, year)

07/01/2008

## SECTION 3

### EMPLOYEES AND SALARIES

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#### AS ESTIMATED ON SB-1

#### ACTUAL

Current number of employees

17

16-28

Salaries

551,760.00

641,523.00 - 1,305,481

Number of employees retained

17

16

Salaries

551,760.00

641,523

Number of additional employees

2

12

Salaries

64,480.00

663,958.00

## SECTION 4

### COST AND VALUES

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#### REAL ESTATE IMPROVEMENTS

##### AS ESTIMATED ON SB-1

##### COST

##### ASSESSED VALUE

Values before project

100,000.00

67,500.00

Plus: Values of proposed project

804,500.00

Less: Values of any property being replaced

Net values upon completion of project

904,500.00

##### ACTUAL

##### COST

##### ASSESSED VALUE

Values before project

100,000.00

Plus: Values of proposed project

900,000.00

Less: Values of any property being replaced

Net values upon completion of project

1,000,000.00

## SECTION 5

### WASTE CONVERTED AND OTHER BENEFITS PROMISED BY THE TAXPAYER

#### WASTE CONVERTED AND OTHER BENEFITS

#### AS ESTIMATED ON SB-1

#### ACTUAL

Amount of solid waste converted

Amount of hazardous waste converted

Other benefits:

## SECTION 6

### TAXPAYER CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the representations in this statement are true.

Signature of authorized representative

Title

Date signed (month, day, year)

Member

02/17/2012

Dualtech, Inc.  
 351 Blue Chip Court  
 P.O. Box 476  
 Franklin, IN 46131

Attachment to Form CF-1 (Compliance with Statement of Benefits)  
 Job Creation Schedule by Quarter

| Actual Number<br>Of Employees<br>As of 12/31/10 | Proposed Total<br>Number of employees<br>by 12/31/11<br>(From SB-1) | Actual Number of Employees<br>During Year (by Quarter) | Actual Total<br>Number of<br>Employees<br>as of 12/31/11 | Difference between<br>Actual and Proposed<br>Number of<br>Employees |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 22                                              | 19                                                                  | 3/31/11 +1<br>6/30/11 -1<br>9/30/11 +5<br>12/30/11 +1  | 28                                                       | +9                                                                  |

## Dualtech, Inc.

## JOB CREATION/ RETENTION TABLE

|          | Year | Prof/Mangerial | Secretary | Lab Tech. | Machine Operators | Total | Proposed Salary |
|----------|------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|-------|-----------------|
| Proposed | 1    | 2              | 1         | 1         | 13                | 17    | \$551,760       |
| Actual   | 1    | 2              | 1         | 2         | 11                | 16    | 641,523         |
| Proposed | 2    | 2              | 1         | 1         | 15                | 19    | \$616,240       |
| Actual   | 2    | 2              | 1         | 2         | 17                | 22    | \$895,071       |
| Proposed | 3    | 2              | 1         | 1         | 15                | 19    | \$616,240       |
| Actual   | 3    | 2              | 2         | 2         | 22                | 28    | \$1,305,481     |
|          |      |                |           |           |                   |       |                 |
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## Laugle Properties, LLC

## INVESTMENT TIMETABLE

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