Disclaimer and Informed Consent

The goal of South San Francisco's guaranteed income program is to provide our community members with additional economic stability. To that end, our program is designed and structured in a way that participation will leave you, the participant, in a better economic position than when you began. For that reason, the money dispersed to participants in this program are considered "gifts" by a non-profit 501©3 non-profit organization and is not considered taxable income under IRS law and does not exceed the yearly gift tax limit of $15,000 (Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, 2018).

However, there are other public benefits that may be negatively affected, as they can at times consider monetary gifts as a contributing factors in program eligibility and/or benefits calculations. Thus, receiving monetary gifts as a participant in this program may lead to a reduction in your public benefits and careful consideration and cost-analysis and consultation with your benefits counselor(s) is mandatory before signing up as a participation in South San Francisco GI program.

Public benefits to consider may include but not be limited to: Health insurance, food assistance, and housing support. The crosswalk on the following page should be used as a guide only, not a promise or guarantee about how participation in this program may possibly affect your benefits, as eligibility requirements and rules change regularly across different local, state and federal assistance programs.

I have read this document in full and understand all contents.

Name_____

Date_____

Signature_____

I understand that participation in this program is voluntary and I accept any and all risks to my current and future benefits eligibiliy or level of assistance

Name_____

Date_____

Signature_____

I have consulted my benefits counselor(s) and have determined that participation in this program is worth the risks involved and I chose to participate

Name_____

Date_____

Signature_____