TRANSMITTAL

To: THE COUNCIL

Date: 08/30/22

From: THE MAYOR

TRANSMITTED FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION. PLEASE SEE ATTACHED.

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Honorable Eric Garcetti Mayor, City of Los Angeles 200 North Spring Street, Room 303 Los Angeles, CA 90012

Attention: Heleen Ramirez, Legislative Coordinator

COUNCIL TRANSMITTAL: LOS ANGELES HOUSING DEPARTMENT (LAHD) REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SIX CONTRACTORS RESULTING FROM THE LEAD TECHNICAL SERVICES AND SECTION 106 HISTORIC PRESERVATION SERVICES RFP

SUMMARY

The General Manager of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) respectfully requests that your office review and approve this transmittal and forward it to the City Council for further consideration. Through this transmittal, LAHD seeks approval and requests authority to execute six contracts with the recommended proposers for the provision of Lead Technical Services and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services.

Upon approval of the recommendations, all contracts are anticipated to be executed on or about October 1, 2022, for an initial contract period of one year, with the option to extend for two (2) additional one-year periods. The combined contract amounts will not exceed \$205,000 from the funding sources identified in this transmittal.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

I. That the Mayor review this transmittal and forward to the City Council for further action;

II. That the City Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

A. AUTHORIZE the General Manager of LAHD, or designee, to execute contracts with the contractors identified below for the provision of services related to the ongoing operation of the City's Lead Hazard Remediation Program (LHRP) and Section 106 Historic Preservation reviews, for a term of one year commencing on or about October 1, 2022, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year periods, pending on funding availability. The combined sum of contract compensation for the six contracts is not to exceed \$205,000, in substantial conformance with the draft agreements in Attachment B to this report and subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and in compliance with the City's contracting requirements:

An Equal Opportunity Employer

- i. ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc. for the provision of lead and asbestos inspection, survey, and analysis services in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 from the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424;
- ii. Lead Tech Environmental, Inc. for the provision of lead inspection, survey, and analysis services in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 from the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424;
- iii. EMSL Analytical, Inc. for the provision of laboratory lead and radon testing services in an amount not to exceed \$10,000 from the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424;
- iv. Forensic Analytical Consulting Services as the recipient of a sole source contract for the provision of technical training services in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 from the LAHD Small Grant Funds and Awards Fund No. 49N;
- v. Overland Pacific & Cutler for the provision of relocation services in an amount not to exceed \$35,000 from the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424;
- vi. ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc. for the provision of Section 106 Historic Preservation Services in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 from the HOME Investment Partnerships Program Fund No. 561 (\$80,000) and the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424 (\$20,000). Of the \$20,000 funding for the Community Development Trust Fund No. 424, split between the Community Investment for Families Department (CIFD) and LAHD at \$10,000, respectively. CIFD will engage directly with ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc. for the provision of services for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funded projects requiring environmental clearance review by CIFD staff.
- B. AUTHORIZE the General Manager of LAHD, or designee, and any technical adjustments consistent with the Mayor and Council actions related to this matter, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer.

BACKGROUND

The City's Lead Hazard Remediation Program (LHRP) is a comprehensive program designed to identify and control lead-based paint hazards in privately owned housing built before 1978, which was the year lead-based paint was banned for residential use. There are existing lead-based paint hazards found in pre-1978 homes that continue to pose serious health risks to residents, especially children under the age of six, who are the most vulnerable since their nervous systems are in the developing stages. LAHD administers the LHRP, which provides grants to remediate lead-based paint hazards for low-income households with children under the age of six, with the goal of mitigating lead-based health risks. All rental or owner-occupied residences located throughout the City are eligible to participate in the program. Since the inception of the program, the LHRP has completed 2,333 lead-safe units and expended a total of \$19,396,932 for remediation, for an average investment of \$8,314 per unit. However, due to supply shortages and inflation, the average investment has increased substantially, to over \$15,000 per unit for a one-bedroom apartment and an average of \$25,000 for a single-family home.

On June 18, 2021, the Mayor and City Council authorized LAHD to release the Lead Technical Services and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services Request for Proposals (RFP) to obtain qualified contractors for the

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LHRP, as well as for environmental reviews related to properties that have been determined to have historical significance.

Funding for the six proposed contracts consists of grant funds from the U.S. Conference of Mayors Lead Safe...for Kids' Sake Grants (C.F. No. 19-0087), HOME Investment Partnerships Program (HOME), and the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) (C.F. No. 21-1186-S1). LAHD proposes to enter into six contracts for Lead Technical Services and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services. The contractors selected for hazardous material inspection and survey and analysis, which are ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc. and Lead Tech Environmental Inc., will perform risk assessments and prepare paint inspection reports. The contractor selected for lead and radon laboratory testing, EMSL Analytical, Inc., will provide the lead clearance report from samples collected from dwelling units such as dust, paint chips, soil, and house waste characterization to ensure the property is lead safe. The contractor selected for technical training, Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, will provide training consistent with the guidelines of the two state agencies: California Department of Public Health and California Environmental Protection Agency. The contractor selected for relocation services, Overland Pacific & Cutler, will ensure occupants are relocated in accordance with federal, state, and local relocation regulations when lead hazard remediation work cannot be performed in a dwelling unit without the risk of exposing occupants to lead-based paint hazards. All services identified above must be provided by Statecertified professionals for any rehabilitation, abatement, or lead monitoring work performed under the LHRP, when applicable. The contractor selected for Section 106 historic preservation consulting, ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc., will provide services to assist LAHD to minimize the potentially adverse effects of federally-funded rehabilitation on properties with significant historical value.

After the initial one-year contract period, all future extensions of the proposed contracts will be subject to the following: contractor performance reviews, availability of funds, and compliance with City and federal contracting requirements.

Charter Section 1022 Review

On January 10, 2022, LAHD requested a determination from the Personnel Department, based on the provisions of the Charter Section 1022, on whether or not the City currently has the staff available to perform the required services. The Personnel Department conducted its review and determined that City employees do not possess the expertise to perform the scope of work for three of the RFP service categories: 1) Relocation Services; 2) Technical Training Services; and 3) Section 106 Historic Preservation Services, and that City employees do possess the expertise to perform the scope of work for the other two services: 4) Inspection, Survey, and Analysis for Hazardous Materials and 5) Laboratory Lead/Radon Testing. While the Personnel Department found that City employees could perform the proposed scopes of work for these services, the Office of the City Administrative Officer (CAO) determined that it would be more feasible to contract out the services.

RFP Process

On January 17, 2022, LAHD released the RFP on the Los Angeles Business Assistance Virtual Network. In response, representatives from 16 agencies attended the mandatory proposers' conference held on February 3, 2022. Proposals were due on March 14, 2022. A total of eight (8) proposals were submitted for the following RFP categories: Inspection, Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Material (lead and asbestos), Laboratory Lead and Radon Testing, and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services. There were no proposals submitted for Relocation Services or Technical Training Services. However, LAHD did seek to sole source contracts for both Relocation Services and Technical Training Services at a later time, after which LAHD did receive two proposals for Relocation Services. LAHD followed RFP processes for the two proposals for Relocation Services, and it was determined by the City Attorney that Relocation Services would no longer be categorized as a sole source

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contract.

Scoring

The proposals were reviewed to determine if the minimum threshold requirements were met. All eight proposals were deemed eligible.

All proposals were evaluated based on a maximum possible score of 100 in accordance with the evaluation criteria summarized in Table 1, below:

TABLE 1 – EVALUATION CRITERIA		
Description	Points	
<u>Capacity</u> Demonstrated ability, experience, and capacity to complete citywide projects within a reasonable amount of time and other items as outlined in the Scope of Work of this RFP.	35	
Qualifications Quality and depth of the proposer's experience and expertise as it relates to the services for which the contractor is applying including education and certifications; work experience with the City of Los Angeles, other government agencies, and private contract activities; description of services; references; and other items as outlined in the Scope of Work section of the RFP.	35	
Work Product A general assessment of the proposer's work samples.	15	
<u>Cost</u> The reasonableness and appropriateness of the proposed costs in relation to all other proposals.	15	
TOTAL	100	

The RFP scoring process involved the creation of five review panels composed of LAHD staff. Each proposal was reviewed by two panelists, with the exception of the Section 106 Historic Preservation proposals, which were reviewed by three panelists – the final score reflected the consensus of the panelists' scores. LAHD staff reviewed and scored each complete and fully responsive proposal submitted in accordance with the criteria set forth in the LAHD Lead Technical Services and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services RFP.

After a comprehensive review of the proposal submissions, LAHD recommends entering into contracts with six proposers for the provision of the following services: Inspection, Survey, and Analysis for Hazardous Material (lead and asbestos); Laboratory Lead and Radon Testing services; Relocation services; Technical Training; and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services. For the sixth contractor (see TABLE 2 – PROPOSER'S SCORES), LAHD requests authority to enter into a sole-source contract with Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. for the provision of Technical Training Services since there were no proposals initially submitted for this service.

Table 2, below lists the scores for each proposal per service category.

TABLE 2 – PROPOSER'S SCORES			
Service Category	Proposer	Score (100 points max)	
Inspection, Survey, and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Lead)	Lead Tech Environmental, Inc.	90.5	
Inspection, Survey, and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Lead)	ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.	86.5	
Inspection, Survey, and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Asbestos)	ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.	87.0	
Laboratory Lead/Radon Testing	EMSL Analytical, Inc.	88.0	
Relocation Services	Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC, (OPC)	95.0	
Technical Training Services	Forensic Analytical Consulting Services	84.0	
Section 106 Historic Preservation Services	ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc.	86.67	

On July 7, 2022, all proposers were notified of their scoring results and were provided the opportunity to appeal the results based on procedural issues only. LAHD provided proposers five (5) business days to file an appeal. No appeals requests were received by the due date of July 14, 2022.

Sole Source Justification

Technical Training Services was included in the Lead Technical Services and Section 106 Historic Preservation Services RFP; however, LAHD did not receive proposals for this service category. LAHD is requesting authority to execute a sole-source contract with Forensic Analytical Consulting Services to provide technical training services for a contract term of one year, with an option to renew for two (2) additional one-year periods. The contract is proposed to commence on or about October 1, 2022, as per the RFP. The City Attorney is in agreement with a sole source contract for Forensic Analytical Consulting Services.

Source of Funds

LAHD proposes to allocate \$205,000 in federal grant funds for the six contracts, consisting of \$50,000 from U.S. Conference of Mayors Lead Safe...for Kids' Sake Grants (C.F. No. 19-0087), \$80,000 in HOME funds, and \$75,000 in CDBG funds. The allocation of HOME and CDBG funds were authorized by the Mayor and City Council on June 20, 2022, as a part of the 48th Program Year Housing and Community Development Consolidated Plan (C.F. No. 21-1186-S1). A detailed description of the sources of funding for the six proposed contracts is provided in Table 3, below.

TABLE 3- FUNDING SOURCES

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Proposed Contractor	Service Category	Funding Source			
		LEAD GRANT (Fund 49N)	HOME (Fund 561)	CDBG (Fund 424)	TOTAL
ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.	Inspection, Survey, and Analysis			\$5,000 Account: 21W281	\$5,000
Lead Tech Environmental	Inspection, Survey, and Analysis			\$5,000 Account: 21W281	\$5,000
EMSL Analytical, Inc.	Laboratory Testing			\$10,000 Account: 21W281	\$10,000
Overland Pacific & Cutler	Relocation Services			\$35,000 Account: 21W281	\$35,000
Forensic Analytical Consulting Service	Technical Training Services	\$50,000 Account: 43H624			\$50,000
ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc.	Section 106 Historic Preservation		\$80,000 Account: 43W594	\$20,000 Account: 21W594	\$100,000
	GRAND TOTAL	\$50,000	\$80,000	\$75,000	\$205,000

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no impact to the General Fund. Approval of the recommendations will allow for LAHD to enter into six contracts for technical and consulting services related to the abatement of lead-based paint hazards in dwelling units. Funding for the services will be allocated from the U.S. Conference of Mayors Lead-Safe...for Kids' Sake Grants, HOME, and CDBG funds for a combined amount of \$205,000.

Approved By:

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ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department

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ATTACHMENTS:

EMSL Analytical_Lead Lab Testing_Pro forma ACC Environmental Consultants_Lead Tech Services_Pro Forma Lead Tech Environmental_Lead Tech Services_Pro Forma OPC_Relocation Services_Pro Forma Forensic Analytical Consulting_Technical Training Services_Pro Forma ICF Jones and Stokes_Section 106_Pro Forma

CITY OF LOS ANGELES STANDARD LANGUAGE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

Agreement No.	
Project Title:	Laboratory Testing Services
Primary Services Location:	
Contractor:	EMSL Analytical, Inc.
Type of Organization:	a New Jersey for profit corporation
Corporate Number:	<u>C2069026</u>
UEID Number:	
CFDA Number:	
FAIN:	
Federal Award Date:	
Research and Development Aw	ard: Yes 🗆 No 🗵

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EXHIBIT J. CONTRACT CERTIFICATION CLAUSES THIS AGREEMENT is entered into between the City of Los Angeles ("City"), a municipal corporation, and EMSL Analytical, Inc. ("Contractor"), a New Jersey for profit corporation, for the provision of services related to the XXXX Program.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Grant Agreement with U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, ("Grantor" or "HUD"), to address the needs of the City, and the Grantor has awarded Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds to the City for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department ("LAHD"), has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, LAHD cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the XXXX program that is the subject of this Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the LAHD budget by HUD pursuant to the CDBG Funds; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter §1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX dated Month Day, Year), that authorize the General Manager of LAHD to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and Contractor agree as follows:

1. INTRODUCTION

§101 TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement including all exhibits and attachments, including, but not limited to, the Standard Provisions for City Contracts, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, shall constitute the terms of this Agreement.

§102 NOTICES

The parties to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be forwarded are as follows:

A. The City, represented by:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, Ninth Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to:

Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager Lead Program, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

B. The Contractor, represented by:

Daniel Kocher, National Business Director of Chemistry and Contracts EMSL Analytical, Inc. 200 Route 130 Cinnaminson, NJ 08077 Phone Number contracts@emsl.com

§103 SERVICE OF NOTICES

- A. The City's representative as stated above is the party authorized to provide written approvals by City to Contractor in reference to matters addressed in this Agreement.
- B. Formal notices, demands, and communications required by this Agreement to be given by either party shall be made in writing and may be delivered personally or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.
- C. If the name and/or address of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications changes, the affected party shall notify the other party in writing of the change in accordance with this section within five (5) days of the change.

§104 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EXECUTION

- A. Prior to the execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City for approval in writing the following documents:
 - 1. Insurance Certificates The requirements and instructions for completing, executing, and submitting evidence of insurance to the City are set forth in the City's Insurance Requirements, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference, and more fully described in §502 herein below.
 - 2. If the City has approved the advancement of CDBG funds to Contractor, a Special Bank Account Agreement with a bank is required for the deposit of the advanced CDBG funds. The Special Bank Account Agreement

shall be on a form supplied by the City that sets forth the right of the City to exercise a suspension of business upon proper notice to the bank by the City.

- 3. An Affirmative Action Plan in accordance with §503, herein
- 4. A Code of Conduct that meets the requirements of §504(B) herein.
- B. Prior to execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the City with the documents listed below. Contractor shall provide immediate updates to these documents to the City during the Term hereof in the event that the information changes.
 - 1. A current list of the members of the Board of Directors with their individual addresses and telephone numbers where they may be reached.
 - 2. Contractor's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to those Articles, as filed with the Secretary of State.
 - 3. Contractor's Bylaws, and all amendments to those Bylaws, as adopted by Contractor and properly attested.
 - 4. Resolutions of Executorial Authority or other corporate actions of the Contractor's Board of Directors, properly attested or certified, which specify the name(s) of the person(s) authorized to obligate Contractor and execute contractual documents. If the authorized person is someone other than Contractor's Corporate President, then Contractor shall also submit a copy of a signature specimen(s) on a form provided by the City.
 - 5. A current and valid license to do business in the City of Los Angeles. Contractor represents that it has obtained and presently holds the Tax Registration Certificate(s) required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance (Article 1, Chapter 2, §21.00, *et seq.*, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code). For the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain, or obtain as necessary, all Certificates required of it under the Business Tax Ordinance and shall not allow the Certificates to be revoked or suspended.
 - 6. An Internal Revenue Service taxpayer identification number.
 - 7. A Contractor Responsibility Ordinance Questionnaire in accordance with PSC 31 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.40 *et seq*.
 - 8. A Certification Regarding Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with the requirements of the Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation as it relates to the Living Wage Ordinance.
 - 9. A Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion, fully executed in accordance with Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, and attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference.
 - 10. A Certification Regarding Lobbying, fully executed in accordance with City Directive 91-3 (July 27, 1990) and attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with all provisions of 31 USC §1352 *et seq.* and 29 CFR Part 93.
 - A Certification of Compliance With Equal Benefits Ordinance/Reasonable Measures Application for Equal Benefits Ordinance in accordance with PSC – 26 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.8.3.
 - 12. Compliance with, and/or completion of, the Disclosure Ordinance Affidavit setting forth the requirements of the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance (in accordance with PSC 33 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts), and the Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance, as set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.41 *et seq.*, and the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.50, respectively.
 - 13. A Management Representation Statement fully executed in accordance with City's fiscal policies and attached hereto as Exhibit "F" and incorporated herein by reference.

14. Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC-307) fully executed in accordance with the CSBG Agreement and attached hereto as Exhibit "J" and incorporated herein by reference.

§105 CONTRACTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL DOCUMENTS

Contractor warrants that it has adopted, shall retain, and make available upon request from the City, the following documents and their amendments, if any:

- A. Contractor's Financial and Accounting Procedures, which incorporate Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) including, but not limited to, the preparation and submission of invoices, reconciliation of cash on-hand and earnings with City records, reporting and tracking of customer activity and earnings, repayment of unearned funds, preparation for the resolution of audits and inspections, inventory control, reporting and tracking of program income.
- B. Contractor's Personnel Policy, which incorporates due process protection and standard personnel procedures, and which the Contractor agrees to abide by in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. Agreements with Other Funding Sources: A copy of any agreements between Contractor and other public or private organizations that directly impact the activities funded under this Agreement shall be kept on file at Contractor's offices and be provided to the City upon Agreement execution. Contractor shall also notify City of any default, termination, or finding of disallowed costs under these agreements. Contractor warrants that no other funding source will be billed for services that are provided and paid for by the City under this Agreement.
- D. Board of Director's meeting minutes.

§106 CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO NOTIFY CITY OF CHANGES

- A. Contractor agrees to provide the City sixty (60) days advance written notice of any facts that may materially affect the performance of this Agreement or impact the City's decision to continue this Agreement with the Contractor. Among the items to be disclosed are an amendment to its Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, move to dissolve or transfer any assets derived from funds provided under §301 herein, negotiations leading to the sale, merger or acquisition of Contractor; debarment or contract termination by any other public entity and/or any final audit findings regarding Contractor's administration of any contract with public funds.
- B. Contractor shall notify the City within five (5) days of changes affecting this Agreement including actions that would change Contractor's legal status, any action that may materially change the performance of the Scope of Work (i.e., bankruptcy) and/or a change in Contractor's corporate name.

2. TERM, SCOPE OF WORK, BUDGET AND PROJECT ELIGIBILITY

§201 TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. The term of this Agreement shall be from **October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023**, with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year terms, provided that said term is subject to the provisions of this Agreement ("Term"). Performance shall not commence until the City has approved all of the required documents described hereinabove, and is in receipt of those and/or other documents as described herein.
- B. The City may, at its discretion, agree to extend the Term and/or provide additional funds to Contractor. Funding for contract extensions will be based on the availability to the City of state and/or federal funds and upon the Contractor's successful performance of all terms of this Agreement.

§202 SCOPE OF WORK AND CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor shall provide laboratory lead and radon testing services. Contractor must have all required certifications in order to perform this work.

The detailed Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit "G" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall complete the Scope of Work during the Term, except as otherwise provided herein.

§203 BUDGET

Contractor shall submit to the City for approval prior to the disbursement of any funds hereunder a proposed Budget. The Budget shall be prepared in accordance with the budget guidelines to be provided by the City. The Budget is a detailed listing of items for expenditure and scope of service(s) under the terms herein. The Budget shall be submitted with all backup documentation as required and/or a cost allocation plan, if necessary and appropriate. All requests to modify the Budget must be made in writing and must be approved in writing by the City. The Budget shall also describe all subcontractor services to be used by the Contractor and the payment procedures for subcontractors.

§204 IDENTIFICATION OF PROJECT ELIGIBILITY/NATIONAL OBJECTIVES

A. This program is eligible under 24 CFR 570 *et seq.* as follows (indicate all appropriate letters and sub-numbers, project may be eligible under several criteria):

201 (a-q) <u>e</u>	204 (a) <u>X</u>
202 (a-c)	205 (a)
203 (a-c)	206 (a-h)

- B. All programs funded with CDBG funds must meet one of three national objectives. This project meets the following national objective (check only one):
 - 1. X Activities benefiting very low and low income persons under 24 CFR 570.208 (a)
 - a. _____ Area-wide benefit project affecting _____ percent very low and low income persons as indicated in the 2010 census.
 - b. _____ Limited-Clientele activities: 570.208(a)(2): A __; B __; C __; D ___
 - c. ____ Housing activities
 - d. _____ Job Creation/Retention activities that are designed to create or retain jobs for at least 51% very low and low income persons.
 - 2. Activities which aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, under 24 CFR 570.208 (b).
 - a. _____ Activity is located in a slum or blighted area, which has been (check one):

designated as a Redevelopment Project Area;

List conditions of slum or blight to be addressed by the project. (Complete only for projects qualifying under 570.208 (b)(1), prevention or elimination of slums or blight.)

- b. _____ Activity is located outside a slum or blighted area, but qualifies under spot slum and blight conditions.
- c. _____ Activity will address slum or blight in an urban renewal/ redevelopment area.
- 3. Activities designed to meet community development needs having a particular urgency, under 24 CFR 570.208 (c).
- C. Contractor, during the Term, shall not perform services, or otherwise engage in any activities, that are not consistent with the national objective and project eligibility. Should the City determine that Contractor has performed services or otherwise engaged in activities not in furtherance of the national objective and/or project eligibility, then the City may disallow payment for such services/activities, terminate this Agreement and/or take any other actions as authorized herein.

3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

§301 CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION

- A. Compensation
 - The City shall pay Contractor an amount not to exceed **Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000)**, for the complete and satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work (Exhibit G). These funds shall be allocated from Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. Contractor's right to receive compensation is conditioned upon approval of the Budget by the City, compliance with the City's indemnification and insurance requirements, satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work, and compliance with the terms and conditions contained herein.
 - 2. In no event shall the final expenditures for the Term exceed the total compensation set forth above except as provided for by an amendment to this Agreement.
 - 3. Contractor's reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work shall be made only upon acceptance by the City of the Contractor's invoice and supporting documentation as described in the Reporting Requirements, Section 601 herein below.
 - 4. Expenditures shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Checks, payrolls, invoices, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Undocumented expenditures shall not be paid under this Agreement.
 - 5. The City shall pay Contractor for salaries and eligible, allowable, and reasonable expenses as detailed in the approved Budget.
 - 6. Contractor shall be paid either on a cost reimbursement or advance basis. If the Contractor were to receive advance funds, it must execute a City approved Special Bank Account Agreement before receipt of funds and shall comply with all contract and regulatory requirements for safeguarding advance funds. Request for advance payment basis is subject to City approval. A Contractor on a cost reimbursement basis of payment shall be paid by the City only upon reporting of actual costs incurred.
- B. Funding of Agreement

Funding for the Scope of Work and Budget is subject to the continuing availability of funds for this program. This Agreement may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor of a loss or reduction of grant funds.

- C. Payment to the Contractor
 - 1. The City makes no commitment to fund this project beyond the initial Term of this Agreement. The City shall review Contractor's performance on a periodic basis. In the event the City determines that Contractor is not meeting its proposed performance measures, the City may unilaterally reduce the compensation set forth above in compliance with the provisions set forth in this Agreement, upon written notice to Contractor and as set forth by a written amendment.
 - 2. Contractor shall be reimbursed for reasonable and allowable expenses incurred. Unless Contractor has been approved to receive advance payments, all payments shall be on reimbursement basis. Contractors who are on an advance payment plan authorized by the City as described in the Budget shall bill the City for all reasonable and allowable costs incurred.
 - 3. Contractors not receiving advance payment plan shall request reimbursements by submitting the cash request, monthly expenditure report and all other documentation, as required by City. Contractor shall be reimbursed after City has received the monthly expenditure report and all other required documents and after City determines that Contractor has incurred and expended funds for reasonable and allowable costs under this Agreement.

- 4. Reasonable and allowable costs shall be determined pursuant to the Allowable and Unallowable Cost section herein.
- D. Stand-In Costs: Contractor shall identify, document, and account for stand-in costs in accordance with the Department's guidelines.
- E. Profit: Contractor shall comply with any City Directives regarding profit or return on investment.
- F. Indirect Costs: For purposes of allocating indirect costs, contractors may use current negotiated indirect cost rates that have been approved by a cognizant federal agency. Contractor shall submit a copy of the approval letter from the cognizant agency. The Contractor may elect to use the 10 percent de minimis rate, if the Agency does not have an approved indirect cost rate as permitted under 45 CFR § 75.414(f) and 2 CFR § 200.414(f).
- G. Applicable Discounts: Contractor warrants that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs billed to the City.
- H. Concurrent Enrollment: If the Contractor is serving customers, concurrently utilizing more than one funding stream, the Contractor is responsible for tracking the services delivered and the expenditures reported to ensure that services and expenditures are not duplicated.
- I. Overtime Work: Contractor is responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the Federal award through the application of sound management practices. The approved Budget for this Agreement does not include any line item for overtime work. Any overtime expenditures incurred by Contractor shall not be reimbursed through this Agreement.
- J. Travel: Travel must be approved in advance by the City and included in the Budget. Contractor shall be compensated for its reasonable travel expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work and in compliance with 2 C.F.R §200.474.
- K. Reallocation of Funds: City reserves the right to unilaterally decrease funds allocated to Contractor in the event that the City determines that (i) Contractor has failed to provide adequate services as required in this Agreement, (ii) Contractor, based on its spending pattern as evidenced by invoices submitted, will have unexpended funds at the end of the Term, or (iii) City determines that a reallocation of funds would better meet program objectives. Such reallocation of funds may be by written amendment to this Agreement or unilaterally imposed by the City by written notice to Contractor.

4. METHODS AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING PAYMENT

§401 WITHHELD PAYMENTS

- A. Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or not released if funds granted to the City are suspended or terminated.
- B. The City has the authority to withhold funds under this Agreement pending a final determination by the City of questioned expenditures or indebtedness to the City arising from past or present agreements between the City and the Contractor. Upon final determination by the City of disallowed expenditures or indebtedness, the City may deduct and retain the amount of the disallowance or indebtedness from the amount of the withheld earned funds.
- C. In the event of a final determination of disallowed costs or a determination of unearned grant funds by either the City, the State, or Grantor, Contractor agrees that it shall pay to the City in non-federal funds, the amount of the final disallowance within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the City that such funds are due.
- D. Payments to the Contractor may be unilaterally withheld or reduced by the City if the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions contained herein.

§402 FUNDS EARNED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT

Contractor shall not earn funds provided hereunder prior to the commencement or after the end of the Term. Contractor shall not earn funds subsequent to suspension or termination of this Agreement.

§403 ALLOWABLE AND UNALLOWABLE COSTS

- A. To be eligible for payment, costs or expenditures must be made in compliance with the terms herein, and the provisions of 2 C.F.R Part 200, and set forth below:
 - 1. Be necessary and reasonable for the proper and efficient performance of the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Budget; the City shall have final authority to determine in good faith whether an expenditure is necessary and reasonable.
 - 2. Conform to the limitations within these general conditions and to any governing statutes, regulations and ordinances.
 - 3. Be fully documented and determined in accordance with GAAP.
 - 4. Not be included as a cost or used to meet cost sharing or matching requirements for any other government funding source in either the current or a prior period, except when permitted by the respective government funding sources.
- B. The following costs, among others, are specifically disallowed:
 - 1. Bad Debts: Any losses arising from un-collectible accounts and other claims, and related costs.
 - 2. Contingencies: Contributions to a contingency reserve or any similar provisions for unforeseen events.
 - 3. Contributions and donations.
 - 4. Entertainment: Costs of amusements, social activities and incidental costs, such as meals, beverages, lodging and gratuities relating to entertainment, or any political or lobbying activity.
 - 5. Fines and Penalties: Costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with federal, State, and local laws and regulations.
 - 6. Interest and Other Financial Costs: Interest or borrowings (however represented), bond discounts, cost of financing and refinancing operations, and legal and professional fees paid in connection therewith.
 - 7. Membership Expenses: Costs of membership in any organization that devotes a substantial part of its activities to influencing legislation.
 - 8. Meeting Attendance: Costs of attending meetings directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are not open for attendance on a non-segregated basis.
 - 9. Non-competitive Subcontracts: Payments under a subcontract not obtained under competitive bidding procedures unless specifically waived in writing by the City.
 - 10. Insurance policies offering protection against debts established by the federal government.
 - 11. Costs prohibited by §200.450 include Lobbying or costs related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress of the United States.
 - 12. Advancements or reimbursements for expenditures that are determined by the City to be unallowable must be immediately returned to the City.
 - 13. Grant funds may not be used to supplant existing services.

§404 PROGRAM INCOME

- A. Program income is defined as income earned through the activities funded hereby and as set forth in 2 CFR 200.80 and 200.307. Program income includes, but is not limited to, grants, fees that duplicate payments, average daily attendance payments earned through program funded activities, and public or nonprofit agency revenues in excess of contract costs.
- B. Interest earned on advances received by Contractor is program income. All interest earned must be reported as part of the Contractor's monthly expenditure report and must be returned to the City quarterly by separate check made payable to the City and which identifies that the amount represents interest earned on advanced funds.
- C. Any program income must be reported to the City on the expenditure report, and must be returned to the City in accordance with the City's written direction to the Contractor. At the City's discretion, program income may be used to augment the Contractor's program. Use of program income is permitted only by written amendment to this Agreement. Should this use of program income be approved, Contractor shall maintain records in support of all earnings and expenditures relating to the use of those funds in accordance with City record retention and audit requirements. The City shall monitor Contractor's compliance with all program income requirements.
- D. Contractor's failure to comply fully with program income requirements including any City Directives or regulations shall result in findings of disallowed costs.

§405 RETURN OF PROGRAM INCOME

Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days of the end of the Term, transmit to the City any, and all, remaining program income directly generated by funds provided hereby

§406 RETURN OF UNEXPENDED FUNDS AND CLOSEOUTS

- A. Contractor agrees that upon either the completion or termination of this Agreement any unexpended funds, whether advances, interest earned on advances or unearned funds, shall be immediately returned to the City and in no event later than forty-five (45) days after completion or termination.
- B. Contractor shall submit a complete and accurate final closeout invoice of costs and reimbursements for services performed hereby to the City within forty-five (45) days following the termination or completion of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to comply with the 45-day requirement may result in a unilateral close-out by the City based on previous invoices filed with the City, and/or the imposition of sanctions as specified herein. Requests for payment after the 45 days shall not be paid by the City.

§407 VALIDITY OF FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSIONS

Financial reports submitted to the City shall be accurate and correct in all respects. Should inaccurate reports be submitted to the City, the City may elect to have the Contractor secure the services of a licensed accounting firm. Cost of such accounting services are to be borne by the Contractor and are not to be reimbursed from the funds authorized hereby unless specifically agreed to between Contractor and the City by written amendment.

5. STANDARD PROVISIONS

The provisions of the body of this Agreement shall prevail over the provisions of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts should there be any inconsistency. The term "contract" as used in the Standard Provisions for City Contracts shall include this Agreement.

§501 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In implementing this Agreement, Contractor represents and certifies that it will:

- A. Comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments; and California Government Code Section 11135.
- B. Not discriminate in the provision of its programs, services or activities on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability.
- C. Provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to all of its programs, services and activities.

Contractor represents and certifies that any construction for housing performed with funds provided through this Agreement will be done in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 CFR, Part 40.

Contractor represents and certifies that its buildings, and facilities used to provide services in accordance with this Agreement, are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Agreement.

Contractor will require its subcontractors, if any, to include this language in any subcontract.

§502 INSURANCE

- A. General Conditions
 - 1. During the Term and without limiting Contractor's duty of indemnification herein, Contractor shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having coverage and limits customarily carried and actually arranged by the Contractor but not less than the amounts and types listed on the Required Insurance And Minimum Limits Sheet (Form Gen. 146) in Exhibit B hereto, covering its operations hereunder. Such insurance shall conform to City requirements established by Charter, ordinance or policy, shall comply with instructions set forth on the City of Los Angeles–Instructions And Information On Complying With City Insurance Requirements (Revised 05/18) document, and shall otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. Specifically, such insurance shall: 1) protect City as an Insured or an Additional Interest Party, or a Loss Payee As Its Interest May Appear, respectively, when such status is appropriate and available depending on the nature of applicable coverage; 2) provide City at least thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation, material reduction in coverage or reduction in limits when such change is made at option of the insurer; and 3) be primary with respect to City's insurance plan. Except when City is a named insured, Contractor's insurance is not expected to respond to claims which may arise from acts or omissions of the City.
 - 2. The standard City insurance conditions are incorporated into the sample standard subcontract provisions. The specific insurance coverages and limits shall be described by contractor in any RFP for subcontractor services. These coverages and limits should be tailored to the individual subcontract. For City contracts, Required Insurance and Minimum Limits are set by the City Risk Management staff in the Office of the City Administrative Officer on the Form Gen. 146. Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your evidence of insurance documents. KwikComply™ is the City's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. The easiest and guickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply™ at https://kwikcomply.org and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf. Additional instructions and information on complying with City insurance requirements can be found at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/Submitting proof of Insurance.pdf.
- B. Modification of Coverage

City reserves the right at any time during the Term to change the amounts and types of insurance required hereunder by giving Contractor ninety (90) days advance written notice of such change. If such change should

result in substantial additional cost to Contractor, City agrees to negotiate additional compensation proportional to the increased benefit to City.

C. Failure to Procure Insurance

All required insurance must be submitted and approved by the City Administrative Officer/Risk Management/Insurance and Bonds prior to the performance of services, inception of any operations or tenancy by Contractor. The required coverages and limits are subject to availability on the open market at reasonable cost as determined by City. Non-availability or non-affordability must be documented by a letter from Contractor's insurance broker or agent indicating a good faith effort to place the required insurance and showing as a minimum the names of the insurance carriers and the declinations or quotations received from each.

Within the foregoing constraints, Contractor's failure to procure or maintain required insurance or a selfinsurance program during the Term shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement under which City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement or, at its discretion, procure or renew such insurance to protect City's interests and pay any and all premiums in connection therewith and recover all monies so paid from Contractor.

D. Workers' Compensation

By signing this Agreement, Contractor hereby certifies that it is aware of the provisions of §3700 *et seq.*, of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and that it will comply with such provisions at all such times as they may apply during the performance of the work pursuant to this Agreement.

A Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City will be required when work is performed on City premises under hazardous conditions.

§503 NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable nondiscrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate in its employment practices, including compensation, against any employee or applicant for employment, because of such person's race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship and political affiliation or belief. The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity", as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR Part 60).
- B. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code Sections 10.8 through 10.13, to the extent applicable hereto. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Contractor shall comply with the Equal Employment Practices provisions of Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.3, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Affirmative Action Program of this Agreement shall be the mandatory contract provisions set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.4, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall also comply with all rules, regulations, and policies of the City's Board of Public Works, Office of Contract Compliance relating to nondiscrimination and affirmative action.
- C. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Agreement, to the extent allowed hereunder, shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- D. No person shall on the grounds of race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship, and political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under this program/project. For purposes of this Section, Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations Part 107 and Section 570.601(b) defines specific discriminatory actions that are prohibited and corrective action that shall be taken in a situation as defined therein.

E. Contractor agrees to adhere to the Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Practices ("ND/EEP") and Affirmative Action ("AA") program provisions during the entire duration of this contract. Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to comply with any and all ND/EEP and AA provisions as set forth in the applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and/or laws.

§504 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any agreements and/or amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

- B. Code of Conduct
 - 1. The City requires that all contractors/subcontractors adopt a Code of Conduct that, at a minimum, reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive Number FY 12-0001. The Code shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution of this Agreement.
 - Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 3. Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administering any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such a person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act (California Government Code §87100 *et seq.*) if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 4. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes but is not limited to domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-inlaw, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.
 - Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent or more; ownership of five percent or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the board of directors or governing body.
 - c. A "subcontract" is any agreement entered into by a Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.

- 5. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- 6. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City agreement.
- 7. Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- 8. Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within an one-year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- 9. For further clarification of the meaning of any of the terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City, State, and federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- 10. Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- 11. Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one year thereafter.
- 12. Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor."
- 13. Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.

§505 COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL STATUTES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor warrants and certifies that it shall comply with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and orders of the United States, the State, the County and City of Los Angeles. Contractor understands that failure to comply with any of the following assurances may result in suspension, termination or reduction of grant funds, and repayment by Contractor to City of any unlawful expenditures. Contractor further warrants and certifies that it shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, and/or procedures that apply to the performance of this Agreement.

A. Statutes and Regulations Applicable To All Grant Contracts

Contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of State, federal, County and City of Los Angeles laws, executive orders, regulations, program and administrative requirements, policies, and any other requirements governing this Agreement, including, but not limited to laws and regulations pertaining to labor, wages, hours, and other conditions of employment. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

1. OMB Circulars

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u>.

2. Single Audit Act

Contractor shall adhere to the rules and regulations of the Single Audit Act, 31 USC §7501 et seq.; City Council action dated February 4, 1987 (C.F. No. 84-2259-S1); and any administrative regulation or field memos implementing the Act. The provisions of this paragraph survive expiration or termination of this Agreement. Also see §608(C) for additional audit requirements.

- 3. Political and Sectarian Activity Prohibited
 - a. None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office. Neither shall any funds provided under this Agreement be used for any purpose designed to support or defeat any pending legislation or administrative regulation. None of the funds provided pursuant to this Agreement shall be used for any sectarian purpose or to support or benefit any sectarian activity.
 - b. Contractor shall file a disclosure form at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure or which materially affects the accuracy of any of the information contained in any disclosure form previously filed by Contractor. Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. Records Inspection
 - a. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the U.S. Comptroller General and the Auditor General of the State of California, through any authorized representative, may deem necessary, Contractor shall make available for examination all of its records, paper or electronic, with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State, through any authorized representative, shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including all Contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
 - b. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement.
- 5. Labor
 - a. Contractor shall comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed requirements for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
 - b. Contractor shall comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction sub agreements.
 - c. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC § 201) regarding wages and hours of employment.
 - d. None of the funds shall be used to promote or deter union/labor organizing activities (California Government Code §16645 *et seq*.).
 - e. Contractor shall comply with the Hatch Act (5 USC §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328).
 - f. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Article 3, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code of California, the California Child Labor Laws and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and regulations relative to employment, wages, hours of labor and industrial safety.
- 6. Civil Rights

Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352, 42 U.S.C. §2000d, and implementing regulations) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin and its implementing regulations and as applied through Executive Order No. 13166, entitled "Improving Access to Services

for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" ("LEP"), which requires recipients of federal funds, including Contractor, to take reasonable steps to insure meaningful access to its programs and activities by person with LEP as more fully described in HUD's final guidance contained in Federal Register, Volume 72, No. 13.

- b. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex.
- c. §§503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794, 45 CFR, Part 84), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap.
- d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age.
- e. The Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse.
- f. The Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616) as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism.
- g. §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records.
- h. Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 *et seq.*), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing.
- i. Any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for federal assistance is being made.
- j. The requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- k. P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
- I. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C. §2000e).
- m. The Americans with Disabilities Act 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq. and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) Pub.L.110-325 and all subsequent amendments.
- n. The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008 (GINA) P.L. 110-233.
- 7. Environmental
 - a. Contractor shall comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of federal participation in purchases.
 - b. Contractor shall comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §1451 *et seq.*); (f) conformity of federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under § 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.*); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L.

93-523) and the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986; (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205); (i) Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 §102(a) (P.L. 93-234); and (j) §508 of the Clean Water Act (38 U.S.C. §1360).

- c. Contractor shall comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §1271 *et seq*.) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
- d. Contractor shall comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §4822 *et seq*) that prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
- e. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §1251 *et seq*.) that restores and maintains the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the nation's waters.
- f. Contractor shall ensure that the facilities under its ownership, lease or supervision which shall be utilized in the accomplishment of this project are not listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) list of violating facilities and that it will notify the Federal Grantor agency of the receipt of any communication from the director of the EPA Office of Federal Activities indicating that a facility to be used in the project is under consideration for listing by the EPA.
- g. By signing this Agreement, Contractor ensures that it is in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* and is not impacting the environment negatively.
- h. Contractor shall comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- 8. Preservation

Contractor shall comply with §106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §469a-1 *et seq.*).

9. Suspension and Debarment

Contractor shall comply with Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 228, regarding Suspension and Debarment, and Contractor shall submit a certification Regarding Debarment required by EO 12549 and 12689, and any amendment thereto. Contractor shall require that the language of this Certification be included in the award documents for all sub-award at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify accordingly.

10. Drug-Free Workplace

Contractor shall comply with the federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 USC §8102, 28 CFR Part 67, and the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (California Government Code §§ 8350-8357).

11. Animal Welfare

Contractor shall comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, as amended (P.L. 89-544, 7 U.S.C. §2131 *et. seq.*)

- 12. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-161) grant funds will not be used in contravention of the federal buildings performance and reporting requirements of EO No. 13123, Part 3 of Title V of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. §8251 *et seq.*) or Subtitle A of Title I of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (including the amendments made thereby), nor shall grant funds be used in contravention of §303 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. §13212).
- 13. Contractor shall comply with Public Law 103-227, Part C-Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act). This Act requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted by entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State and local governments. Federal programs include

grants, cooperative agreements, loans or loan guarantees, and contracts. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug and alcohol treatment.

Contractor further agrees that the above language will be included in any subcontracts that contain provisions for children's services and that all subcontractors shall certify compliance accordingly.

- 14. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to Public Law 103-333, §507, to the extent practicable, that all equipment and products purchased with grant funds made available under this Agreement shall be American made.
- 15. Contractor shall administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which provisions supersede the OMB Circulars.
- 16. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (California Government Code §12650 *et seq.)*, including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) per false claim.
- 17. Mandatory Disclosures: The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for non-Compliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
- B. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to This Grant Agreement:

Contractor shall comply with the following statutes and regulations as applicable:

- 1. CDBG Program, including, but not limited to 42 U.S.C. §5301 et seq., and 24 CFR Parts 84, 85, and 570.
- Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint: Laws and regulations pertaining to abatement of asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) including insuring that all personnel involved in the abatement of removal process of all ACM and LBP will wear the necessary, legally required protective clothing and respiratory gear.
- 3. Archaeological Sites: If archaeological sites are determined to be located in the vicinity of the program site, a halt work condition is required to allow a state certified archaeologist to assess findings and all work to continue in non-archaeological areas.
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR, Part 31.
- 5. City of Los Angeles Ordinance 164244 relating to the 1% fee for public art.
- 6. Sweat-free Code of Conduct:

All contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment or supplies furnished to the State pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. Contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that it adheres to the Sweat-free Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov and Public Contract Code §6108. Contractor agrees to provide records requested by the Department of Industrial Relations or City to determine compliance with the foregoing requirements.

7. State Nondiscrimination Clause:

During the performance of this contract, contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass or allow harassment, against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, sexual

orientation, race, color, religious creed, marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, ancestry, national origin, medical condition (cancer/genetic characteristics), age (40 and above), disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, denial of pregnancy disability leave or reasonable accommodation. Contractor and subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code, §12900 et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code, §12990 (a)–(f), are incorporated into this contract by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

This Contractor shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts to perform work under contract.

8. Traveling Expenses:

Contractor's administrative-related travel and per diem reimbursement costs shall be reimbursed based on the Contractor's policies and procedures. For programmatic-related travel costs, Contractor's reimbursement rates shall not exceed the amounts established by the State Department of Personnel Administration Rules and Regulations, PML 97-024, Section 599.619, dated July 1, 1997 and Section 599.631, and as amended from time to time.

9. National Labor Relations Board Certification:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

10. Contractors for Legal Services \$50,000.00 or more – Pro Bono Requirement:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

11. Expatriate Corporations:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

- C. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to all HUD Funded Agreements:
 - 1. Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing
 - a. Eligibility for HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing:

A determination of eligibility for housing that is assisted by HUD or subject to a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) shall be made in accordance with the eligibility requirements provided for such program by HUD, and such housing shall me made available without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status. The terms "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" are defined in 24 CFR §5.100.

b. Prohibition of Inquiries on Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity:

No owner or administrator of HUD-assisted or HUD-insured housing, approved lender in an FHA mortgage insurance program, nor any (or any other) recipient or subrecipient of HUD funds may inquire about the sexual orientation or gender identity of an applicant for, or occupant of, HUD-assisted housing or housing whose financing is insured by HUD, whether renter- or owner-occupied, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the housing or otherwise making housing available.

This prohibition on inquiries regarding sexual orientation or gender identity does not prohibit an individual from voluntarily self-identifying sexual orientation or gender identity. This prohibition on inquiries does not prohibit lawful inquiries of an applicant or occupant's sex where the housing provided or to be provided to the individual is temporary, emergency shelter that involves the sharing of sleeping areas or bathrooms, or inquiries made for the purpose of determining the number of bedrooms to which a household may be entitled. The term "household" is defined in 24 CFR §570.3.

§506 FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

Federal, State, and local taxes shall be the responsibility of Contractor as an independent contractor and not as a City employee.

§507 INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

Contractor shall comply with the requirements regarding Inventions, Patents and Copyrights, which is attached hereto as Exhibit H and incorporated herein by reference.

§508 DISCLOSURE OF BORDER WALL CONTRACTING ORDINANCE

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting. The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50.

§509 CITY'S ADDITIONAL REMEDIES

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§510 PAYMENT DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

§511 WORK NOT IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 herein. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.

§512 PROHIBITION AGAINST DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS

Prohibition against duplication of benefits: Section 312 (42 U.S.C. 5155) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*) prohibits duplication of benefits for programs that provide financial assistance to people or entities suffering losses as a result of a Federally-declared disaster or emergency. The "duplication of benefits" occurs when Federal financial assistance is provided to a person or entity through a program to address losses resulting from a Federally-declared emergency or disaster, and the person or entity has received (or would receive, by acting reasonably to obtain available assistance) financial assistance for the same costs from any other source (including insurance), and the total amount received exceeds the total need for those costs. Contractor must establish and maintain adequate procedures to prevent any duplication of benefits with concurrent grant funds. The City will issue additional guidance to facilitate compliance with this requirement.

§513 COMPLIANCE WITH CURRENT APPLICABLE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND LAWS

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, City employees and the public.

§514 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

6. **GRANT REQUIREMENTS**

§601 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. General Reporting: Contractor shall furnish to the City at the times and on the forms and formats, electronically or manually, as the City may require all records, reports, data and information pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Program Reporting: Contractor shall submit to the City the following program reports as identified below. Contractor shall submit to the City all required documents in accordance with all City procedures and Directives, which are incorporated herein by reference.
 - 1. Monthly Fiscal Report
 - a. Expenditure Report Due on or before the 15th day of each month, the Contractor shall submit the Expenditure Report to the City, which reflects accrued expenditures as of the previous month on forms provided by the City.
 - b. Cash Request Due on or before the 15th day of the month, a Cash Request shall be submitted on forms provided. Contractors approved for cash advances shall submit a cash request on or before the 5th day of the month but not earlier than the 25th of the preceding month. If approved for cash advance, Contractor shall submit an expenditure report for costs incurred as of the 2 months preceding the month for which the cash is requested.
 - 2. Closeout Report
 - a. Costs reported are subject to City verification. Requests to modify the Budget shall be submitted to the City before closeout. Within 45 days following the completion of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City, on forms provided by the City, a complete and accurate closeout invoice, including:
 - 1) Accruals of allowable expenditures within the contract term and program's budget period;

- 2) Remittance for all unearned grant funds as identified in the close-out;
- 3) Program General Ledgers of all billed expenditures approved in the Budget;
- 4) Program Equipment Inventory List.
- b. In the event Contractor does not submit a final closeout or other required documentation within the prescribed time frame, the City reserves the right to unilaterally closeout the Agreement and use the invoice then on file at City for determination of Contractor's final allowable expenditures. The City will not reimburse Contractor for expenditures reported after the 45-day closeout date following the termination of this Agreement. The City shall provide to Contractor the City closeout forms at least 30 days before termination of the Agreement.

§602 MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

- A. Record Retention: Records, in their original form, shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Grantor and the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. Original forms are to be maintained on file for all documents specified in this Agreement. Unaltered copies of eligibility documents are acceptable. These records shall be retained for a period of six (6) years after termination of this Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. Pending matters include, but are not limited to, an audit, litigation, or other actions involving records. The City may, at its discretion, take possession of and retain the records. Before destruction of records retained under this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of the records.
- B. Location of Records: Records (including, but not limited to, customer files and fiscal documents in their original form) pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement shall at all times, be retained within the County of Los Angeles unless authorization to remove them is granted in writing by the City.

§603 CUSTOMER/APPLICANT FILES

Contractor shall complete and maintain on-site in each customer's file the following documents, as prescribed by program requirements: 1) application for all applicants; 2) eligibility documents (see note below); 3) assessment documents; 4) standard worksite training agreement (when applicable); 5) progress reports; 6) counseling documents, 7) job development records; 8) exit documents; 9) post placement follow-up documentation; 10) documentation of follow-up services; 11) employer verification documents; 12) verification documents for training completion; 13) written documentation that customer has received: program orientation, supportive services information, City complaint resolution procedures, contractor customer complaint resolution procedures; 14) documentation of supportive services received; and 15) documentation of credential received as a result of training.

NOTE: The City requires Contractor to verify and certify eligibility and maintain in the customer file, on-site, all eligibility documentation prior to, or as of, the date the applicant is registered in the program.

§604 EQUIPMENT RECORDS

A. Nonexpendable personal property (equipment) acquired with grant funds shall be properly maintained and accounted for as set forth below.

A record shall be maintained for each item of equipment acquired for the program. Equipment is nonexpendable property, which is not consumed or does not lose its identity by being incorporated into another item of equipment, which costs \$5,000 or more per unit, or is expected to have a useful life of one year or more. Items costing below \$5,000, but falling into the following categories are also considered equipment and records must be maintained for them: (1) electronic communications equipment for stationary or vehicular use, including cellular telephones acquired by lease or purchase, and (2) electronic office equipment as follows – facsimile machines, copiers, electric typewriters, personal computers (monitors and CPU's), terminals, and printers.

The record shall include: (1) description of the item of equipment, including model and serial number, if applicable; (2) date of acquisition; (3) the acquisition cost or assigned value to the program; and (4) source of acquisition.

B. A physical inventory shall be taken by Contractor and reconciled with the record card annually or at other times as the City shall prescribe.

§605 PURCHASE OR LEASE OF EQUIPMENT OR FACILITIES

Prior to the purchase or lease of equipment, Contractor shall receive prior City approval in writing and shall comply with all requirements described in this Agreement.

The term "equipment" as used in this Agreement shall be defined to mean personal property.

A. Lease of Equipment

A copy of each executed equipment lease agreement shall be submitted to the City before payment. Written amendments to equipment lease agreement shall comply with the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

B. Purchase of Equipment

All equipment shall be purchased and used in accordance with 2 CFR Parts 200.313 and 200.439. All property real and personal, purchased under this Agreement with grant funds and of over \$5,000 in value shall become the property of the City and shall be returned to the City upon termination of this Agreement, except as provided otherwise by the City in writing. Contractor shall file all Uniform Commercial Code statements for any eligible property purchased with grant funds and deliver a copy of the filing to the City.

- C. Lease of Property or Facilities
 - 1. All lease agreements shall incorporate the following provisions:
 - a. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision that allows the City, at its sole option, to assume the lease for its remaining term, under the same terms and conditions then in effect, in the event that the City terminates its Contractor's City Agreement or if Contractor abandons the lease.
 - b. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision, which provides that any improvements made to the facility or property by Contractor, inures to the benefit of the City, and the City may elect, at its sole option, to remove the improvements.
 - c. It is recommended that the Contractor, during lease negotiations, request the addition of a section to the lease agreement, whereby the lessor agrees that if lessee's grant funding for any calendar year decreases by \$500,000 or more from the previous calendar year, lessee may terminate the lease with 120 days written notice.
 - d. Contractor shall amend any current lease agreements to incorporate the above provisions.
 - 2. A copy of all leases and lease amendments must be reviewed and approved by the City prior to signature and be on file with the City prior to the release of funding.
 - 3. Contractor shall not sublease, assign, or amend in any manner leases paid for with funds under this Agreement without prior written City approval.
 - 4. Contractor shall invoice for only that portion of the lease cost that is allocated to the program funded by this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for collecting any portion of the rent due to Contractor under sublease agreements with partners or other entities.

§606 ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

- A. Contractor shall maintain a system of Internal Control in accordance with standard accounting practices.
 - 1. In accordance with GAAP and City Directives, financial systems shall include:
 - a. Information pertaining to sub-grant and contract awards, obligations, un-obligated balances, assets, expenditures, and income;

- b. Effective internal controls to safeguard assets and assure their proper use;
- c. A comparison of actual expenditures with budgeted amounts for each subgrant and contract;
- d. Source documentation to support accounting records;
- e. Proper charging of costs and cost allocation and be sufficient to (i) permit preparation of required reports, and (ii) permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to establish that funds have not been used in violation of the applicable restrictions on the use of the funds; and
- f. "Internal Control" for purpose of this Agreement, comprises the plan or organization and all of the coordinated methods and measures adopted within an organization to safeguard its assets, check the adequacy and the reliability of its accounting data, promote operating efficiency, and assure adherence to prescribed management policies.
- 2. Contractor shall submit its system of accounting procedures and Internal Control to the City before the City disburses any funds to the Contractor.

§607 DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURES

- A. Documentation of expenditures, including the necessary supporting records, must be made available upon request.
- B. Payroll expenditures shall be supported by activity reports that may include but not be limited to case reports, mileage logs, attendance rosters and other documents supporting work related to City contract or program.
- C. Contractor shall not release funds to any subcontractor for reimbursement of costs, until it has received adequate documentation from the subcontractor that the expenditures are reasonable and allowable under the sub-agreement. All documentation must remain on file at Contractor's office.

§608 AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the Grantor, the U.S. Comptroller General, Auditor General of the State of California or the City may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination, all of its records with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State shall have the authority to audit, examine and make excerpts, or transcripts from records, including all contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Access by the Grantor, City, the State, the DOL, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records (including computer records) of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to charges to the program, shall not be denied in order to conduct audits and examinations, and make excerpts, transcripts, and photocopies. This right also includes timely and reasonable access to Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.
- C. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement. When total expenditures under all federal programs in a fiscal year equal or exceed \$750,000, the Contractor shall conduct or have conducted on an annual basis, audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, PL 98-502, implementing regulations in the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which applicable provision supersedes OMB Circulars A-133 as applicable, (City Council action dated February 4, 1987, C.F. No. 84-2259-S1) and administrative regulations or field memos implementing revisions or updates to the audit requirements. The auditor's reports, prepared in accordance with the aforementioned requirements, and any accompanying management reports on the operation of the Contractor or this Agreement, shall be submitted to the City within nine (9) months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year.
- D. Contractor, should it meet the above threshold, shall annually subcontract with a qualified independent auditor.
- E. The audit is to be conducted annually to test the fiscal integrity of financial transactions as well as compliance with the applicable laws and regulations.

- F. Contractor, not later than thirty (30) days following receipt of the final audit report and within nine (9) months after the close of Contractor's fiscal year, shall submit a copy of the report to the LAHD Financial Management Division.
- G. If the auditor's report or management report identifies deficiencies with internal controls or contract compliance, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a corrective action plan along with the auditor's reports. The plan shall address all deficiencies and provide specific details on corrective actions to be taken along with the date the action was or will be implemented.
- H. If the expenditures under all federal programs are less than \$750,000, Contractor shall permit the City to conduct a performance review of this Agreement and all related records in accordance with directives received from the City.
- I. In the event that Contractor is operating on a for-profit basis, Contractor shall conduct a program-specific annual independent financial and compliance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, or an organization-wide audit that includes coverage of the City program within its scope.
- J. The City reserves the right to impose any or all of the following sanctions for Contractor's failure to comply with the Single Audit Act and the provisions of this Agreement:
 - 1. Withhold a percentage of payments, at the City's sole discretion, until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to LAHD, and/or.
 - 2. Suspend payments due to Contractor until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to the City; and/or Impose the Default, Probation, Suspension and Termination provisions of this Agreement as set forth herein.
- K. City, Auditor General of the State, Grantor, Director of the Office of Civil Rights, and the U.S. Comptroller General shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including contracts, invoices, customer records and other records supporting this Agreement. Audits of earned funds are limited to determining if such funds were earned in accordance with this Agreement.
- L. City may require Contractor who has inadequate fiscal or administrative procedures, to use any or all of the City's accounting or administrative procedures used in the planning, controlling, monitoring, and reporting of fiscal matters relating to this Agreement; or secure at Contractor's expense the service of independent experts.
- M. City shall have the authority to make physical inspections and to require such physical safeguarding devices as locks, alarms, safes, fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems, etc., to safeguard property, records and/or equipment used in the performance of this Agreement.
- N. Should a fiscal or special audit determine that Contractor has earned funds which are questioned under the criteria set forth herein, the Contractor shall be notified and given the opportunity to justify questioned expenditures prior to the City's final determination of disallowed costs, in accordance with the procedures established under the Grant.

§609 CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION

- A. The Grantor, the City, and Contractor will exchange various kinds of information pursuant to this Agreement. That information will include data, applications, program files and databases. These data and information are confidential when they define an individual or an employing unit. Confidential information requires special precautions to protect it from unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification, and destruction. The sources of information may include, but are not limited to, the Employment Development Department, the California Department of Social Services, the California Department of Education, the County Welfare Department(s), the County IV-D Directors Office of Child Support, the Office of the District Attorney, the California Department of Mental Health, the California Office of Community Colleges, and the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- B. The City and Contractor agree that:
 - 1. Each party shall keep all information that is exchanged between them in the strictest confidence and make such information available to their own employees only on a "need-to-know" basis.

- Each party shall provide written instructions to all of its employees with access to information provided by the other party of the confidential nature of the information and of the penalties for unauthorized use or disclosure found in §1798.55 of the Civil Code, §502 of the Penal Code, §2111 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, §10850 of the Welfare and Institutions Code and other applicable local, State and federal laws.
- 3. Each party shall (where appropriate) store and process information in an electronic format, in such a way that unauthorized persons cannot reasonably retrieve the information by computer, remote terminal, or other means.
- 4. Each party shall promptly return to the other party confidential information when its use ends or destroy the confidential information utilizing an approved method of destroying confidential information by shredding, burning, or certified, or witnessed destruction. Magnetic media are to be degaussed or returned to the other party.
- 5. If the City or Contractor enters into an agreement with a third party to provide services, the City or Contractor agrees to include these data and security and confidentiality requirements in the agreement with that third party. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.
- 6. Each party shall designate an employee who shall be responsible for overall security and confidentiality of its data and information systems and, each party shall notify the other of any changes in that designation. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.

§610 SECURITY CLEARANCE AND TUBERCULOSIS TEST OF STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

- A. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor and subcontractor staff working with youth, either as employees or volunteers, who have a supervisory or disciplinary authority over minors must be fingerprinted and pass the background check, as required by California Penal Code §11105.3 and California Education Code §45125.1 and §10911.5. Fingerprinting and a background check may be required of other staff and volunteers depending upon how much contact the staff member will have with minors. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining security clearances for staff whose duties require a sufficient level of interaction with youth.
- B. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor shall have Tuberculosis (TB) tests completed on any staff member working with the youth.
- C. Contractor shall maintain proof of Security Clearance and TB tests of all staff, including those of the subcontractors, and make these records available for future inspection.

§611 RESTRICTION ON DISCLOSURES

Prior to the release of any reports, analyses, studies, information, or data generated as a result of this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City of the request to release the information. Release of information shall be coordinated by Contractor and the City and shall be in compliance with state and federal law.

§612 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM RECORDS AND REPORTS

- A. Contractor shall report to the City numeric data, statistics, facts, news, details and information for its City-funded project(s) using forms and formats such as the electronic Integrated Services Information System prescribed by the City for this purpose.
- B. The City shall rely upon and use records and monthly invoices located at the City, and on-site verifications, as needed, to substantiate Contractor's performance and expenditure data, including, but not limited to, enrollment, training services, placement activities, wages, business/job creation, and post-program services status.
- C. The City may contact Contractor staff, participants, subcontractors, training institutions or schools to verify the documentation supporting performance and compliance with this Agreement.

§613 INSTALLATION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SIGN

Contractor shall install, or allow to be installed, for public display upon the program site premises a sign, identifying Contractor as receiving financial assistance from the City and HUD.

§614 PRESS RELEASES--PUBLIC INFORMATION

Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency and that Contractor is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer in all communications with the press, television, radio or any other means of communicating with the general community. Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency of the program regarding any items that are related to the program funded hereby. Contractor shall also coordinate press releases with the media/public relations project for maximum impact.

§615 NOTICE TO CITY OF LABOR DISPUTES

When Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute involving participants or other employees is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Agreement Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof, including all pertinent information, with regard to same to City. No funds provided hereby shall be used to promote or deter union organizing.

§616 LISTING OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH EDD

Contractor shall list all Contractor's job openings with the local Employment Development Department Office when such job openings are funded, in full or in part, through monies provided hereby.

§617 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Should Contractor need technical assistance from the City regarding matters that are the subject of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit a written request to the City identifying the nature of the problem, the action Contractor has taken to resolve the problem, and the type of assistance needed.

§618 PROHIBITION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Contractor is prohibited from using Grant funds received under this Agreement for the purpose of instituting legal proceeding against the City and/or HUD or their officials, employee or representatives.

§619 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING FOR DENIAL OF CLIENT BENEFITS BY CONTRACTOR – IF APPLICABLE

- A. Contractor has read and agrees to strictly comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, §100751, as amended, which sets forth elements to be included in client benefit denial appeal procedures and shall advise individuals who have been denied assistance of their 20-day right to appeal to the State for an administrative hearing pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §8624(b) (13), as amended.
- B. The client may withdraw request for appeal for administrative hearing at any time during the appeal process by rendering written or oral notice to the State. Where oral notice is given, such notice shall be confirmed in writing by the parties.

§620 FAITH-BASED ACTIVITIES

Organizations that are religious or faith-based are eligible, on the same basis as any other organization, to participate in the grant-funded program. However, a contractor that participates in a grant-funded program shall comply with the following provisions if it is deemed to be a religious or faith-based organization.

A. Contractor may not engage in inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, as part of the programs or services funded under this Agreement. If Contractor conducts such activities, the activities must be offered separately, in time or location, from the programs or services funded under this Agreement, and participation must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the grant-funded programs or services.

- B. A religious or faith-based contractor will retain its independence from federal, State, and local governments, and may continue to carry out its mission, including the definition, practice, and expression of its religious beliefs, provided that it does not use direct grant funds to support any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.
- C. A religious or faith-based contractor may use space in their facilities to provide grant funded services, without removing religious art, icons, scriptures, or other religious symbols.
- D. A religious or faith-based contractor retains its authority over its internal governance, and it may retain religious terms in its organization's name, select its board members on a religious basis, and include religious references in its organization's mission statements and other governing documents.
- E. A religious or faith-based contractor shall not, in providing program assistance, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospective program beneficiary on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- F. Grant funds may not be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities.
- G. Grant funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under this section. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, grant funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to grant funds herein. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a grant funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for grant funded improvements. Disposition of real property after the term of the grant, or any change in use of the property during the term of the grant, is subject to government-wide regulations governing real property dispositions.

§621 CHILD ABUSE

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (California Penal Code §11164 *et seq.*), and specifically §§ 11165.7, 11165.9 and 11166 therein.

7. SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

§701 SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall comply with the federal and City standards in the award of any subcontracts. For purposes of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to, purchase agreements, rental or lease agreements, third party agreements, consultant service contracts and construction subcontracts. Contractor shall comply with subcontracting/procurement requirements set forth in Exhibit "I", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall ensure that the terms of this Agreement are incorporated into all subcontractor agreements. Contractor shall submit all subcontractor agreements to the City for review prior to the release of any funds to the subcontractor. Contractor shall withhold funds to any subcontractor that fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and their respective subcontractor agreement.

8. <u>REMEDIES</u>

§801 DEFAULTS

Should the Contractor fail for any reason to comply with the contractual obligations of this Agreement, including but not limited to, meet the Performance Standards, start up the program on time, provide services according to plan and/or to benefit customers and the provisions of the Agreement, maintain expenditures at an approved rate in the Budget, resolve performance problems in a timely manner, demonstrate the capabilities to solve identified problems within a specific time, provide necessary fiscal or Management Information Services documents to City in a timely manner, maintain agreed cost per placement or utilize grant funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement, the City reserves the right to take any or all of the following actions at its discretion:

A. Notify Contractor of performance deficiencies in accordance with §804 of this Agreement.

- B. Withhold the release of funds.
- C. Require that no funds be advanced to Contractor until Contractor has provided for the security of funds advanced by a Surety/performance bond. The amount and form of the security, if required, shall be determined by the City as noted on the Insurance Requirement Form and is subject to prior City approval.
- D. Modify and/or renegotiate the funding/service level and/or make any changes in the general scope of this Agreement.
- E. Require Contractor to secure at its own expense the services of independent experts.
- F. Require specific performance progress reports for identified time periods.
- G. Reduce compensation within the scope of the City's reallocation policy.
- H. Suspend operations in accordance with §803 below of this Agreement.
- I. Terminate the Agreement.

§802 NOTICE TO CORRECT PERFORMANCE

- A. The City may notify Contractor of its failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement by giving written notice, effective upon date of such notice, which states the specific performance deficiencies to be corrected.
- B. Within five (5) working days, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions that will be undertaken to remedy the performance deficiencies, which actions are subject to City approval in writing.
- C. Contractor shall thereafter submit monthly progress reports to the City in accordance with the City approved corrective action plan specifying the actions taken and resolution of the performance deficiencies.

§803 SUSPENSION OF THE AGREEMENT

- A. The City may, by giving written notice, suspend all or part of the project operations for Contractor's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and may notify the bank identified on the City form referenced in §104A.3 above that all funds are frozen pending further notice from the City. This Notice of Suspension shall be effective upon the date of the City's written notice.
- B. This notice shall set forth the specific conditions of noncompliance and the period provided for corrective action.
- C. Within five (5) working days from the date of written City notification, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions which will be undertaken, subject to City approval in writing.

§804 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- A. At any time during the Term the City may terminate this Agreement, or any part of the Agreement, upon giving Contractor at least 30 days written notice prior to the effective date of the termination, which date shall be specified in the notice. The City is not required to use other remedies provided herein prior to issuing a 30 day notice to terminate the Agreement. Upon the receipt of such notice, Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, cost or expenses, except as may be reasonably necessary to terminate its activities or as otherwise approved by the City.
- B. Contractor shall retain and dispose of all customers' documents and related records required by Contractor under this Agreement, in accordance with City Directives or written instructions. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Agreement, including all intellectual property rights thereto, shall become City property upon the date of such termination. Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.
- C. Contractor shall return to the City all equipment that was purchased with City grant funds pursuant to this Agreement.

- D. In the event Contractor dissolves or otherwise goes out of existence, copies of all records relating to the project or activity that are the subject of this Agreement shall be furnished to the City.
- E. Upon satisfactory completion and documentation of termination activities, the City shall determine the total amount of funds earned by Contractor.
- F. The City may withhold any payments due to Contractor after notice of termination has been issued for the purpose of set-aside until the exact amount of damages or unearned dollars due to the City from Contractor is determined.
- G. Subsections B, C, D, E, and F above shall also apply to Agreements terminating upon the date specified in §201 of the foregoing Agreement or upon completion of performance of this Agreement.
- H. This Agreement may be terminated immediately for any violation of City Lobbying Ordinances.
- I. In the event the City terminates this Agreement as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- J. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement, under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had not been issued pursuant to this section.

§805 NOTICES OF SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION

In the event that this Agreement is suspended or terminated, Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and customers and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of Agreement within five (5) working days from the City's written notice.

9. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

§901 SURVIVAL OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All terms and conditions of this Agreement which impose a duty, obligation or requirement on Contractor that extend beyond the Term hereof shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Such terms and conditions shall include, but not be limited to, §§404 through 407, 505(A)(2), 602, 604 and 608.

§902 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the documents regarding this Agreement, said inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to (i) the body of the Agreement, (ii) the terms of applicable City ordinances and regulations, (iii) the other exhibits and attachments hereto, and (iv) any documents provided by Contractor.

§903 RATIFICATION CLAUSE

Due to the need for the Contractor's services to be provided for the benefit of the community, Contractor may have provided services prior to the execution of this Agreement. To the extent that said services were performed prior to the execution of this Agreement but in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, such preexecution services are hereby ratified and accepted.

§904 COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§905 NUMBER OF PAGES AND ATTACHMENTS

This Agreement is executed in three (3) duplicate originals, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes thirty-three (31) pages and ten (10) exhibits that constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

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[Signatures continue on next page.]

10. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	Executed this day of	_, 2022
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	For: CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
By: Assistant/Deputy City Attorney	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
Date:		
ATTEST:	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk		
By: Deputy City Clerk		
Date:	Executed this day of	_, 2022
	For: EMSL Analytical, Inc.	
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By: Authorized Signatory #1 Official Title	
	By: Authorized Signatory #2 Official Title	
City Tax Registration Certificate Number: XXXXXXXX		
Internal Revenue Service ID Number: XXXXXXXX		
Council File Number: XXXXXXXX; Date of Approval: Month	<u>ı Day, Year</u>	
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STANDARD PROVISIONS FOR CITY CONTRACTS

PSC – 1. CONSTRUCTION OF PROVISIONS AND TITLES HEREIN

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the **CITY** or **CONTRACTOR**. The word **"CONTRACTOR"** includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural; if there is more than one **CONTRACTOR**, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

PSC – 2. APPLICABLE LAW, INTERPRETATION AND ENFORCEMENT

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**, including, but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to **CONTRACTOR**.

In any action arising out of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law of a federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of the Contract shall not be affected.

PSC – 3. TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This contract has been signed on behalf of **CONTRACTOR** by the person or persons authorized to bind **CONTRACTOR**;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the **CITY** by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.

PSC – 4. INTEGRATED CONTRACT

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous Contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of PSC-5 hereof.

PSC – 5. <u>AMENDMENT</u>

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of PSC-3.

PSC – 6. <u>EXCUSABLE DELAYS</u>

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of **CONTRACTOR** shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both **CONTRACTOR** and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, **CONTRACTOR** shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit **CONTRACTOR** to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event **CONTRACTOR'S** delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, **CONTRACTOR** agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

PSC – 7. WAIVER

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

PSC – 8. SUSPENSION

At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing **CONTRACTOR** with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to **CITY** until **CITY** gives written notice to recommence the services.

PSC – 9. <u>TERMINATION</u>

A. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

CITY may terminate this Contract for **CITY'S** convenience at any time by providing **CONTRACTOR** thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. **CITY** shall pay **CONTRACTOR** its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination. Thereafter, **CONTRACTOR** shall have no further claims against **CITY** under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights **CITY** is entitled to, shall become **CITY** property upon the date of the termination. **CONTRACTOR** agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

B. TERMINATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

1. Except as provided in PSC-6, if **CONTRACTOR** fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, **CITY** may give **CONTRACTOR** written notice of the default. **CITY'S** default

notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of **CITY**. Additionally, **CITY'S** default notice may offer **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to provide **CITY** with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to **CITY** within the time period allowed by **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may accept or reject **CONTRACTOR'S** plan. If the default cannot be cured or if **CONTRACTOR** fails to cure within the period allowed by **CITY**, then **CITY** may terminate this Contract due to **CONTRACTOR'S** breach of this Contract.

- 2. If the default under this Contract is due to **CONTRACTOR'S** failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. **CONTRACTOR** shall not recommence performance until **CONTRACTOR** is fully insured and in compliance with **CITY'S** requirements.
- 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against **CONTRACTOR**, or if **CONTRACTOR** makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 4. If **CONTRACTOR** engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates **CITY'S** laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude

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- a. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify CITY if CONTRACTOR or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
- b. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- c. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may terminate this Contract after providing **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to present evidence of **CONTRACTOR'S** ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
 - Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of **CONTRACTOR**.

- 6. In the event **CITY** terminates this Contract as provided in this section, **CITY** may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as **CITY** may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and **CONTRACTOR** shall be liable to **CITY** for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that **CONTRACTOR** was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to PSC-9(A) Termination for Convenience.
- 8. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

PSC – 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of **CITY**.

PSC – 11. <u>CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL</u>

Unless otherwise approved by **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Contract. **CITY** has the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall remove personnel from performing work under this Contract if requested to do so by **CITY**.

CONTRACTOR shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Contract without the prior written approval of **CITY**. If **CITY** permits the use of Subcontractors, **CONTRACTOR** shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Contract and paying all Subcontractors. **CITY** has the right to approve **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and **CITY** reserves the right to request replacement of any Subcontractor. **CITY** does not have any obligation to pay **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity of contract between **CITY** and any Subcontractor.

PSC – 12. ASSIGNMENT OR DELEGATION

CONTRACTOR may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of CITY:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

PSC – 13. PERMITS

CONTRACTOR and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors, shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications and other documents necessary for **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals, or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract.

PSC – 14. CLAIMS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS

CONTRACTOR shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against any **CITY** property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by **CONTRACTOR** hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

PSC – 15. CURRENT LOS ANGELES CITY BUSINESS TAX REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

For the duration of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by **CITY'S** Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 *et seq.* of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

PSC – 16. <u>RETENTION OF RECORDS, AUDIT AND REPORTS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by **CITY**. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by **CITY**, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized **CITY** personnel or **CITY'S** representatives at any time. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide any reports requested by **CITY** regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, **CONTRACTOR** may, upon **CITY'S** written approval, submit the required information to **CITY** in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 17. BONDS

All bonds required by **CITY** shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 *et seq.*, as amended from to time.

PSC – 18. INDEMNIFICATION

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of **CITY**, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in interest, **CONTRACTOR** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including **CONTRACTOR'S** employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by **CONTRACTOR**, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION

CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the **CITY**, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**,

including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of **CITY'S** actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in PSC-21) furnished by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 20. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY WARRANTY

CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributory, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

PSC – 21. OWNERSHIP AND LICENSE

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of **CITY** for its use in any manner **CITY** deems appropriate. **CONTRACTOR** hereby assigns to **CITY** all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

CONTRACTOR agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause **CITY** irreparable harm. **CITY** may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude **CITY** from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which **CITY** may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to **CITY** that are not originated or prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall secure a grant, at no cost to **CITY**, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any **CITY** purposes.

CONTRACTOR shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of **CITY**.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that **CITY'S** ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

PSC – 22. DATA PROTECTION

A. **CONTRACTOR** shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, **CITY**-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). **CONTRACTOR** shall notify **CITY** in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of **CONTRACTOR'S** discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or

potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. **CONTRACTOR** shall begin remediation immediately. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by **CITY**, regarding findings and actions performed by **CONTRACTOR** until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to **CITY'S** satisfaction. **CONTRACTOR** shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. **CONTRACTOR** shall cooperate fully with **CITY**, its agents and law enforcement.

B. If **CITY** is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then **CONTRACTOR** shall fully indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and defend against any resulting actions.

PSC – 23. INSURANCE

During the term of this Contract and without limiting **CONTRACTOR'S** obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit 1 hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to **CITY'S** requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit 1 hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit 1 hereto. Exhibit 1 is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

PSC – 24. <u>BEST TERMS</u>

Throughout the term of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR**, shall offer **CITY** the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of **CONTRACTOR'S** customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

PSC – 25. WARRANTY AND RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within **CONTRACTOR'S** profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

PSC – 26. MANDATORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**. In performing this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference.
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract.
- D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 27. CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, **CONTRACTOR** shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the **CONTRACTOR** under this Contract. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 28. <u>LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 29. SERVICE CONTRACTOR WORKER RETENTION ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 30. ACCESS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

CONTRACTOR represents and certifies that:

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;
- B. **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to **CITY**-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

CONTRACTOR understands that **CITY** is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 31. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

PSC – 32. BUSINESS INCLUSION PROGRAM

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. **CONTRACTOR** shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. **CONTRACTOR** shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall **CONTRACTOR** reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of **CITY**.

PSC – 33. SLAVERY DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 *et* seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 34. FIRST SOURCE HIRING ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 35. LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 36. IRAN CONTRACTING ACT

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with **CITY** for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contacting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

PSC – 37. RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDRAISING IN CITY ELECTIONS

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected **CITY** office, **CONTRACTOR**, **CONTRACTOR'S** principals, and **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles **CITY** to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected **CITY** officials or candidates for elected **CITY** office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #______. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("CITY") officials and candidates for elected CITY office for twelve months after the CITY contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the **CONTRACTOR** and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

PSC – 38. <u>CONTRACTORS' USE OF CRIMINAL HISTORY FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT</u> <u>APPLICATIONS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 39. LIMITATION OF CITY'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE PAYMENT TO CONTRACTOR

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for **CITY** to comply with its governing legal requirements, **CITY** shall have no obligation to make any payments to **CONTRACTOR** unless **CITY** shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any services provided by **CONTRACTOR**, purchases made by **CONTRACTOR** or expenses incurred by **CONTRACTOR** in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to **CITY** and **CITY** shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. **CONTRACTOR** shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriated amount(s) until **CITY** appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

PSC – 40. COMPLIANCE WITH IDENTITY THEFT LAWS AND PAYMENT CARD DATA SECURITY STANDARDS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. **CONTRACTOR** also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, **CONTRACTOR** shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

PSC – 41. COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCE CODE 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of **CONTRACTOR** working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at **CONTRACTOR'S** sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal

Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

PSC – 42. POSSESSORY INTERESTS TAX

Rights granted to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** may create a possessory interest. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall pay the property tax. **CONTRACTOR** acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

PSC – 43. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

All documents, information and materials provided to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** or developed by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. **CONTRACTOR** shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by **CITY** or as required by law. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 44 <u>COVID-19</u>

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services. Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders

EXHIBIT B Form Gen 146 (Rev. 6/12) Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

Name:		EMSL Analytical, Inc.	Date:	XX/XX/XXXX	
Agreen	nent/	Reference: Laboratory Lead and Radon Testing Se	rvices		
occupa	ncy/	f coverages checked below, with the specified mi start of operations. Amounts shown are Combined s stituted for a CSL if the total per occurrence equals of	Single Limit	s ("CSLs"). For Autor	
\boxtimes	Wo	rkers' Compensation (WC) and Employer's Liabi	lity (EL)		WC <u>Statutory</u>
			₋ongshore a Jones Act	& Harbor Workers	EL <u>\$1,000,000</u>
\boxtimes	Gei	neral Liability			<u>\$ 1,000,000</u>
	\square	Products/Completed Operations	Sexual Misc	conduct \$	
	Aut	tomobile Liability (for any and all vehicles used for other than commuting to/from w		ct,	\$
		ofessional Liability (Errors and Omissions) covery Period <u>12 Months After Completion of Work</u>	Termination.	<u>\$ 1,000,000</u>	
	Pro	pperty Insurance (to cover replacement cost of build by insurance company)	ling - as del	termined	\$
			Boiler and M Builder's Ris		
	Pol	lution Liability			\$
	Sur	rety Bonds – Performance and Payment (Labor and	Materials)	Bonds 10	00% of the contract price
	Cri	me Insurance			\$
Other:	1) <u>F</u>	Professional Liability Insurance is required for any Co	ontractor or	Sub-Contractor that r	equires a Licensed

Professional Liability insurance is required for any Contractor of Sub-Contractor that requires a Licensed Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement.
 2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

NAME: Analyst Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE: XXX-XXX-XXXX

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Agreement/Reference** All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the **types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts** specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For As-needed Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. **KwikComply** is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access **KwikComply** at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. **General Liability** insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. **Sexual Misconduct** coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. **Fire Legal Liability** is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (<u>www.2sparta.com</u>), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. **Automobile Liability** insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. **Errors and Omissions** coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. **Cyber Liability & Privacy** coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT C CERTIFICATION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Living Wage Ordinance. Contractor shall post a copy of the Notice to Employees Working on City Contracts Re: Living Wage Ordinance and Prohibition Against Retaliation, which is as below, in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees.

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (English).pdf and in Spanish at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (Spanish).pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section at (213) 847-2625.

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EXHIBIT D

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension, 24 CFR Part 24 Section 24.510, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, Participants' responsibilities.

(READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION BEFORE COMPLETING)

- 1. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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EXHIBIT D (cont.)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this document, the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is providing the certification as set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this agreement is entered, if at any time the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds learns that its certification was erroneous, when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689.
- 5. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the <u>List of Parties Excluded from Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs</u>.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under Paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

<u>EXHIBIT E</u>

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

<u>Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans</u> <u>and Cooperative Agreements</u>

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352 Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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EXHIBIT F MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION

As a prerequisite to receipt of a City funded Contract, and as material facts upon which the City may rely in preparing the Contract, I, an authorized representative of the Contractor, make the following representations:

1. I am responsible for the fair presentation of the Contractor's financial records/reports in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and have provided such records/reports accordingly to the City. I will make available to City all related data and information. I am not aware of any material transactions that have not been properly recorded and disclosed.

True 🗌 False 🗌

2. The Contractor has adopted sound accounting policies and procedures in accordance with GAAP that include procedures for maintaining internal controls, and preventing and detecting fraud and abuse.

True 🗌 False 🗌

3. I have advised and will continue to advise the City of any actions taken at meetings of Contractor's Board of Directors, and Committees of the Board of Directors which may have a material impact on Contractor's ability to perform the City's Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

- 4. Except as recorded or disclosed to you herein, I know of no instances of:
 - a. Conflict of interests (direct or indirect), nepotism, related (direct or indirect) party transactions including revenues, expenses, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, and amounts receivable from or payable to related parties.

True 🗌 False 🗌

b. Guarantees, whether written or oral, under which the Contractor is contingently liable.

True 🗌 False 🗌

c. Actual, forthcoming or possible terminations of funding from regulatory agencies or other sources due to noncompliance, deficiencies, or for any other reason, that would affect the financial records and/or continuing viability of the Contractor as an on-going concern.

True 🗌 False 🗌

5. I have no knowledge that a board member/s is/are also an employee of this Contractor whose salary costs are reimbursed under this agreement.

True 🗌 False 🗌

6. I have no knowledge of and am not in receipt of any communication regarding allegations of fraud, suspected fraud or abuse affecting the Contractor involving management, employees who have significant roles in internal control, or others where fraud/abuse could have a material effect on the financial records or performance of the City Contract.

True 🗌 False 🔲

7. I have no knowledge of any allegations, written or oral, of misstatements or misapplication of funds in the Contractor's conduct of its financial affairs or in its financial records.

True 🗌 False 🗌

8. I am not aware of any pending litigation, bankruptcy, judgment, liens and other significant issues that may threaten the financial viability, legal and continuing existence of the Contractor.

True 🗌 False 🗌

9. The Contractor has satisfactory title to all assets being used in the City's program, and there are no liens or encumbrances on such assets, nor has any asset been pledged as collateral.

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10. The Contractor has complied with all aspects of contractual agreements, related laws and regulations that could have a material effect on the financial records, the program/s, or on the organization as a whole.

True 🗌 False 🗌

11. I have properly reported and paid to the appropriate governmental agencies all payroll taxes due on employees' (City program related or otherwise) compensation.

True 🗌	False	
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12. I have responded fully to all the City's inquiries related to the Contractor's financial records and/or reports.

True 🗌 False 🗌

13. I understand that the City's auditing and monitoring procedures of Contractor are limited to those which the City determines best meet its informational needs and may not necessarily disclose all errors, irregularities, including fraud or defalcation, or illegal acts, that may exist.

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True		False	

14. I understand that the City audit and monitoring reports are intended solely for use by the Contractor and the other authorized parties, and are not intended for other purposes, unless otherwise required by law.

True 🗌 False 🗌

15. If one or more of the above statements is found to be false, I understand that the City may terminate this contract immediately. I also understand that I have a continuing duty to report to City any material factual change to any of these statements.

True | False |

Use this space to provide any additional information:

I declare under	penalty	of perjury	that I h	have re	ead the	foregoing	statements	and they	are true	and	complete	to the	best of	f my
knowledge.								-						-

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EXHIBIT G SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide services as follows:

A. Services to be provided by the Lead Contractor

Contractor shall provide a laboratory analysis report of lead contents in various types of samples including:

- Lead in soil
- Lead in air
- Lead in dust wipes
- Lead in water
- Total Threshold Limit Concentration (TTLC)
- Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP) extract-liquid
- Soluble Threshold Limit Concentration (STLC) extract-liquid
- Other related services, as needed

Contractor shall provide the pricing for different turnaround times of four hours, eight hours, 24 hours, 48 hours, and five days.

- B. Services to be provided by the Radon Contractor
 - Contractor shall provide a laboratory analysis report of radon contents in various types of samples.
 - Contractor shall provide 2-day test kit, pre-paid postage to return kits and complete written report with results being measured in picocuries per liter of air (pCi/L). Contractor shall disclose the pricing for the kit, the postage, the analysis and the report.
 - The laboratory shall have appropriate certification from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to conduct radon analysis.

Professional Qualifications / Demonstrated Ability

Contractor shall provide proof of National Lead Laboratory Accreditation Program (NLLAP) accreditation certification and National Radon Proficiency Program (NRPP) certification.

EXHIBIT H INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

A. Reporting Procedure for Inventions

If any project produces any invention or discovery (Invention) patentable or otherwise under Title 35 of the U.S. Code, including, without limitation processes and business methods made in the course of work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall report the fact and disclose the Invention promptly and fully to the City. The City shall report the fact and disclose the Invention. Unless there is a prior agreement between the City and the Grantor, the Grantor shall determine whether to seek protection on the Invention. The Grantor shall determine how the rights in the Invention, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the policy ("Policy") embodied in the Federal Acquisition Regulations System, which is based on Ch. 18 of Title 35 U.S.C. §200 *et seq.* (Pub.L. 95-517, Pub.L. 98-620, 37 CFR, Part 401); Presidential Memorandum on Government Patent Policy to the Heads of the Executive Departments and Agencies, dated 2/18/1983; and Executive Order 12591, 4/10/87, 52 FR 13414, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 220 (as amended by Executive Order 12618, 12/22/87, 52 FR 48661, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp. p. 262). Contractor hereby agrees to be bound by the Policy, and will contractually require its personnel to be bound by the Policy.

B. Rights to Use Inventions

City shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Invention developed under this Agreement.

- C. Copyright Policy
 - Unless otherwise provided by the terms of the Grantor or of this Agreement, when copyrightable material (Material) is developed under this Agreement, the author or the City, at the City's discretion, may copyright the Material. If the City declines to copyright the Material, the City shall have an unencumbered right, and a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, access, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all governmental purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement.
 - 2. The Grantor shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement or any Copyright purchased under this Agreement. Contractor shall comply with 24 CFR 85.34.
- D. Rights to Data
 - 1. The Grantor and the City shall have unlimited rights or copyright license to any data first produced or delivered under this Agreement. "Unlimited rights" means the right to use, disclose, reproduce, prepare derivative works, distribute copies to the public, and perform and display publicly, or permit others to do so; as required by 48 CFR 27.401. Where the data are not first produced under this Agreement or are published copyrighted data with the notice of 17 U.S.C. §401 or §402, the Grantor acquires the data under a copyright license as set forth in 48 CFR 27.404(f) (2) instead of unlimited rights (48 CFR 27.404(a)).
 - 2. Obligations Binding on Subcontractors Contractor shall require all subcontractors to comply with the obligations of this section by incorporating the terms of this section into all subcontracts.
- E. Intellectual Property Provisions for California Sub-Grants (IF APPLICABLE)

This Agreement is funded in part with federal "pass through" funds from the State of California (State). The following requirements are applicable to this Agreement. In any Contract funded in whole or in part by the federal government, City/State may acquire and maintain the Intellectual Property rights, title, and ownership, which result directly or indirectly from the Contract, except as provided in 37 Code of Federal Regulations Part 401.14. However, pursuant to 29 CFR Part 97.34, the federal government shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, irrevocable, paid-up license throughout the world to use, duplicate, or dispose of such Intellectual Property throughout the world in any manner for governmental purposes and to have and permit others to do so.

F. Ownership

- 1. Except where City/State has agreed in a signed writing to accept a license, City/State shall be and remain, without additional compensation, the sole owner of any and all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property, from the moment of creation, whether or not jointly conceived, that are made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. For the purposes of this Agreement, Intellectual Property means recognized protectable rights and interest such as: patents (whether or not issued,) copyrights, trademarks, service marks, applications for any of the foregoing: inventions, trade secrets, trade dress, logos, insignia, color combinations, slogans, moral rights, right of publicity, author's rights, contract and licensing rights, works, mask works, industrial design rights, rights of priority, know how, design flows, methodologies, devices, business processes, developments, innovations, good will any data or information maintained, collected or stored in the ordinary course of business by City/State, and all other legal rights protecting intangible proprietary information as may exist now and/or hereafter come into existence, and all renewals and extensions, regardless of whether those rights arise under the laws of the United States, or any other state, country, jurisdiction.
- 3. For the purposes of the definition of Intellectual Property, "works" means all literary works, writings and printed matter, including the medium by which they are recorded or reproduced, photographs, art work, pictorial and graphic representations and works of a similar nature, film, motion pictures, digital images, animation cells, and other audiovisual works, including positives and negatives thereof, sound recordings, tapes, educational materials, interactive videos, computer software and any other materials of products created, produced, conceptualized and fixed in a tangible medium of expression. It includes preliminary and final products and any materials and information developed for the purposes of producing those final products. "Works" does not include articles submitted to peer review or reference journals or independent research projects.
- 4. In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor may exercise and utilize certain of its Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. In addition, under this Agreement, Contractor may access and utilize certain of City's/State's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Except as otherwise set forth herein, Contractor shall not use any of City's/State's Intellectual Property now existing or hereafter existing for any purposes without the prior written permission of City/State. Except as otherwise set forth herein, neither Contractor nor City/State shall give any ownership interest in or rights to its Intellectual Property to the other Party. If, during the term of this Agreement, Contractor accesses any third-party Intellectual Property that is licensed to City/State, Contractor agrees to abide by all license and confidentiality restrictions applicable to City/State in the third-party's license agreement.
- 5. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City/State in establishing or maintaining City/State's exclusive rights in the Intellectual Property, and in assuring City's/State's sole rights against third-parties with respect to the Intellectual Property. If the Contractor enters into any agreements or subcontracts with other parities in order to perform this Agreement, Contractor shall require the terms of agreement(s) to include all Intellectual Property provisions herein. Such terms must include, but are not limited to, the subcontractor assigning and agreeing to assign to City/State all rights, title and interest in Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by the subcontractor, Contractor or City/State and which result directly indirectly from this Agreement or any subcontract.
- 6. The requirement for the Contractor to include all Intellectual Property Provisions in all agreements and subcontracts it enters into with other parties does not apply to agreements or subcontracts that are for customized and on-the-job-training as authorized under 20 CFR 663.700-730.
- 7. Contractor further agrees to assist and cooperate with City/State in all reasonable respects, and execute all documents and, subject to reasonable availability, give testimony, and take all further acts reasonably necessary to acquire, transfer, maintain, and enforce City's/State's Intellectual Property rights and interests.
- G. Retained Rights/License Rights
 - 1. Except for Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement, Contractor shall retain title to all of its Intellectual Property to the extent such Intellectual Property is in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Contractor hereby grants to City/State, without additional compensation, a permanent, non-exclusive, royalty free, paid-up, worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, non-terminable license to use, reproduce, manufacture, sell, offer to sell, import, export, modify, publicly and privately display/perform, distribute, and dispose of Contractor's Intellectual Property with the right to sub-license through multiple layers, for any purpose

whatsoever, to the extent it is incorporated in the Intellectual Property resulting from this Agreement, unless Contractor assigns all rights, title and interest in the Intellectual Property as set forth herein.

2. Nothing in this provision shall restrict, limit, or otherwise prevent Contractor from using any ideas, concepts, know-how, methodology or techniques related to its performance under this Agreement, provided that Contractor's use does not infringe the patent, copyright, trademark rights, license or other Intellectual Property rights of City/State or third-party, or result in a breach or default of any provisions herein or result in a breach of any provisions of law relating to confidentiality.

H. Copyright

- 1. Contractor agrees that for purposes of copyright law, all works made by or on behalf of Contractor in connection with Contractor's performance of this Agreement shall be deemed "works for hire." Contractor further agrees that the work of each person utilized by Contractor in connection with the performance of this Agreement will be a "work made for hire," whether that person is an employee of Contractor or that person has entered into an agreement with Contractor to perform the work. Contractor shall enter into a written agreement with any such person that: (i) all work performed for Contractor shall be deemed a "work made for hire" under the Copyright Act and (ii) that person shall assign all right, title, and interest to City/State to any work product made, conceived, derived from or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. All materials, including, but not limited to, computer software, visual works or text, reproduced or distributed pursuant to this Agreement that include Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement may not be reproduced or disseminated without prior written permission from City/State.

I. Patent Rights

With respect to inventions made by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, which did not result from research and development specifically included in the Agreement's scope of work, Contractor hereby grants to City/State a license for devises or material incorporating, or made through the use of such inventions. If such inventions result from research and development work specifically included within the Agreement's scope of work, then Contractor agrees to assign to City/State, without additional compensation, all its rights, title and interest in and to such inventions and to assist City/State in securing United States and foreign patents with respect thereto.

J. Third-Party Intellectual Property

Except as provided herein, Contractor agrees that its performance of this Agreement shall not be dependent upon or include any Intellectual Property of Contractor or third-party without first: (i) obtaining City's/State's prior written approval; and (ii) granting to or obtaining for City's/State's, without additional compensation, a license, as described in Section G above, for any of Contractor's or third-party's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. If such a license upon these terms is unattainable, and City/State determines that the Intellectual Property should be included in or is required for Contractor's performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall obtain a license under terms acceptable to City/State.

K. Warranties

- 1. Contractor represents and warrants that:
 - a. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for its performance of this Agreement. Neither Contractor's performance of this Agreement, nor the exercise by either Party of the rights granted in this Agreement, nor any use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, import, export, modification, public and private display/performance, distribution, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement will infringe upon or violate any Intellectual Property right, non-disclosure obligation, or other proprietary right or interest of any third-party or entity now existing under the laws of, or hereafter existing or issued by, any state, the United States, or any foreign country. There are currently no actual or threatened claims by any such third-party based on an alleged violation of any such right by Contractor.
 - b. Neither Contractor's performance nor any part of its performance will violate the right of privacy of, or constitute a libel or slander against any person or entity.

- c. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for Intellectual Property, including, but not limited to, consents, waivers or releases from all authors or music or performances used, and talent (radio, television, and motion picture talent), owners of any interest in and to real estate, site locations, property or props that may be used or shown.
- d. It has not granted and shall not grant to any person or entity any right that would or might derogate, encumber, or interfere with any of the rights granted to City/State in this Agreement.
- e. It has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance or computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- f. It has no knowledge of any outstanding claims, licenses or other charges, liens, or encumbrances of any kind or nature whatsoever that could affect in any way Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- 2. City/State makes no warranty that the intellectual property resulting from this sub-grant Agreement does not infringe upon any patent, trademark, copyright or the like, now existing or subsequently issued.
- L. Intellectual Property Indemnity
 - 1. Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless City/State and its licensees and assignees, and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and users of its products ("Indemnities") from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, liabilities (or actions or proceedings with respect to any thereof), whether or not rightful, arising from any and all actions or claims by any third-party or expenses related thereto (including, but not limited to, all legal expenses, court costs, and attorney's fees incurred in investigating, preparing, serving as a witness in, or defending against, any such claim action, or proceeding, commenced or threatened) to which any of the Indemnities may be subject, whether or not Contractor is a party to any pending or threatened litigation, which arise out of or are related to: (i) the incorrectness or breach of any of the representations, warranties, covenants or agreements of Contractor pertaining to Intellectual Property; or (ii) any Intellectual Property infringement, or any other type of actual or alleged infringement claim, arising out of City's/State's use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, distribution, import, export, modification, public and private performance/display, license, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement. This indemnity obligation shall apply irrespective of whether the infringement claim is based on a patent, trademark or copyright registration that was issued after the effective date of this Agreement. City/State reserves the right to participate in and/or control, at Contractor's expense, any such infringement action brought against City/State.
 - 2. Should any Intellectual Property licensed by the Contractor to City/State under this Agreement become the subject of an Intellectual Property infringement claim, Contractor will exercise its authority reasonably and in good faith to preserve City's/State's right to use the licensed Intellectual Property in accordance with this Agreement at no expense to City/State. City/State shall have the right to monitor and appear through its own counsel (at Contractor's expense) in any such claim or action. In the defense or settlement of the claim, Contractor may obtain the right for City/State to continue using the licensed Intellectual Property, or replace or modify the licensed Intellectual Property so that the replaced or modified Intellectual Property becomes non-infringing provided that such replacement or modification is functionally equivalent to the original licensed Intellectual Property. If such remedies are not reasonably available, City/State may be entitled to a refund of all monies paid under this Agreement, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.
 - 3. Contractor agrees that damages alone would be inadequate to compensate City/State for breach of any term of these Intellectual Property provisions herein by Contractor. Contractor acknowledges City/State would suffer irreparable harm in the event of such breach and agrees City/State shall be entitled to obtain equitable relief, including without limitation an injunction, from a court of competent jurisdiction, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

M. Survival

The provisions set forth herein shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or any project schedule.

EXHIBIT I SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

- 1. For the purpose of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to purchase agreement or lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, consultant services subcontracts and construction subcontracts.
- 2. Subcontracts entered into in the performance of this Agreement shall:
 - a. Be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. City may require incorporation of the applicable provisions in a written agreement.
 - b. Specifically prohibit assignment or transfer of interest without prior written approval by the City.
 - c. Contractor must specifically provide proof, when applicable, of the appropriate permits and/or business licenses.
- 3. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution.
- 4. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be maintained by Contractor and provided to City upon written request.
- 5. Subcontractors shall be procured consistent with the Procurement Procedures outlined in this Agreement.
- 6. A subcontractor is defined as a person or business who is awarded a portion of an existing contract by a principal or general contractor. A subcontractor performs work under a contract with a general contractor.

B. PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

- It is the policy of the City of Los Angeles (City) to encourage fair and open competition in its procurement for goods and services. The requirements for a fair and open competition include the development of written procurement policies that include, but are not limited to all of the following subsections. Several of the provisions herein include City mandated rules and procedures in addition to the other grant requirements. Such policies are applicable to subcontractors to the extent permitted by law.
 - a. Purpose: It is the intent of these rules that these procedures shall apply to all subcontracts including, but not limited to purchase agreements, lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, and consultant services subcontracts. All contractors are required to prepare written procurement procedures. All written procedures and policies for procurement activities are to be available for public inspection.
 - b. Responsibilities:
 - (1) The following procedures shall apply to all procurements under this Agreement in order to ensure that all solicitations:
 - (a) Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product or service to be procured. Such description shall not, in competitive procurement, contain features which unduly restrict competition; and
 - (b) Identify all requirements that the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - (2) Issue a Public Notification: The notification must be made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) or other media that covers the entire service area.

- (3) All steps of each procurement must be documented, including a description of the documentation process and where the documentation will be located.
- (4) Contractor shall provide a copy of the bid package to anyone who requests it. Contractor shall compile a list of everyone requesting a copy of the bid package.
- (5) The Contractor shall ensure that all pre-qualified lists of persons, firms or other organizations that are used to acquire goods and services are current and include sufficient numbers of qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. The agencies listed on the bidder's list may be individually notified.
- (6) The Contractor shall maintain records that are sufficient to detail the significant history of a procurement procedure. These records shall include, but are not limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement; the selection of contract type; contractor selection or rejection; rational and reasonable rating criteria and the basis for the contract type.
- (7) The Contractor shall keep records sufficient to insure that funds have not been spent unlawfully.
- (8) The Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to any procurement agreement/contract within the County of Los Angeles for a period of five (5) years following termination of the Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. "Pending Matters" include, but are not limited to an audit, litigation, or other activities involving records. Prior to destruction of records retained under this Agreement, the Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of said records.
- (9) The Contractor shall not contract with any party that is debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from participation in Federal assistance programs. All contracts shall include a self-certification from the contractor that it is not a debarred party.

The Federal government prohibits awards to any party that is debarred. The Federal government compiles a list of debarred parties. The Federal list is published by the General Services Administration. A copy may be obtained by accessing <u>https://www.sam.gov/SAM/</u>. The list will be issued as an Information Bulletin in May of each year. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that funds are not awarded to entities on the debarment list.

- (10)Procurement activities must be concluded in a confidential manner. Staff involved in procurements must not divulge advance purchasing information, specific proposal/offer evaluation criteria, and negotiations with bidders or in-house discussions regarding procurement until such time as this information is released to all parties.
- (11)Contractor shall receive and log in proposals and establish a method for recording the date and time of arrival of proposals using either a log-in sheet, or a date/time stamp. Contractor shall establish a single location for receipt of proposals. Contractor shall ensure that the only proposals received by the deadline specified in the bid package qualify for the evaluation process unless there is a valid legal reason for otherwise considering a late proposal.
- (12)Contractor shall establish proposal evaluation procedures that shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Clear staff responsibilities: A procurement specialist shall be designated for each bid/proposal process. It shall be the responsibility of the specialist to insure compliance with these procurement rules;
 - (b) Develop a standard worksheet or check-list for determining responsiveness of each proposal;
 - (c) Establish and use evaluation criteria and a standard evaluation worksheet to be used in recording the evaluations of each proposal;
 - (d) Prepare an analysis of costs to verify allowability and to determine reasonableness;
 - (e) Identify staff responsibilities for completing proposal evaluation and for summarizing evaluation results;

- (f) Develop a description of methods for ensuring independence of ratings by those involved in the evaluation process (i.e., prohibit discussion among staff, sequestered evaluations);
- (g) Identify policy and process by which selection of awardee(s) will be made; and
- (h) Provide an opportunity for bidders to appeal staff recommendations.

Items a-c should be sufficiently completed before issuance of the bid package so relevant parts can be included.

- (13)Contractor shall identify complete and timely proposals. Contractor shall review the technical merits of these proposals based on the rating criteria contained in the bid package. Contractor shall review the cost proposals based on applicable cost principles and the technical proposal.
- (14)Contractor shall determine which proposals are in competitive range for technical response and based on the cost and price analysis conducted prior to the release of the bid package.
- (15)Contractor shall negotiate with organization(s) in the competitive range. Contractor shall establish policies and procedures governing face-to-face negotiations. Include in these policies opportunities to seek clarification of the proposal content, the offeror to submit a best and final proposal prior to final evaluation and award. Contractor shall include in the criteria that all responsive offerors in the competitive range are given fair and equal consideration based on the merits of their proposals. Contractor shall document these negotiations in writing.
- (16)Private for-profit entities must obtain prior written approval from the City for purchases of personal property (other than supplies) using Agreement funds.
- (17)Contractor shall conduct and document oversight to ensure compliance with these procurement procedures.
- (18)If the State of California, or the City of Los Angeles has established a debt against a service provider that has not been repaid or a repayment agreement plan has not be implemented, then the service provider shall be barred from receiving any future City funds.
- (19)Participation of Minorities, Women, Disadvantaged and Small Businesses

To the fullest extent possible in the administration of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to provide opportunities for minorities, women, disadvantaged and small businesses to participate in procurements under this Agreement.

- (20)The Contractor shall not use funds provided under this Agreement to duplicate facilities or services available in the area (with or without reimbursement) from Federal, State, or local sources, unless it is demonstrated that the Agreement-funded alternative services or facilities would be more effective or more likely to achieve performance goals.
- (21)The Contractor, to the maximum extent practicable and permitted by law, is encouraged to maximize use of goods, products, and materials produced in the United States when procuring goods and services under Federal awards. (2 CFR 200.322.)
- (22)The Contractor, consistent with 2 CFR 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunication and video surveillance services or equipment (Effective 8/13/2020)), shall be prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or (3) enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain, equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. This prohibition applies even if the contract is not intended to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services includes: Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- (a) Costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:
 - (i) Obligating or expending covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (ii) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (iii) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (iv) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.
- c. Cost or Price Analysis:
 - (1) The non-Federal entity must perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the Simplified Acquisition Threshold including contract modifications. The method and degree of analysis is dependent on the facts surrounding the particular procurement situation, but as a starting point, the non-Federal entity must make independent estimates before receiving bids or proposals.
 - (2) The non-Federal entity must negotiate profit as a separate element of the price for each contract in which there is no price competition and in all cases where cost analysis is performed. To establish a fair and reasonable profit, consideration must be given to the complexity of the work to be performed, the risk borne by the contractor, the contractor's investment, the amount of subcontracting, the quality of its record of past performance, and industry profit rates in the surrounding geographical area for similar work.
 - (3) Costs or prices based on estimated costs for contracts under the Federal award are allowable only to the extent that costs incurred or cost estimates included in negotiated prices would be allowable for the non-Federal entity under Subpart E—Cost Principles of this part. The non-Federal entity may reference its own cost principles that comply with the Federal cost principles.
 - (4) The cost plus a percentage of cost and percentage of construction cost methods of contracting must not be used.
- d. Awarding of Agreement/Contract
 - (1) Prior to an award of a contract, the City/Contractor shall make a determination that the Contractor/Subcontractor has demonstrated effectiveness in providing the requested services. Agreements/Contracts shall be made only with responsible Contractors/Subcontractors who possess the potential ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. The selected proposer must be a responsive entity that has submitted a proposal or bid which meets all requirements of the solicitation adequately, which includes responding to the Request for Proposal (RFP)/Request of Qualification (RFQ) within the required time frames, and completing all forms and documents. A responsible entity is one that has been determined to: 1) have a satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics; 2) have a satisfactory performance record; 3) have adequate financial resources to perform the contract or the ability to obtain such resources; 4) be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery of performance schedule, taking into consideration all existing commercial and business commitments; 5) have the needed organization, experience, accounting, operational control and technical skills or ability to obtain them; 6) have adequate production, construction or technical equipment and needed facilities or the ability to obtain them; 7) be able to meet the program design specifications; 8) be able to meet performance goals which includes a showing of demonstrated effectiveness in providing employment and training services; 9) be able to provide services that can lead to the achievement of competency standards for participants; and 10) be both qualified and eligible to receive the award under the applicable law and regulation. Contractor/Subcontractor shall make the award(s) and finalize the contract(s). Contractor/Subcontractor shall follow established procedures for formal notification of offerors of the results of the evaluations and selected process.
 - (2) The City/Contractor and its contractors/subcontractors shall make positive efforts to utilize small business and minority-owned business as sources of supplies and services. Such efforts should allow these sources the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts to be performed utilizing Federal grant funds. If applicable, Contractor/Subcontractor certifies that it has complied with Mayoral Directive 2001-26 regarding the Outreach Program for Personal Services Contracts Greater than \$100,000.

- (3) Where such advertised bids are obtained, the awards shall be made to the responsible bidder whose bid is responsive to the invitation and is most advantageous to the grantee, price and other factors considered. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs, and taxes may be considered in determining the lowest bid. No points shall be given for status as subcontractors or a contractor with an approved childcare policy within existing delivery systems. However, if a bid results in a tie score, preference may be given to the contractor or a subcontractors with an approved child care policy.
- (4) Any or all bids may be rejected when it is in the City/Contractor's interest to do so, and such rejections are in accordance with applicable State and local law, rules, and regulations.
- e. Funding Restrictions for High-Risk Contracts
 - (1) A contractor may be considered "high-risk" if an awarding agency determines that the contractor is otherwise responsible but:
 - (a) Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - (b) Is not financially stable;
 - (c) Has a management system that does not meet the management standards set forth in this part; or
 - (d) Has not conformed to terms and conditions of a previously awarded grant or sub-grant.
 - (2) If the City/Contractor agency determines that a grant or sub-grant shall be made to a "high-risk" contractor or subcontractors, then special funding restrictions that address the "high-risk" status may be included in the contract or subcontract. Funding restrictions may include, but are not limited to:
 - (a) Use of reimbursements rather than advances or payment upon completion of the project;
 - (b) Requiring additional and/or more detailed financial or performance reports;
 - (c) Additional monitoring;
 - (d) Requiring the contractor or subcontractors to obtain specific technical or management assistance, and/or
 - (e) Establishing additional prior approvals (e.g., requiring awarding agency approval prior to hiring/firing, award of small purchase contracts).
 - (3) If the City/Contractor decides to impose such funding restrictions, the awarding official shall notify the contractor or subcontractors as early as possible, in writing, of:
 - (a) The nature of the funding restriction(s);
 - (b) The reason(s) for imposing them;
 - (c) The corrective actions which must be taken before they will be removed and the time allowed for completing the corrective actions;
 - (d) The method of requesting reconsideration of the restrictions imposed; and
 - (e) Additional prior approvals.
- f. City Code of Conduct

All contractors shall adopt a Code of Conduct in accordance with the requirements as set forth in §504 of this Agreement.

- g. Methods of Procurement
 - (1) Contractor shall use one (1) of the following methods of procurement either by bid or proposal, as appropriate for each procurement action, for entering into contracts with subcontractors. Contractors shall conduct procurement in a manner that provides full and open competition. Contractor shall perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the small purchase procedures, including contract modifications to determine that the expenditure is reasonable. When any purchase is made, it can only be for an allowable cost. Invitations for bids shall clearly set forth all requirements that the bidder must fulfill in order for his bid to be evaluated by the grantee. Grievance process procedures shall be included in each of the following methods of advertised procurement. Specific requirements and procedures are set forth in 24 CFR §84.44, 2 CFR 200, Los Angeles City Charter §370-§372, and 2 CFR Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, et al., incorporated herein by reference.
 - (2) Prior to entering into any subcontract that has a value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) or more, the Contractor shall submit to the City evidence that it has received a minimum bid(s) for such subcontractors and documentation that justifies the selection of the successful bidder. The Contractor shall maintain records showing the parties solicited and the bids submitted.
 - (a) Micro Purchase Procedure: Micro purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$10,000. No quotations or bids required, but an equitable distribution of purchases must be documented.
 - (b) Small Purchase Procedures: Small purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$250,000. Following the procedures for small purchases shall constitute justification of the procurement method chosen. The bid must indicate the quantity, time frame and all other requirements of the product or service sought. Bids must be solicited from vendors that can reasonably be expected to provide the goods or services needed.

The requirements are:

Dollar Range of Purchase Contract and Method

\$10,001 to \$250,000

3 written bids received**

**Three (3) bids must be received by Contractor. The bid process and bids received must be documented in writing in the file. The Request for Bid must either be provided in writing to the vendors, or transmitted as uniformly as possible over the telephone. To be considered, the bid response must be signed and dated by the vendor.

(c) Purchase/Services Over \$250,000

Procurement by sealed bids (formal advertising). Bids are publicly solicited and a firm fixed price contract (lump sum or unit price) is awarded to the responsible bidder whose bid, conforming with all the material terms and conditions of the invitation for bids, is the lowest in price. The sealed bid method is the preferred method for procuring construction, if the conditions in paragraph (c)(1) of this section apply.

- (i) In order for sealed bidding to be feasible, the following conditions should be present:
 - i. A complete, adequate, and realistic specification or purchase description is available;
 - ii. Two or more responsible bidders are willing and able to compete effectively for the business; and
 - iii. The procurement lends itself to a firm fixed price contract and the selection of the successful bidder can be made principally on the basis of price.
- (ii) If sealed bids are used, the following requirements apply:

- i. Bids must be solicited from an adequate number of known suppliers, providing them sufficient response time prior to the date set for opening the bids, for local, and tribal governments, the invitation for bids must be publicly advertised;
- ii. The invitation for bids, which shall include any specifications and pertinent attachments, must define the items or services in order for the bidder to properly respond;
- iii. All bids shall be opened at the time and place prescribed in the invitation for bids, and for local and tribal governments, the bids must be opened publicly;
- iv. A firm fixed price contract award shall be made in writing to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Where specified in bidding documents, factors such as discounts, transportation cost, and life cycle costs must be considered in determining which bid is lowest. Payment discounts shall only be used to determine the low bid when prior experience indicates that such discounts are usually taken advantage of; and
- v. Any or all bids may be rejected if there is a sound documented reason.
- vi. Issue a Public Notification made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) that covers the entire service area.
- (d) Procurement by competitive proposals.

The technique of competitive proposals is normally conducted with more than one source submitting an offer, and either a fixed price or cost-reimbursement type contract is awarded. It is generally used when conditions are not appropriate for the use of sealed bids. If this method is used, the following requirements apply:

- (i) Requests for proposals must be publicized and identify all evaluation factors and their relative importance. Any response to publicized requests for proposals must be considered to the maximum extent practical;
- (ii) Proposals must be solicited from an adequate number of qualified sources;
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have a written method for conducting technical evaluations of the proposals received and for selecting recipients;
- (iv) Contracts must be awarded to the responsible firm whose proposal is most advantageous to the program, with price and other factors considered; and
- (v) The non-Federal entity may use competitive proposal procedures for qualifications-based procurement of architectural/engineering (A/E) professional services whereby competitors' qualifications are evaluated and the most qualified competitor is selected, subject to negotiation of fair and reasonable compensation. The method, where price is not used as a selection factor, can only be used in procurement of A/E professional services. It cannot be used to purchase other types of services though A/E firms are a potential source to perform the proposed effort.
- (e) Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposals

Procurement by noncompetitive proposals. Procurement by noncompetitive proposals is procurement through solicitation of a proposal from only one source and may be used only when one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- (i) The item is available only from a single source;
- (ii) The public exigency or emergency for the requirement shall not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitation;

- (iii) The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the non-Federal entity; or
- (iv) After solicitation of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.
- (f) Contract Provisions
 - (i) All contracts must contain at a minimum the following provisions:
 - i. Specific deliverables and the basis for payment;
 - ii. Provisions requiring compliance with Community Development Block Grantors (CDBG) including, but not limited to other funding source regulations;
 - iii. Provisions that describe remedies for breach;
 - iv. Provisions that describe Grantors CDBG and other funding sources patent and copyright rules;
 - v. Provisions for termination for cause and convenience;
 - vi. Access to records for audit purposes;
 - vii. Audit requirements;
 - viii. Provisions for payment and delivery;
 - ix. Provisions describing contract amendment procedures;
 - x. Provisions against assignment;
 - xi. Provisions for equal opportunity and non-discrimination;
 - xii. Provisions prohibiting conflicts of interest.
- (g) Competition
 - (i) All procurement transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition consistent with the standards of this section. In order to ensure objective contractor performance and eliminate unfair competitive advantage, contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work, or invitations for bids or requests for proposals must be excluded from competing for such procurements. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:
 - i. Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
 - ii. Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding;
 - iii. Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
 - iv. Noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
 - v. Organizational conflicts of interest;
 - vi. Specifying only a "brand name" product instead of allowing "an equal" product to be offered and describing the performance or other relevant requirements of the procurement; and
 - vii. Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

- (ii) The non-Federal entity must conduct procurements in a manner that prohibits the use of statutorily or administratively imposed state, local, or tribal geographical preferences in the evaluation of bids or proposals, except in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage geographic preference. Nothing in this section preempts state licensing laws. When contracting for architectural and engineering (A/E) services, geographic location may be a selection criterion provided its application leaves an appropriate number of qualified firms, given the nature and size of the project, to compete for the contract.
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have written procedures for procurement transactions. These procedures must ensure that all solicitations:
 - i. Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product, or service to be procured. Such description must not, in competitive procurements, contain features which unduly restrict competition. The description may include a statement of the qualitative nature of the material, product or service to be procured and, when necessary, must set forth those minimum essential characteristics and standards to which it must conform if it is to satisfy its intended use. Detailed product specifications should be avoided if at all possible. When it is impractical or uneconomical to make a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements, a "brand name or equivalent" description may be used as a means to define the performance or other salient requirements of procurement. The specific features of the named brand which must be met by offers must be clearly stated; and
 - ii. Identify all requirements which the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - iii. The non-Federal entity must ensure that all prequalified lists of persons, firms, or products which are used in acquiring goods and services are current and include enough qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. Also, the non-Federal entity must not preclude potential bidders from qualifying during the solicitation period.
- (h) Appeal and Dispute Procedures

The City and its contractors shall have protest procedures to hand and resolve disputes relating to their procurement. A protester shall exhaust all administrative remedies with the contractor before pursuing a protest at a higher level. Notice of appeal rights and procedures must be given to all bidders

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CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (GC 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about: the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and, penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will: receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and, agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (GC 8350 et seq.)

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (PCC 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:

Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

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Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lesser of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with State of California.

SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured penal

Exhibit J Page 1 of 2 sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph a.

DOMESTIC PARTNERS: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code section 10295.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES STANDARD LANGUAGE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

Agreement No.		
Project Title:	Inspection, Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Materials	
Primary Services Location:		
Contractor:	ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.	
Type of Organization:	a California for profit corporation	
Corporate Number:	<u>C15258550</u>	
UEID Number:		
CFDA Number:		
FAIN:		
Federal Award Date:		
Research and Development Award: Yes \Box No \boxtimes		

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THIS AGREEMENT is entered into between the City of Los Angeles ("City"), a municipal corporation, and ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc. ("Contractor"), a California for profit corporation, for the provision of services related to the XXXX Program.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Grant Agreement with U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, ("Grantor" or "HUD"), to address the needs of the City, and the Grantor has awarded Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds to the City for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department ("LAHD"), has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, LAHD cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the XXXX program that is the subject of this Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the LAHD budget by HUD pursuant to the CDBG Funds; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter §1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX dated Month Day, Year), that authorize the General Manager of LAHD to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and Contractor agree as follows:

1. INTRODUCTION

§101 TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement including all exhibits and attachments, including, but not limited to, the Standard Provisions for City Contracts, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, shall constitute the terms of this Agreement.

§102 NOTICES

The parties to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be forwarded are as follows:

A. The City, represented by:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, Ninth Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to:

Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager Lead Program, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

B. The Contractor, represented by:

Tuan Pham, Senior Project Manager ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc. 1055 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1450 Los Angeles, CA 90017 Phone Number pham@accenv.com

§103 SERVICE OF NOTICES

- A. The City's representative as stated above is the party authorized to provide written approvals by City to Contractor in reference to matters addressed in this Agreement.
- B. Formal notices, demands, and communications required by this Agreement to be given by either party shall be made in writing and may be delivered personally or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.
- C. If the name and/or address of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications changes, the affected party shall notify the other party in writing of the change in accordance with this section within five (5) days of the change.

§104 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EXECUTION

- A. Prior to the execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City for approval in writing the following documents:
 - 1. Insurance Certificates The requirements and instructions for completing, executing, and submitting evidence of insurance to the City are set forth in the City's Insurance Requirements, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference, and more fully described in §502 herein below.
 - 2. If the City has approved the advancement of CDBG funds to Contractor, a Special Bank Account Agreement with a bank is required for the deposit of the advanced CDBG funds. The Special Bank Account Agreement

shall be on a form supplied by the City that sets forth the right of the City to exercise a suspension of business upon proper notice to the bank by the City.

- 3. An Affirmative Action Plan in accordance with §503, herein
- 4. A Code of Conduct that meets the requirements of §504(B) herein.
- B. Prior to execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the City with the documents listed below. Contractor shall provide immediate updates to these documents to the City during the Term hereof in the event that the information changes.
 - 1. A current list of the members of the Board of Directors with their individual addresses and telephone numbers where they may be reached.
 - 2. Contractor's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to those Articles, as filed with the Secretary of State.
 - 3. Contractor's Bylaws, and all amendments to those Bylaws, as adopted by Contractor and properly attested.
 - 4. Resolutions of Executorial Authority or other corporate actions of the Contractor's Board of Directors, properly attested or certified, which specify the name(s) of the person(s) authorized to obligate Contractor and execute contractual documents. If the authorized person is someone other than Contractor's Corporate President, then Contractor shall also submit a copy of a signature specimen(s) on a form provided by the City.
 - 5. A current and valid license to do business in the City of Los Angeles. Contractor represents that it has obtained and presently holds the Tax Registration Certificate(s) required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance (Article 1, Chapter 2, §21.00, *et seq.*, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code). For the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain, or obtain as necessary, all Certificates required of it under the Business Tax Ordinance and shall not allow the Certificates to be revoked or suspended.
 - 6. An Internal Revenue Service taxpayer identification number.
 - 7. A Contractor Responsibility Ordinance Questionnaire in accordance with PSC 31 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.40 *et seq*.
 - 8. A Certification Regarding Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with the requirements of the Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation as it relates to the Living Wage Ordinance.
 - 9. A Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion, fully executed in accordance with Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, and attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference.
 - 10. A Certification Regarding Lobbying, fully executed in accordance with City Directive 91-3 (July 27, 1990) and attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with all provisions of 31 USC §1352 *et seq.* and 29 CFR Part 93.
 - A Certification of Compliance With Equal Benefits Ordinance/Reasonable Measures Application for Equal Benefits Ordinance in accordance with PSC – 26 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.8.3.
 - 12. Compliance with, and/or completion of, the Disclosure Ordinance Affidavit setting forth the requirements of the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance (in accordance with PSC 33 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts), and the Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance, as set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.41 *et seq.*, and the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.50, respectively.
 - 13. A Management Representation Statement fully executed in accordance with City's fiscal policies and attached hereto as Exhibit "F" and incorporated herein by reference.

14. Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC-307) fully executed in accordance with the CSBG Agreement and attached hereto as Exhibit "J" and incorporated herein by reference.

§105 CONTRACTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL DOCUMENTS

Contractor warrants that it has adopted, shall retain, and make available upon request from the City, the following documents and their amendments, if any:

- A. Contractor's Financial and Accounting Procedures, which incorporate Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) including, but not limited to, the preparation and submission of invoices, reconciliation of cash on-hand and earnings with City records, reporting and tracking of customer activity and earnings, repayment of unearned funds, preparation for the resolution of audits and inspections, inventory control, reporting and tracking of program income.
- B. Contractor's Personnel Policy, which incorporates due process protection and standard personnel procedures, and which the Contractor agrees to abide by in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. Agreements with Other Funding Sources: A copy of any agreements between Contractor and other public or private organizations that directly impact the activities funded under this Agreement shall be kept on file at Contractor's offices and be provided to the City upon Agreement execution. Contractor shall also notify City of any default, termination, or finding of disallowed costs under these agreements. Contractor warrants that no other funding source will be billed for services that are provided and paid for by the City under this Agreement.
- D. Board of Director's meeting minutes.

§106 CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO NOTIFY CITY OF CHANGES

- A. Contractor agrees to provide the City sixty (60) days advance written notice of any facts that may materially affect the performance of this Agreement or impact the City's decision to continue this Agreement with the Contractor. Among the items to be disclosed are an amendment to its Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, move to dissolve or transfer any assets derived from funds provided under §301 herein, negotiations leading to the sale, merger or acquisition of Contractor; debarment or contract termination by any other public entity and/or any final audit findings regarding Contractor's administration of any contract with public funds.
- B. Contractor shall notify the City within five (5) days of changes affecting this Agreement including actions that would change Contractor's legal status, any action that may materially change the performance of the Scope of Work (i.e., bankruptcy) and/or a change in Contractor's corporate name.

2. TERM, SCOPE OF WORK, BUDGET AND PROJECT ELIGIBILITY

§201 TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. The term of this Agreement shall be from **October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023**, with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year terms, provided that said term is subject to the provisions of this Agreement ("Term"). Performance shall not commence until the City has approved all of the required documents described hereinabove, and is in receipt of those and/or other documents as described herein.
- B. The City may, at its discretion, agree to extend the Term and/or provide additional funds to Contractor. Funding for contract extensions will be based on the availability to the City of state and/or federal funds and upon the Contractor's successful performance of all terms of this Agreement.

§202 SCOPE OF WORK AND CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor shall provide inspection, survey and analysis services for both lead and asbestos. Contractor must have all required certifications and licenses in order to perform this work.

The detailed Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit "G" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall complete the Scope of Work during the Term, except as otherwise provided herein.

§203 BUDGET

Contractor shall submit to the City for approval prior to the disbursement of any funds hereunder a proposed Budget. The Budget shall be prepared in accordance with the budget guidelines to be provided by the City. The Budget is a detailed listing of items for expenditure and scope of service(s) under the terms herein. The Budget shall be submitted with all backup documentation as required and/or a cost allocation plan, if necessary and appropriate. All requests to modify the Budget must be made in writing and must be approved in writing by the City. The Budget shall also describe all subcontractor services to be used by the Contractor and the payment procedures for subcontractors.

§204 IDENTIFICATION OF PROJECT ELIGIBILITY/NATIONAL OBJECTIVES

A. This program is eligible under 24 CFR 570 *et seq.* as follows (indicate all appropriate letters and sub-numbers, project may be eligible under several criteria):

201 (a-q) <u>e</u>	204 (a) <u>X</u>
202 (a-c)	205 (a)
203 (a-c)	206 (a-h)

- B. All programs funded with CDBG funds must meet one of three national objectives. This project meets the following national objective (check only one):
 - 1. X Activities benefiting very low and low income persons under 24 CFR 570.208 (a)
 - a. _____ Area-wide benefit project affecting _____ percent very low and low income persons as indicated in the 2010 census.
 - b. _____ Limited-Clientele activities: 570.208(a)(2): A __; B __; C __; D ___
 - c. ____ Housing activities
 - d. _____ Job Creation/Retention activities that are designed to create or retain jobs for at least 51% very low and low income persons.
 - 2. Activities which aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, under 24 CFR 570.208 (b).
 - a. _____ Activity is located in a slum or blighted area, which has been (check one):

designated as a Redevelopment Project Area;

List conditions of slum or blight to be addressed by the project. (Complete only for projects qualifying under 570.208 (b)(1), prevention or elimination of slums or blight.)

- b. _____ Activity is located outside a slum or blighted area, but qualifies under spot slum and blight conditions.
- c. _____ Activity will address slum or blight in an urban renewal/ redevelopment area.
- 3. Activities designed to meet community development needs having a particular urgency, under 24 CFR 570.208 (c).
- C. Contractor, during the Term, shall not perform services, or otherwise engage in any activities, that are not consistent with the national objective and project eligibility. Should the City determine that Contractor has performed services or otherwise engaged in activities not in furtherance of the national objective and/or project eligibility, then the City may disallow payment for such services/activities, terminate this Agreement and/or take any other actions as authorized herein.

3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

§301 CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION

- A. Compensation
 - The City shall pay Contractor an amount not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), for the complete
 and satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work (Exhibit G). These funds shall be allocated from
 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. Contractor's right to receive compensation is
 conditioned upon approval of the Budget by the City, compliance with the City's indemnification and
 insurance requirements, satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work, and compliance with the terms
 and conditions contained herein.
 - 2. In no event shall the final expenditures for the Term exceed the total compensation set forth above except as provided for by an amendment to this Agreement.
 - 3. Contractor's reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work shall be made only upon acceptance by the City of the Contractor's invoice and supporting documentation as described in the Reporting Requirements, Section 601 herein below.
 - 4. Expenditures shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Checks, payrolls, invoices, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Undocumented expenditures shall not be paid under this Agreement.
 - 5. The City shall pay Contractor for salaries and eligible, allowable, and reasonable expenses as detailed in the approved Budget.
 - 6. Contractor shall be paid either on a cost reimbursement or advance basis. If the Contractor were to receive advance funds, it must execute a City approved Special Bank Account Agreement before receipt of funds and shall comply with all contract and regulatory requirements for safeguarding advance funds. Request for advance payment basis is subject to City approval. A Contractor on a cost reimbursement basis of payment shall be paid by the City only upon reporting of actual costs incurred.
- B. Funding of Agreement

Funding for the Scope of Work and Budget is subject to the continuing availability of funds for this program. This Agreement may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor of a loss or reduction of grant funds.

- C. Payment to the Contractor
 - 1. The City makes no commitment to fund this project beyond the initial Term of this Agreement. The City shall review Contractor's performance on a periodic basis. In the event the City determines that Contractor is not meeting its proposed performance measures, the City may unilaterally reduce the compensation set forth above in compliance with the provisions set forth in this Agreement, upon written notice to Contractor and as set forth by a written amendment.
 - 2. Contractor shall be reimbursed for reasonable and allowable expenses incurred. Unless Contractor has been approved to receive advance payments, all payments shall be on reimbursement basis. Contractors who are on an advance payment plan authorized by the City as described in the Budget shall bill the City for all reasonable and allowable costs incurred.
 - 3. Contractors not receiving advance payment plan shall request reimbursements by submitting the cash request, monthly expenditure report and all other documentation, as required by City. Contractor shall be reimbursed after City has received the monthly expenditure report and all other required documents and after City determines that Contractor has incurred and expended funds for reasonable and allowable costs under this Agreement.

- 4. Reasonable and allowable costs shall be determined pursuant to the Allowable and Unallowable Cost section herein.
- D. Stand-In Costs: Contractor shall identify, document, and account for stand-in costs in accordance with the Department's guidelines.
- E. Profit: Contractor shall comply with any City Directives regarding profit or return on investment.
- F. Indirect Costs: For purposes of allocating indirect costs, contractors may use current negotiated indirect cost rates that have been approved by a cognizant federal agency. Contractor shall submit a copy of the approval letter from the cognizant agency. The Contractor may elect to use the 10 percent de minimis rate, if the Agency does not have an approved indirect cost rate as permitted under 45 CFR § 75.414(f) and 2 CFR § 200.414(f).
- G. Applicable Discounts: Contractor warrants that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs billed to the City.
- H. Concurrent Enrollment: If the Contractor is serving customers, concurrently utilizing more than one funding stream, the Contractor is responsible for tracking the services delivered and the expenditures reported to ensure that services and expenditures are not duplicated.
- I. Overtime Work: Contractor is responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the Federal award through the application of sound management practices. The approved Budget for this Agreement does not include any line item for overtime work. Any overtime expenditures incurred by Contractor shall not be reimbursed through this Agreement.
- J. Travel: Travel must be approved in advance by the City and included in the Budget. Contractor shall be compensated for its reasonable travel expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work and in compliance with 2 C.F.R §200.474.
- K. Reallocation of Funds: City reserves the right to unilaterally decrease funds allocated to Contractor in the event that the City determines that (i) Contractor has failed to provide adequate services as required in this Agreement, (ii) Contractor, based on its spending pattern as evidenced by invoices submitted, will have unexpended funds at the end of the Term, or (iii) City determines that a reallocation of funds would better meet program objectives. Such reallocation of funds may be by written amendment to this Agreement or unilaterally imposed by the City by written notice to Contractor.

4. METHODS AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING PAYMENT

§401 WITHHELD PAYMENTS

- A. Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or not released if funds granted to the City are suspended or terminated.
- B. The City has the authority to withhold funds under this Agreement pending a final determination by the City of questioned expenditures or indebtedness to the City arising from past or present agreements between the City and the Contractor. Upon final determination by the City of disallowed expenditures or indebtedness, the City may deduct and retain the amount of the disallowance or indebtedness from the amount of the withheld earned funds.
- C. In the event of a final determination of disallowed costs or a determination of unearned grant funds by either the City, the State, or Grantor, Contractor agrees that it shall pay to the City in non-federal funds, the amount of the final disallowance within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the City that such funds are due.
- D. Payments to the Contractor may be unilaterally withheld or reduced by the City if the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions contained herein.

§402 FUNDS EARNED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT

Contractor shall not earn funds provided hereunder prior to the commencement or after the end of the Term. Contractor shall not earn funds subsequent to suspension or termination of this Agreement.

§403 ALLOWABLE AND UNALLOWABLE COSTS

- A. To be eligible for payment, costs or expenditures must be made in compliance with the terms herein, and the provisions of 2 C.F.R Part 200, and set forth below:
 - 1. Be necessary and reasonable for the proper and efficient performance of the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Budget; the City shall have final authority to determine in good faith whether an expenditure is necessary and reasonable.
 - 2. Conform to the limitations within these general conditions and to any governing statutes, regulations and ordinances.
 - 3. Be fully documented and determined in accordance with GAAP.
 - 4. Not be included as a cost or used to meet cost sharing or matching requirements for any other government funding source in either the current or a prior period, except when permitted by the respective government funding sources.
- B. The following costs, among others, are specifically disallowed:
 - 1. Bad Debts: Any losses arising from un-collectible accounts and other claims, and related costs.
 - 2. Contingencies: Contributions to a contingency reserve or any similar provisions for unforeseen events.
 - 3. Contributions and donations.
 - 4. Entertainment: Costs of amusements, social activities and incidental costs, such as meals, beverages, lodging and gratuities relating to entertainment, or any political or lobbying activity.
 - 5. Fines and Penalties: Costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with federal, State, and local laws and regulations.
 - 6. Interest and Other Financial Costs: Interest or borrowings (however represented), bond discounts, cost of financing and refinancing operations, and legal and professional fees paid in connection therewith.
 - 7. Membership Expenses: Costs of membership in any organization that devotes a substantial part of its activities to influencing legislation.
 - 8. Meeting Attendance: Costs of attending meetings directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are not open for attendance on a non-segregated basis.
 - 9. Non-competitive Subcontracts: Payments under a subcontract not obtained under competitive bidding procedures unless specifically waived in writing by the City.
 - 10. Insurance policies offering protection against debts established by the federal government.
 - 11. Costs prohibited by §200.450 include Lobbying or costs related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress of the United States.
 - 12. Advancements or reimbursements for expenditures that are determined by the City to be unallowable must be immediately returned to the City.
 - 13. Grant funds may not be used to supplant existing services.

§404 PROGRAM INCOME

- A. Program income is defined as income earned through the activities funded hereby and as set forth in 2 CFR 200.80 and 200.307. Program income includes, but is not limited to, grants, fees that duplicate payments, average daily attendance payments earned through program funded activities, and public or nonprofit agency revenues in excess of contract costs.
- B. Interest earned on advances received by Contractor is program income. All interest earned must be reported as part of the Contractor's monthly expenditure report and must be returned to the City quarterly by separate check made payable to the City and which identifies that the amount represents interest earned on advanced funds.
- C. Any program income must be reported to the City on the expenditure report, and must be returned to the City in accordance with the City's written direction to the Contractor. At the City's discretion, program income may be used to augment the Contractor's program. Use of program income is permitted only by written amendment to this Agreement. Should this use of program income be approved, Contractor shall maintain records in support of all earnings and expenditures relating to the use of those funds in accordance with City record retention and audit requirements. The City shall monitor Contractor's compliance with all program income requirements.
- D. Contractor's failure to comply fully with program income requirements including any City Directives or regulations shall result in findings of disallowed costs.

§405 RETURN OF PROGRAM INCOME

Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days of the end of the Term, transmit to the City any, and all, remaining program income directly generated by funds provided hereby

§406 RETURN OF UNEXPENDED FUNDS AND CLOSEOUTS

- A. Contractor agrees that upon either the completion or termination of this Agreement any unexpended funds, whether advances, interest earned on advances or unearned funds, shall be immediately returned to the City and in no event later than forty-five (45) days after completion or termination.
- B. Contractor shall submit a complete and accurate final closeout invoice of costs and reimbursements for services performed hereby to the City within forty-five (45) days following the termination or completion of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to comply with the 45-day requirement may result in a unilateral close-out by the City based on previous invoices filed with the City, and/or the imposition of sanctions as specified herein. Requests for payment after the 45 days shall not be paid by the City.

§407 VALIDITY OF FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSIONS

Financial reports submitted to the City shall be accurate and correct in all respects. Should inaccurate reports be submitted to the City, the City may elect to have the Contractor secure the services of a licensed accounting firm. Cost of such accounting services are to be borne by the Contractor and are not to be reimbursed from the funds authorized hereby unless specifically agreed to between Contractor and the City by written amendment.

5. STANDARD PROVISIONS

The provisions of the body of this Agreement shall prevail over the provisions of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts should there be any inconsistency. The term "contract" as used in the Standard Provisions for City Contracts shall include this Agreement.

§501 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In implementing this Agreement, Contractor represents and certifies that it will:

- A. Comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments; and California Government Code Section 11135.
- B. Not discriminate in the provision of its programs, services or activities on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability.
- C. Provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to all of its programs, services and activities.

Contractor represents and certifies that any construction for housing performed with funds provided through this Agreement will be done in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 CFR, Part 40.

Contractor represents and certifies that its buildings, and facilities used to provide services in accordance with this Agreement, are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Agreement.

Contractor will require its subcontractors, if any, to include this language in any subcontract.

§502 INSURANCE

- A. General Conditions
 - 1. During the Term and without limiting Contractor's duty of indemnification herein, Contractor shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having coverage and limits customarily carried and actually arranged by the Contractor but not less than the amounts and types listed on the Required Insurance And Minimum Limits Sheet (Form Gen. 146) in Exhibit B hereto, covering its operations hereunder. Such insurance shall conform to City requirements established by Charter, ordinance or policy, shall comply with instructions set forth on the City of Los Angeles–Instructions And Information On Complying With City Insurance Requirements (Revised 05/18) document, and shall otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. Specifically, such insurance shall: 1) protect City as an Insured or an Additional Interest Party, or a Loss Payee As Its Interest May Appear, respectively, when such status is appropriate and available depending on the nature of applicable coverage; 2) provide City at least thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation, material reduction in coverage or reduction in limits when such change is made at option of the insurer; and 3) be primary with respect to City's insurance plan. Except when City is a named insured, Contractor's insurance is not expected to respond to claims which may arise from acts or omissions of the City.
 - 2. The standard City insurance conditions are incorporated into the sample standard subcontract provisions. The specific insurance coverages and limits shall be described by contractor in any RFP for subcontractor services. These coverages and limits should be tailored to the individual subcontract. For City contracts, Required Insurance and Minimum Limits are set by the City Risk Management staff in the Office of the City Administrative Officer on the Form Gen. 146. Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your evidence of insurance documents. KwikComply™ is the City's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. The easiest and guickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply[™] at https://kwikcomply.org and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf. Additional instructions and information on complying with City insurance requirements can be found at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/Submitting proof of Insurance.pdf.
- B. Modification of Coverage

City reserves the right at any time during the Term to change the amounts and types of insurance required hereunder by giving Contractor ninety (90) days advance written notice of such change. If such change should ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc. CDBG - PY 22-23

result in substantial additional cost to Contractor, City agrees to negotiate additional compensation proportional to the increased benefit to City.

C. Failure to Procure Insurance

All required insurance must be submitted and approved by the City Administrative Officer/Risk Management/Insurance and Bonds prior to the performance of services, inception of any operations or tenancy by Contractor. The required coverages and limits are subject to availability on the open market at reasonable cost as determined by City. Non-availability or non-affordability must be documented by a letter from Contractor's insurance broker or agent indicating a good faith effort to place the required insurance and showing as a minimum the names of the insurance carriers and the declinations or guotations received from each.

Within the foregoing constraints, Contractor's failure to procure or maintain required insurance or a selfinsurance program during the Term shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement under which City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement or, at its discretion, procure or renew such insurance to protect City's interests and pay any and all premiums in connection therewith and recover all monies so paid from Contractor.

D. Workers' Compensation

By signing this Agreement, Contractor hereby certifies that it is aware of the provisions of §3700 *et seq.*, of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and that it will comply with such provisions at all such times as they may apply during the performance of the work pursuant to this Agreement.

A Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City will be required when work is performed on City premises under hazardous conditions.

§503 NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable nondiscrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate in its employment practices, including compensation, against any employee or applicant for employment, because of such person's race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship and political affiliation or belief. The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity", as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR Part 60).
- B. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code Sections 10.8 through 10.13, to the extent applicable hereto. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Contractor shall comply with the Equal Employment Practices provisions of Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.3, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Affirmative Action Program of this Agreement shall be the mandatory contract provisions set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.4, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall also comply with all rules, regulations, and policies of the City's Board of Public Works, Office of Contract Compliance relating to nondiscrimination and affirmative action.
- C. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Agreement, to the extent allowed hereunder, shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- D. No person shall on the grounds of race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship, and political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under this program/project. For purposes of this Section, Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations Part 107 and Section 570.601(b) defines specific discriminatory actions that are prohibited and corrective action that shall be taken in a situation as defined therein.

E. Contractor agrees to adhere to the Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Practices ("ND/EEP") and Affirmative Action ("AA") program provisions during the entire duration of this contract. Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to comply with any and all ND/EEP and AA provisions as set forth in the applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and/or laws.

§504 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any agreements and/or amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

- B. Code of Conduct
 - 1. The City requires that all contractors/subcontractors adopt a Code of Conduct that, at a minimum, reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive Number FY 12-0001. The Code shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution of this Agreement.
 - Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 3. Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administering any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such a person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act (California Government Code §87100 *et seq.*) if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 4. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes but is not limited to domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-inlaw, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.
 - 2) Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent or more; ownership of five percent or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the board of directors or governing body.
 - c. A "subcontract" is any agreement entered into by a Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.

- 5. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- 6. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City agreement.
- 7. Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- 8. Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within an one-year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- 9. For further clarification of the meaning of any of the terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City, State, and federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- 10. Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- 11. Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one year thereafter.
- 12. Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor."
- 13. Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.

§505 COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL STATUTES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor warrants and certifies that it shall comply with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and orders of the United States, the State, the County and City of Los Angeles. Contractor understands that failure to comply with any of the following assurances may result in suspension, termination or reduction of grant funds, and repayment by Contractor to City of any unlawful expenditures. Contractor further warrants and certifies that it shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, and/or procedures that apply to the performance of this Agreement.

A. Statutes and Regulations Applicable To All Grant Contracts

Contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of State, federal, County and City of Los Angeles laws, executive orders, regulations, program and administrative requirements, policies, and any other requirements governing this Agreement, including, but not limited to laws and regulations pertaining to labor, wages, hours, and other conditions of employment. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

1. OMB Circulars

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u>.

2. Single Audit Act

Contractor shall adhere to the rules and regulations of the Single Audit Act, 31 USC §7501 et seq.; City Council action dated February 4, 1987 (C.F. No. 84-2259-S1); and any administrative regulation or field memos implementing the Act. The provisions of this paragraph survive expiration or termination of this Agreement. Also see §608(C) for additional audit requirements.

- 3. Political and Sectarian Activity Prohibited
 - a. None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office. Neither shall any funds provided under this Agreement be used for any purpose designed to support or defeat any pending legislation or administrative regulation. None of the funds provided pursuant to this Agreement shall be used for any sectarian purpose or to support or benefit any sectarian activity.
 - b. Contractor shall file a disclosure form at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure or which materially affects the accuracy of any of the information contained in any disclosure form previously filed by Contractor. Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. Records Inspection
 - a. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the U.S. Comptroller General and the Auditor General of the State of California, through any authorized representative, may deem necessary, Contractor shall make available for examination all of its records, paper or electronic, with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State, through any authorized representative, shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including all Contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
 - b. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement.
- 5. Labor
 - a. Contractor shall comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed requirements for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
 - b. Contractor shall comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction sub agreements.
 - c. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC § 201) regarding wages and hours of employment.
 - d. None of the funds shall be used to promote or deter union/labor organizing activities (California Government Code §16645 *et seq*.).
 - e. Contractor shall comply with the Hatch Act (5 USC §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328).
 - f. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Article 3, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code of California, the California Child Labor Laws and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and regulations relative to employment, wages, hours of labor and industrial safety.
- 6. Civil Rights

Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352, 42 U.S.C. §2000d, and implementing regulations) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin and its implementing regulations and as applied through Executive Order No. 13166, entitled "Improving Access to Services

for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" ("LEP"), which requires recipients of federal funds, including Contractor, to take reasonable steps to insure meaningful access to its programs and activities by person with LEP as more fully described in HUD's final guidance contained in Federal Register, Volume 72, No. 13.

- b. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex.
- c. §§503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794, 45 CFR, Part 84), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap.
- d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age.
- e. The Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse.
- f. The Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616) as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism.
- g. §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records.
- h. Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 *et seq.*), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing.
- i. Any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for federal assistance is being made.
- j. The requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- k. P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
- I. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C. §2000e).
- m. The Americans with Disabilities Act 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq. and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) Pub.L.110-325 and all subsequent amendments.
- n. The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008 (GINA) P.L. 110-233.
- 7. Environmental
 - a. Contractor shall comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of federal participation in purchases.
 - b. Contractor shall comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §1451 *et seq.*); (f) conformity of federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under § 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.*); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L.

93-523) and the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986; (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205); (i) Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 §102(a) (P.L. 93-234); and (j) §508 of the Clean Water Act (38 U.S.C. §1360).

- c. Contractor shall comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §1271 *et seq*.) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
- d. Contractor shall comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §4822 *et seq*) that prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
- e. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §1251 *et seq*.) that restores and maintains the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the nation's waters.
- f. Contractor shall ensure that the facilities under its ownership, lease or supervision which shall be utilized in the accomplishment of this project are not listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) list of violating facilities and that it will notify the Federal Grantor agency of the receipt of any communication from the director of the EPA Office of Federal Activities indicating that a facility to be used in the project is under consideration for listing by the EPA.
- g. By signing this Agreement, Contractor ensures that it is in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* and is not impacting the environment negatively.
- h. Contractor shall comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- 8. Preservation

Contractor shall comply with §106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §469a-1 *et seq.*).

9. Suspension and Debarment

Contractor shall comply with Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 228, regarding Suspension and Debarment, and Contractor shall submit a certification Regarding Debarment required by EO 12549 and 12689, and any amendment thereto. Contractor shall require that the language of this Certification be included in the award documents for all sub-award at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify accordingly.

10. Drug-Free Workplace

Contractor shall comply with the federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 USC §8102, 28 CFR Part 67, and the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (California Government Code §§ 8350-8357).

11. Animal Welfare

Contractor shall comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, as amended (P.L. 89-544, 7 U.S.C. §2131 *et. seq.*)

- 12. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-161) grant funds will not be used in contravention of the federal buildings performance and reporting requirements of EO No. 13123, Part 3 of Title V of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. §8251 *et seq.*) or Subtitle A of Title I of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (including the amendments made thereby), nor shall grant funds be used in contravention of §303 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. §13212).
- 13. Contractor shall comply with Public Law 103-227, Part C-Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act). This Act requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted by entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State and local governments. Federal programs include

grants, cooperative agreements, loans or loan guarantees, and contracts. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug and alcohol treatment.

Contractor further agrees that the above language will be included in any subcontracts that contain provisions for children's services and that all subcontractors shall certify compliance accordingly.

- 14. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to Public Law 103-333, §507, to the extent practicable, that all equipment and products purchased with grant funds made available under this Agreement shall be American made.
- 15. Contractor shall administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which provisions supersede the OMB Circulars.
- 16. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (California Government Code §12650 *et seq.)*, including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) per false claim.
- 17. Mandatory Disclosures: The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for non-Compliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
- B. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to This Grant Agreement:

Contractor shall comply with the following statutes and regulations as applicable:

- 1. CDBG Program, including, but not limited to 42 U.S.C. §5301 et seq., and 24 CFR Parts 84, 85, and 570.
- Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint: Laws and regulations pertaining to abatement of asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) including insuring that all personnel involved in the abatement of removal process of all ACM and LBP will wear the necessary, legally required protective clothing and respiratory gear.
- 3. Archaeological Sites: If archaeological sites are determined to be located in the vicinity of the program site, a halt work condition is required to allow a state certified archaeologist to assess findings and all work to continue in non-archaeological areas.
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR, Part 31.
- 5. City of Los Angeles Ordinance 164244 relating to the 1% fee for public art.
- 6. Sweat-free Code of Conduct:

All contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment or supplies furnished to the State pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. Contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that it adheres to the Sweat-free Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov and Public Contract Code §6108. Contractor agrees to provide records requested by the Department of Industrial Relations or City to determine compliance with the foregoing requirements.

7. State Nondiscrimination Clause:

During the performance of this contract, contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass or allow harassment, against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, sexual

orientation, race, color, religious creed, marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, ancestry, national origin, medical condition (cancer/genetic characteristics), age (40 and above), disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, denial of pregnancy disability leave or reasonable accommodation. Contractor and subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code, §12900 et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code, §12990 (a)–(f), are incorporated into this contract by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

This Contractor shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts to perform work under contract.

8. Traveling Expenses:

Contractor's administrative-related travel and per diem reimbursement costs shall be reimbursed based on the Contractor's policies and procedures. For programmatic-related travel costs, Contractor's reimbursement rates shall not exceed the amounts established by the State Department of Personnel Administration Rules and Regulations, PML 97-024, Section 599.619, dated July 1, 1997 and Section 599.631, and as amended from time to time.

9. National Labor Relations Board Certification:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

10. Contractors for Legal Services \$50,000.00 or more – Pro Bono Requirement:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

11. Expatriate Corporations:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

- C. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to all HUD Funded Agreements:
 - 1. Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing
 - a. Eligibility for HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing:

A determination of eligibility for housing that is assisted by HUD or subject to a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) shall be made in accordance with the eligibility requirements provided for such program by HUD, and such housing shall me made available without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status. The terms "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" are defined in 24 CFR §5.100.

b. Prohibition of Inquiries on Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity:

No owner or administrator of HUD-assisted or HUD-insured housing, approved lender in an FHA mortgage insurance program, nor any (or any other) recipient or subrecipient of HUD funds may inquire about the sexual orientation or gender identity of an applicant for, or occupant of, HUD-assisted housing or housing whose financing is insured by HUD, whether renter- or owner-occupied, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the housing or otherwise making housing available.

This prohibition on inquiries regarding sexual orientation or gender identity does not prohibit an individual from voluntarily self-identifying sexual orientation or gender identity. This prohibition on inquiries does not prohibit lawful inquiries of an applicant or occupant's sex where the housing provided or to be provided to the individual is temporary, emergency shelter that involves the sharing of sleeping areas or bathrooms, or inquiries made for the purpose of determining the number of bedrooms to which a household may be entitled. The term "household" is defined in 24 CFR §570.3.

§506 FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

Federal, State, and local taxes shall be the responsibility of Contractor as an independent contractor and not as a City employee.

§507 INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

Contractor shall comply with the requirements regarding Inventions, Patents and Copyrights, which is attached hereto as Exhibit H and incorporated herein by reference.

§508 DISCLOSURE OF BORDER WALL CONTRACTING ORDINANCE

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting. The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50.

§509 CITY'S ADDITIONAL REMEDIES

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§510 PAYMENT DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

§511 WORK NOT IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 herein. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.

§512 PROHIBITION AGAINST DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS

Prohibition against duplication of benefits: Section 312 (42 U.S.C. 5155) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*) prohibits duplication of benefits for programs that provide financial assistance to people or entities suffering losses as a result of a Federally-declared disaster or emergency. The "duplication of benefits" occurs when Federal financial assistance is provided to a person or entity through a program to address losses resulting from a Federally-declared emergency or disaster, and the person or entity has received (or would receive, by acting reasonably to obtain available assistance) financial assistance for the same costs from any other source (including insurance), and the total amount received exceeds the total need for those costs. Contractor must establish and maintain adequate procedures to prevent any duplication of benefits with concurrent grant funds. The City will issue additional guidance to facilitate compliance with this requirement.

§513 COMPLIANCE WITH CURRENT APPLICABLE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND LAWS

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, City employees and the public.

§514 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

6. **GRANT REQUIREMENTS**

§601 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. General Reporting: Contractor shall furnish to the City at the times and on the forms and formats, electronically or manually, as the City may require all records, reports, data and information pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Program Reporting: Contractor shall submit to the City the following program reports as identified below. Contractor shall submit to the City all required documents in accordance with all City procedures and Directives, which are incorporated herein by reference.
 - 1. Monthly Fiscal Report
 - a. Expenditure Report Due on or before the 15th day of each month, the Contractor shall submit the Expenditure Report to the City, which reflects accrued expenditures as of the previous month on forms provided by the City.
 - b. Cash Request Due on or before the 15th day of the month, a Cash Request shall be submitted on forms provided. Contractors approved for cash advances shall submit a cash request on or before the 5th day of the month but not earlier than the 25th of the preceding month. If approved for cash advance, Contractor shall submit an expenditure report for costs incurred as of the 2 months preceding the month for which the cash is requested.
 - 2. Closeout Report
 - a. Costs reported are subject to City verification. Requests to modify the Budget shall be submitted to the City before closeout. Within 45 days following the completion of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City, on forms provided by the City, a complete and accurate closeout invoice, including:
 - 1) Accruals of allowable expenditures within the contract term and program's budget period;

- 2) Remittance for all unearned grant funds as identified in the close-out;
- 3) Program General Ledgers of all billed expenditures approved in the Budget;
- 4) Program Equipment Inventory List.
- b. In the event Contractor does not submit a final closeout or other required documentation within the prescribed time frame, the City reserves the right to unilaterally closeout the Agreement and use the invoice then on file at City for determination of Contractor's final allowable expenditures. The City will not reimburse Contractor for expenditures reported after the 45-day closeout date following the termination of this Agreement. The City shall provide to Contractor the City closeout forms at least 30 days before termination of the Agreement.

§602 MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

- A. Record Retention: Records, in their original form, shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Grantor and the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. Original forms are to be maintained on file for all documents specified in this Agreement. Unaltered copies of eligibility documents are acceptable. These records shall be retained for a period of six (6) years after termination of this Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. Pending matters include, but are not limited to, an audit, litigation, or other actions involving records. The City may, at its discretion, take possession of and retain the records. Before destruction of records retained under this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of the records.
- B. Location of Records: Records (including, but not limited to, customer files and fiscal documents in their original form) pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement shall at all times, be retained within the County of Los Angeles unless authorization to remove them is granted in writing by the City.

§603 CUSTOMER/APPLICANT FILES

Contractor shall complete and maintain on-site in each customer's file the following documents, as prescribed by program requirements: 1) application for all applicants; 2) eligibility documents (see note below); 3) assessment documents; 4) standard worksite training agreement (when applicable); 5) progress reports; 6) counseling documents, 7) job development records; 8) exit documents; 9) post placement follow-up documentation; 10) documentation of follow-up services; 11) employer verification documents; 12) verification documents for training completion; 13) written documentation that customer has received: program orientation, supportive services information, City complaint resolution procedures, contractor customer complaint resolution procedures; 14) documentation of supportive services received; and 15) documentation of credential received as a result of training.

NOTE: The City requires Contractor to verify and certify eligibility and maintain in the customer file, on-site, all eligibility documentation prior to, or as of, the date the applicant is registered in the program.

§604 EQUIPMENT RECORDS

A. Nonexpendable personal property (equipment) acquired with grant funds shall be properly maintained and accounted for as set forth below.

A record shall be maintained for each item of equipment acquired for the program. Equipment is nonexpendable property, which is not consumed or does not lose its identity by being incorporated into another item of equipment, which costs \$5,000 or more per unit, or is expected to have a useful life of one year or more. Items costing below \$5,000, but falling into the following categories are also considered equipment and records must be maintained for them: (1) electronic communications equipment for stationary or vehicular use, including cellular telephones acquired by lease or purchase, and (2) electronic office equipment as follows – facsimile machines, copiers, electric typewriters, personal computers (monitors and CPU's), terminals, and printers.

The record shall include: (1) description of the item of equipment, including model and serial number, if applicable; (2) date of acquisition; (3) the acquisition cost or assigned value to the program; and (4) source of acquisition.

B. A physical inventory shall be taken by Contractor and reconciled with the record card annually or at other times as the City shall prescribe.

§605 PURCHASE OR LEASE OF EQUIPMENT OR FACILITIES

Prior to the purchase or lease of equipment, Contractor shall receive prior City approval in writing and shall comply with all requirements described in this Agreement.

The term "equipment" as used in this Agreement shall be defined to mean personal property.

A. Lease of Equipment

A copy of each executed equipment lease agreement shall be submitted to the City before payment. Written amendments to equipment lease agreement shall comply with the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

B. Purchase of Equipment

All equipment shall be purchased and used in accordance with 2 CFR Parts 200.313 and 200.439. All property real and personal, purchased under this Agreement with grant funds and of over \$5,000 in value shall become the property of the City and shall be returned to the City upon termination of this Agreement, except as provided otherwise by the City in writing. Contractor shall file all Uniform Commercial Code statements for any eligible property purchased with grant funds and deliver a copy of the filing to the City.

- C. Lease of Property or Facilities
 - 1. All lease agreements shall incorporate the following provisions:
 - a. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision that allows the City, at its sole option, to assume the lease for its remaining term, under the same terms and conditions then in effect, in the event that the City terminates its Contractor's City Agreement or if Contractor abandons the lease.
 - b. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision, which provides that any improvements made to the facility or property by Contractor, inures to the benefit of the City, and the City may elect, at its sole option, to remove the improvements.
 - c. It is recommended that the Contractor, during lease negotiations, request the addition of a section to the lease agreement, whereby the lessor agrees that if lessee's grant funding for any calendar year decreases by \$500,000 or more from the previous calendar year, lessee may terminate the lease with 120 days written notice.
 - d. Contractor shall amend any current lease agreements to incorporate the above provisions.
 - 2. A copy of all leases and lease amendments must be reviewed and approved by the City prior to signature and be on file with the City prior to the release of funding.
 - 3. Contractor shall not sublease, assign, or amend in any manner leases paid for with funds under this Agreement without prior written City approval.
 - 4. Contractor shall invoice for only that portion of the lease cost that is allocated to the program funded by this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for collecting any portion of the rent due to Contractor under sublease agreements with partners or other entities.

§606 ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

- A. Contractor shall maintain a system of Internal Control in accordance with standard accounting practices.
 - 1. In accordance with GAAP and City Directives, financial systems shall include:
 - a. Information pertaining to sub-grant and contract awards, obligations, un-obligated balances, assets, expenditures, and income;

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- b. Effective internal controls to safeguard assets and assure their proper use;
- c. A comparison of actual expenditures with budgeted amounts for each subgrant and contract;
- d. Source documentation to support accounting records;
- e. Proper charging of costs and cost allocation and be sufficient to (i) permit preparation of required reports, and (ii) permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to establish that funds have not been used in violation of the applicable restrictions on the use of the funds; and
- f. "Internal Control" for purpose of this Agreement, comprises the plan or organization and all of the coordinated methods and measures adopted within an organization to safeguard its assets, check the adequacy and the reliability of its accounting data, promote operating efficiency, and assure adherence to prescribed management policies.
- 2. Contractor shall submit its system of accounting procedures and Internal Control to the City before the City disburses any funds to the Contractor.

§607 DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURES

- A. Documentation of expenditures, including the necessary supporting records, must be made available upon request.
- B. Payroll expenditures shall be supported by activity reports that may include but not be limited to case reports, mileage logs, attendance rosters and other documents supporting work related to City contract or program.
- C. Contractor shall not release funds to any subcontractor for reimbursement of costs, until it has received adequate documentation from the subcontractor that the expenditures are reasonable and allowable under the sub-agreement. All documentation must remain on file at Contractor's office.

§608 AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the Grantor, the U.S. Comptroller General, Auditor General of the State of California or the City may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination, all of its records with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State shall have the authority to audit, examine and make excerpts, or transcripts from records, including all contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Access by the Grantor, City, the State, the DOL, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records (including computer records) of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to charges to the program, shall not be denied in order to conduct audits and examinations, and make excerpts, transcripts, and photocopies. This right also includes timely and reasonable access to Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.
- C. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement. When total expenditures under all federal programs in a fiscal year equal or exceed \$750,000, the Contractor shall conduct or have conducted on an annual basis, audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, PL 98-502, implementing regulations in the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which applicable provision supersedes OMB Circulars A-133 as applicable, (City Council action dated February 4, 1987, C.F. No. 84-2259-S1) and administrative regulations or field memos implementing revisions or updates to the audit requirements. The auditor's reports, prepared in accordance with the aforementioned requirements, and any accompanying management reports on the operation of the Contractor or this Agreement, shall be submitted to the City within nine (9) months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year.
- D. Contractor, should it meet the above threshold, shall annually subcontract with a qualified independent auditor.
- E. The audit is to be conducted annually to test the fiscal integrity of financial transactions as well as compliance with the applicable laws and regulations.

- F. Contractor, not later than thirty (30) days following receipt of the final audit report and within nine (9) months after the close of Contractor's fiscal year, shall submit a copy of the report to the LAHD Financial Management Division.
- G. If the auditor's report or management report identifies deficiencies with internal controls or contract compliance, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a corrective action plan along with the auditor's reports. The plan shall address all deficiencies and provide specific details on corrective actions to be taken along with the date the action was or will be implemented.
- H. If the expenditures under all federal programs are less than \$750,000, Contractor shall permit the City to conduct a performance review of this Agreement and all related records in accordance with directives received from the City.
- I. In the event that Contractor is operating on a for-profit basis, Contractor shall conduct a program-specific annual independent financial and compliance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, or an organization-wide audit that includes coverage of the City program within its scope.
- J. The City reserves the right to impose any or all of the following sanctions for Contractor's failure to comply with the Single Audit Act and the provisions of this Agreement:
 - 1. Withhold a percentage of payments, at the City's sole discretion, until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to LAHD, and/or.
 - 2. Suspend payments due to Contractor until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to the City; and/or Impose the Default, Probation, Suspension and Termination provisions of this Agreement as set forth herein.
- K. City, Auditor General of the State, Grantor, Director of the Office of Civil Rights, and the U.S. Comptroller General shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including contracts, invoices, customer records and other records supporting this Agreement. Audits of earned funds are limited to determining if such funds were earned in accordance with this Agreement.
- L. City may require Contractor who has inadequate fiscal or administrative procedures, to use any or all of the City's accounting or administrative procedures used in the planning, controlling, monitoring, and reporting of fiscal matters relating to this Agreement; or secure at Contractor's expense the service of independent experts.
- M. City shall have the authority to make physical inspections and to require such physical safeguarding devices as locks, alarms, safes, fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems, etc., to safeguard property, records and/or equipment used in the performance of this Agreement.
- N. Should a fiscal or special audit determine that Contractor has earned funds which are questioned under the criteria set forth herein, the Contractor shall be notified and given the opportunity to justify questioned expenditures prior to the City's final determination of disallowed costs, in accordance with the procedures established under the Grant.

§609 CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION

- A. The Grantor, the City, and Contractor will exchange various kinds of information pursuant to this Agreement. That information will include data, applications, program files and databases. These data and information are confidential when they define an individual or an employing unit. Confidential information requires special precautions to protect it from unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification, and destruction. The sources of information may include, but are not limited to, the Employment Development Department, the California Department of Social Services, the California Department of Education, the County Welfare Department(s), the County IV-D Directors Office of Child Support, the Office of the District Attorney, the California Department of Mental Health, the California Office of Community Colleges, and the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- B. The City and Contractor agree that:
 - 1. Each party shall keep all information that is exchanged between them in the strictest confidence and make such information available to their own employees only on a "need-to-know" basis.

- Each party shall provide written instructions to all of its employees with access to information provided by the other party of the confidential nature of the information and of the penalties for unauthorized use or disclosure found in §1798.55 of the Civil Code, §502 of the Penal Code, §2111 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, §10850 of the Welfare and Institutions Code and other applicable local, State and federal laws.
- 3. Each party shall (where appropriate) store and process information in an electronic format, in such a way that unauthorized persons cannot reasonably retrieve the information by computer, remote terminal, or other means.
- 4. Each party shall promptly return to the other party confidential information when its use ends or destroy the confidential information utilizing an approved method of destroying confidential information by shredding, burning, or certified, or witnessed destruction. Magnetic media are to be degaussed or returned to the other party.
- 5. If the City or Contractor enters into an agreement with a third party to provide services, the City or Contractor agrees to include these data and security and confidentiality requirements in the agreement with that third party. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.
- 6. Each party shall designate an employee who shall be responsible for overall security and confidentiality of its data and information systems and, each party shall notify the other of any changes in that designation. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.

§610 SECURITY CLEARANCE AND TUBERCULOSIS TEST OF STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

- A. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor and subcontractor staff working with youth, either as employees or volunteers, who have a supervisory or disciplinary authority over minors must be fingerprinted and pass the background check, as required by California Penal Code §11105.3 and California Education Code §45125.1 and §10911.5. Fingerprinting and a background check may be required of other staff and volunteers depending upon how much contact the staff member will have with minors. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining security clearances for staff whose duties require a sufficient level of interaction with youth.
- B. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor shall have Tuberculosis (TB) tests completed on any staff member working with the youth.
- C. Contractor shall maintain proof of Security Clearance and TB tests of all staff, including those of the subcontractors, and make these records available for future inspection.

§611 RESTRICTION ON DISCLOSURES

Prior to the release of any reports, analyses, studies, information, or data generated as a result of this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City of the request to release the information. Release of information shall be coordinated by Contractor and the City and shall be in compliance with state and federal law.

§612 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM RECORDS AND REPORTS

- A. Contractor shall report to the City numeric data, statistics, facts, news, details and information for its City-funded project(s) using forms and formats such as the electronic Integrated Services Information System prescribed by the City for this purpose.
- B. The City shall rely upon and use records and monthly invoices located at the City, and on-site verifications, as needed, to substantiate Contractor's performance and expenditure data, including, but not limited to, enrollment, training services, placement activities, wages, business/job creation, and post-program services status.
- C. The City may contact Contractor staff, participants, subcontractors, training institutions or schools to verify the documentation supporting performance and compliance with this Agreement.

§613 INSTALLATION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SIGN

Contractor shall install, or allow to be installed, for public display upon the program site premises a sign, identifying Contractor as receiving financial assistance from the City and HUD.

§614 PRESS RELEASES--PUBLIC INFORMATION

Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency and that Contractor is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer in all communications with the press, television, radio or any other means of communicating with the general community. Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency of the program regarding any items that are related to the program funded hereby. Contractor shall also coordinate press releases with the media/public relations project for maximum impact.

§615 NOTICE TO CITY OF LABOR DISPUTES

When Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute involving participants or other employees is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Agreement Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof, including all pertinent information, with regard to same to City. No funds provided hereby shall be used to promote or deter union organizing.

§616 LISTING OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH EDD

Contractor shall list all Contractor's job openings with the local Employment Development Department Office when such job openings are funded, in full or in part, through monies provided hereby.

§617 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Should Contractor need technical assistance from the City regarding matters that are the subject of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit a written request to the City identifying the nature of the problem, the action Contractor has taken to resolve the problem, and the type of assistance needed.

§618 PROHIBITION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Contractor is prohibited from using Grant funds received under this Agreement for the purpose of instituting legal proceeding against the City and/or HUD or their officials, employee or representatives.

§619 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING FOR DENIAL OF CLIENT BENEFITS BY CONTRACTOR – IF APPLICABLE

- A. Contractor has read and agrees to strictly comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, §100751, as amended, which sets forth elements to be included in client benefit denial appeal procedures and shall advise individuals who have been denied assistance of their 20-day right to appeal to the State for an administrative hearing pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §8624(b) (13), as amended.
- B. The client may withdraw request for appeal for administrative hearing at any time during the appeal process by rendering written or oral notice to the State. Where oral notice is given, such notice shall be confirmed in writing by the parties.

§620 FAITH-BASED ACTIVITIES

Organizations that are religious or faith-based are eligible, on the same basis as any other organization, to participate in the grant-funded program. However, a contractor that participates in a grant-funded program shall comply with the following provisions if it is deemed to be a religious or faith-based organization.

A. Contractor may not engage in inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, as part of the programs or services funded under this Agreement. If Contractor conducts such activities, the activities must be offered separately, in time or location, from the programs or services funded under this Agreement, and participation must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the grant-funded programs or services.

- B. A religious or faith-based contractor will retain its independence from federal, State, and local governments, and may continue to carry out its mission, including the definition, practice, and expression of its religious beliefs, provided that it does not use direct grant funds to support any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.
- C. A religious or faith-based contractor may use space in their facilities to provide grant funded services, without removing religious art, icons, scriptures, or other religious symbols.
- D. A religious or faith-based contractor retains its authority over its internal governance, and it may retain religious terms in its organization's name, select its board members on a religious basis, and include religious references in its organization's mission statements and other governing documents.
- E. A religious or faith-based contractor shall not, in providing program assistance, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospective program beneficiary on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- F. Grant funds may not be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities.
- G. Grant funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under this section. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, grant funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to grant funds herein. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a grant funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for grant funded improvements. Disposition of real property after the term of the grant, or any change in use of the property during the term of the grant, is subject to government-wide regulations governing real property dispositions.

§621 CHILD ABUSE

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (California Penal Code §11164 *et seq.*), and specifically §§ 11165.7, 11165.9 and 11166 therein.

7. SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

§701 SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall comply with the federal and City standards in the award of any subcontracts. For purposes of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to, purchase agreements, rental or lease agreements, third party agreements, consultant service contracts and construction subcontracts. Contractor shall comply with subcontracting/procurement requirements set forth in Exhibit "I", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall ensure that the terms of this Agreement are incorporated into all subcontractor agreements. Contractor shall submit all subcontractor agreements to the City for review prior to the release of any funds to the subcontractor. Contractor shall withhold funds to any subcontractor that fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and their respective subcontractor agreement.

8. <u>REMEDIES</u>

§801 DEFAULTS

Should the Contractor fail for any reason to comply with the contractual obligations of this Agreement, including but not limited to, meet the Performance Standards, start up the program on time, provide services according to plan and/or to benefit customers and the provisions of the Agreement, maintain expenditures at an approved rate in the Budget, resolve performance problems in a timely manner, demonstrate the capabilities to solve identified problems within a specific time, provide necessary fiscal or Management Information Services documents to City in a timely manner, maintain agreed cost per placement or utilize grant funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement, the City reserves the right to take any or all of the following actions at its discretion:

A. Notify Contractor of performance deficiencies in accordance with §804 of this Agreement.

- B. Withhold the release of funds.
- C. Require that no funds be advanced to Contractor until Contractor has provided for the security of funds advanced by a Surety/performance bond. The amount and form of the security, if required, shall be determined by the City as noted on the Insurance Requirement Form and is subject to prior City approval.
- D. Modify and/or renegotiate the funding/service level and/or make any changes in the general scope of this Agreement.
- E. Require Contractor to secure at its own expense the services of independent experts.
- F. Require specific performance progress reports for identified time periods.
- G. Reduce compensation within the scope of the City's reallocation policy.
- H. Suspend operations in accordance with §803 below of this Agreement.
- I. Terminate the Agreement.

§802 NOTICE TO CORRECT PERFORMANCE

- A. The City may notify Contractor of its failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement by giving written notice, effective upon date of such notice, which states the specific performance deficiencies to be corrected.
- B. Within five (5) working days, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions that will be undertaken to remedy the performance deficiencies, which actions are subject to City approval in writing.
- C. Contractor shall thereafter submit monthly progress reports to the City in accordance with the City approved corrective action plan specifying the actions taken and resolution of the performance deficiencies.

§803 SUSPENSION OF THE AGREEMENT

- A. The City may, by giving written notice, suspend all or part of the project operations for Contractor's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and may notify the bank identified on the City form referenced in §104A.3 above that all funds are frozen pending further notice from the City. This Notice of Suspension shall be effective upon the date of the City's written notice.
- B. This notice shall set forth the specific conditions of noncompliance and the period provided for corrective action.
- C. Within five (5) working days from the date of written City notification, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions which will be undertaken, subject to City approval in writing.

§804 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- A. At any time during the Term the City may terminate this Agreement, or any part of the Agreement, upon giving Contractor at least 30 days written notice prior to the effective date of the termination, which date shall be specified in the notice. The City is not required to use other remedies provided herein prior to issuing a 30 day notice to terminate the Agreement. Upon the receipt of such notice, Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, cost or expenses, except as may be reasonably necessary to terminate its activities or as otherwise approved by the City.
- B. Contractor shall retain and dispose of all customers' documents and related records required by Contractor under this Agreement, in accordance with City Directives or written instructions. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Agreement, including all intellectual property rights thereto, shall become City property upon the date of such termination. Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.
- C. Contractor shall return to the City all equipment that was purchased with City grant funds pursuant to this Agreement.

- D. In the event Contractor dissolves or otherwise goes out of existence, copies of all records relating to the project or activity that are the subject of this Agreement shall be furnished to the City.
- E. Upon satisfactory completion and documentation of termination activities, the City shall determine the total amount of funds earned by Contractor.
- F. The City may withhold any payments due to Contractor after notice of termination has been issued for the purpose of set-aside until the exact amount of damages or unearned dollars due to the City from Contractor is determined.
- G. Subsections B, C, D, E, and F above shall also apply to Agreements terminating upon the date specified in §201 of the foregoing Agreement or upon completion of performance of this Agreement.
- H. This Agreement may be terminated immediately for any violation of City Lobbying Ordinances.
- I. In the event the City terminates this Agreement as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- J. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement, under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had not been issued pursuant to this section.

§805 NOTICES OF SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION

In the event that this Agreement is suspended or terminated, Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and customers and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of Agreement within five (5) working days from the City's written notice.

9. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

§901 SURVIVAL OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All terms and conditions of this Agreement which impose a duty, obligation or requirement on Contractor that extend beyond the Term hereof shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Such terms and conditions shall include, but not be limited to, §§404 through 407, 505(A)(2), 602, 604 and 608.

§902 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the documents regarding this Agreement, said inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to (i) the body of the Agreement, (ii) the terms of applicable City ordinances and regulations, (iii) the other exhibits and attachments hereto, and (iv) any documents provided by Contractor.

§903 RATIFICATION CLAUSE

Due to the need for the Contractor's services to be provided for the benefit of the community, Contractor may have provided services prior to the execution of this Agreement. To the extent that said services were performed prior to the execution of this Agreement but in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, such preexecution services are hereby ratified and accepted.

§904 COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§905 NUMBER OF PAGES AND ATTACHMENTS

This Agreement is executed in three (3) duplicate originals, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes thirty-three (31) pages and ten (10) exhibits that constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

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[Signatures continue on next page.]

10. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	Executed this day of	_, 2022
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	For: CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
By: Assistant/Deputy City Attorney	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
Date:		
ATTEST:	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk		
By: Deputy City Clerk		
Data	Executed this day of	_, 2022
Date:	For: ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.	
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By: Authorized Signatory #1 Official Title	
	By: Authorized Signatory #2 Official Title	
City Tax Registration Certificate Number: XXXXXXXX		
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STANDARD PROVISIONS FOR CITY CONTRACTS

PSC – 1. CONSTRUCTION OF PROVISIONS AND TITLES HEREIN

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the **CITY** or **CONTRACTOR**. The word **"CONTRACTOR"** includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural; if there is more than one **CONTRACTOR**, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

PSC – 2. APPLICABLE LAW, INTERPRETATION AND ENFORCEMENT

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**, including, but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to **CONTRACTOR**.

In any action arising out of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law of a federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of the Contract shall not be affected.

PSC – 3. TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This contract has been signed on behalf of **CONTRACTOR** by the person or persons authorized to bind **CONTRACTOR**;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the **CITY** by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.

PSC – 4. INTEGRATED CONTRACT

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous Contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of PSC-5 hereof.

PSC – 5. <u>AMENDMENT</u>

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of PSC-3.

PSC – 6. <u>EXCUSABLE DELAYS</u>

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of **CONTRACTOR** shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both **CONTRACTOR** and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, **CONTRACTOR** shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit **CONTRACTOR** to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event **CONTRACTOR'S** delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, **CONTRACTOR** agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

PSC – 7. WAIVER

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

PSC – 8. SUSPENSION

At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing **CONTRACTOR** with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to **CITY** until **CITY** gives written notice to recommence the services.

PSC – 9. <u>TERMINATION</u>

A. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

CITY may terminate this Contract for **CITY'S** convenience at any time by providing **CONTRACTOR** thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. **CITY** shall pay **CONTRACTOR** its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination. Thereafter, **CONTRACTOR** shall have no further claims against **CITY** under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights **CITY** is entitled to, shall become **CITY** property upon the date of the termination. **CONTRACTOR** agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

B. TERMINATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

1. Except as provided in PSC-6, if **CONTRACTOR** fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, **CITY** may give **CONTRACTOR** written notice of the default. **CITY'S** default

notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of **CITY**. Additionally, **CITY'S** default notice may offer **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to provide **CITY** with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to **CITY** within the time period allowed by **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may accept or reject **CONTRACTOR'S** plan. If the default cannot be cured or if **CONTRACTOR** fails to cure within the period allowed by **CITY**, then **CITY** may terminate this Contract due to **CONTRACTOR'S** breach of this Contract.

- 2. If the default under this Contract is due to **CONTRACTOR'S** failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. **CONTRACTOR** shall not recommence performance until **CONTRACTOR** is fully insured and in compliance with **CITY'S** requirements.
- 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against **CONTRACTOR**, or if **CONTRACTOR** makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 4. If **CONTRACTOR** engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates **CITY'S** laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude

d.

- a. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify CITY if CONTRACTOR or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
- b. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- c. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may terminate this Contract after providing **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to present evidence of **CONTRACTOR'S** ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
 - Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of **CONTRACTOR**.

- 6. In the event **CITY** terminates this Contract as provided in this section, **CITY** may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as **CITY** may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and **CONTRACTOR** shall be liable to **CITY** for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that **CONTRACTOR** was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to PSC-9(A) Termination for Convenience.
- 8. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

PSC – 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of **CITY**.

PSC – 11. <u>CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL</u>

Unless otherwise approved by **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Contract. **CITY** has the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall remove personnel from performing work under this Contract if requested to do so by **CITY**.

CONTRACTOR shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Contract without the prior written approval of **CITY**. If **CITY** permits the use of Subcontractors, **CONTRACTOR** shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Contract and paying all Subcontractors. **CITY** has the right to approve **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and **CITY** reserves the right to request replacement of any Subcontractor. **CITY** does not have any obligation to pay **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity of contract between **CITY** and any Subcontractor.

PSC – 12. ASSIGNMENT OR DELEGATION

CONTRACTOR may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of CITY:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

PSC – 13. PERMITS

CONTRACTOR and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors, shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications and other documents necessary for **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals, or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract.

PSC – 14. CLAIMS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS

CONTRACTOR shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against any **CITY** property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by **CONTRACTOR** hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

PSC – 15. CURRENT LOS ANGELES CITY BUSINESS TAX REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

For the duration of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by **CITY'S** Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 *et seq.* of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

PSC – 16. <u>RETENTION OF RECORDS, AUDIT AND REPORTS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by **CITY**. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by **CITY**, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized **CITY** personnel or **CITY'S** representatives at any time. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide any reports requested by **CITY** regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, **CONTRACTOR** may, upon **CITY'S** written approval, submit the required information to **CITY** in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 17. BONDS

All bonds required by **CITY** shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 *et seq.*, as amended from to time.

PSC – 18. INDEMNIFICATION

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of **CITY**, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in interest, **CONTRACTOR** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including **CONTRACTOR'S** employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by **CONTRACTOR**, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION

CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the **CITY**, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**,

including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of **CITY'S** actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in PSC-21) furnished by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 20. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY WARRANTY

CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributory, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

PSC – 21. OWNERSHIP AND LICENSE

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of **CITY** for its use in any manner **CITY** deems appropriate. **CONTRACTOR** hereby assigns to **CITY** all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

CONTRACTOR agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause **CITY** irreparable harm. **CITY** may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude **CITY** from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which **CITY** may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to **CITY** that are not originated or prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall secure a grant, at no cost to **CITY**, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any **CITY** purposes.

CONTRACTOR shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of **CITY**.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that **CITY'S** ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

PSC – 22. DATA PROTECTION

A. **CONTRACTOR** shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, **CITY**-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). **CONTRACTOR** shall notify **CITY** in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of **CONTRACTOR'S** discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or

potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. **CONTRACTOR** shall begin remediation immediately. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by **CITY**, regarding findings and actions performed by **CONTRACTOR** until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to **CITY'S** satisfaction. **CONTRACTOR** shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. **CONTRACTOR** shall cooperate fully with **CITY**, its agents and law enforcement.

B. If **CITY** is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then **CONTRACTOR** shall fully indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and defend against any resulting actions.

PSC – 23. INSURANCE

During the term of this Contract and without limiting **CONTRACTOR'S** obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit 1 hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to **CITY'S** requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit 1 hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit 1 hereto. Exhibit 1 is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

PSC – 24. <u>BEST TERMS</u>

Throughout the term of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR**, shall offer **CITY** the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of **CONTRACTOR'S** customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

PSC – 25. WARRANTY AND RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within **CONTRACTOR'S** profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

PSC – 26. MANDATORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**. In performing this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference.
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract.
- D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 27. CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, **CONTRACTOR** shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the **CONTRACTOR** under this Contract. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 28. <u>LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 29. SERVICE CONTRACTOR WORKER RETENTION ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 30. ACCESS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

CONTRACTOR represents and certifies that:

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;
- B. **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to **CITY**-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

CONTRACTOR understands that **CITY** is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 31. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

PSC – 32. BUSINESS INCLUSION PROGRAM

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. **CONTRACTOR** shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. **CONTRACTOR** shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall **CONTRACTOR** reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of **CITY**.

PSC – 33. SLAVERY DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 *et* seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 34. FIRST SOURCE HIRING ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 35. LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 36. IRAN CONTRACTING ACT

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with **CITY** for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contacting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

PSC – 37. RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDRAISING IN CITY ELECTIONS

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected **CITY** office, **CONTRACTOR**, **CONTRACTOR'S** principals, and **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles **CITY** to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected **CITY** officials or candidates for elected **CITY** office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #______. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("CITY") officials and candidates for elected CITY office for twelve months after the CITY contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the **CONTRACTOR** and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

PSC – 38. <u>CONTRACTORS' USE OF CRIMINAL HISTORY FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT</u> <u>APPLICATIONS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 39. LIMITATION OF CITY'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE PAYMENT TO CONTRACTOR

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for CITY to comply with its governing legal requirements, CITY shall have no obligation to make any payments to CONTRACTOR unless CITY shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. CONTRACTOR agrees that any services provided by CONTRACTOR, purchases made by CONTRACTOR or expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to CITY and CITY shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. CONTRACTOR shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriated amount(s) until CITY appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

PSC – 40. COMPLIANCE WITH IDENTITY THEFT LAWS AND PAYMENT CARD DATA SECURITY STANDARDS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. **CONTRACTOR** also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, **CONTRACTOR** shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

PSC – 41. COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCE CODE 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of **CONTRACTOR** working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at **CONTRACTOR'S** sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal

Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

PSC – 42. POSSESSORY INTERESTS TAX

Rights granted to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** may create a possessory interest. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall pay the property tax. **CONTRACTOR** acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

PSC – 43. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

All documents, information and materials provided to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** or developed by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. **CONTRACTOR** shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by **CITY** or as required by law. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 44 <u>COVID-19</u>

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services. Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders

EXHIBIT B Form Gen 146 (Rev. 6/12) Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

Name:	ACC Environmental Consultants, Inc.		Date:	XX/XX/XXXX	
Agreem	ent/Reference: Inspection, Survey and Analys	sis for Ha	azardous Ma	<u>iterials</u>	
occupa	ce of coverages checked below, with the sp ncy/start of operations. Amounts shown are C substituted for a CSL if the total per occurrenc	ombined	d Single Limi	ts ("CSLs"). For A	
\boxtimes	Workers' Compensation (WC) and Employ	er's Lial	oility (EL)		WC <u>Statutory</u>
	Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City		Longshore Jones Act	& Harbor Workers	EL <u>\$ 1,000,000</u>
\boxtimes	General Liability				<u>\$ 1,000,000</u>
	Products/Completed OperationsFire Legal Liability		Sexual Mis	conduct \$	
	Automobile Liability (for any and all vehicle other than commuting			ict,	\$
	Professional Liability (Errors and Omission Discovery Period <u>12 Months After Completio</u>		rk or Date of	Termination.	\$ <u>1,000,000</u>
	Property Insurance (to cover replacement co by insurance company)	ost of bui	lding - as de	termined	\$
	 All Risk Coverage Flood Earthquake 		Boiler and Builder's R		
	Pollution Liability				\$
	Surety Bonds – Performance and Payment (Labor ar	nd Materials)	Bonds	100% of the contract price
	Crime Insurance				\$
Other:	1) Professional Liability Insurance is required	for any (Contractor or	Sub-Contractor the	at requires a Licensed

Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement.
 2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

NAME: Analyst Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE: XXX-XXX-XXXX

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Agreement/Reference** All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the **types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts** specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For As-needed Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. **KwikComply** is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access **KwikComply** at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. **General Liability** insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. **Sexual Misconduct** coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. **Fire Legal Liability** is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (<u>www.2sparta.com</u>), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. **Automobile Liability** insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. **Errors and Omissions** coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. **Cyber Liability & Privacy** coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT C CERTIFICATION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Living Wage Ordinance. Contractor shall post a copy of the Notice to Employees Working on City Contracts Re: Living Wage Ordinance and Prohibition Against Retaliation, which is as below, in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees.

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (English).pdf and in Spanish at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (Spanish).pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section at (213) 847-2625.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES Department of Public Works Bureau of Contract Administration Office of Contract Compliance 1149 S. Broadway Street, Suite 300 Los Angeles, CA 90015 Phone: (213) 847-2625 — Fax: (213) 847-2777

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SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT D

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension, 24 CFR Part 24 Section 24.510, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, Participants' responsibilities.

(READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION BEFORE COMPLETING)

- 1. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT D (cont.)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this document, the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is providing the certification as set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this agreement is entered, if at any time the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds learns that its certification was erroneous, when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689.
- 5. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the <u>List of Parties Excluded from Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs</u>.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under Paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

<u>EXHIBIT E</u>

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

<u>Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans</u> <u>and Cooperative Agreements</u>

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352 Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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EXHIBIT F MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION

As a prerequisite to receipt of a City funded Contract, and as material facts upon which the City may rely in preparing the Contract, I, an authorized representative of the Contractor, make the following representations:

1. I am responsible for the fair presentation of the Contractor's financial records/reports in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and have provided such records/reports accordingly to the City. I will make available to City all related data and information. I am not aware of any material transactions that have not been properly recorded and disclosed.

True 🗌 False 🗌

2. The Contractor has adopted sound accounting policies and procedures in accordance with GAAP that include procedures for maintaining internal controls, and preventing and detecting fraud and abuse.

True 🗌 False 🗌

3. I have advised and will continue to advise the City of any actions taken at meetings of Contractor's Board of Directors, and Committees of the Board of Directors which may have a material impact on Contractor's ability to perform the City's Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

- 4. Except as recorded or disclosed to you herein, I know of no instances of:
 - a. Conflict of interests (direct or indirect), nepotism, related (direct or indirect) party transactions including revenues, expenses, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, and amounts receivable from or payable to related parties.

True 🗌 False 🗌

b. Guarantees, whether written or oral, under which the Contractor is contingently liable.

True 🗌 False 🗌

c. Actual, forthcoming or possible terminations of funding from regulatory agencies or other sources due to noncompliance, deficiencies, or for any other reason, that would affect the financial records and/or continuing viability of the Contractor as an on-going concern.

True 🗌 False 🗌

5. I have no knowledge that a board member/s is/are also an employee of this Contractor whose salary costs are reimbursed under this agreement.

True 🗌 False 🗌

6. I have no knowledge of and am not in receipt of any communication regarding allegations of fraud, suspected fraud or abuse affecting the Contractor involving management, employees who have significant roles in internal control, or others where fraud/abuse could have a material effect on the financial records or performance of the City Contract.

True 🗌 False 🔲

7. I have no knowledge of any allegations, written or oral, of misstatements or misapplication of funds in the Contractor's conduct of its financial affairs or in its financial records.

True 🗌 False 🗌

8. I am not aware of any pending litigation, bankruptcy, judgment, liens and other significant issues that may threaten the financial viability, legal and continuing existence of the Contractor.

True 🗌 False 🗌

9. The Contractor has satisfactory title to all assets being used in the City's program, and there are no liens or encumbrances on such assets, nor has any asset been pledged as collateral.

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10. The Contractor has complied with all aspects of contractual agreements, related laws and regulations that could have a material effect on the financial records, the program/s, or on the organization as a whole.

True 🗌 False 🗌

11. I have properly reported and paid to the appropriate governmental agencies all payroll taxes due on employees' (City program related or otherwise) compensation.

True 🗌	False	
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12. I have responded fully to all the City's inquiries related to the Contractor's financial records and/or reports.

True 🗌 False 🗌

13. I understand that the City's auditing and monitoring procedures of Contractor are limited to those which the City determines best meet its informational needs and may not necessarily disclose all errors, irregularities, including fraud or defalcation, or illegal acts, that may exist.

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True		False	

14. I understand that the City audit and monitoring reports are intended solely for use by the Contractor and the other authorized parties, and are not intended for other purposes, unless otherwise required by law.

True 🗌 False 🗌

15. If one or more of the above statements is found to be false, I understand that the City may terminate this contract immediately. I also understand that I have a continuing duty to report to City any material factual change to any of these statements.

True | False |

Use this space to provide any additional information:

I declare under	penalty	of perjury	that I h	have re	ead the	foregoing	statements	and they	are true	and	complete	to the	best of	f my
knowledge.								-						-

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EXHIBIT G SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide services as follows:

This scope of services has two parts: Part A (Lead) and Part B (Asbestos).

PART A: LEAD

The Contractor shall provide services identified in this section, as requested by LAHD.

Lead Inspection/Risk Assessment (LI/RA) Report

A. Combination Lead Paint Inspections and Risk Assessments

The Contractor shall visit the job site and conduct a Combination Paint Inspection and Risk Assessments in compliance with HUD 2012 Guidelines (Ch. 5) and HUD Policy Guidance Number 2013-01 using an X-ray fluorescence (XRF) instrument and a minimum of eight (8) single-surface dust wipe samples shall be collected.

Dust Samples

- i. Dust samples shall be collected at a minimum in the following locations:
 - One from the floor of the child's principal play area, TV room, or living room.
 - One from the interior window sill of the most frequently opened window in the child's principal play area.
 - One from the floor of the kitchen.
 - One from the window trough of the kitchen window (if inaccessible, an interior window sill sample shall be collected).
 - One from the floor of the bedroom of the youngest child (older than six (6) months).
 - One from the interior window sill of the bedroom of the youngest child (older than six (6) months).
 - One from the floor of the bedroom of the next oldest child, if any.
 - One from the window trough of the bedroom of the next oldest child, if any (if inaccessible, an interior window sill sample should be collected).

At least one window trough sample should be collected in each dwelling. If no playroom can be identified, the living room should be sampled. If the youngest child's bedroom cannot be identified, the smallest bedroom should be sampled.

- ii. Bare soil samples shall be collected at a minimum from each of the following locations:
 - Each play area with bare soil, including sandboxes.
 - Non-play areas in dripline/foundation areas.
 - Non-play areas in the rest of the yard, including, but not limited to vegetable gardens, pet sleeping areas, and bare pathways.
 - Vegetable gardens (recommended).

XRF Readings

- i. Interior and Exterior of the Unit
 - XRF readings will be taken of a minimum of one (1) testing combination of each component per room equivalent in each unit.

ii. Windows

Interior

- XRF readings will be taken of a minimum of one (1) window testing combination of each component per room equivalent in each unit.
- Further XRF readings will be taken if deemed necessary by the visual inspection.

Exterior

- Single-Family Home: XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of 14 window testing combinations per building.
- Duplex and Triplex (One Building): XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of six (6) window testing combinations per unit.
- Four (4) or More Units (One Building): XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of five (5) window testing combinations per unit.

Further XRF readings shall be taken if deemed necessary by the visual inspection and preliminary XRF readings or by LAHD.

- If the condition of the window is deteriorated and the XRF readings show the presence of lead, then all windows must be tested.
- Each additional window combination tested will be paid as a per window flat fee.
- If the visual inspection and the preliminary XRF readings show that there are no lead hazards, no further testing shall be required.

For quality assurance, risk assessors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one blank for each property. For multi-family risk assessments, one blank shall be submitted for every 20 samples collected. Generally, a maximum of ten blanks per property is adequate, but more may be necessary for very large multi-family properties, such as those with more than 500 units.

An inspection and risk assessment report shall be provided to LAHD within 14 business days from the date of the site visit.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

B. LI/RA Report

The report of the risk assessment/paint inspection in compliance with HUD 2012 Guidelines (Ch. 5) must contain at least the following information:

- i. Executive Summary
 - A brief summary of the essential findings of the risk assessment.
- ii. Table of Contents
- iii. Identifying Information and Risk Assessor's Signature
 - The date of risk assessment.
 - The address of each building included in the inspection and apartment numbers (if applicable).
 - Date of construction of the buildings.

- Name, address, and telephone number of each building owner and building manager.
- Name, address, and telephone number of the certified firm employing the risk assessor.
- Name, signature, and certification number of the risk assessor conducting the inspection.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each recognized laboratory conducting analyses of collected samples.
- iv. Purpose of the Risk Assessment
 - Definition of a risk assessment
 - Explanation of why the risk assessment was performed
 - Description of any special requests by client
- v. Definitions
- vi. Description of Lead-Based Paint Hazards and Acceptable Hazard Control
 - Describe the method of inspection/risk assessment including the make and model of the XRF used, and the type of source and the PCS of the device.
 - Describe site and visual observations of surfaces, components, risk assessment, materials, structure type (number of units for this type of configuration), size (number of bedrooms and Configuration), age of building proposed use, type of occupancy, anticipated rehabilitation, etc. (provide a floor plan showing location of doors and windows and location of defective items or hazards).
 - Indicate the total number of dwelling units versus the number sampled and include the applicable documentation as per the 2012 HUD Guidelines.
 - Identify actual number and location of samples taken in each area: room, unit, common areas roof exterior walls, etc.
 - Describe lab-testing protocol (include lab-data sheet and chain of custody).
 - Describe XRF analysis protocol.
 - Include calibration readings of the XRF as outlined in the 2012 HUD Guidelines.
 - Include a table summarizing all surfaces containing lead-based paint and leadcontaminated soil, describing the condition of the surfaces containing lead-based paint.
 - Identify owner and firm's responsibilities and clearly explain any limitations.
 - Include floor plans to include soil sampling and an indication of the sampling locales; and which, if any samples were composite samples. All doors and windows must be clearly marked on the floor plans.
 - California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Form 8552
 - Reference the appropriate regulatory issues and requirements.

The report must be type-written. Handwritten data and/or field report are **not** acceptable.

Developing Lead Abatement Specifications

The Contractor shall contact LAHD and request a copy of the LI/RA Report. The Contractor shall visit the job site and develop a set of specifications for lead abatement for the specific project (scope of work). Specifications shall be in conformance with HUD recommended Guidelines for addressing Lead-Based Paint Hazards. The turnaround time for a full set of specifications shall not exceed five (5) business days from the date requested by LAHD staff.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Project Monitoring

The Contractor shall visit the job site prior to the start of Abatement to verify containment and monitor the project during the course of Lead Abatement/Remediation activities to verify "lead-safe" work practices and compliance with written specifications. There shall be at least two site visits. The contractor shall be responsible for making recommendations regarding abatement progress and progress payments. The Contractor must submit a report to LAHD describing daily activities. The turnaround time for the report shall not exceed three (3) business days from the date of project monitoring "site visit".

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Clearance

The Contractor is to contact the LAHD Rehabilitation Construction Specialist (RCS) assigned to the project and request a copy of the scope of work for lead related work for review. The Contractor shall visit the job site and, based on the scope of work, identify the lead remediation work that has been completed. The Contractor must conduct a clearance of the dwelling.

- A. Clearance Inspection Protocol
 - Determine the clearance area
 - Conduct visual assessment
 - Conduct dust sampling

The Contractor shall take an average of six (6) interior dust wipe samples, one (1) exterior window trough and one (1) exterior soil sample.

For quality assurance, inspectors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one (1) blank for each property. For multi-family risk assessments, one (1) blank shall be submitted for every 20 samples collected. Generally, a maximum of ten (10) blanks per property is adequate, but more may be necessary for very large multi-family properties, such as those with more than 500 units.

B. Clearance Report

The report of the clearance inspection must contain at least the following information:

- The date of risk assessment.
- The address of each building included in the inspection and apartment numbers (if applicable).
- Date of construction of the buildings.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each building owner and building manager.
- Name, address, and telephone number of the certified firm employing the risk assessor.
- Name, signature, and certification number of the risk assessor conducting the inspection.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each recognized laboratory conducting analyses of collected samples.
- Visual assessment form.
- Dust sampling form.
- Floor plans to include soil sampling and an indication of the sampling locales; and which, if any samples were composite samples. All doors and windows must be clearly marked on the floor plans.
- Copy of the laboratory results
- Interpretation of the laboratory results
- CDPH Form 8552

The turnaround time for a full clearance inspection report will be three (3) business days from the date of the clearance inspection.

The Contractor should provide the total cost of this service including: trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Operation and Maintenance (O & M) Plan

The Contractor shall contact the LAHD Rehabilitation Construction Specialist assigned to the project and request a copy of the LI/RA report and a copy of the lead related "scope of work." The Contractor shall visit the job site and, based on the "scope of work," confirm that the lead-related work has been completed. The Contractor shall then create an Operation and Maintenance Plan (O&M Plan) for the specific project in accordance to the information reviewed and HUD Guidelines. The turnaround time for a full O&M Plan from the date of the job site visit to emailing the O&M Plan to LAHD shall not exceed five (5) business days.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such an inspection report.

Limited Clearance/Handyworker

Lead surveys for the Handyworker Program do not require a Risk Assessment or a Remediation/Lead Abatement plan (unless requested by LAHD). The Contractor is to contact the LAHD Handyworker Program and request a copy of the scope of work for lead-related work. The Contractor is to visit the job site and conduct a clearance of that dwelling for the work areas identified in the scope. The Contractor is to provide three (3) dust wipe samples, plus a blank one for each site in those areas identified by LAHD. The turnaround time for a clearance inspection report will be three (3) business days from the date of the clearance inspection.

For quality assurance, inspectors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one (1) blank for each property.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including: trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such service.

Applicable Conditions

- A. <u>ALL reports are due within the stipulated period.</u> Written findings and recommendations should be consistent with visual and test data.
- B. All reports submitted to LAHD must reference the Work Authorization Number (WAN#) provided by LAHD.
- C. All costs including the trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff, and any other fees associated with the required services shall be included in the agreed upon fee and shall not be charged separately.

PART B: ASBESTOS

The Contractor shall provide contractual services which are supported by the tasks identified in this section. All work is subject to prior City approval.

The Contractor shall provide the following services upon request by LAHD:

- A. Conduct an inspection for asbestos in accordance with *Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act* (AHERA) protocol;
- B. Interpret the test results and develop a remediation plan with recommendations for containment or abatement; and

C. Submit a written report of findings and recommendations consistent with visual and test data, within ten (10) business days of receiving the address to inspect (unless extended by LAHD if special conditions are discovered).

Report of Inspection Results Shall:

- A. Describe the method of inspection.
- B. Describe site and visual observations of surfaces, components, materials, type of structure (number of units for this type of configuration), size (number of bedrooms and configuration), age of building, proposed use, type of occupancy, anticipated rehabilitation, etc.
- C. Include number of units to be tested; actual number sampled.
- D. Identify actual number of samples taken in each area: room, unit, common areas, code number, location and description, color, non-friable surface condition, code number correlated with inspection description and analysis.
- E. Describe lab test protocol (include lab data sheet).
- F. Describe application of AHERA protocol (this must include identification of a 100% visual inspection).
- G. Identify owner and firm's responsibility and clearly explain any limitations.
- H. Reference the appropriate regulatory issues and requirements.
- I. Include room floor plans to reflect test sampling locations and type of area sampled including locations of all windows and doors.
- J. Include a summary that identifies all asbestos and potential hazards.
- K. Include a summary of intact asbestos which should include an operations and maintenance plan.

Test Data Protocol Shall:

- A. Identify type of component and surfaces.
- B. Describe component condition of surfaces.
- C. Segregate data by building type or other unique characteristics.
- D. Correlate 100% with visual inspection

Professional Qualifications / Demonstrated Ability

A. Inspection Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Lead)

Contractor shall provide evidence of the following required certifications:

- State of California Lead Inspector/Assessor (I/A)
- State of California Lead Project Monitor (PM)
- Radiation Safety Training

B. Inspection Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Asbestos)

Contractor shall provide evidence of the following required certifications:

- State of California Certified Asbestos Consultant (CAC)
- State of California Certified Site Surveillance Technician (CSST)

EXHIBIT H INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

A. Reporting Procedure for Inventions

If any project produces any invention or discovery (Invention) patentable or otherwise under Title 35 of the U.S. Code, including, without limitation processes and business methods made in the course of work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall report the fact and disclose the Invention promptly and fully to the City. The City shall report the fact and disclose the Invention. Unless there is a prior agreement between the City and the Grantor, the Grantor shall determine whether to seek protection on the Invention. The Grantor shall determine how the rights in the Invention, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the policy ("Policy") embodied in the Federal Acquisition Regulations System, which is based on Ch. 18 of Title 35 U.S.C. §200 *et seq.* (Pub.L. 95-517, Pub.L. 98-620, 37 CFR, Part 401); Presidential Memorandum on Government Patent Policy to the Heads of the Executive Departments and Agencies, dated 2/18/1983; and Executive Order 12591, 4/10/87, 52 FR 13414, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 220 (as amended by Executive Order 12618, 12/22/87, 52 FR 48661, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp. p. 262). Contractor hereby agrees to be bound by the Policy, and will contractually require its personnel to be bound by the Policy.

B. Rights to Use Inventions

City shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Invention developed under this Agreement.

- C. Copyright Policy
 - Unless otherwise provided by the terms of the Grantor or of this Agreement, when copyrightable material (Material) is developed under this Agreement, the author or the City, at the City's discretion, may copyright the Material. If the City declines to copyright the Material, the City shall have an unencumbered right, and a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, access, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all governmental purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement.
 - 2. The Grantor shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement or any Copyright purchased under this Agreement. Contractor shall comply with 24 CFR 85.34.
- D. Rights to Data
 - 1. The Grantor and the City shall have unlimited rights or copyright license to any data first produced or delivered under this Agreement. "Unlimited rights" means the right to use, disclose, reproduce, prepare derivative works, distribute copies to the public, and perform and display publicly, or permit others to do so; as required by 48 CFR 27.401. Where the data are not first produced under this Agreement or are published copyrighted data with the notice of 17 U.S.C. §401 or §402, the Grantor acquires the data under a copyright license as set forth in 48 CFR 27.404(f) (2) instead of unlimited rights (48 CFR 27.404(a)).
 - 2. Obligations Binding on Subcontractors Contractor shall require all subcontractors to comply with the obligations of this section by incorporating the terms of this section into all subcontracts.
- E. Intellectual Property Provisions for California Sub-Grants (IF APPLICABLE)

This Agreement is funded in part with federal "pass through" funds from the State of California (State). The following requirements are applicable to this Agreement. In any Contract funded in whole or in part by the federal government, City/State may acquire and maintain the Intellectual Property rights, title, and ownership, which result directly or indirectly from the Contract, except as provided in 37 Code of Federal Regulations Part 401.14. However, pursuant to 29 CFR Part 97.34, the federal government shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, irrevocable, paid-up license throughout the world to use, duplicate, or dispose of such Intellectual Property throughout the world in any manner for governmental purposes and to have and permit others to do so.

F. Ownership

- 1. Except where City/State has agreed in a signed writing to accept a license, City/State shall be and remain, without additional compensation, the sole owner of any and all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property, from the moment of creation, whether or not jointly conceived, that are made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. For the purposes of this Agreement, Intellectual Property means recognized protectable rights and interest such as: patents (whether or not issued,) copyrights, trademarks, service marks, applications for any of the foregoing: inventions, trade secrets, trade dress, logos, insignia, color combinations, slogans, moral rights, right of publicity, author's rights, contract and licensing rights, works, mask works, industrial design rights, rights of priority, know how, design flows, methodologies, devices, business processes, developments, innovations, good will any data or information maintained, collected or stored in the ordinary course of business by City/State, and all other legal rights protecting intangible proprietary information as may exist now and/or hereafter come into existence, and all renewals and extensions, regardless of whether those rights arise under the laws of the United States, or any other state, country, jurisdiction.
- 3. For the purposes of the definition of Intellectual Property, "works" means all literary works, writings and printed matter, including the medium by which they are recorded or reproduced, photographs, art work, pictorial and graphic representations and works of a similar nature, film, motion pictures, digital images, animation cells, and other audiovisual works, including positives and negatives thereof, sound recordings, tapes, educational materials, interactive videos, computer software and any other materials of products created, produced, conceptualized and fixed in a tangible medium of expression. It includes preliminary and final products and any materials and information developed for the purposes of producing those final products. "Works" does not include articles submitted to peer review or reference journals or independent research projects.
- 4. In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor may exercise and utilize certain of its Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. In addition, under this Agreement, Contractor may access and utilize certain of City's/State's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Except as otherwise set forth herein, Contractor shall not use any of City's/State's Intellectual Property now existing or hereafter existing for any purposes without the prior written permission of City/State. Except as otherwise set forth herein, neither Contractor nor City/State shall give any ownership interest in or rights to its Intellectual Property to the other Party. If, during the term of this Agreement, Contractor accesses any third-party Intellectual Property that is licensed to City/State, Contractor agrees to abide by all license and confidentiality restrictions applicable to City/State in the third-party's license agreement.
- 5. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City/State in establishing or maintaining City/State's exclusive rights in the Intellectual Property, and in assuring City's/State's sole rights against third-parties with respect to the Intellectual Property. If the Contractor enters into any agreements or subcontracts with other parities in order to perform this Agreement, Contractor shall require the terms of agreement(s) to include all Intellectual Property provisions herein. Such terms must include, but are not limited to, the subcontractor assigning and agreeing to assign to City/State all rights, title and interest in Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by the subcontractor, Contractor or City/State and which result directly indirectly from this Agreement or any subcontract.
- 6. The requirement for the Contractor to include all Intellectual Property Provisions in all agreements and subcontracts it enters into with other parties does not apply to agreements or subcontracts that are for customized and on-the-job-training as authorized under 20 CFR 663.700-730.
- 7. Contractor further agrees to assist and cooperate with City/State in all reasonable respects, and execute all documents and, subject to reasonable availability, give testimony, and take all further acts reasonably necessary to acquire, transfer, maintain, and enforce City's/State's Intellectual Property rights and interests.
- G. Retained Rights/License Rights
 - 1. Except for Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement, Contractor shall retain title to all of its Intellectual Property to the extent such Intellectual Property is in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Contractor hereby grants to City/State, without additional compensation, a permanent, non-exclusive, royalty free, paid-up, worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, non-terminable license to use, reproduce, manufacture, sell, offer to sell, import, export, modify, publicly and privately display/perform, distribute, and dispose of Contractor's Intellectual Property with the right to sub-license through multiple layers, for any purpose

whatsoever, to the extent it is incorporated in the Intellectual Property resulting from this Agreement, unless Contractor assigns all rights, title and interest in the Intellectual Property as set forth herein.

2. Nothing in this provision shall restrict, limit, or otherwise prevent Contractor from using any ideas, concepts, know-how, methodology or techniques related to its performance under this Agreement, provided that Contractor's use does not infringe the patent, copyright, trademark rights, license or other Intellectual Property rights of City/State or third-party, or result in a breach or default of any provisions herein or result in a breach of any provisions of law relating to confidentiality.

H. Copyright

- 1. Contractor agrees that for purposes of copyright law, all works made by or on behalf of Contractor in connection with Contractor's performance of this Agreement shall be deemed "works for hire." Contractor further agrees that the work of each person utilized by Contractor in connection with the performance of this Agreement will be a "work made for hire," whether that person is an employee of Contractor or that person has entered into an agreement with Contractor to perform the work. Contractor shall enter into a written agreement with any such person that: (i) all work performed for Contractor shall be deemed a "work made for hire" under the Copyright Act and (ii) that person shall assign all right, title, and interest to City/State to any work product made, conceived, derived from or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. All materials, including, but not limited to, computer software, visual works or text, reproduced or distributed pursuant to this Agreement that include Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement may not be reproduced or disseminated without prior written permission from City/State.

I. Patent Rights

With respect to inventions made by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, which did not result from research and development specifically included in the Agreement's scope of work, Contractor hereby grants to City/State a license for devises or material incorporating, or made through the use of such inventions. If such inventions result from research and development work specifically included within the Agreement's scope of work, then Contractor agrees to assign to City/State, without additional compensation, all its rights, title and interest in and to such inventions and to assist City/State in securing United States and foreign patents with respect thereto.

J. Third-Party Intellectual Property

Except as provided herein, Contractor agrees that its performance of this Agreement shall not be dependent upon or include any Intellectual Property of Contractor or third-party without first: (i) obtaining City's/State's prior written approval; and (ii) granting to or obtaining for City's/State's, without additional compensation, a license, as described in Section G above, for any of Contractor's or third-party's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. If such a license upon these terms is unattainable, and City/State determines that the Intellectual Property should be included in or is required for Contractor's performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall obtain a license under terms acceptable to City/State.

K. Warranties

- 1. Contractor represents and warrants that:
 - a. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for its performance of this Agreement. Neither Contractor's performance of this Agreement, nor the exercise by either Party of the rights granted in this Agreement, nor any use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, import, export, modification, public and private display/performance, distribution, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement will infringe upon or violate any Intellectual Property right, non-disclosure obligation, or other proprietary right or interest of any third-party or entity now existing under the laws of, or hereafter existing or issued by, any state, the United States, or any foreign country. There are currently no actual or threatened claims by any such third-party based on an alleged violation of any such right by Contractor.
 - b. Neither Contractor's performance nor any part of its performance will violate the right of privacy of, or constitute a libel or slander against any person or entity.

- c. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for Intellectual Property, including, but not limited to, consents, waivers or releases from all authors or music or performances used, and talent (radio, television, and motion picture talent), owners of any interest in and to real estate, site locations, property or props that may be used or shown.
- d. It has not granted and shall not grant to any person or entity any right that would or might derogate, encumber, or interfere with any of the rights granted to City/State in this Agreement.
- e. It has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance or computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- f. It has no knowledge of any outstanding claims, licenses or other charges, liens, or encumbrances of any kind or nature whatsoever that could affect in any way Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- 2. City/State makes no warranty that the intellectual property resulting from this sub-grant Agreement does not infringe upon any patent, trademark, copyright or the like, now existing or subsequently issued.
- L. Intellectual Property Indemnity
 - 1. Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless City/State and its licensees and assignees, and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and users of its products ("Indemnities") from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, liabilities (or actions or proceedings with respect to any thereof), whether or not rightful, arising from any and all actions or claims by any third-party or expenses related thereto (including, but not limited to, all legal expenses, court costs, and attorney's fees incurred in investigating, preparing, serving as a witness in, or defending against, any such claim action, or proceeding, commenced or threatened) to which any of the Indemnities may be subject, whether or not Contractor is a party to any pending or threatened litigation, which arise out of or are related to: (i) the incorrectness or breach of any of the representations, warranties, covenants or agreements of Contractor pertaining to Intellectual Property; or (ii) any Intellectual Property infringement, or any other type of actual or alleged infringement claim, arising out of City's/State's use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, distribution, import, export, modification, public and private performance/display, license, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement. This indemnity obligation shall apply irrespective of whether the infringement claim is based on a patent, trademark or copyright registration that was issued after the effective date of this Agreement. City/State reserves the right to participate in and/or control, at Contractor's expense, any such infringement action brought against City/State.
 - 2. Should any Intellectual Property licensed by the Contractor to City/State under this Agreement become the subject of an Intellectual Property infringement claim, Contractor will exercise its authority reasonably and in good faith to preserve City's/State's right to use the licensed Intellectual Property in accordance with this Agreement at no expense to City/State. City/State shall have the right to monitor and appear through its own counsel (at Contractor's expense) in any such claim or action. In the defense or settlement of the claim, Contractor may obtain the right for City/State to continue using the licensed Intellectual Property, or replace or modify the licensed Intellectual Property so that the replaced or modified Intellectual Property becomes non-infringing provided that such replacement or modification is functionally equivalent to the original licensed Intellectual Property. If such remedies are not reasonably available, City/State may be entitled to a refund of all monies paid under this Agreement, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.
 - 3. Contractor agrees that damages alone would be inadequate to compensate City/State for breach of any term of these Intellectual Property provisions herein by Contractor. Contractor acknowledges City/State would suffer irreparable harm in the event of such breach and agrees City/State shall be entitled to obtain equitable relief, including without limitation an injunction, from a court of competent jurisdiction, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

M. Survival

The provisions set forth herein shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or any project schedule.

EXHIBIT I SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

- 1. For the purpose of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to purchase agreement or lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, consultant services subcontracts and construction subcontracts.
- 2. Subcontracts entered into in the performance of this Agreement shall:
 - a. Be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. City may require incorporation of the applicable provisions in a written agreement.
 - b. Specifically prohibit assignment or transfer of interest without prior written approval by the City.
 - c. Contractor must specifically provide proof, when applicable, of the appropriate permits and/or business licenses.
- 3. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution.
- 4. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be maintained by Contractor and provided to City upon written request.
- 5. Subcontractors shall be procured consistent with the Procurement Procedures outlined in this Agreement.
- 6. A subcontractor is defined as a person or business who is awarded a portion of an existing contract by a principal or general contractor. A subcontractor performs work under a contract with a general contractor.

B. PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

- It is the policy of the City of Los Angeles (City) to encourage fair and open competition in its procurement for goods and services. The requirements for a fair and open competition include the development of written procurement policies that include, but are not limited to all of the following subsections. Several of the provisions herein include City mandated rules and procedures in addition to the other grant requirements. Such policies are applicable to subcontractors to the extent permitted by law.
 - a. Purpose: It is the intent of these rules that these procedures shall apply to all subcontracts including, but not limited to purchase agreements, lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, and consultant services subcontracts. All contractors are required to prepare written procurement procedures. All written procedures and policies for procurement activities are to be available for public inspection.
 - b. Responsibilities:
 - (1) The following procedures shall apply to all procurements under this Agreement in order to ensure that all solicitations:
 - (a) Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product or service to be procured. Such description shall not, in competitive procurement, contain features which unduly restrict competition; and
 - (b) Identify all requirements that the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - (2) Issue a Public Notification: The notification must be made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) or other media that covers the entire service area.

- (3) All steps of each procurement must be documented, including a description of the documentation process and where the documentation will be located.
- (4) Contractor shall provide a copy of the bid package to anyone who requests it. Contractor shall compile a list of everyone requesting a copy of the bid package.
- (5) The Contractor shall ensure that all pre-qualified lists of persons, firms or other organizations that are used to acquire goods and services are current and include sufficient numbers of qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. The agencies listed on the bidder's list may be individually notified.
- (6) The Contractor shall maintain records that are sufficient to detail the significant history of a procurement procedure. These records shall include, but are not limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement; the selection of contract type; contractor selection or rejection; rational and reasonable rating criteria and the basis for the contract type.
- (7) The Contractor shall keep records sufficient to insure that funds have not been spent unlawfully.
- (8) The Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to any procurement agreement/contract within the County of Los Angeles for a period of five (5) years following termination of the Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. "Pending Matters" include, but are not limited to an audit, litigation, or other activities involving records. Prior to destruction of records retained under this Agreement, the Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of said records.
- (9) The Contractor shall not contract with any party that is debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from participation in Federal assistance programs. All contracts shall include a self-certification from the contractor that it is not a debarred party.

The Federal government prohibits awards to any party that is debarred. The Federal government compiles a list of debarred parties. The Federal list is published by the General Services Administration. A copy may be obtained by accessing <u>https://www.sam.gov/SAM/</u>. The list will be issued as an Information Bulletin in May of each year. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that funds are not awarded to entities on the debarment list.

- (10)Procurement activities must be concluded in a confidential manner. Staff involved in procurements must not divulge advance purchasing information, specific proposal/offer evaluation criteria, and negotiations with bidders or in-house discussions regarding procurement until such time as this information is released to all parties.
- (11)Contractor shall receive and log in proposals and establish a method for recording the date and time of arrival of proposals using either a log-in sheet, or a date/time stamp. Contractor shall establish a single location for receipt of proposals. Contractor shall ensure that the only proposals received by the deadline specified in the bid package qualify for the evaluation process unless there is a valid legal reason for otherwise considering a late proposal.
- (12)Contractor shall establish proposal evaluation procedures that shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Clear staff responsibilities: A procurement specialist shall be designated for each bid/proposal process. It shall be the responsibility of the specialist to insure compliance with these procurement rules;
 - (b) Develop a standard worksheet or check-list for determining responsiveness of each proposal;
 - (c) Establish and use evaluation criteria and a standard evaluation worksheet to be used in recording the evaluations of each proposal;
 - (d) Prepare an analysis of costs to verify allowability and to determine reasonableness;
 - (e) Identify staff responsibilities for completing proposal evaluation and for summarizing evaluation results;

- (f) Develop a description of methods for ensuring independence of ratings by those involved in the evaluation process (i.e., prohibit discussion among staff, sequestered evaluations);
- (g) Identify policy and process by which selection of awardee(s) will be made; and
- (h) Provide an opportunity for bidders to appeal staff recommendations.

Items a-c should be sufficiently completed before issuance of the bid package so relevant parts can be included.

- (13)Contractor shall identify complete and timely proposals. Contractor shall review the technical merits of these proposals based on the rating criteria contained in the bid package. Contractor shall review the cost proposals based on applicable cost principles and the technical proposal.
- (14)Contractor shall determine which proposals are in competitive range for technical response and based on the cost and price analysis conducted prior to the release of the bid package.
- (15)Contractor shall negotiate with organization(s) in the competitive range. Contractor shall establish policies and procedures governing face-to-face negotiations. Include in these policies opportunities to seek clarification of the proposal content, the offeror to submit a best and final proposal prior to final evaluation and award. Contractor shall include in the criteria that all responsive offerors in the competitive range are given fair and equal consideration based on the merits of their proposals. Contractor shall document these negotiations in writing.
- (16)Private for-profit entities must obtain prior written approval from the City for purchases of personal property (other than supplies) using Agreement funds.
- (17)Contractor shall conduct and document oversight to ensure compliance with these procurement procedures.
- (18)If the State of California, or the City of Los Angeles has established a debt against a service provider that has not been repaid or a repayment agreement plan has not be implemented, then the service provider shall be barred from receiving any future City funds.
- (19)Participation of Minorities, Women, Disadvantaged and Small Businesses

To the fullest extent possible in the administration of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to provide opportunities for minorities, women, disadvantaged and small businesses to participate in procurements under this Agreement.

- (20)The Contractor shall not use funds provided under this Agreement to duplicate facilities or services available in the area (with or without reimbursement) from Federal, State, or local sources, unless it is demonstrated that the Agreement-funded alternative services or facilities would be more effective or more likely to achieve performance goals.
- (21)The Contractor, to the maximum extent practicable and permitted by law, is encouraged to maximize use of goods, products, and materials produced in the United States when procuring goods and services under Federal awards. (2 CFR 200.322.)
- (22)The Contractor, consistent with 2 CFR 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunication and video surveillance services or equipment (Effective 8/13/2020)), shall be prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or (3) enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain, equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. This prohibition applies even if the contract is not intended to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services includes: Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- (a) Costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:
 - (i) Obligating or expending covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (ii) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (iii) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (iv) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.
- c. Cost or Price Analysis:
 - (1) The non-Federal entity must perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the Simplified Acquisition Threshold including contract modifications. The method and degree of analysis is dependent on the facts surrounding the particular procurement situation, but as a starting point, the non-Federal entity must make independent estimates before receiving bids or proposals.
 - (2) The non-Federal entity must negotiate profit as a separate element of the price for each contract in which there is no price competition and in all cases where cost analysis is performed. To establish a fair and reasonable profit, consideration must be given to the complexity of the work to be performed, the risk borne by the contractor, the contractor's investment, the amount of subcontracting, the quality of its record of past performance, and industry profit rates in the surrounding geographical area for similar work.
 - (3) Costs or prices based on estimated costs for contracts under the Federal award are allowable only to the extent that costs incurred or cost estimates included in negotiated prices would be allowable for the non-Federal entity under Subpart E—Cost Principles of this part. The non-Federal entity may reference its own cost principles that comply with the Federal cost principles.
 - (4) The cost plus a percentage of cost and percentage of construction cost methods of contracting must not be used.
- d. Awarding of Agreement/Contract
 - (1) Prior to an award of a contract, the City/Contractor shall make a determination that the Contractor/Subcontractor has demonstrated effectiveness in providing the requested services. Agreements/Contracts shall be made only with responsible Contractors/Subcontractors who possess the potential ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. The selected proposer must be a responsive entity that has submitted a proposal or bid which meets all requirements of the solicitation adequately, which includes responding to the Request for Proposal (RFP)/Request of Qualification (RFQ) within the required time frames, and completing all forms and documents. A responsible entity is one that has been determined to: 1) have a satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics; 2) have a satisfactory performance record; 3) have adequate financial resources to perform the contract or the ability to obtain such resources; 4) be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery of performance schedule, taking into consideration all existing commercial and business commitments; 5) have the needed organization, experience, accounting, operational control and technical skills or ability to obtain them; 6) have adequate production, construction or technical equipment and needed facilities or the ability to obtain them; 7) be able to meet the program design specifications; 8) be able to meet performance goals which includes a showing of demonstrated effectiveness in providing employment and training services; 9) be able to provide services that can lead to the achievement of competency standards for participants; and 10) be both qualified and eligible to receive the award under the applicable law and regulation. Contractor/Subcontractor shall make the award(s) and finalize the contract(s). Contractor/Subcontractor shall follow established procedures for formal notification of offerors of the results of the evaluations and selected process.
 - (2) The City/Contractor and its contractors/subcontractors shall make positive efforts to utilize small business and minority-owned business as sources of supplies and services. Such efforts should allow these sources the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts to be performed utilizing Federal grant funds. If applicable, Contractor/Subcontractor certifies that it has complied with Mayoral Directive 2001-26 regarding the Outreach Program for Personal Services Contracts Greater than \$100,000.

- (3) Where such advertised bids are obtained, the awards shall be made to the responsible bidder whose bid is responsive to the invitation and is most advantageous to the grantee, price and other factors considered. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs, and taxes may be considered in determining the lowest bid. No points shall be given for status as subcontractors or a contractor with an approved childcare policy within existing delivery systems. However, if a bid results in a tie score, preference may be given to the contractor or a subcontractors with an approved child care policy.
- (4) Any or all bids may be rejected when it is in the City/Contractor's interest to do so, and such rejections are in accordance with applicable State and local law, rules, and regulations.
- e. Funding Restrictions for High-Risk Contracts
 - (1) A contractor may be considered "high-risk" if an awarding agency determines that the contractor is otherwise responsible but:
 - (a) Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - (b) Is not financially stable;
 - (c) Has a management system that does not meet the management standards set forth in this part; or
 - (d) Has not conformed to terms and conditions of a previously awarded grant or sub-grant.
 - (2) If the City/Contractor agency determines that a grant or sub-grant shall be made to a "high-risk" contractor or subcontractors, then special funding restrictions that address the "high-risk" status may be included in the contract or subcontract. Funding restrictions may include, but are not limited to:
 - (a) Use of reimbursements rather than advances or payment upon completion of the project;
 - (b) Requiring additional and/or more detailed financial or performance reports;
 - (c) Additional monitoring;
 - (d) Requiring the contractor or subcontractors to obtain specific technical or management assistance, and/or
 - (e) Establishing additional prior approvals (e.g., requiring awarding agency approval prior to hiring/firing, award of small purchase contracts).
 - (3) If the City/Contractor decides to impose such funding restrictions, the awarding official shall notify the contractor or subcontractors as early as possible, in writing, of:
 - (a) The nature of the funding restriction(s);
 - (b) The reason(s) for imposing them;
 - (c) The corrective actions which must be taken before they will be removed and the time allowed for completing the corrective actions;
 - (d) The method of requesting reconsideration of the restrictions imposed; and
 - (e) Additional prior approvals.
- f. City Code of Conduct

All contractors shall adopt a Code of Conduct in accordance with the requirements as set forth in §504 of this Agreement.

- g. Methods of Procurement
 - (1) Contractor shall use one (1) of the following methods of procurement either by bid or proposal, as appropriate for each procurement action, for entering into contracts with subcontractors. Contractors shall conduct procurement in a manner that provides full and open competition. Contractor shall perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the small purchase procedures, including contract modifications to determine that the expenditure is reasonable. When any purchase is made, it can only be for an allowable cost. Invitations for bids shall clearly set forth all requirements that the bidder must fulfill in order for his bid to be evaluated by the grantee. Grievance process procedures shall be included in each of the following methods of advertised procurement. Specific requirements and procedures are set forth in 24 CFR §84.44, 2 CFR 200, Los Angeles City Charter §370-§372, and 2 CFR Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, et al., incorporated herein by reference.
 - (2) Prior to entering into any subcontract that has a value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) or more, the Contractor shall submit to the City evidence that it has received a minimum bid(s) for such subcontractors and documentation that justifies the selection of the successful bidder. The Contractor shall maintain records showing the parties solicited and the bids submitted.
 - (a) Micro Purchase Procedure: Micro purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$10,000. No quotations or bids required, but an equitable distribution of purchases must be documented.
 - (b) Small Purchase Procedures: Small purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$250,000. Following the procedures for small purchases shall constitute justification of the procurement method chosen. The bid must indicate the quantity, time frame and all other requirements of the product or service sought. Bids must be solicited from vendors that can reasonably be expected to provide the goods or services needed.

The requirements are:

Dollar Range of Purchase Contract and Method

\$10,001 to \$250,000

3 written bids received**

**Three (3) bids must be received by Contractor. The bid process and bids received must be documented in writing in the file. The Request for Bid must either be provided in writing to the vendors, or transmitted as uniformly as possible over the telephone. To be considered, the bid response must be signed and dated by the vendor.

(c) Purchase/Services Over \$250,000

Procurement by sealed bids (formal advertising). Bids are publicly solicited and a firm fixed price contract (lump sum or unit price) is awarded to the responsible bidder whose bid, conforming with all the material terms and conditions of the invitation for bids, is the lowest in price. The sealed bid method is the preferred method for procuring construction, if the conditions in paragraph (c)(1) of this section apply.

- (i) In order for sealed bidding to be feasible, the following conditions should be present:
 - i. A complete, adequate, and realistic specification or purchase description is available;
 - ii. Two or more responsible bidders are willing and able to compete effectively for the business; and
 - iii. The procurement lends itself to a firm fixed price contract and the selection of the successful bidder can be made principally on the basis of price.
- (ii) If sealed bids are used, the following requirements apply:

- i. Bids must be solicited from an adequate number of known suppliers, providing them sufficient response time prior to the date set for opening the bids, for local, and tribal governments, the invitation for bids must be publicly advertised;
- ii. The invitation for bids, which shall include any specifications and pertinent attachments, must define the items or services in order for the bidder to properly respond;
- iii. All bids shall be opened at the time and place prescribed in the invitation for bids, and for local and tribal governments, the bids must be opened publicly;
- iv. A firm fixed price contract award shall be made in writing to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Where specified in bidding documents, factors such as discounts, transportation cost, and life cycle costs must be considered in determining which bid is lowest. Payment discounts shall only be used to determine the low bid when prior experience indicates that such discounts are usually taken advantage of; and
- v. Any or all bids may be rejected if there is a sound documented reason.
- vi. Issue a Public Notification made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) that covers the entire service area.
- (d) Procurement by competitive proposals.

The technique of competitive proposals is normally conducted with more than one source submitting an offer, and either a fixed price or cost-reimbursement type contract is awarded. It is generally used when conditions are not appropriate for the use of sealed bids. If this method is used, the following requirements apply:

- (i) Requests for proposals must be publicized and identify all evaluation factors and their relative importance. Any response to publicized requests for proposals must be considered to the maximum extent practical;
- (ii) Proposals must be solicited from an adequate number of qualified sources;
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have a written method for conducting technical evaluations of the proposals received and for selecting recipients;
- (iv) Contracts must be awarded to the responsible firm whose proposal is most advantageous to the program, with price and other factors considered; and
- (v) The non-Federal entity may use competitive proposal procedures for qualifications-based procurement of architectural/engineering (A/E) professional services whereby competitors' qualifications are evaluated and the most qualified competitor is selected, subject to negotiation of fair and reasonable compensation. The method, where price is not used as a selection factor, can only be used in procurement of A/E professional services. It cannot be used to purchase other types of services though A/E firms are a potential source to perform the proposed effort.
- (e) Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposals

Procurement by noncompetitive proposals. Procurement by noncompetitive proposals is procurement through solicitation of a proposal from only one source and may be used only when one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- (i) The item is available only from a single source;
- (ii) The public exigency or emergency for the requirement shall not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitation;

- (iii) The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the non-Federal entity; or
- (iv) After solicitation of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.
- (f) Contract Provisions
 - (i) All contracts must contain at a minimum the following provisions:
 - i. Specific deliverables and the basis for payment;
 - ii. Provisions requiring compliance with Community Development Block Grantors (CDBG) including, but not limited to other funding source regulations;
 - iii. Provisions that describe remedies for breach;
 - iv. Provisions that describe Grantors CDBG and other funding sources patent and copyright rules;
 - v. Provisions for termination for cause and convenience;
 - vi. Access to records for audit purposes;
 - vii. Audit requirements;
 - viii. Provisions for payment and delivery;
 - ix. Provisions describing contract amendment procedures;
 - x. Provisions against assignment;
 - xi. Provisions for equal opportunity and non-discrimination;
 - xii. Provisions prohibiting conflicts of interest.
- (g) Competition
 - (i) All procurement transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition consistent with the standards of this section. In order to ensure objective contractor performance and eliminate unfair competitive advantage, contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work, or invitations for bids or requests for proposals must be excluded from competing for such procurements. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:
 - i. Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
 - ii. Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding;
 - ili. Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
 - iv. Noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
 - v. Organizational conflicts of interest;
 - vi. Specifying only a "brand name" product instead of allowing "an equal" product to be offered and describing the performance or other relevant requirements of the procurement; and
 - vii. Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

- (ii) The non-Federal entity must conduct procurements in a manner that prohibits the use of statutorily or administratively imposed state, local, or tribal geographical preferences in the evaluation of bids or proposals, except in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage geographic preference. Nothing in this section preempts state licensing laws. When contracting for architectural and engineering (A/E) services, geographic location may be a selection criterion provided its application leaves an appropriate number of qualified firms, given the nature and size of the project, to compete for the contract.
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have written procedures for procurement transactions. These procedures must ensure that all solicitations:
 - i. Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product, or service to be procured. Such description must not, in competitive procurements, contain features which unduly restrict competition. The description may include a statement of the qualitative nature of the material, product or service to be procured and, when necessary, must set forth those minimum essential characteristics and standards to which it must conform if it is to satisfy its intended use. Detailed product specifications should be avoided if at all possible. When it is impractical or uneconomical to make a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements, a "brand name or equivalent" description may be used as a means to define the performance or other salient requirements of procurement. The specific features of the named brand which must be met by offers must be clearly stated; and
 - ii. Identify all requirements which the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - iii. The non-Federal entity must ensure that all prequalified lists of persons, firms, or products which are used in acquiring goods and services are current and include enough qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. Also, the non-Federal entity must not preclude potential bidders from qualifying during the solicitation period.
- (h) Appeal and Dispute Procedures

The City and its contractors shall have protest procedures to hand and resolve disputes relating to their procurement. A protester shall exhaust all administrative remedies with the contractor before pursuing a protest at a higher level. Notice of appeal rights and procedures must be given to all bidders

EXHIBIT J

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (GC 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about: the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and, penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will: receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and, agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (GC 8350 et seq.)

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (PCC 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:

Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

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Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lesser of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with State of California.

SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal

Exhibit J Page 1 of 2 sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph a.

DOMESTIC PARTNERS: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code section 10295.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES STANDARD LANGUAGE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

Agreement No.		
Project Title:	Inspection, Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Materials	
Primary Services Location:		
Contractor:	Lead Tech Environmental, Inc.	
Type of Organization:	a California for profit corporation	
Corporate Number:	<u>C3283291</u>	
UEID Number:		
CFDA Number:		
FAIN:		
Federal Award Date:		
Research and Development Award: Yes \Box No \boxtimes		

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EXHIBIT J. CONTRACT CERTIFICATION CLAUSES THIS AGREEMENT is entered into between the City of Los Angeles ("City"), a municipal corporation, and Lead Tech Environmental, Inc. ("Contractor"), a California for profit corporation, for the provision of services related to the XXXX Program.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Grant Agreement with U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, ("Grantor" or "HUD"), to address the needs of the City, and the Grantor has awarded Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds to the City for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department ("LAHD"), has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, LAHD cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the XXXX program that is the subject of this Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the LAHD budget by HUD pursuant to the CDBG Funds; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter §1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX dated Month Day, Year), that authorize the General Manager of LAHD to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and Contractor agree as follows:

1. INTRODUCTION

§101 TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement including all exhibits and attachments, including, but not limited to, the Standard Provisions for City Contracts, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, shall constitute the terms of this Agreement.

§102 NOTICES

The parties to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be forwarded are as follows:

A. The City, represented by:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, Ninth Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to:

Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager Lead Program, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

B. The Contractor, represented by:

Steven Denzler, Principal/Owner Lead Tech Environmental, Inc. 2348 Camino Robledo Carlsbad, CA 92009 Phone Number leadtechenvironmental@gmail.com

§103 SERVICE OF NOTICES

- A. The City's representative as stated above is the party authorized to provide written approvals by City to Contractor in reference to matters addressed in this Agreement.
- B. Formal notices, demands, and communications required by this Agreement to be given by either party shall be made in writing and may be delivered personally or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.
- C. If the name and/or address of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications changes, the affected party shall notify the other party in writing of the change in accordance with this section within five (5) days of the change.

§104 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EXECUTION

- A. Prior to the execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City for approval in writing the following documents:
 - 1. Insurance Certificates The requirements and instructions for completing, executing, and submitting evidence of insurance to the City are set forth in the City's Insurance Requirements, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference, and more fully described in §502 herein below.
 - 2. If the City has approved the advancement of CDBG funds to Contractor, a Special Bank Account Agreement with a bank is required for the deposit of the advanced CDBG funds. The Special Bank Account Agreement

shall be on a form supplied by the City that sets forth the right of the City to exercise a suspension of business upon proper notice to the bank by the City.

- 3. An Affirmative Action Plan in accordance with §503, herein
- 4. A Code of Conduct that meets the requirements of §504(B) herein.
- B. Prior to execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the City with the documents listed below. Contractor shall provide immediate updates to these documents to the City during the Term hereof in the event that the information changes.
 - 1. A current list of the members of the Board of Directors with their individual addresses and telephone numbers where they may be reached.
 - 2. Contractor's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to those Articles, as filed with the Secretary of State.
 - 3. Contractor's Bylaws, and all amendments to those Bylaws, as adopted by Contractor and properly attested.
 - 4. Resolutions of Executorial Authority or other corporate actions of the Contractor's Board of Directors, properly attested or certified, which specify the name(s) of the person(s) authorized to obligate Contractor and execute contractual documents. If the authorized person is someone other than Contractor's Corporate President, then Contractor shall also submit a copy of a signature specimen(s) on a form provided by the City.
 - 5. A current and valid license to do business in the City of Los Angeles. Contractor represents that it has obtained and presently holds the Tax Registration Certificate(s) required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance (Article 1, Chapter 2, §21.00, *et seq.*, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code). For the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain, or obtain as necessary, all Certificates required of it under the Business Tax Ordinance and shall not allow the Certificates to be revoked or suspended.
 - 6. An Internal Revenue Service taxpayer identification number.
 - 7. A Contractor Responsibility Ordinance Questionnaire in accordance with PSC 31 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.40 *et seq*.
 - 8. A Certification Regarding Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with the requirements of the Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation as it relates to the Living Wage Ordinance.
 - 9. A Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion, fully executed in accordance with Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, and attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference.
 - 10. A Certification Regarding Lobbying, fully executed in accordance with City Directive 91-3 (July 27, 1990) and attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with all provisions of 31 USC §1352 *et seq.* and 29 CFR Part 93.
 - A Certification of Compliance With Equal Benefits Ordinance/Reasonable Measures Application for Equal Benefits Ordinance in accordance with PSC – 26 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.8.3.
 - 12. Compliance with, and/or completion of, the Disclosure Ordinance Affidavit setting forth the requirements of the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance (in accordance with PSC 33 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts), and the Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance, as set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.41 *et seq.*, and the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.50, respectively.
 - 13. A Management Representation Statement fully executed in accordance with City's fiscal policies and attached hereto as Exhibit "F" and incorporated herein by reference.

14. Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC-307) fully executed in accordance with the CSBG Agreement and attached hereto as Exhibit "J" and incorporated herein by reference.

§105 CONTRACTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL DOCUMENTS

Contractor warrants that it has adopted, shall retain, and make available upon request from the City, the following documents and their amendments, if any:

- A. Contractor's Financial and Accounting Procedures, which incorporate Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) including, but not limited to, the preparation and submission of invoices, reconciliation of cash on-hand and earnings with City records, reporting and tracking of customer activity and earnings, repayment of unearned funds, preparation for the resolution of audits and inspections, inventory control, reporting and tracking of program income.
- B. Contractor's Personnel Policy, which incorporates due process protection and standard personnel procedures, and which the Contractor agrees to abide by in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. Agreements with Other Funding Sources: A copy of any agreements between Contractor and other public or private organizations that directly impact the activities funded under this Agreement shall be kept on file at Contractor's offices and be provided to the City upon Agreement execution. Contractor shall also notify City of any default, termination, or finding of disallowed costs under these agreements. Contractor warrants that no other funding source will be billed for services that are provided and paid for by the City under this Agreement.
- D. Board of Director's meeting minutes.

§106 CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO NOTIFY CITY OF CHANGES

- A. Contractor agrees to provide the City sixty (60) days advance written notice of any facts that may materially affect the performance of this Agreement or impact the City's decision to continue this Agreement with the Contractor. Among the items to be disclosed are an amendment to its Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, move to dissolve or transfer any assets derived from funds provided under §301 herein, negotiations leading to the sale, merger or acquisition of Contractor; debarment or contract termination by any other public entity and/or any final audit findings regarding Contractor's administration of any contract with public funds.
- B. Contractor shall notify the City within five (5) days of changes affecting this Agreement including actions that would change Contractor's legal status, any action that may materially change the performance of the Scope of Work (i.e., bankruptcy) and/or a change in Contractor's corporate name.

2. TERM, SCOPE OF WORK, BUDGET AND PROJECT ELIGIBILITY

§201 TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. The term of this Agreement shall be from **October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023**, with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year terms, provided that said term is subject to the provisions of this Agreement ("Term"). Performance shall not commence until the City has approved all of the required documents described hereinabove, and is in receipt of those and/or other documents as described herein.
- B. The City may, at its discretion, agree to extend the Term and/or provide additional funds to Contractor. Funding for contract extensions will be based on the availability to the City of state and/or federal funds and upon the Contractor's successful performance of all terms of this Agreement.

§202 SCOPE OF WORK AND CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor shall provide inspection, survey and analysis services for lead. Contractor must have all required certifications and licenses in order to perform this work.

The detailed Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit "G" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall complete the Scope of Work during the Term, except as otherwise provided herein.

§203 BUDGET

Contractor shall submit to the City for approval prior to the disbursement of any funds hereunder a proposed Budget. The Budget shall be prepared in accordance with the budget guidelines to be provided by the City. The Budget is a detailed listing of items for expenditure and scope of service(s) under the terms herein. The Budget shall be submitted with all backup documentation as required and/or a cost allocation plan, if necessary and appropriate. All requests to modify the Budget must be made in writing and must be approved in writing by the City. The Budget shall also describe all subcontractor services to be used by the Contractor and the payment procedures for subcontractors.

§204 IDENTIFICATION OF PROJECT ELIGIBILITY/NATIONAL OBJECTIVES

A. This program is eligible under 24 CFR 570 *et seq.* as follows (indicate all appropriate letters and sub-numbers, project may be eligible under several criteria):

201 (a-q) <u>e</u>	204 (a) <u>X</u>
202 (a-c)	205 (a)
203 (a-c)	206 (a-h)

- B. All programs funded with CDBG funds must meet one of three national objectives. This project meets the following national objective (check only one):
 - 1. X Activities benefiting very low and low income persons under 24 CFR 570.208 (a)
 - a. _____ Area-wide benefit project affecting _____ percent very low and low income persons as indicated in the 2010 census.
 - b. _____ Limited-Clientele activities: 570.208(a)(2): A __; B __; C __; D ___
 - c. ____ Housing activities
 - d. _____ Job Creation/Retention activities that are designed to create or retain jobs for at least 51% very low and low income persons.
 - 2. Activities which aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, under 24 CFR 570.208 (b).
 - a. _____ Activity is located in a slum or blighted area, which has been (check one):

designated as a Redevelopment Project Area;

List conditions of slum or blight to be addressed by the project. (Complete only for projects qualifying under 570.208 (b)(1), prevention or elimination of slums or blight.)

- b. _____ Activity is located outside a slum or blighted area, but qualifies under spot slum and blight conditions.
- c. _____ Activity will address slum or blight in an urban renewal/ redevelopment area.
- 3. Activities designed to meet community development needs having a particular urgency, under 24 CFR 570.208 (c).
- C. Contractor, during the Term, shall not perform services, or otherwise engage in any activities, that are not consistent with the national objective and project eligibility. Should the City determine that Contractor has performed services or otherwise engaged in activities not in furtherance of the national objective and/or project eligibility, then the City may disallow payment for such services/activities, terminate this Agreement and/or take any other actions as authorized herein.

3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

§301 CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION

- A. Compensation
 - The City shall pay Contractor an amount not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), for the complete
 and satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work (Exhibit G). These funds shall be allocated from
 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. Contractor's right to receive compensation is
 conditioned upon approval of the Budget by the City, compliance with the City's indemnification and
 insurance requirements, satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work, and compliance with the terms
 and conditions contained herein.
 - 2. In no event shall the final expenditures for the Term exceed the total compensation set forth above except as provided for by an amendment to this Agreement.
 - 3. Contractor's reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work shall be made only upon acceptance by the City of the Contractor's invoice and supporting documentation as described in the Reporting Requirements, Section 601 herein below.
 - 4. Expenditures shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Checks, payrolls, invoices, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Undocumented expenditures shall not be paid under this Agreement.
 - 5. The City shall pay Contractor for salaries and eligible, allowable, and reasonable expenses as detailed in the approved Budget.
 - 6. Contractor shall be paid either on a cost reimbursement or advance basis. If the Contractor were to receive advance funds, it must execute a City approved Special Bank Account Agreement before receipt of funds and shall comply with all contract and regulatory requirements for safeguarding advance funds. Request for advance payment basis is subject to City approval. A Contractor on a cost reimbursement basis of payment shall be paid by the City only upon reporting of actual costs incurred.
- B. Funding of Agreement

Funding for the Scope of Work and Budget is subject to the continuing availability of funds for this program. This Agreement may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor of a loss or reduction of grant funds.

- C. Payment to the Contractor
 - 1. The City makes no commitment to fund this project beyond the initial Term of this Agreement. The City shall review Contractor's performance on a periodic basis. In the event the City determines that Contractor is not meeting its proposed performance measures, the City may unilaterally reduce the compensation set forth above in compliance with the provisions set forth in this Agreement, upon written notice to Contractor and as set forth by a written amendment.
 - 2. Contractor shall be reimbursed for reasonable and allowable expenses incurred. Unless Contractor has been approved to receive advance payments, all payments shall be on reimbursement basis. Contractors who are on an advance payment plan authorized by the City as described in the Budget shall bill the City for all reasonable and allowable costs incurred.
 - 3. Contractors not receiving advance payment plan shall request reimbursements by submitting the cash request, monthly expenditure report and all other documentation, as required by City. Contractor shall be reimbursed after City has received the monthly expenditure report and all other required documents and after City determines that Contractor has incurred and expended funds for reasonable and allowable costs under this Agreement.

- 4. Reasonable and allowable costs shall be determined pursuant to the Allowable and Unallowable Cost section herein.
- D. Stand-In Costs: Contractor shall identify, document, and account for stand-in costs in accordance with the Department's guidelines.
- E. Profit: Contractor shall comply with any City Directives regarding profit or return on investment.
- F. Indirect Costs: For purposes of allocating indirect costs, contractors may use current negotiated indirect cost rates that have been approved by a cognizant federal agency. Contractor shall submit a copy of the approval letter from the cognizant agency. The Contractor may elect to use the 10 percent de minimis rate, if the Agency does not have an approved indirect cost rate as permitted under 45 CFR § 75.414(f) and 2 CFR § 200.414(f).
- G. Applicable Discounts: Contractor warrants that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs billed to the City.
- H. Concurrent Enrollment: If the Contractor is serving customers, concurrently utilizing more than one funding stream, the Contractor is responsible for tracking the services delivered and the expenditures reported to ensure that services and expenditures are not duplicated.
- I. Overtime Work: Contractor is responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the Federal award through the application of sound management practices. The approved Budget for this Agreement does not include any line item for overtime work. Any overtime expenditures incurred by Contractor shall not be reimbursed through this Agreement.
- J. Travel: Travel must be approved in advance by the City and included in the Budget. Contractor shall be compensated for its reasonable travel expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work and in compliance with 2 C.F.R §200.474.
- K. Reallocation of Funds: City reserves the right to unilaterally decrease funds allocated to Contractor in the event that the City determines that (i) Contractor has failed to provide adequate services as required in this Agreement, (ii) Contractor, based on its spending pattern as evidenced by invoices submitted, will have unexpended funds at the end of the Term, or (iii) City determines that a reallocation of funds would better meet program objectives. Such reallocation of funds may be by written amendment to this Agreement or unilaterally imposed by the City by written notice to Contractor.

4. METHODS AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING PAYMENT

§401 WITHHELD PAYMENTS

- A. Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or not released if funds granted to the City are suspended or terminated.
- B. The City has the authority to withhold funds under this Agreement pending a final determination by the City of questioned expenditures or indebtedness to the City arising from past or present agreements between the City and the Contractor. Upon final determination by the City of disallowed expenditures or indebtedness, the City may deduct and retain the amount of the disallowance or indebtedness from the amount of the withheld earned funds.
- C. In the event of a final determination of disallowed costs or a determination of unearned grant funds by either the City, the State, or Grantor, Contractor agrees that it shall pay to the City in non-federal funds, the amount of the final disallowance within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the City that such funds are due.
- D. Payments to the Contractor may be unilaterally withheld or reduced by the City if the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions contained herein.

§402 FUNDS EARNED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT

Contractor shall not earn funds provided hereunder prior to the commencement or after the end of the Term. Contractor shall not earn funds subsequent to suspension or termination of this Agreement.

§403 ALLOWABLE AND UNALLOWABLE COSTS

- A. To be eligible for payment, costs or expenditures must be made in compliance with the terms herein, and the provisions of 2 C.F.R Part 200, and set forth below:
 - 1. Be necessary and reasonable for the proper and efficient performance of the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Budget; the City shall have final authority to determine in good faith whether an expenditure is necessary and reasonable.
 - 2. Conform to the limitations within these general conditions and to any governing statutes, regulations and ordinances.
 - 3. Be fully documented and determined in accordance with GAAP.
 - 4. Not be included as a cost or used to meet cost sharing or matching requirements for any other government funding source in either the current or a prior period, except when permitted by the respective government funding sources.
- B. The following costs, among others, are specifically disallowed:
 - 1. Bad Debts: Any losses arising from un-collectible accounts and other claims, and related costs.
 - 2. Contingencies: Contributions to a contingency reserve or any similar provisions for unforeseen events.
 - 3. Contributions and donations.
 - 4. Entertainment: Costs of amusements, social activities and incidental costs, such as meals, beverages, lodging and gratuities relating to entertainment, or any political or lobbying activity.
 - 5. Fines and Penalties: Costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with federal, State, and local laws and regulations.
 - 6. Interest and Other Financial Costs: Interest or borrowings (however represented), bond discounts, cost of financing and refinancing operations, and legal and professional fees paid in connection therewith.
 - 7. Membership Expenses: Costs of membership in any organization that devotes a substantial part of its activities to influencing legislation.
 - 8. Meeting Attendance: Costs of attending meetings directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are not open for attendance on a non-segregated basis.
 - 9. Non-competitive Subcontracts: Payments under a subcontract not obtained under competitive bidding procedures unless specifically waived in writing by the City.
 - 10. Insurance policies offering protection against debts established by the federal government.
 - 11. Costs prohibited by §200.450 include Lobbying or costs related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress of the United States.
 - 12. Advancements or reimbursements for expenditures that are determined by the City to be unallowable must be immediately returned to the City.
 - 13. Grant funds may not be used to supplant existing services.

§404 PROGRAM INCOME

- A. Program income is defined as income earned through the activities funded hereby and as set forth in 2 CFR 200.80 and 200.307. Program income includes, but is not limited to, grants, fees that duplicate payments, average daily attendance payments earned through program funded activities, and public or nonprofit agency revenues in excess of contract costs.
- B. Interest earned on advances received by Contractor is program income. All interest earned must be reported as part of the Contractor's monthly expenditure report and must be returned to the City quarterly by separate check made payable to the City and which identifies that the amount represents interest earned on advanced funds.
- C. Any program income must be reported to the City on the expenditure report, and must be returned to the City in accordance with the City's written direction to the Contractor. At the City's discretion, program income may be used to augment the Contractor's program. Use of program income is permitted only by written amendment to this Agreement. Should this use of program income be approved, Contractor shall maintain records in support of all earnings and expenditures relating to the use of those funds in accordance with City record retention and audit requirements. The City shall monitor Contractor's compliance with all program income requirements.
- D. Contractor's failure to comply fully with program income requirements including any City Directives or regulations shall result in findings of disallowed costs.

§405 RETURN OF PROGRAM INCOME

Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days of the end of the Term, transmit to the City any, and all, remaining program income directly generated by funds provided hereby

§406 RETURN OF UNEXPENDED FUNDS AND CLOSEOUTS

- A. Contractor agrees that upon either the completion or termination of this Agreement any unexpended funds, whether advances, interest earned on advances or unearned funds, shall be immediately returned to the City and in no event later than forty-five (45) days after completion or termination.
- B. Contractor shall submit a complete and accurate final closeout invoice of costs and reimbursements for services performed hereby to the City within forty-five (45) days following the termination or completion of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to comply with the 45-day requirement may result in a unilateral close-out by the City based on previous invoices filed with the City, and/or the imposition of sanctions as specified herein. Requests for payment after the 45 days shall not be paid by the City.

§407 VALIDITY OF FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSIONS

Financial reports submitted to the City shall be accurate and correct in all respects. Should inaccurate reports be submitted to the City, the City may elect to have the Contractor secure the services of a licensed accounting firm. Cost of such accounting services are to be borne by the Contractor and are not to be reimbursed from the funds authorized hereby unless specifically agreed to between Contractor and the City by written amendment.

5. STANDARD PROVISIONS

The provisions of the body of this Agreement shall prevail over the provisions of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts should there be any inconsistency. The term "contract" as used in the Standard Provisions for City Contracts shall include this Agreement.

§501 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In implementing this Agreement, Contractor represents and certifies that it will:

- A. Comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments; and California Government Code Section 11135.
- B. Not discriminate in the provision of its programs, services or activities on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability.
- C. Provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to all of its programs, services and activities.

Contractor represents and certifies that any construction for housing performed with funds provided through this Agreement will be done in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 CFR, Part 40.

Contractor represents and certifies that its buildings, and facilities used to provide services in accordance with this Agreement, are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Agreement.

Contractor will require its subcontractors, if any, to include this language in any subcontract.

§502 INSURANCE

- A. General Conditions
 - 1. During the Term and without limiting Contractor's duty of indemnification herein, Contractor shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having coverage and limits customarily carried and actually arranged by the Contractor but not less than the amounts and types listed on the Required Insurance And Minimum Limits Sheet (Form Gen. 146) in Exhibit B hereto, covering its operations hereunder. Such insurance shall conform to City requirements established by Charter, ordinance or policy, shall comply with instructions set forth on the City of Los Angeles–Instructions And Information On Complying With City Insurance Requirements (Revised 05/18) document, and shall otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. Specifically, such insurance shall: 1) protect City as an Insured or an Additional Interest Party, or a Loss Payee As Its Interest May Appear, respectively, when such status is appropriate and available depending on the nature of applicable coverage; 2) provide City at least thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation, material reduction in coverage or reduction in limits when such change is made at option of the insurer; and 3) be primary with respect to City's insurance plan. Except when City is a named insured, Contractor's insurance is not expected to respond to claims which may arise from acts or omissions of the City.
 - 2. The standard City insurance conditions are incorporated into the sample standard subcontract provisions. The specific insurance coverages and limits shall be described by contractor in any RFP for subcontractor services. These coverages and limits should be tailored to the individual subcontract. For City contracts, Required Insurance and Minimum Limits are set by the City Risk Management staff in the Office of the City Administrative Officer on the Form Gen. 146. Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your evidence of insurance documents. KwikComply™ is the City's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. The easiest and guickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply[™] at https://kwikcomply.org and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf. Additional instructions and information on complying with City insurance requirements can be found at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/Submitting proof of Insurance.pdf.
- B. Modification of Coverage

City reserves the right at any time during the Term to change the amounts and types of insurance required hereunder by giving Contractor ninety (90) days advance written notice of such change. If such change should Lead Tech Environmental, Inc. CDBG - PY 22-23

result in substantial additional cost to Contractor, City agrees to negotiate additional compensation proportional to the increased benefit to City.

C. Failure to Procure Insurance

All required insurance must be submitted and approved by the City Administrative Officer/Risk Management/Insurance and Bonds prior to the performance of services, inception of any operations or tenancy by Contractor. The required coverages and limits are subject to availability on the open market at reasonable cost as determined by City. Non-availability or non-affordability must be documented by a letter from Contractor's insurance broker or agent indicating a good faith effort to place the required insurance and showing as a minimum the names of the insurance carriers and the declinations or quotations received from each.

Within the foregoing constraints, Contractor's failure to procure or maintain required insurance or a selfinsurance program during the Term shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement under which City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement or, at its discretion, procure or renew such insurance to protect City's interests and pay any and all premiums in connection therewith and recover all monies so paid from Contractor.

D. Workers' Compensation

By signing this Agreement, Contractor hereby certifies that it is aware of the provisions of §3700 *et seq.*, of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and that it will comply with such provisions at all such times as they may apply during the performance of the work pursuant to this Agreement.

A Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City will be required when work is performed on City premises under hazardous conditions.

§503 NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable nondiscrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate in its employment practices, including compensation, against any employee or applicant for employment, because of such person's race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship and political affiliation or belief. The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity", as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR Part 60).
- B. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code Sections 10.8 through 10.13, to the extent applicable hereto. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Contractor shall comply with the Equal Employment Practices provisions of Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.3, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Affirmative Action Program of this Agreement shall be the mandatory contract provisions set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.4, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall also comply with all rules, regulations, and policies of the City's Board of Public Works, Office of Contract Compliance relating to nondiscrimination and affirmative action.
- C. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Agreement, to the extent allowed hereunder, shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- D. No person shall on the grounds of race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship, and political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under this program/project. For purposes of this Section, Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations Part 107 and Section 570.601(b) defines specific discriminatory actions that are prohibited and corrective action that shall be taken in a situation as defined therein.

E. Contractor agrees to adhere to the Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Practices ("ND/EEP") and Affirmative Action ("AA") program provisions during the entire duration of this contract. Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to comply with any and all ND/EEP and AA provisions as set forth in the applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and/or laws.

§504 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any agreements and/or amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

- B. Code of Conduct
 - 1. The City requires that all contractors/subcontractors adopt a Code of Conduct that, at a minimum, reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive Number FY 12-0001. The Code shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution of this Agreement.
 - Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 3. Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administering any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such a person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act (California Government Code §87100 *et seq.*) if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 4. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes but is not limited to domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-inlaw, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.
 - 2) Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent or more; ownership of five percent or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the board of directors or governing body.
 - c. A "subcontract" is any agreement entered into by a Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.

- 5. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- 6. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City agreement.
- 7. Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- 8. Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within an one-year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- 9. For further clarification of the meaning of any of the terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City, State, and federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- 10. Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- 11. Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one year thereafter.
- 12. Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor."
- 13. Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.

§505 COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL STATUTES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor warrants and certifies that it shall comply with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and orders of the United States, the State, the County and City of Los Angeles. Contractor understands that failure to comply with any of the following assurances may result in suspension, termination or reduction of grant funds, and repayment by Contractor to City of any unlawful expenditures. Contractor further warrants and certifies that it shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, and/or procedures that apply to the performance of this Agreement.

A. Statutes and Regulations Applicable To All Grant Contracts

Contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of State, federal, County and City of Los Angeles laws, executive orders, regulations, program and administrative requirements, policies, and any other requirements governing this Agreement, including, but not limited to laws and regulations pertaining to labor, wages, hours, and other conditions of employment. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

1. OMB Circulars

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u>.

2. Single Audit Act

Contractor shall adhere to the rules and regulations of the Single Audit Act, 31 USC §7501 et seq.; City Council action dated February 4, 1987 (C.F. No. 84-2259-S1); and any administrative regulation or field memos implementing the Act. The provisions of this paragraph survive expiration or termination of this Agreement. Also see §608(C) for additional audit requirements.

- 3. Political and Sectarian Activity Prohibited
 - a. None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office. Neither shall any funds provided under this Agreement be used for any purpose designed to support or defeat any pending legislation or administrative regulation. None of the funds provided pursuant to this Agreement shall be used for any sectarian purpose or to support or benefit any sectarian activity.
 - b. Contractor shall file a disclosure form at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure or which materially affects the accuracy of any of the information contained in any disclosure form previously filed by Contractor. Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. Records Inspection
 - a. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the U.S. Comptroller General and the Auditor General of the State of California, through any authorized representative, may deem necessary, Contractor shall make available for examination all of its records, paper or electronic, with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State, through any authorized representative, shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including all Contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
 - b. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement.
- 5. Labor
 - a. Contractor shall comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed requirements for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
 - b. Contractor shall comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction sub agreements.
 - c. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC § 201) regarding wages and hours of employment.
 - d. None of the funds shall be used to promote or deter union/labor organizing activities (California Government Code §16645 *et seq*.).
 - e. Contractor shall comply with the Hatch Act (5 USC §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328).
 - f. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Article 3, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code of California, the California Child Labor Laws and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and regulations relative to employment, wages, hours of labor and industrial safety.
- 6. Civil Rights

Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352, 42 U.S.C. §2000d, and implementing regulations) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin and its implementing regulations and as applied through Executive Order No. 13166, entitled "Improving Access to Services"

for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" ("LEP"), which requires recipients of federal funds, including Contractor, to take reasonable steps to insure meaningful access to its programs and activities by person with LEP as more fully described in HUD's final guidance contained in Federal Register, Volume 72, No. 13.

- b. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex.
- c. §§503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794, 45 CFR, Part 84), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap.
- d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age.
- e. The Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse.
- f. The Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616) as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism.
- g. §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records.
- h. Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 *et seq.*), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing.
- i. Any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for federal assistance is being made.
- j. The requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- k. P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
- I. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C. §2000e).
- m. The Americans with Disabilities Act 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq. and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) Pub.L.110-325 and all subsequent amendments.
- n. The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008 (GINA) P.L. 110-233.
- 7. Environmental
 - a. Contractor shall comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of federal participation in purchases.
 - b. Contractor shall comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §1451 *et seq.*); (f) conformity of federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under § 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.*); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L.

93-523) and the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986; (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205); (i) Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 §102(a) (P.L. 93-234); and (j) §508 of the Clean Water Act (38 U.S.C. §1360).

- c. Contractor shall comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §1271 *et seq.*) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
- d. Contractor shall comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §4822 *et seq*) that prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
- e. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §1251 *et seq*.) that restores and maintains the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the nation's waters.
- f. Contractor shall ensure that the facilities under its ownership, lease or supervision which shall be utilized in the accomplishment of this project are not listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) list of violating facilities and that it will notify the Federal Grantor agency of the receipt of any communication from the director of the EPA Office of Federal Activities indicating that a facility to be used in the project is under consideration for listing by the EPA.
- g. By signing this Agreement, Contractor ensures that it is in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* and is not impacting the environment negatively.
- h. Contractor shall comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- 8. Preservation

Contractor shall comply with §106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §469a-1 *et seq.*).

9. Suspension and Debarment

Contractor shall comply with Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 228, regarding Suspension and Debarment, and Contractor shall submit a certification Regarding Debarment required by EO 12549 and 12689, and any amendment thereto. Contractor shall require that the language of this Certification be included in the award documents for all sub-award at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify accordingly.

10. Drug-Free Workplace

Contractor shall comply with the federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 USC §8102, 28 CFR Part 67, and the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (California Government Code §§ 8350-8357).

11. Animal Welfare

Contractor shall comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, as amended (P.L. 89-544, 7 U.S.C. §2131 *et. seq*.)

- 12. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-161) grant funds will not be used in contravention of the federal buildings performance and reporting requirements of EO No. 13123, Part 3 of Title V of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. §8251 *et seq*.) or Subtitle A of Title I of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (including the amendments made thereby), nor shall grant funds be used in contravention of §303 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. §13212).
- 13. Contractor shall comply with Public Law 103-227, Part C-Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act). This Act requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted by entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State and local governments. Federal programs include

grants, cooperative agreements, loans or loan guarantees, and contracts. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug and alcohol treatment.

Contractor further agrees that the above language will be included in any subcontracts that contain provisions for children's services and that all subcontractors shall certify compliance accordingly.

- 14. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to Public Law 103-333, §507, to the extent practicable, that all equipment and products purchased with grant funds made available under this Agreement shall be American made.
- 15. Contractor shall administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which provisions supersede the OMB Circulars.
- 16. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (California Government Code §12650 *et seq.)*, including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) per false claim.
- 17. Mandatory Disclosures: The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for non-Compliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
- B. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to This Grant Agreement:

Contractor shall comply with the following statutes and regulations as applicable:

- 1. CDBG Program, including, but not limited to 42 U.S.C. §5301 et seq., and 24 CFR Parts 84, 85, and 570.
- Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint: Laws and regulations pertaining to abatement of asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) including insuring that all personnel involved in the abatement of removal process of all ACM and LBP will wear the necessary, legally required protective clothing and respiratory gear.
- 3. Archaeological Sites: If archaeological sites are determined to be located in the vicinity of the program site, a halt work condition is required to allow a state certified archaeologist to assess findings and all work to continue in non-archaeological areas.
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR, Part 31.
- 5. City of Los Angeles Ordinance 164244 relating to the 1% fee for public art.
- 6. Sweat-free Code of Conduct:

All contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment or supplies furnished to the State pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. Contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that it adheres to the Sweat-free Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov and Public Contract Code §6108. Contractor agrees to provide records requested by the Department of Industrial Relations or City to determine compliance with the foregoing requirements.

7. State Nondiscrimination Clause:

During the performance of this contract, contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass or allow harassment, against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, sexual

orientation, race, color, religious creed, marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, ancestry, national origin, medical condition (cancer/genetic characteristics), age (40 and above), disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, denial of pregnancy disability leave or reasonable accommodation. Contractor and subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code, §12900 et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code, §12990 (a)–(f), are incorporated into this contract by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

This Contractor shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts to perform work under contract.

8. Traveling Expenses:

Contractor's administrative-related travel and per diem reimbursement costs shall be reimbursed based on the Contractor's policies and procedures. For programmatic-related travel costs, Contractor's reimbursement rates shall not exceed the amounts established by the State Department of Personnel Administration Rules and Regulations, PML 97-024, Section 599.619, dated July 1, 1997 and Section 599.631, and as amended from time to time.

9. National Labor Relations Board Certification:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

10. Contractors for Legal Services \$50,000.00 or more – Pro Bono Requirement:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

11. Expatriate Corporations:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

- C. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to all HUD Funded Agreements:
 - 1. Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing
 - a. Eligibility for HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing:

A determination of eligibility for housing that is assisted by HUD or subject to a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) shall be made in accordance with the eligibility requirements provided for such program by HUD, and such housing shall me made available without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status. The terms "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" are defined in 24 CFR §5.100.

b. Prohibition of Inquiries on Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity:

No owner or administrator of HUD-assisted or HUD-insured housing, approved lender in an FHA mortgage insurance program, nor any (or any other) recipient or subrecipient of HUD funds may inquire about the sexual orientation or gender identity of an applicant for, or occupant of, HUD-assisted housing or housing whose financing is insured by HUD, whether renter- or owner-occupied, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the housing or otherwise making housing available.

This prohibition on inquiries regarding sexual orientation or gender identity does not prohibit an individual from voluntarily self-identifying sexual orientation or gender identity. This prohibition on inquiries does not prohibit lawful inquiries of an applicant or occupant's sex where the housing provided or to be provided to the individual is temporary, emergency shelter that involves the sharing of sleeping areas or bathrooms, or inquiries made for the purpose of determining the number of bedrooms to which a household may be entitled. The term "household" is defined in 24 CFR §570.3.

§506 FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

Federal, State, and local taxes shall be the responsibility of Contractor as an independent contractor and not as a City employee.

§507 INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

Contractor shall comply with the requirements regarding Inventions, Patents and Copyrights, which is attached hereto as Exhibit H and incorporated herein by reference.

§508 DISCLOSURE OF BORDER WALL CONTRACTING ORDINANCE

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting. The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50.

§509 CITY'S ADDITIONAL REMEDIES

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§510 PAYMENT DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

§511 WORK NOT IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 herein. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.

§512 PROHIBITION AGAINST DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS

Prohibition against duplication of benefits: Section 312 (42 U.S.C. 5155) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*) prohibits duplication of benefits for programs that provide financial assistance to people or entities suffering losses as a result of a Federally-declared disaster or emergency. The "duplication of benefits" occurs when Federal financial assistance is provided to a person or entity through a program to address losses resulting from a Federally-declared emergency or disaster, and the person or entity has received (or would receive, by acting reasonably to obtain available assistance) financial assistance for the same costs from any other source (including insurance), and the total amount received exceeds the total need for those costs. Contractor must establish and maintain adequate procedures to prevent any duplication of benefits with concurrent grant funds. The City will issue additional guidance to facilitate compliance with this requirement.

§513 COMPLIANCE WITH CURRENT APPLICABLE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND LAWS

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, City employees and the public.

§514 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

6. **GRANT REQUIREMENTS**

§601 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. General Reporting: Contractor shall furnish to the City at the times and on the forms and formats, electronically or manually, as the City may require all records, reports, data and information pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Program Reporting: Contractor shall submit to the City the following program reports as identified below. Contractor shall submit to the City all required documents in accordance with all City procedures and Directives, which are incorporated herein by reference.
 - 1. Monthly Fiscal Report
 - a. Expenditure Report Due on or before the 15th day of each month, the Contractor shall submit the Expenditure Report to the City, which reflects accrued expenditures as of the previous month on forms provided by the City.
 - b. Cash Request Due on or before the 15th day of the month, a Cash Request shall be submitted on forms provided. Contractors approved for cash advances shall submit a cash request on or before the 5th day of the month but not earlier than the 25th of the preceding month. If approved for cash advance, Contractor shall submit an expenditure report for costs incurred as of the 2 months preceding the month for which the cash is requested.
 - 2. Closeout Report
 - a. Costs reported are subject to City verification. Requests to modify the Budget shall be submitted to the City before closeout. Within 45 days following the completion of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City, on forms provided by the City, a complete and accurate closeout invoice, including:
 - 1) Accruals of allowable expenditures within the contract term and program's budget period;

- 2) Remittance for all unearned grant funds as identified in the close-out;
- 3) Program General Ledgers of all billed expenditures approved in the Budget;
- 4) Program Equipment Inventory List.
- b. In the event Contractor does not submit a final closeout or other required documentation within the prescribed time frame, the City reserves the right to unilaterally closeout the Agreement and use the invoice then on file at City for determination of Contractor's final allowable expenditures. The City will not reimburse Contractor for expenditures reported after the 45-day closeout date following the termination of this Agreement. The City shall provide to Contractor the City closeout forms at least 30 days before termination of the Agreement.

§602 MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

- A. Record Retention: Records, in their original form, shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Grantor and the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. Original forms are to be maintained on file for all documents specified in this Agreement. Unaltered copies of eligibility documents are acceptable. These records shall be retained for a period of six (6) years after termination of this Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. Pending matters include, but are not limited to, an audit, litigation, or other actions involving records. The City may, at its discretion, take possession of and retain the records. Before destruction of records retained under this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of the records.
- B. Location of Records: Records (including, but not limited to, customer files and fiscal documents in their original form) pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement shall at all times, be retained within the County of Los Angeles unless authorization to remove them is granted in writing by the City.

§603 CUSTOMER/APPLICANT FILES

Contractor shall complete and maintain on-site in each customer's file the following documents, as prescribed by program requirements: 1) application for all applicants; 2) eligibility documents (see note below); 3) assessment documents; 4) standard worksite training agreement (when applicable); 5) progress reports; 6) counseling documents, 7) job development records; 8) exit documents; 9) post placement follow-up documentation; 10) documentation of follow-up services; 11) employer verification documents; 12) verification documents for training completion; 13) written documentation that customer has received: program orientation, supportive services information, City complaint resolution procedures, contractor customer complaint resolution procedures; 14) documentation of supportive services received; and 15) documentation of credential received as a result of training.

NOTE: The City requires Contractor to verify and certify eligibility and maintain in the customer file, on-site, all eligibility documentation prior to, or as of, the date the applicant is registered in the program.

§604 EQUIPMENT RECORDS

A. Nonexpendable personal property (equipment) acquired with grant funds shall be properly maintained and accounted for as set forth below.

A record shall be maintained for each item of equipment acquired for the program. Equipment is nonexpendable property, which is not consumed or does not lose its identity by being incorporated into another item of equipment, which costs \$5,000 or more per unit, or is expected to have a useful life of one year or more. Items costing below \$5,000, but falling into the following categories are also considered equipment and records must be maintained for them: (1) electronic communications equipment for stationary or vehicular use, including cellular telephones acquired by lease or purchase, and (2) electronic office equipment as follows – facsimile machines, copiers, electric typewriters, personal computers (monitors and CPU's), terminals, and printers.

The record shall include: (1) description of the item of equipment, including model and serial number, if applicable; (2) date of acquisition; (3) the acquisition cost or assigned value to the program; and (4) source of acquisition.

B. A physical inventory shall be taken by Contractor and reconciled with the record card annually or at other times as the City shall prescribe.

§605 PURCHASE OR LEASE OF EQUIPMENT OR FACILITIES

Prior to the purchase or lease of equipment, Contractor shall receive prior City approval in writing and shall comply with all requirements described in this Agreement.

The term "equipment" as used in this Agreement shall be defined to mean personal property.

A. Lease of Equipment

A copy of each executed equipment lease agreement shall be submitted to the City before payment. Written amendments to equipment lease agreement shall comply with the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

B. Purchase of Equipment

All equipment shall be purchased and used in accordance with 2 CFR Parts 200.313 and 200.439. All property real and personal, purchased under this Agreement with grant funds and of over \$5,000 in value shall become the property of the City and shall be returned to the City upon termination of this Agreement, except as provided otherwise by the City in writing. Contractor shall file all Uniform Commercial Code statements for any eligible property purchased with grant funds and deliver a copy of the filing to the City.

- C. Lease of Property or Facilities
 - 1. All lease agreements shall incorporate the following provisions:
 - a. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision that allows the City, at its sole option, to assume the lease for its remaining term, under the same terms and conditions then in effect, in the event that the City terminates its Contractor's City Agreement or if Contractor abandons the lease.
 - b. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision, which provides that any improvements made to the facility or property by Contractor, inures to the benefit of the City, and the City may elect, at its sole option, to remove the improvements.
 - c. It is recommended that the Contractor, during lease negotiations, request the addition of a section to the lease agreement, whereby the lessor agrees that if lessee's grant funding for any calendar year decreases by \$500,000 or more from the previous calendar year, lessee may terminate the lease with 120 days written notice.
 - d. Contractor shall amend any current lease agreements to incorporate the above provisions.
 - 2. A copy of all leases and lease amendments must be reviewed and approved by the City prior to signature and be on file with the City prior to the release of funding.
 - 3. Contractor shall not sublease, assign, or amend in any manner leases paid for with funds under this Agreement without prior written City approval.
 - 4. Contractor shall invoice for only that portion of the lease cost that is allocated to the program funded by this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for collecting any portion of the rent due to Contractor under sublease agreements with partners or other entities.

§606 ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

- A. Contractor shall maintain a system of Internal Control in accordance with standard accounting practices.
 - 1. In accordance with GAAP and City Directives, financial systems shall include:
 - a. Information pertaining to sub-grant and contract awards, obligations, un-obligated balances, assets, expenditures, and income;

- b. Effective internal controls to safeguard assets and assure their proper use;
- c. A comparison of actual expenditures with budgeted amounts for each subgrant and contract;
- d. Source documentation to support accounting records;
- e. Proper charging of costs and cost allocation and be sufficient to (i) permit preparation of required reports, and (ii) permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to establish that funds have not been used in violation of the applicable restrictions on the use of the funds; and
- f. "Internal Control" for purpose of this Agreement, comprises the plan or organization and all of the coordinated methods and measures adopted within an organization to safeguard its assets, check the adequacy and the reliability of its accounting data, promote operating efficiency, and assure adherence to prescribed management policies.
- 2. Contractor shall submit its system of accounting procedures and Internal Control to the City before the City disburses any funds to the Contractor.

§607 DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURES

- A. Documentation of expenditures, including the necessary supporting records, must be made available upon request.
- B. Payroll expenditures shall be supported by activity reports that may include but not be limited to case reports, mileage logs, attendance rosters and other documents supporting work related to City contract or program.
- C. Contractor shall not release funds to any subcontractor for reimbursement of costs, until it has received adequate documentation from the subcontractor that the expenditures are reasonable and allowable under the sub-agreement. All documentation must remain on file at Contractor's office.

§608 AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the Grantor, the U.S. Comptroller General, Auditor General of the State of California or the City may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination, all of its records with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State shall have the authority to audit, examine and make excerpts, or transcripts from records, including all contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Access by the Grantor, City, the State, the DOL, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records (including computer records) of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to charges to the program, shall not be denied in order to conduct audits and examinations, and make excerpts, transcripts, and photocopies. This right also includes timely and reasonable access to Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.
- C. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement. When total expenditures under all federal programs in a fiscal year equal or exceed \$750,000, the Contractor shall conduct or have conducted on an annual basis, audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, PL 98-502, implementing regulations in the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which applicable provision supersedes OMB Circulars A-133 as applicable, (City Council action dated February 4, 1987, C.F. No. 84-2259-S1) and administrative regulations or field memos implementing revisions or updates to the audit requirements. The auditor's reports, prepared in accordance with the aforementioned requirements, and any accompanying management reports on the operation of the Contractor or this Agreement, shall be submitted to the City within nine (9) months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year.
- D. Contractor, should it meet the above threshold, shall annually subcontract with a qualified independent auditor.
- E. The audit is to be conducted annually to test the fiscal integrity of financial transactions as well as compliance with the applicable laws and regulations.

- F. Contractor, not later than thirty (30) days following receipt of the final audit report and within nine (9) months after the close of Contractor's fiscal year, shall submit a copy of the report to the LAHD Financial Management Division.
- G. If the auditor's report or management report identifies deficiencies with internal controls or contract compliance, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a corrective action plan along with the auditor's reports. The plan shall address all deficiencies and provide specific details on corrective actions to be taken along with the date the action was or will be implemented.
- H. If the expenditures under all federal programs are less than \$750,000, Contractor shall permit the City to conduct a performance review of this Agreement and all related records in accordance with directives received from the City.
- I. In the event that Contractor is operating on a for-profit basis, Contractor shall conduct a program-specific annual independent financial and compliance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, or an organization-wide audit that includes coverage of the City program within its scope.
- J. The City reserves the right to impose any or all of the following sanctions for Contractor's failure to comply with the Single Audit Act and the provisions of this Agreement:
 - 1. Withhold a percentage of payments, at the City's sole discretion, until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to LAHD, and/or.
 - 2. Suspend payments due to Contractor until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to the City; and/or Impose the Default, Probation, Suspension and Termination provisions of this Agreement as set forth herein.
- K. City, Auditor General of the State, Grantor, Director of the Office of Civil Rights, and the U.S. Comptroller General shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including contracts, invoices, customer records and other records supporting this Agreement. Audits of earned funds are limited to determining if such funds were earned in accordance with this Agreement.
- L. City may require Contractor who has inadequate fiscal or administrative procedures, to use any or all of the City's accounting or administrative procedures used in the planning, controlling, monitoring, and reporting of fiscal matters relating to this Agreement; or secure at Contractor's expense the service of independent experts.
- M. City shall have the authority to make physical inspections and to require such physical safeguarding devices as locks, alarms, safes, fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems, etc., to safeguard property, records and/or equipment used in the performance of this Agreement.
- N. Should a fiscal or special audit determine that Contractor has earned funds which are questioned under the criteria set forth herein, the Contractor shall be notified and given the opportunity to justify questioned expenditures prior to the City's final determination of disallowed costs, in accordance with the procedures established under the Grant.

§609 CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION

- A. The Grantor, the City, and Contractor will exchange various kinds of information pursuant to this Agreement. That information will include data, applications, program files and databases. These data and information are confidential when they define an individual or an employing unit. Confidential information requires special precautions to protect it from unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification, and destruction. The sources of information may include, but are not limited to, the Employment Development Department, the California Department of Social Services, the California Department of Education, the County Welfare Department(s), the County IV-D Directors Office of Child Support, the Office of the District Attorney, the California Department of Mental Health, the California Office of Community Colleges, and the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- B. The City and Contractor agree that:
 - 1. Each party shall keep all information that is exchanged between them in the strictest confidence and make such information available to their own employees only on a "need-to-know" basis.

- Each party shall provide written instructions to all of its employees with access to information provided by the other party of the confidential nature of the information and of the penalties for unauthorized use or disclosure found in §1798.55 of the Civil Code, §502 of the Penal Code, §2111 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, §10850 of the Welfare and Institutions Code and other applicable local, State and federal laws.
- 3. Each party shall (where appropriate) store and process information in an electronic format, in such a way that unauthorized persons cannot reasonably retrieve the information by computer, remote terminal, or other means.
- 4. Each party shall promptly return to the other party confidential information when its use ends or destroy the confidential information utilizing an approved method of destroying confidential information by shredding, burning, or certified, or witnessed destruction. Magnetic media are to be degaussed or returned to the other party.
- 5. If the City or Contractor enters into an agreement with a third party to provide services, the City or Contractor agrees to include these data and security and confidentiality requirements in the agreement with that third party. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.
- 6. Each party shall designate an employee who shall be responsible for overall security and confidentiality of its data and information systems and, each party shall notify the other of any changes in that designation. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.

§610 SECURITY CLEARANCE AND TUBERCULOSIS TEST OF STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

- A. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor and subcontractor staff working with youth, either as employees or volunteers, who have a supervisory or disciplinary authority over minors must be fingerprinted and pass the background check, as required by California Penal Code §11105.3 and California Education Code §45125.1 and §10911.5. Fingerprinting and a background check may be required of other staff and volunteers depending upon how much contact the staff member will have with minors. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining security clearances for staff whose duties require a sufficient level of interaction with youth.
- B. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor shall have Tuberculosis (TB) tests completed on any staff member working with the youth.
- C. Contractor shall maintain proof of Security Clearance and TB tests of all staff, including those of the subcontractors, and make these records available for future inspection.

§611 RESTRICTION ON DISCLOSURES

Prior to the release of any reports, analyses, studies, information, or data generated as a result of this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City of the request to release the information. Release of information shall be coordinated by Contractor and the City and shall be in compliance with state and federal law.

§612 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM RECORDS AND REPORTS

- A. Contractor shall report to the City numeric data, statistics, facts, news, details and information for its City-funded project(s) using forms and formats such as the electronic Integrated Services Information System prescribed by the City for this purpose.
- B. The City shall rely upon and use records and monthly invoices located at the City, and on-site verifications, as needed, to substantiate Contractor's performance and expenditure data, including, but not limited to, enrollment, training services, placement activities, wages, business/job creation, and post-program services status.
- C. The City may contact Contractor staff, participants, subcontractors, training institutions or schools to verify the documentation supporting performance and compliance with this Agreement.

§613 INSTALLATION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SIGN

Contractor shall install, or allow to be installed, for public display upon the program site premises a sign, identifying Contractor as receiving financial assistance from the City and HUD.

§614 PRESS RELEASES--PUBLIC INFORMATION

Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency and that Contractor is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer in all communications with the press, television, radio or any other means of communicating with the general community. Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency of the program regarding any items that are related to the program funded hereby. Contractor shall also coordinate press releases with the media/public relations project for maximum impact.

§615 NOTICE TO CITY OF LABOR DISPUTES

When Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute involving participants or other employees is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Agreement Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof, including all pertinent information, with regard to same to City. No funds provided hereby shall be used to promote or deter union organizing.

§616 LISTING OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH EDD

Contractor shall list all Contractor's job openings with the local Employment Development Department Office when such job openings are funded, in full or in part, through monies provided hereby.

§617 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Should Contractor need technical assistance from the City regarding matters that are the subject of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit a written request to the City identifying the nature of the problem, the action Contractor has taken to resolve the problem, and the type of assistance needed.

§618 PROHIBITION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Contractor is prohibited from using Grant funds received under this Agreement for the purpose of instituting legal proceeding against the City and/or HUD or their officials, employee or representatives.

§619 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING FOR DENIAL OF CLIENT BENEFITS BY CONTRACTOR – IF APPLICABLE

- A. Contractor has read and agrees to strictly comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, §100751, as amended, which sets forth elements to be included in client benefit denial appeal procedures and shall advise individuals who have been denied assistance of their 20-day right to appeal to the State for an administrative hearing pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §8624(b) (13), as amended.
- B. The client may withdraw request for appeal for administrative hearing at any time during the appeal process by rendering written or oral notice to the State. Where oral notice is given, such notice shall be confirmed in writing by the parties.

§620 FAITH-BASED ACTIVITIES

Organizations that are religious or faith-based are eligible, on the same basis as any other organization, to participate in the grant-funded program. However, a contractor that participates in a grant-funded program shall comply with the following provisions if it is deemed to be a religious or faith-based organization.

A. Contractor may not engage in inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, as part of the programs or services funded under this Agreement. If Contractor conducts such activities, the activities must be offered separately, in time or location, from the programs or services funded under this Agreement, and participation must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the grant-funded programs or services.

- B. A religious or faith-based contractor will retain its independence from federal, State, and local governments, and may continue to carry out its mission, including the definition, practice, and expression of its religious beliefs, provided that it does not use direct grant funds to support any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.
- C. A religious or faith-based contractor may use space in their facilities to provide grant funded services, without removing religious art, icons, scriptures, or other religious symbols.
- D. A religious or faith-based contractor retains its authority over its internal governance, and it may retain religious terms in its organization's name, select its board members on a religious basis, and include religious references in its organization's mission statements and other governing documents.
- E. A religious or faith-based contractor shall not, in providing program assistance, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospective program beneficiary on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- F. Grant funds may not be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities.
- G. Grant funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under this section. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, grant funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to grant funds herein. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a grant funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for grant funded improvements. Disposition of real property after the term of the grant, or any change in use of the property during the term of the grant, is subject to government-wide regulations governing real property dispositions.

§621 CHILD ABUSE

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (California Penal Code §11164 *et seq.*), and specifically §§ 11165.7, 11165.9 and 11166 therein.

7. SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

§701 SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall comply with the federal and City standards in the award of any subcontracts. For purposes of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to, purchase agreements, rental or lease agreements, third party agreements, consultant service contracts and construction subcontracts. Contractor shall comply with subcontracting/procurement requirements set forth in Exhibit "I", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall ensure that the terms of this Agreement are incorporated into all subcontractor agreements. Contractor shall submit all subcontractor agreements to the City for review prior to the release of any funds to the subcontractor. Contractor shall withhold funds to any subcontractor that fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and their respective subcontractor agreement.

8. <u>REMEDIES</u>

§801 DEFAULTS

Should the Contractor fail for any reason to comply with the contractual obligations of this Agreement, including but not limited to, meet the Performance Standards, start up the program on time, provide services according to plan and/or to benefit customers and the provisions of the Agreement, maintain expenditures at an approved rate in the Budget, resolve performance problems in a timely manner, demonstrate the capabilities to solve identified problems within a specific time, provide necessary fiscal or Management Information Services documents to City in a timely manner, maintain agreed cost per placement or utilize grant funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement, the City reserves the right to take any or all of the following actions at its discretion:

A. Notify Contractor of performance deficiencies in accordance with §804 of this Agreement.

- B. Withhold the release of funds.
- C. Require that no funds be advanced to Contractor until Contractor has provided for the security of funds advanced by a Surety/performance bond. The amount and form of the security, if required, shall be determined by the City as noted on the Insurance Requirement Form and is subject to prior City approval.
- D. Modify and/or renegotiate the funding/service level and/or make any changes in the general scope of this Agreement.
- E. Require Contractor to secure at its own expense the services of independent experts.
- F. Require specific performance progress reports for identified time periods.
- G. Reduce compensation within the scope of the City's reallocation policy.
- H. Suspend operations in accordance with §803 below of this Agreement.
- I. Terminate the Agreement.

§802 NOTICE TO CORRECT PERFORMANCE

- A. The City may notify Contractor of its failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement by giving written notice, effective upon date of such notice, which states the specific performance deficiencies to be corrected.
- B. Within five (5) working days, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions that will be undertaken to remedy the performance deficiencies, which actions are subject to City approval in writing.
- C. Contractor shall thereafter submit monthly progress reports to the City in accordance with the City approved corrective action plan specifying the actions taken and resolution of the performance deficiencies.

§803 SUSPENSION OF THE AGREEMENT

- A. The City may, by giving written notice, suspend all or part of the project operations for Contractor's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and may notify the bank identified on the City form referenced in §104A.3 above that all funds are frozen pending further notice from the City. This Notice of Suspension shall be effective upon the date of the City's written notice.
- B. This notice shall set forth the specific conditions of noncompliance and the period provided for corrective action.
- C. Within five (5) working days from the date of written City notification, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions which will be undertaken, subject to City approval in writing.

§804 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- A. At any time during the Term the City may terminate this Agreement, or any part of the Agreement, upon giving Contractor at least 30 days written notice prior to the effective date of the termination, which date shall be specified in the notice. The City is not required to use other remedies provided herein prior to issuing a 30 day notice to terminate the Agreement. Upon the receipt of such notice, Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, cost or expenses, except as may be reasonably necessary to terminate its activities or as otherwise approved by the City.
- B. Contractor shall retain and dispose of all customers' documents and related records required by Contractor under this Agreement, in accordance with City Directives or written instructions. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Agreement, including all intellectual property rights thereto, shall become City property upon the date of such termination. Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.
- C. Contractor shall return to the City all equipment that was purchased with City grant funds pursuant to this Agreement.

- D. In the event Contractor dissolves or otherwise goes out of existence, copies of all records relating to the project or activity that are the subject of this Agreement shall be furnished to the City.
- E. Upon satisfactory completion and documentation of termination activities, the City shall determine the total amount of funds earned by Contractor.
- F. The City may withhold any payments due to Contractor after notice of termination has been issued for the purpose of set-aside until the exact amount of damages or unearned dollars due to the City from Contractor is determined.
- G. Subsections B, C, D, E, and F above shall also apply to Agreements terminating upon the date specified in §201 of the foregoing Agreement or upon completion of performance of this Agreement.
- H. This Agreement may be terminated immediately for any violation of City Lobbying Ordinances.
- I. In the event the City terminates this Agreement as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- J. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement, under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had not been issued pursuant to this section.

§805 NOTICES OF SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION

In the event that this Agreement is suspended or terminated, Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and customers and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of Agreement within five (5) working days from the City's written notice.

9. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

§901 SURVIVAL OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All terms and conditions of this Agreement which impose a duty, obligation or requirement on Contractor that extend beyond the Term hereof shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Such terms and conditions shall include, but not be limited to, §§404 through 407, 505(A)(2), 602, 604 and 608.

§902 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the documents regarding this Agreement, said inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to (i) the body of the Agreement, (ii) the terms of applicable City ordinances and regulations, (iii) the other exhibits and attachments hereto, and (iv) any documents provided by Contractor.

§903 RATIFICATION CLAUSE

Due to the need for the Contractor's services to be provided for the benefit of the community, Contractor may have provided services prior to the execution of this Agreement. To the extent that said services were performed prior to the execution of this Agreement but in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, such preexecution services are hereby ratified and accepted.

§904 COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§905 NUMBER OF PAGES AND ATTACHMENTS

This Agreement is executed in three (3) duplicate originals, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes thirty-three (31) pages and ten (10) exhibits that constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

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[Signatures continue on next page.]

10. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	Executed this day of	<u>,</u> 2022
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	For: CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
By: Assistant/Deputy City Attorney	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
Date:		
ATTEST:	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk		
By: Deputy City Clerk		
Data	Executed this day of	<u>,</u> 2022
Date:	For: Lead Tech Environmental, Inc.	
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By: Authorized Signatory #1 Official Title	
	Ву:	
	Authorized Signatory #2 Official Title	
City Tax Registration Certificate Number: XXXXXXXX		
Internal Revenue Service ID Number: XXXXXXXX		
Council File Number: XXXXXXX; Date of Approval: Month	<mark>ı Day, Year</mark>	
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STANDARD PROVISIONS FOR CITY CONTRACTS

PSC – 1. CONSTRUCTION OF PROVISIONS AND TITLES HEREIN

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the **CITY** or **CONTRACTOR**. The word **"CONTRACTOR"** includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural; if there is more than one **CONTRACTOR**, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

PSC – 2. APPLICABLE LAW, INTERPRETATION AND ENFORCEMENT

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**, including, but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to **CONTRACTOR**.

In any action arising out of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law of a federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of the Contract shall not be affected.

PSC – 3. TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This contract has been signed on behalf of **CONTRACTOR** by the person or persons authorized to bind **CONTRACTOR**;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the **CITY** by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.

PSC – 4. INTEGRATED CONTRACT

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous Contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of PSC-5 hereof.

PSC – 5. <u>AMENDMENT</u>

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of PSC-3.

PSC – 6. <u>EXCUSABLE DELAYS</u>

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of **CONTRACTOR** shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both **CONTRACTOR** and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, **CONTRACTOR** shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit **CONTRACTOR** to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event **CONTRACTOR'S** delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, **CONTRACTOR** agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

PSC – 7. WAIVER

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

PSC – 8. SUSPENSION

At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing **CONTRACTOR** with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to **CITY** until **CITY** gives written notice to recommence the services.

PSC – 9. <u>TERMINATION</u>

A. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

CITY may terminate this Contract for **CITY'S** convenience at any time by providing **CONTRACTOR** thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. **CITY** shall pay **CONTRACTOR** its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination. Thereafter, **CONTRACTOR** shall have no further claims against **CITY** under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights **CITY** is entitled to, shall become **CITY** property upon the date of the termination. **CONTRACTOR** agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

B. TERMINATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

1. Except as provided in PSC-6, if **CONTRACTOR** fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, **CITY** may give **CONTRACTOR** written notice of the default. **CITY'S** default

notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of **CITY**. Additionally, **CITY'S** default notice may offer **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to provide **CITY** with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to **CITY** within the time period allowed by **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may accept or reject **CONTRACTOR'S** plan. If the default cannot be cured or if **CONTRACTOR** fails to cure within the period allowed by **CITY**, then **CITY** may terminate this Contract due to **CONTRACTOR'S** breach of this Contract.

- 2. If the default under this Contract is due to **CONTRACTOR'S** failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. **CONTRACTOR** shall not recommence performance until **CONTRACTOR** is fully insured and in compliance with **CITY'S** requirements.
- 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against **CONTRACTOR**, or if **CONTRACTOR** makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 4. If **CONTRACTOR** engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates **CITY'S** laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude

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- a. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify CITY if CONTRACTOR or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
- b. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- c. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may terminate this Contract after providing **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to present evidence of **CONTRACTOR'S** ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
 - Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of **CONTRACTOR**.

- 6. In the event **CITY** terminates this Contract as provided in this section, **CITY** may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as **CITY** may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and **CONTRACTOR** shall be liable to **CITY** for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that **CONTRACTOR** was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to PSC-9(A) Termination for Convenience.
- 8. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

PSC – 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of **CITY**.

PSC – 11. <u>CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL</u>

Unless otherwise approved by **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Contract. **CITY** has the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall remove personnel from performing work under this Contract if requested to do so by **CITY**.

CONTRACTOR shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Contract without the prior written approval of **CITY**. If **CITY** permits the use of Subcontractors, **CONTRACTOR** shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Contract and paying all Subcontractors. **CITY** has the right to approve **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and **CITY** reserves the right to request replacement of any Subcontractor. **CITY** does not have any obligation to pay **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity of contract between **CITY** and any Subcontractor.

PSC – 12. ASSIGNMENT OR DELEGATION

CONTRACTOR may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of CITY:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

PSC – 13. PERMITS

CONTRACTOR and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors, shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications and other documents necessary for **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals, or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract.

PSC – 14. CLAIMS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS

CONTRACTOR shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against any **CITY** property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by **CONTRACTOR** hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

PSC – 15. CURRENT LOS ANGELES CITY BUSINESS TAX REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

For the duration of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by **CITY'S** Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 *et seq.* of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

PSC – 16. <u>RETENTION OF RECORDS, AUDIT AND REPORTS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by **CITY**. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by **CITY**, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized **CITY** personnel or **CITY'S** representatives at any time. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide any reports requested by **CITY** regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, **CONTRACTOR** may, upon **CITY'S** written approval, submit the required information to **CITY** in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 17. BONDS

All bonds required by **CITY** shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 *et seq.*, as amended from to time.

PSC – 18. INDEMNIFICATION

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of **CITY**, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in interest, **CONTRACTOR** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including **CONTRACTOR'S** employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by **CONTRACTOR**, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION

CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the **CITY**, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**,

including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of **CITY'S** actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in PSC-21) furnished by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 20. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY WARRANTY

CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributory, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

PSC – 21. OWNERSHIP AND LICENSE

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of **CITY** for its use in any manner **CITY** deems appropriate. **CONTRACTOR** hereby assigns to **CITY** all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

CONTRACTOR agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause **CITY** irreparable harm. **CITY** may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude **CITY** from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which **CITY** may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to **CITY** that are not originated or prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall secure a grant, at no cost to **CITY**, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any **CITY** purposes.

CONTRACTOR shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of **CITY**.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that **CITY'S** ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

PSC – 22. DATA PROTECTION

A. **CONTRACTOR** shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, **CITY**-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). **CONTRACTOR** shall notify **CITY** in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of **CONTRACTOR'S** discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or

potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. **CONTRACTOR** shall begin remediation immediately. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by **CITY**, regarding findings and actions performed by **CONTRACTOR** until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to **CITY'S** satisfaction. **CONTRACTOR** shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. **CONTRACTOR** shall cooperate fully with **CITY**, its agents and law enforcement.

B. If **CITY** is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then **CONTRACTOR** shall fully indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and defend against any resulting actions.

PSC – 23. INSURANCE

During the term of this Contract and without limiting **CONTRACTOR'S** obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit 1 hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to **CITY'S** requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit 1 hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit 1 hereto. Exhibit 1 is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

PSC – 24. <u>BEST TERMS</u>

Throughout the term of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR**, shall offer **CITY** the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of **CONTRACTOR'S** customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

PSC – 25. WARRANTY AND RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within **CONTRACTOR'S** profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

PSC – 26. MANDATORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**. In performing this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference.
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract.
- D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 27. CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, **CONTRACTOR** shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the **CONTRACTOR** under this Contract. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 28. <u>LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 29. SERVICE CONTRACTOR WORKER RETENTION ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 30. ACCESS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

CONTRACTOR represents and certifies that:

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;
- B. **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to **CITY**-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

CONTRACTOR understands that **CITY** is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 31. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

PSC – 32. BUSINESS INCLUSION PROGRAM

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. **CONTRACTOR** shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. **CONTRACTOR** shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall **CONTRACTOR** reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of **CITY**.

PSC – 33. SLAVERY DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 *et* seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 34. FIRST SOURCE HIRING ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 35. LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 36. IRAN CONTRACTING ACT

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with **CITY** for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contacting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

PSC – 37. RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDRAISING IN CITY ELECTIONS

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected **CITY** office, **CONTRACTOR**, **CONTRACTOR'S** principals, and **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles **CITY** to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected **CITY** officials or candidates for elected **CITY** office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #______. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("CITY") officials and candidates for elected CITY office for twelve months after the CITY contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the **CONTRACTOR** and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

PSC – 38. <u>CONTRACTORS' USE OF CRIMINAL HISTORY FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT</u> <u>APPLICATIONS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 39. LIMITATION OF CITY'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE PAYMENT TO CONTRACTOR

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for CITY to comply with its governing legal requirements, CITY shall have no obligation to make any payments to CONTRACTOR unless CITY shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. CONTRACTOR agrees that any services provided by CONTRACTOR, purchases made by CONTRACTOR or expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to CITY and CITY shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. CONTRACTOR shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriated amount(s) until CITY appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

PSC – 40. COMPLIANCE WITH IDENTITY THEFT LAWS AND PAYMENT CARD DATA SECURITY STANDARDS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. **CONTRACTOR** also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, **CONTRACTOR** shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

PSC – 41. COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCE CODE 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of **CONTRACTOR** working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at **CONTRACTOR'S** sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal

Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

PSC – 42. POSSESSORY INTERESTS TAX

Rights granted to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** may create a possessory interest. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall pay the property tax. **CONTRACTOR** acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

PSC – 43. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

All documents, information and materials provided to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** or developed by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. **CONTRACTOR** shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by **CITY** or as required by law. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 44 <u>COVID-19</u>

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services. Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders

EXHIBIT B Form Gen 146 (Rev. 6/12) Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

Name:		Lead Tech	Environmental, Inc.		Date:	XX/XX/XXXX	
Agreem	nent/	/Reference:	Inspection, Survey and An	nalysis for Ha	azardous M	aterials	
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	Pro	operty Insu	rance (to cover replacement by insurance compa		lding - as de	etermined	\$
		All Risk Flood Earthqu	Coverage ake		Boiler and Builder's F		_
	Pol	llution Liabili	ty				\$
	Su	rety Bonds	– Performance and Payme	ent (Labor ar	nd Materials) Bonds	100% of the contract price
	Cri	me Insuran	ce				\$
Other:	<u>1) F</u>	Professional to	Liability Insurance is requi	ired for any C	Contractor o	r Sub-Contracto	r that requires a Licensed

Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement. 2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

NAME: Analyst Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE: XXX-XXX-XXXX

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Agreement/Reference** All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the **types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts** specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For As-needed Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. **KwikComply** is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access **KwikComply** at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. **General Liability** insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. **Sexual Misconduct** coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. **Fire Legal Liability** is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (<u>www.2sparta.com</u>), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. **Automobile Liability** insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. **Errors and Omissions** coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. **Cyber Liability & Privacy** coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT C CERTIFICATION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Living Wage Ordinance. Contractor shall post a copy of the Notice to Employees Working on City Contracts Re: Living Wage Ordinance and Prohibition Against Retaliation, which is as below, in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees.

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (English).pdf and in Spanish at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (Spanish).pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section at (213) 847-2625.

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EXHIBIT D

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension, 24 CFR Part 24 Section 24.510, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, Participants' responsibilities.

(READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION BEFORE COMPLETING)

- 1. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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EXHIBIT D (cont.)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this document, the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is providing the certification as set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this agreement is entered, if at any time the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds learns that its certification was erroneous, when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689.
- 5. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the <u>List of Parties Excluded from Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs</u>.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under Paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

<u>EXHIBIT E</u>

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

<u>Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans</u> <u>and Cooperative Agreements</u>

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352 Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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EXHIBIT F MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION

As a prerequisite to receipt of a City funded Contract, and as material facts upon which the City may rely in preparing the Contract, I, an authorized representative of the Contractor, make the following representations:

1. I am responsible for the fair presentation of the Contractor's financial records/reports in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and have provided such records/reports accordingly to the City. I will make available to City all related data and information. I am not aware of any material transactions that have not been properly recorded and disclosed.

True 🗌 False 🗌

2. The Contractor has adopted sound accounting policies and procedures in accordance with GAAP that include procedures for maintaining internal controls, and preventing and detecting fraud and abuse.

True 🗌 False 🗌

3. I have advised and will continue to advise the City of any actions taken at meetings of Contractor's Board of Directors, and Committees of the Board of Directors which may have a material impact on Contractor's ability to perform the City's Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

- 4. Except as recorded or disclosed to you herein, I know of no instances of:
 - a. Conflict of interests (direct or indirect), nepotism, related (direct or indirect) party transactions including revenues, expenses, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, and amounts receivable from or payable to related parties.

True

b. Guarantees, whether written or oral, under which the Contractor is contingently liable.

True 🗌 False 🗌

c. Actual, forthcoming or possible terminations of funding from regulatory agencies or other sources due to noncompliance, deficiencies, or for any other reason, that would affect the financial records and/or continuing viability of the Contractor as an on-going concern.

True 🗌 False 🗌

5. I have no knowledge that a board member/s is/are also an employee of this Contractor whose salary costs are reimbursed under this agreement.

True 🗌 False 🗌

6. I have no knowledge of and am not in receipt of any communication regarding allegations of fraud, suspected fraud or abuse affecting the Contractor involving management, employees who have significant roles in internal control, or others where fraud/abuse could have a material effect on the financial records or performance of the City Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

7. I have no knowledge of any allegations, written or oral, of misstatements or misapplication of funds in the Contractor's conduct of its financial affairs or in its financial records.

True 🗌 False 🗌

8. I am not aware of any pending litigation, bankruptcy, judgment, liens and other significant issues that may threaten the financial viability, legal and continuing existence of the Contractor.

True 🗌 False 🗌

9. The Contractor has satisfactory title to all assets being used in the City's program, and there are no liens or encumbrances on such assets, nor has any asset been pledged as collateral.

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10. The Contractor has complied with all aspects of contractual agreements, related laws and regulations that could have a material effect on the financial records, the program/s, or on the organization as a whole.

True 🗌 False 🗌

11. I have properly reported and paid to the appropriate governmental agencies all payroll taxes due on employees' (City program related or otherwise) compensation.

True		False	
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12. I have responded fully to all the City's inquiries related to the Contractor's financial records and/or reports.

True 🗌 False 🗌

13. I understand that the City's auditing and monitoring procedures of Contractor are limited to those which the City determines best meet its informational needs and may not necessarily disclose all errors, irregularities, including fraud or defalcation, or illegal acts, that may exist.

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14. I understand that the City audit and monitoring reports are intended solely for use by the Contractor and the other authorized parties, and are not intended for other purposes, unless otherwise required by law.

True] False [
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15. If one or more of the above statements is found to be false, I understand that the City may terminate this contract immediately. I also understand that I have a continuing duty to report to City any material factual change to any of these statements.

True | False |

Use this space to provide any additional information:

I declare under	penalty	of perjury	that I h	have re	ead the	foregoing	statements	and they	are true	and	complete	to the	best of	f my
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EXHIBIT G SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide services identified in this section, as requested by LAHD.

Lead Inspection/Risk Assessment (LI/RA) Report

A. Combination Lead Paint Inspections and Risk Assessments

The Contractor shall visit the job site and conduct a Combination Paint Inspection and Risk Assessments in compliance with HUD 2012 Guidelines (Ch. 5) and HUD Policy Guidance Number 2013-01 using an X-ray fluorescence (XRF) instrument and a minimum of eight (8) single-surface dust wipe samples shall be collected.

Dust Samples

- i. Dust samples shall be collected at a minimum in the following locations:
 - One from the floor of the child's principal play area, TV room, or living room.
 - One from the interior window sill of the most frequently opened window in the child's principal play area.
 - One from the floor of the kitchen.
 - One from the window trough of the kitchen window (if inaccessible, an interior window sill sample shall be collected).
 - One from the floor of the bedroom of the youngest child (older than six (6) months).
 - One from the interior window sill of the bedroom of the youngest child (older than six (6) months).
 - One from the floor of the bedroom of the next oldest child, if any.
 - One from the window trough of the bedroom of the next oldest child, if any (if inaccessible, an interior window sill sample should be collected).

At least one window trough sample should be collected in each dwelling. If no playroom can be identified, the living room should be sampled. If the youngest child's bedroom cannot be identified, the smallest bedroom should be sampled.

- ii. Bare soil samples shall be collected at a minimum from each of the following locations:
 - Each play area with bare soil, including sandboxes.
 - Non-play areas in dripline/foundation areas.
 - Non-play areas in the rest of the yard, including, but not limited to vegetable gardens, pet sleeping areas, and bare pathways.
 - Vegetable gardens (recommended).

XRF Readings

- i. Interior and Exterior of the Unit
 - XRF readings will be taken of a minimum of one (1) testing combination of each component per room equivalent in each unit.
- ii. Windows

Interior

- XRF readings will be taken of a minimum of one (1) window testing combination of each component per room equivalent in each unit.
- Further XRF readings will be taken if deemed necessary by the visual inspection.

Exterior

- Single-Family Home: XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of 14 window testing combinations per building.
- Duplex and Triplex (One Building): XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of six (6) window testing combinations per unit.
- Four (4) or More Units (One Building): XRF readings shall be taken of a minimum of five (5) window testing combinations per unit.

Further XRF readings shall be taken if deemed necessary by the visual inspection and preliminary XRF readings or by LAHD.

- If the condition of the window is deteriorated and the XRF readings show the presence of lead, then all windows must be tested.
- Each additional window combination tested will be paid as a per window flat fee.
- If the visual inspection and the preliminary XRF readings show that there are no lead hazards, no further testing shall be required.

For quality assurance, risk assessors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one blank for each property. For multi-family risk assessments, one blank shall be submitted for every 20 samples collected. Generally, a maximum of ten blanks per property is adequate, but more may be necessary for very large multi-family properties, such as those with more than 500 units.

An inspection and risk assessment report shall be provided to LAHD within 14 business days from the date of the site visit.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

B. LI/RA Report

The report of the risk assessment/paint inspection in compliance with HUD 2012 Guidelines (Ch. 5) must contain at least the following information:

i. Executive Summary

• A brief summary of the essential findings of the risk assessment.

ii. Table of Contents

- iii. Identifying Information and Risk Assessor's Signature
 - The date of risk assessment.
 - The address of each building included in the inspection and apartment numbers (if applicable).
 - Date of construction of the buildings.
 - Name, address, and telephone number of each building owner and building manager.
 - Name, address, and telephone number of the certified firm employing the risk assessor.

- Name, signature, and certification number of the risk assessor conducting the inspection.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each recognized laboratory conducting analyses of collected samples.
- iv. Purpose of the Risk Assessment
 - Definition of a risk assessment
 - Explanation of why the risk assessment was performed
 - Description of any special requests by client
- v. Definitions
- vi. Description of Lead-Based Paint Hazards and Acceptable Hazard Control
 - Describe the method of inspection/risk assessment including the make and model of the XRF used, and the type of source and the PCS of the device.
 - Describe site and visual observations of surfaces, components, risk assessment, materials, structure type (number of units for this type of configuration), size (number of bedrooms and Configuration), age of building proposed use, type of occupancy, anticipated rehabilitation, etc. (provide a floor plan showing location of doors and windows and location of defective items or hazards).
 - Indicate the total number of dwelling units versus the number sampled and include the applicable documentation as per the 2012 HUD Guidelines.
 - Identify actual number and location of samples taken in each area: room, unit, common areas roof exterior walls, etc.
 - Describe lab-testing protocol (include lab-data sheet and chain of custody).
 - Describe XRF analysis protocol.
 - Include calibration readings of the XRF as outlined in the 2012 HUD Guidelines.
 - Include a table summarizing all surfaces containing lead-based paint and leadcontaminated soil, describing the condition of the surfaces containing lead-based paint.
 - Identify owner and firm's responsibilities and clearly explain any limitations.
 - Include floor plans to include soil sampling and an indication of the sampling locales; and which, if any samples were composite samples. All doors and windows must be clearly marked on the floor plans.
 - California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Form 8552
 - Reference the appropriate regulatory issues and requirements.

The report must be type-written. Handwritten data and/or field report are **not** acceptable.

Developing Lead Abatement Specifications

The Contractor shall contact LAHD and request a copy of the LI/RA Report. The Contractor shall visit the job site and develop a set of specifications for lead abatement for the specific project (scope of work). Specifications shall be in conformance with HUD recommended Guidelines for addressing Lead-Based Paint Hazards. The turnaround time for a full set of specifications shall not exceed five (5) business days from the date requested by LAHD staff.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Project Monitoring

The Contractor shall visit the job site prior to the start of Abatement to verify containment and monitor the project during the course of Lead Abatement/Remediation activities to verify "lead-safe" work practices and compliance with written specifications. There shall be at least two site visits. The Contractor shall be

responsible for making recommendations regarding abatement progress and progress payments. The Contractor must submit a report to LAHD describing daily activities. The turnaround time for the report shall not exceed three (3) business days from the date of project monitoring "site visit".

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including, trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Clearance

The Contractor is to contact the LAHD Rehabilitation Construction Specialist (RCS) assigned to the project and request a copy of the scope of work for lead related work for review. The Contractor shall visit the job site and, based on the scope of work, identify the lead remediation work that has been completed. The Contractor must conduct a clearance of the dwelling.

- A. Clearance Inspection Protocol
 - Determine the clearance area
 - Conduct visual assessment
 - Conduct dust sampling

The Contractor shall take an average of six (6) interior dust wipe samples, one (1) exterior window trough and one (1) exterior soil sample.

For quality assurance, inspectors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one (1) blank for each property. For multi-family risk assessments, one (1) blank shall be submitted for every 20 samples collected. Generally, a maximum of ten (10) blanks per property is adequate, but more may be necessary for very large multi-family properties, such as those with more than 500 units.

B. Clearance Report

The report of the clearance inspection must contain at least the following information:

- The date of risk assessment.
- The address of each building included in the inspection and apartment numbers (if applicable).
- Date of construction of the buildings.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each building owner and building manager.
- Name, address, and telephone number of the certified firm employing the risk assessor.
- Name, signature, and certification number of the risk assessor conducting the inspection.
- Name, address, and telephone number of each recognized laboratory conducting analyses of collected samples.
- Visual assessment form.
- Dust sampling form.
- Floor plans to include soil sampling and an indication of the sampling locales; and which, if any samples were composite samples. All doors and windows must be clearly marked on the floor plans.
- Copy of the laboratory results
- Interpretation of the laboratory results
- CDPH Form 8552

The turnaround time for a full clearance inspection report will be three (3) business days from the date of the clearance inspection.

The Contractor should provide the total cost of this service including: trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such inspection report.

Operation and Maintenance (O & M) Plan

The Contractor shall contact the LAHD Rehabilitation Construction Specialist assigned to the project and request a copy of the LI/RA report and a copy of the lead related "scope of work." The Contractor shall visit the job site and, based on the "scope of work," confirm that the lead-related work has been completed. The Contractor shall then create an Operation and Maintenance Plan (O&M Plan) for the specific project in accordance to the information reviewed and HUD Guidelines. The turnaround time for a full O&M Plan from the date of the job site visit to emailing the O&M Plan to LAHD shall not exceed five (5) business days.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such an inspection report.

Limited Clearance/Handyworker

Lead surveys for the Handyworker Program do not require a Risk Assessment or a Remediation/Lead Abatement plan (unless requested by LAHD). The Contractor is to contact the LAHD Handyworker Program and request a copy of the scope of work for lead-related work. The Contractor is to visit the job site and conduct a clearance of that dwelling for the work areas identified in the scope. The Contractor is to provide three (3) dust wipe samples, plus a blank one for each site in those areas identified by LAHD. The turnaround time for a clearance inspection report will be three (3) business days from the date of the clearance inspection.

For quality assurance, inspectors shall submit field blank samples to the laboratory at a frequency of at least one (1) blank for each property.

The Contractor shall provide the total cost of this service including: trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff and any other fees associated with producing such service.

Applicable Conditions

- A. <u>ALL reports are due within the stipulated period.</u> Written findings and recommendations should be consistent with visual and test data.
- B. All reports submitted to LAHD must reference the Work Authorization Number (WAN#) provided by LAHD.
- C. All costs including the trip charge, lab charge, mail/FedEx, staff, and any other fees associated with the required services shall be included in the agreed upon fee and shall not be charged separately.

Professional Qualifications / Demonstrated Ability

A. Inspection Survey and Analysis for Hazardous Materials (Lead)

Contractor shall provide evidence of the following required certifications:

- State of California Lead Inspector/Assessor (I/A)
- State of California Lead Project Monitor (PM)
- Radiation Safety Training

EXHIBIT H INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

A. Reporting Procedure for Inventions

If any project produces any invention or discovery (Invention) patentable or otherwise under Title 35 of the U.S. Code, including, without limitation processes and business methods made in the course of work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall report the fact and disclose the Invention promptly and fully to the City. The City shall report the fact and disclose the Invention. Unless there is a prior agreement between the City and the Grantor, the Grantor shall determine whether to seek protection on the Invention. The Grantor shall determine how the rights in the Invention, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the policy ("Policy") embodied in the Federal Acquisition Regulations System, which is based on Ch. 18 of Title 35 U.S.C. §200 *et seq.* (Pub.L. 95-517, Pub.L. 98-620, 37 CFR, Part 401); Presidential Memorandum on Government Patent Policy to the Heads of the Executive Departments and Agencies, dated 2/18/1983; and Executive Order 12591, 4/10/87, 52 FR 13414, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 220 (as amended by Executive Order 12618, 12/22/87, 52 FR 48661, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp. p. 262). Contractor hereby agrees to be bound by the Policy, and will contractually require its personnel to be bound by the Policy.

B. Rights to Use Inventions

City shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Invention developed under this Agreement.

- C. Copyright Policy
 - Unless otherwise provided by the terms of the Grantor or of this Agreement, when copyrightable material (Material) is developed under this Agreement, the author or the City, at the City's discretion, may copyright the Material. If the City declines to copyright the Material, the City shall have an unencumbered right, and a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, access, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all governmental purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement.
 - 2. The Grantor shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement or any Copyright purchased under this Agreement. Contractor shall comply with 24 CFR 85.34.
- D. Rights to Data
 - 1. The Grantor and the City shall have unlimited rights or copyright license to any data first produced or delivered under this Agreement. "Unlimited rights" means the right to use, disclose, reproduce, prepare derivative works, distribute copies to the public, and perform and display publicly, or permit others to do so; as required by 48 CFR 27.401. Where the data are not first produced under this Agreement or are published copyrighted data with the notice of 17 U.S.C. §401 or §402, the Grantor acquires the data under a copyright license as set forth in 48 CFR 27.404(f) (2) instead of unlimited rights (48 CFR 27.404(a)).
 - 2. Obligations Binding on Subcontractors Contractor shall require all subcontractors to comply with the obligations of this section by incorporating the terms of this section into all subcontracts.
- E. Intellectual Property Provisions for California Sub-Grants (IF APPLICABLE)

This Agreement is funded in part with federal "pass through" funds from the State of California (State). The following requirements are applicable to this Agreement. In any Contract funded in whole or in part by the federal government, City/State may acquire and maintain the Intellectual Property rights, title, and ownership, which result directly or indirectly from the Contract, except as provided in 37 Code of Federal Regulations Part 401.14. However, pursuant to 29 CFR Part 97.34, the federal government shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, irrevocable, paid-up license throughout the world to use, duplicate, or dispose of such Intellectual Property throughout the world in any manner for governmental purposes and to have and permit others to do so.

F. Ownership

- 1. Except where City/State has agreed in a signed writing to accept a license, City/State shall be and remain, without additional compensation, the sole owner of any and all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property, from the moment of creation, whether or not jointly conceived, that are made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. For the purposes of this Agreement, Intellectual Property means recognized protectable rights and interest such as: patents (whether or not issued,) copyrights, trademarks, service marks, applications for any of the foregoing: inventions, trade secrets, trade dress, logos, insignia, color combinations, slogans, moral rights, right of publicity, author's rights, contract and licensing rights, works, mask works, industrial design rights, rights of priority, know how, design flows, methodologies, devices, business processes, developments, innovations, good will any data or information maintained, collected or stored in the ordinary course of business by City/State, and all other legal rights protecting intangible proprietary information as may exist now and/or hereafter come into existence, and all renewals and extensions, regardless of whether those rights arise under the laws of the United States, or any other state, country, jurisdiction.
- 3. For the purposes of the definition of Intellectual Property, "works" means all literary works, writings and printed matter, including the medium by which they are recorded or reproduced, photographs, art work, pictorial and graphic representations and works of a similar nature, film, motion pictures, digital images, animation cells, and other audiovisual works, including positives and negatives thereof, sound recordings, tapes, educational materials, interactive videos, computer software and any other materials of products created, produced, conceptualized and fixed in a tangible medium of expression. It includes preliminary and final products and any materials and information developed for the purposes of producing those final products. "Works" does not include articles submitted to peer review or reference journals or independent research projects.
- 4. In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor may exercise and utilize certain of its Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. In addition, under this Agreement, Contractor may access and utilize certain of City's/State's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Except as otherwise set forth herein, Contractor shall not use any of City's/State's Intellectual Property now existing or hereafter existing for any purposes without the prior written permission of City/State. Except as otherwise set forth herein, neither Contractor nor City/State shall give any ownership interest in or rights to its Intellectual Property to the other Party. If, during the term of this Agreement, Contractor accesses any third-party Intellectual Property that is licensed to City/State, Contractor agrees to abide by all license and confidentiality restrictions applicable to City/State in the third-party's license agreement.
- 5. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City/State in establishing or maintaining City/State's exclusive rights in the Intellectual Property, and in assuring City's/State's sole rights against third-parties with respect to the Intellectual Property. If the Contractor enters into any agreements or subcontracts with other parities in order to perform this Agreement, Contractor shall require the terms of agreement(s) to include all Intellectual Property provisions herein. Such terms must include, but are not limited to, the subcontractor assigning and agreeing to assign to City/State all rights, title and interest in Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by the subcontractor, Contractor or City/State and which result directly indirectly from this Agreement or any subcontract.
- 6. The requirement for the Contractor to include all Intellectual Property Provisions in all agreements and subcontracts it enters into with other parties does not apply to agreements or subcontracts that are for customized and on-the-job-training as authorized under 20 CFR 663.700-730.
- 7. Contractor further agrees to assist and cooperate with City/State in all reasonable respects, and execute all documents and, subject to reasonable availability, give testimony, and take all further acts reasonably necessary to acquire, transfer, maintain, and enforce City's/State's Intellectual Property rights and interests.
- G. Retained Rights/License Rights
 - 1. Except for Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement, Contractor shall retain title to all of its Intellectual Property to the extent such Intellectual Property is in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Contractor hereby grants to City/State, without additional compensation, a permanent, non-exclusive, royalty free, paid-up, worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, non-terminable license to use, reproduce, manufacture, sell, offer to sell, import, export, modify, publicly and privately display/perform, distribute, and dispose of Contractor's Intellectual Property with the right to sub-license through multiple layers, for any purpose

whatsoever, to the extent it is incorporated in the Intellectual Property resulting from this Agreement, unless Contractor assigns all rights, title and interest in the Intellectual Property as set forth herein.

2. Nothing in this provision shall restrict, limit, or otherwise prevent Contractor from using any ideas, concepts, know-how, methodology or techniques related to its performance under this Agreement, provided that Contractor's use does not infringe the patent, copyright, trademark rights, license or other Intellectual Property rights of City/State or third-party, or result in a breach or default of any provisions herein or result in a breach of any provisions of law relating to confidentiality.

H. Copyright

- 1. Contractor agrees that for purposes of copyright law, all works made by or on behalf of Contractor in connection with Contractor's performance of this Agreement shall be deemed "works for hire." Contractor further agrees that the work of each person utilized by Contractor in connection with the performance of this Agreement will be a "work made for hire," whether that person is an employee of Contractor or that person has entered into an agreement with Contractor to perform the work. Contractor shall enter into a written agreement with any such person that: (i) all work performed for Contractor shall be deemed a "work made for hire" under the Copyright Act and (ii) that person shall assign all right, title, and interest to City/State to any work product made, conceived, derived from or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. All materials, including, but not limited to, computer software, visual works or text, reproduced or distributed pursuant to this Agreement that include Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement may not be reproduced or disseminated without prior written permission from City/State.

I. Patent Rights

With respect to inventions made by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, which did not result from research and development specifically included in the Agreement's scope of work, Contractor hereby grants to City/State a license for devises or material incorporating, or made through the use of such inventions. If such inventions result from research and development work specifically included within the Agreement's scope of work, then Contractor agrees to assign to City/State, without additional compensation, all its rights, title and interest in and to such inventions and to assist City/State in securing United States and foreign patents with respect thereto.

J. Third-Party Intellectual Property

Except as provided herein, Contractor agrees that its performance of this Agreement shall not be dependent upon or include any Intellectual Property of Contractor or third-party without first: (i) obtaining City's/State's prior written approval; and (ii) granting to or obtaining for City's/State's, without additional compensation, a license, as described in Section G above, for any of Contractor's or third-party's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. If such a license upon these terms is unattainable, and City/State determines that the Intellectual Property should be included in or is required for Contractor's performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall obtain a license under terms acceptable to City/State.

K. Warranties

- 1. Contractor represents and warrants that:
 - a. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for its performance of this Agreement. Neither Contractor's performance of this Agreement, nor the exercise by either Party of the rights granted in this Agreement, nor any use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, import, export, modification, public and private display/performance, distribution, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement will infringe upon or violate any Intellectual Property right, non-disclosure obligation, or other proprietary right or interest of any third-party or entity now existing under the laws of, or hereafter existing or issued by, any state, the United States, or any foreign country. There are currently no actual or threatened claims by any such third-party based on an alleged violation of any such right by Contractor.
 - b. Neither Contractor's performance nor any part of its performance will violate the right of privacy of, or constitute a libel or slander against any person or entity.

- c. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for Intellectual Property, including, but not limited to, consents, waivers or releases from all authors or music or performances used, and talent (radio, television, and motion picture talent), owners of any interest in and to real estate, site locations, property or props that may be used or shown.
- d. It has not granted and shall not grant to any person or entity any right that would or might derogate, encumber, or interfere with any of the rights granted to City/State in this Agreement.
- e. It has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance or computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- f. It has no knowledge of any outstanding claims, licenses or other charges, liens, or encumbrances of any kind or nature whatsoever that could affect in any way Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- 2. City/State makes no warranty that the intellectual property resulting from this sub-grant Agreement does not infringe upon any patent, trademark, copyright or the like, now existing or subsequently issued.
- L. Intellectual Property Indemnity
 - 1. Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless City/State and its licensees and assignees, and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and users of its products ("Indemnities") from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, liabilities (or actions or proceedings with respect to any thereof), whether or not rightful, arising from any and all actions or claims by any third-party or expenses related thereto (including, but not limited to, all legal expenses, court costs, and attorney's fees incurred in investigating, preparing, serving as a witness in, or defending against, any such claim action, or proceeding, commenced or threatened) to which any of the Indemnities may be subject, whether or not Contractor is a party to any pending or threatened litigation, which arise out of or are related to: (i) the incorrectness or breach of any of the representations, warranties, covenants or agreements of Contractor pertaining to Intellectual Property; or (ii) any Intellectual Property infringement, or any other type of actual or alleged infringement claim, arising out of City's/State's use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, distribution, import, export, modification, public and private performance/display, license, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement. This indemnity obligation shall apply irrespective of whether the infringement claim is based on a patent, trademark or copyright registration that was issued after the effective date of this Agreement. City/State reserves the right to participate in and/or control, at Contractor's expense, any such infringement action brought against City/State.
 - 2. Should any Intellectual Property licensed by the Contractor to City/State under this Agreement become the subject of an Intellectual Property infringement claim, Contractor will exercise its authority reasonably and in good faith to preserve City's/State's right to use the licensed Intellectual Property in accordance with this Agreement at no expense to City/State. City/State shall have the right to monitor and appear through its own counsel (at Contractor's expense) in any such claim or action. In the defense or settlement of the claim, Contractor may obtain the right for City/State to continue using the licensed Intellectual Property, or replace or modify the licensed Intellectual Property so that the replaced or modified Intellectual Property becomes non-infringing provided that such replacement or modification is functionally equivalent to the original licensed Intellectual Property. If such remedies are not reasonably available, City/State may be entitled to a refund of all monies paid under this Agreement, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.
 - 3. Contractor agrees that damages alone would be inadequate to compensate City/State for breach of any term of these Intellectual Property provisions herein by Contractor. Contractor acknowledges City/State would suffer irreparable harm in the event of such breach and agrees City/State shall be entitled to obtain equitable relief, including without limitation an injunction, from a court of competent jurisdiction, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

M. Survival

The provisions set forth herein shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or any project schedule.

EXHIBIT I SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

- 1. For the purpose of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to purchase agreement or lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, consultant services subcontracts and construction subcontracts.
- 2. Subcontracts entered into in the performance of this Agreement shall:
 - a. Be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. City may require incorporation of the applicable provisions in a written agreement.
 - b. Specifically prohibit assignment or transfer of interest without prior written approval by the City.
 - c. Contractor must specifically provide proof, when applicable, of the appropriate permits and/or business licenses.
- 3. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution.
- 4. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be maintained by Contractor and provided to City upon written request.
- 5. Subcontractors shall be procured consistent with the Procurement Procedures outlined in this Agreement.
- 6. A subcontractor is defined as a person or business who is awarded a portion of an existing contract by a principal or general contractor. A subcontractor performs work under a contract with a general contractor.

B. PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

- It is the policy of the City of Los Angeles (City) to encourage fair and open competition in its procurement for goods and services. The requirements for a fair and open competition include the development of written procurement policies that include, but are not limited to all of the following subsections. Several of the provisions herein include City mandated rules and procedures in addition to the other grant requirements. Such policies are applicable to subcontractors to the extent permitted by law.
 - a. Purpose: It is the intent of these rules that these procedures shall apply to all subcontracts including, but not limited to purchase agreements, lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, and consultant services subcontracts. All contractors are required to prepare written procurement procedures. All written procedures and policies for procurement activities are to be available for public inspection.
 - b. Responsibilities:
 - (1) The following procedures shall apply to all procurements under this Agreement in order to ensure that all solicitations:
 - (a) Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product or service to be procured. Such description shall not, in competitive procurement, contain features which unduly restrict competition; and
 - (b) Identify all requirements that the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - (2) Issue a Public Notification: The notification must be made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) or other media that covers the entire service area.

- (3) All steps of each procurement must be documented, including a description of the documentation process and where the documentation will be located.
- (4) Contractor shall provide a copy of the bid package to anyone who requests it. Contractor shall compile a list of everyone requesting a copy of the bid package.
- (5) The Contractor shall ensure that all pre-qualified lists of persons, firms or other organizations that are used to acquire goods and services are current and include sufficient numbers of qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. The agencies listed on the bidder's list may be individually notified.
- (6) The Contractor shall maintain records that are sufficient to detail the significant history of a procurement procedure. These records shall include, but are not limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement; the selection of contract type; contractor selection or rejection; rational and reasonable rating criteria and the basis for the contract type.
- (7) The Contractor shall keep records sufficient to insure that funds have not been spent unlawfully.
- (8) The Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to any procurement agreement/contract within the County of Los Angeles for a period of five (5) years following termination of the Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. "Pending Matters" include, but are not limited to an audit, litigation, or other activities involving records. Prior to destruction of records retained under this Agreement, the Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of said records.
- (9) The Contractor shall not contract with any party that is debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from participation in Federal assistance programs. All contracts shall include a self-certification from the contractor that it is not a debarred party.

The Federal government prohibits awards to any party that is debarred. The Federal government compiles a list of debarred parties. The Federal list is published by the General Services Administration. A copy may be obtained by accessing <u>https://www.sam.gov/SAM/</u>. The list will be issued as an Information Bulletin in May of each year. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that funds are not awarded to entities on the debarment list.

- (10)Procurement activities must be concluded in a confidential manner. Staff involved in procurements must not divulge advance purchasing information, specific proposal/offer evaluation criteria, and negotiations with bidders or in-house discussions regarding procurement until such time as this information is released to all parties.
- (11)Contractor shall receive and log in proposals and establish a method for recording the date and time of arrival of proposals using either a log-in sheet, or a date/time stamp. Contractor shall establish a single location for receipt of proposals. Contractor shall ensure that the only proposals received by the deadline specified in the bid package qualify for the evaluation process unless there is a valid legal reason for otherwise considering a late proposal.
- (12)Contractor shall establish proposal evaluation procedures that shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Clear staff responsibilities: A procurement specialist shall be designated for each bid/proposal process. It shall be the responsibility of the specialist to insure compliance with these procurement rules;
 - (b) Develop a standard worksheet or check-list for determining responsiveness of each proposal;
 - (c) Establish and use evaluation criteria and a standard evaluation worksheet to be used in recording the evaluations of each proposal;
 - (d) Prepare an analysis of costs to verify allowability and to determine reasonableness;
 - (e) Identify staff responsibilities for completing proposal evaluation and for summarizing evaluation results;

- (f) Develop a description of methods for ensuring independence of ratings by those involved in the evaluation process (i.e., prohibit discussion among staff, sequestered evaluations);
- (g) Identify policy and process by which selection of awardee(s) will be made; and
- (h) Provide an opportunity for bidders to appeal staff recommendations.

Items a-c should be sufficiently completed before issuance of the bid package so relevant parts can be included.

- (13)Contractor shall identify complete and timely proposals. Contractor shall review the technical merits of these proposals based on the rating criteria contained in the bid package. Contractor shall review the cost proposals based on applicable cost principles and the technical proposal.
- (14)Contractor shall determine which proposals are in competitive range for technical response and based on the cost and price analysis conducted prior to the release of the bid package.
- (15)Contractor shall negotiate with organization(s) in the competitive range. Contractor shall establish policies and procedures governing face-to-face negotiations. Include in these policies opportunities to seek clarification of the proposal content, the offeror to submit a best and final proposal prior to final evaluation and award. Contractor shall include in the criteria that all responsive offerors in the competitive range are given fair and equal consideration based on the merits of their proposals. Contractor shall document these negotiations in writing.
- (16)Private for-profit entities must obtain prior written approval from the City for purchases of personal property (other than supplies) using Agreement funds.
- (17)Contractor shall conduct and document oversight to ensure compliance with these procurement procedures.
- (18)If the State of California, or the City of Los Angeles has established a debt against a service provider that has not been repaid or a repayment agreement plan has not be implemented, then the service provider shall be barred from receiving any future City funds.
- (19)Participation of Minorities, Women, Disadvantaged and Small Businesses

To the fullest extent possible in the administration of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to provide opportunities for minorities, women, disadvantaged and small businesses to participate in procurements under this Agreement.

- (20)The Contractor shall not use funds provided under this Agreement to duplicate facilities or services available in the area (with or without reimbursement) from Federal, State, or local sources, unless it is demonstrated that the Agreement-funded alternative services or facilities would be more effective or more likely to achieve performance goals.
- (21)The Contractor, to the maximum extent practicable and permitted by law, is encouraged to maximize use of goods, products, and materials produced in the United States when procuring goods and services under Federal awards. (2 CFR 200.322.)
- (22)The Contractor, consistent with 2 CFR 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunication and video surveillance services or equipment (Effective 8/13/2020)), shall be prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or (3) enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain, equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. This prohibition applies even if the contract is not intended to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services includes: Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- (a) Costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:
 - (i) Obligating or expending covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (ii) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (iii) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (iv) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.
- c. Cost or Price Analysis:
 - (1) The non-Federal entity must perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the Simplified Acquisition Threshold including contract modifications. The method and degree of analysis is dependent on the facts surrounding the particular procurement situation, but as a starting point, the non-Federal entity must make independent estimates before receiving bids or proposals.
 - (2) The non-Federal entity must negotiate profit as a separate element of the price for each contract in which there is no price competition and in all cases where cost analysis is performed. To establish a fair and reasonable profit, consideration must be given to the complexity of the work to be performed, the risk borne by the contractor, the contractor's investment, the amount of subcontracting, the quality of its record of past performance, and industry profit rates in the surrounding geographical area for similar work.
 - (3) Costs or prices based on estimated costs for contracts under the Federal award are allowable only to the extent that costs incurred or cost estimates included in negotiated prices would be allowable for the non-Federal entity under Subpart E—Cost Principles of this part. The non-Federal entity may reference its own cost principles that comply with the Federal cost principles.
 - (4) The cost plus a percentage of cost and percentage of construction cost methods of contracting must not be used.
- d. Awarding of Agreement/Contract
 - (1) Prior to an award of a contract, the City/Contractor shall make a determination that the Contractor/Subcontractor has demonstrated effectiveness in providing the requested services. Agreements/Contracts shall be made only with responsible Contractors/Subcontractors who possess the potential ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. The selected proposer must be a responsive entity that has submitted a proposal or bid which meets all requirements of the solicitation adequately, which includes responding to the Request for Proposal (RFP)/Request of Qualification (RFQ) within the required time frames, and completing all forms and documents. A responsible entity is one that has been determined to: 1) have a satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics; 2) have a satisfactory performance record; 3) have adequate financial resources to perform the contract or the ability to obtain such resources; 4) be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery of performance schedule, taking into consideration all existing commercial and business commitments; 5) have the needed organization, experience, accounting, operational control and technical skills or ability to obtain them; 6) have adequate production, construction or technical equipment and needed facilities or the ability to obtain them; 7) be able to meet the program design specifications; 8) be able to meet performance goals which includes a showing of demonstrated effectiveness in providing employment and training services; 9) be able to provide services that can lead to the achievement of competency standards for participants; and 10) be both qualified and eligible to receive the award under the applicable law and regulation. Contractor/Subcontractor shall make the award(s) and finalize the contract(s). Contractor/Subcontractor shall follow established procedures for formal notification of offerors of the results of the evaluations and selected process.
 - (2) The City/Contractor and its contractors/subcontractors shall make positive efforts to utilize small business and minority-owned business as sources of supplies and services. Such efforts should allow these sources the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts to be performed utilizing Federal grant funds. If applicable, Contractor/Subcontractor certifies that it has complied with Mayoral Directive 2001-26 regarding the Outreach Program for Personal Services Contracts Greater than \$100,000.

- (3) Where such advertised bids are obtained, the awards shall be made to the responsible bidder whose bid is responsive to the invitation and is most advantageous to the grantee, price and other factors considered. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs, and taxes may be considered in determining the lowest bid. No points shall be given for status as subcontractors or a contractor with an approved childcare policy within existing delivery systems. However, if a bid results in a tie score, preference may be given to the contractor or a subcontractors with an approved child care policy.
- (4) Any or all bids may be rejected when it is in the City/Contractor's interest to do so, and such rejections are in accordance with applicable State and local law, rules, and regulations.
- e. Funding Restrictions for High-Risk Contracts
 - (1) A contractor may be considered "high-risk" if an awarding agency determines that the contractor is otherwise responsible but:
 - (a) Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - (b) Is not financially stable;
 - (c) Has a management system that does not meet the management standards set forth in this part; or
 - (d) Has not conformed to terms and conditions of a previously awarded grant or sub-grant.
 - (2) If the City/Contractor agency determines that a grant or sub-grant shall be made to a "high-risk" contractor or subcontractors, then special funding restrictions that address the "high-risk" status may be included in the contract or subcontract. Funding restrictions may include, but are not limited to:
 - (a) Use of reimbursements rather than advances or payment upon completion of the project;
 - (b) Requiring additional and/or more detailed financial or performance reports;
 - (c) Additional monitoring;
 - (d) Requiring the contractor or subcontractors to obtain specific technical or management assistance, and/or
 - (e) Establishing additional prior approvals (e.g., requiring awarding agency approval prior to hiring/firing, award of small purchase contracts).
 - (3) If the City/Contractor decides to impose such funding restrictions, the awarding official shall notify the contractor or subcontractors as early as possible, in writing, of:
 - (a) The nature of the funding restriction(s);
 - (b) The reason(s) for imposing them;
 - (c) The corrective actions which must be taken before they will be removed and the time allowed for completing the corrective actions;
 - (d) The method of requesting reconsideration of the restrictions imposed; and
 - (e) Additional prior approvals.
- f. City Code of Conduct

All contractors shall adopt a Code of Conduct in accordance with the requirements as set forth in §504 of this Agreement.

- g. Methods of Procurement
 - (1) Contractor shall use one (1) of the following methods of procurement either by bid or proposal, as appropriate for each procurement action, for entering into contracts with subcontractors. Contractors shall conduct procurement in a manner that provides full and open competition. Contractor shall perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the small purchase procedures, including contract modifications to determine that the expenditure is reasonable. When any purchase is made, it can only be for an allowable cost. Invitations for bids shall clearly set forth all requirements that the bidder must fulfill in order for his bid to be evaluated by the grantee. Grievance process procedures shall be included in each of the following methods of advertised procurement. Specific requirements and procedures are set forth in 24 CFR §84.44, 2 CFR 200, Los Angeles City Charter §370-§372, and 2 CFR Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, et al., incorporated herein by reference.
 - (2) Prior to entering into any subcontract that has a value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) or more, the Contractor shall submit to the City evidence that it has received a minimum bid(s) for such subcontractors and documentation that justifies the selection of the successful bidder. The Contractor shall maintain records showing the parties solicited and the bids submitted.
 - (a) Micro Purchase Procedure: Micro purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$10,000. No quotations or bids required, but an equitable distribution of purchases must be documented.
 - (b) Small Purchase Procedures: Small purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$250,000. Following the procedures for small purchases shall constitute justification of the procurement method chosen. The bid must indicate the quantity, time frame and all other requirements of the product or service sought. Bids must be solicited from vendors that can reasonably be expected to provide the goods or services needed.

The requirements are:

Dollar Range of Purchase Contract and Method

\$10,001 to \$250,000

3 written bids received**

**Three (3) bids must be received by Contractor. The bid process and bids received must be documented in writing in the file. The Request for Bid must either be provided in writing to the vendors, or transmitted as uniformly as possible over the telephone. To be considered, the bid response must be signed and dated by the vendor.

(c) Purchase/Services Over \$250,000

Procurement by sealed bids (formal advertising). Bids are publicly solicited and a firm fixed price contract (lump sum or unit price) is awarded to the responsible bidder whose bid, conforming with all the material terms and conditions of the invitation for bids, is the lowest in price. The sealed bid method is the preferred method for procuring construction, if the conditions in paragraph (c)(1) of this section apply.

- (i) In order for sealed bidding to be feasible, the following conditions should be present:
 - i. A complete, adequate, and realistic specification or purchase description is available;
 - ii. Two or more responsible bidders are willing and able to compete effectively for the business; and
 - iii. The procurement lends itself to a firm fixed price contract and the selection of the successful bidder can be made principally on the basis of price.
- (ii) If sealed bids are used, the following requirements apply:

- i. Bids must be solicited from an adequate number of known suppliers, providing them sufficient response time prior to the date set for opening the bids, for local, and tribal governments, the invitation for bids must be publicly advertised;
- ii. The invitation for bids, which shall include any specifications and pertinent attachments, must define the items or services in order for the bidder to properly respond;
- iii. All bids shall be opened at the time and place prescribed in the invitation for bids, and for local and tribal governments, the bids must be opened publicly;
- iv. A firm fixed price contract award shall be made in writing to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Where specified in bidding documents, factors such as discounts, transportation cost, and life cycle costs must be considered in determining which bid is lowest. Payment discounts shall only be used to determine the low bid when prior experience indicates that such discounts are usually taken advantage of; and
- v. Any or all bids may be rejected if there is a sound documented reason.
- vi. Issue a Public Notification made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) that covers the entire service area.
- (d) Procurement by competitive proposals.

The technique of competitive proposals is normally conducted with more than one source submitting an offer, and either a fixed price or cost-reimbursement type contract is awarded. It is generally used when conditions are not appropriate for the use of sealed bids. If this method is used, the following requirements apply:

- (i) Requests for proposals must be publicized and identify all evaluation factors and their relative importance. Any response to publicized requests for proposals must be considered to the maximum extent practical;
- (ii) Proposals must be solicited from an adequate number of qualified sources;
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have a written method for conducting technical evaluations of the proposals received and for selecting recipients;
- (iv) Contracts must be awarded to the responsible firm whose proposal is most advantageous to the program, with price and other factors considered; and
- (v) The non-Federal entity may use competitive proposal procedures for qualifications-based procurement of architectural/engineering (A/E) professional services whereby competitors' qualifications are evaluated and the most qualified competitor is selected, subject to negotiation of fair and reasonable compensation. The method, where price is not used as a selection factor, can only be used in procurement of A/E professional services. It cannot be used to purchase other types of services though A/E firms are a potential source to perform the proposed effort.
- (e) Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposals

Procurement by noncompetitive proposals. Procurement by noncompetitive proposals is procurement through solicitation of a proposal from only one source and may be used only when one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- (i) The item is available only from a single source;
- (ii) The public exigency or emergency for the requirement shall not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitation;

- (iii) The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the non-Federal entity; or
- (iv) After solicitation of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.
- (f) Contract Provisions
 - (i) All contracts must contain at a minimum the following provisions:
 - i. Specific deliverables and the basis for payment;
 - ii. Provisions requiring compliance with Community Development Block Grantors (CDBG) including, but not limited to other funding source regulations;
 - iii. Provisions that describe remedies for breach;
 - iv. Provisions that describe Grantors CDBG and other funding sources patent and copyright rules;
 - v. Provisions for termination for cause and convenience;
 - vi. Access to records for audit purposes;
 - vii. Audit requirements;
 - viii. Provisions for payment and delivery;
 - ix. Provisions describing contract amendment procedures;
 - x. Provisions against assignment;
 - xi. Provisions for equal opportunity and non-discrimination;
 - xii. Provisions prohibiting conflicts of interest.
- (g) Competition
 - (i) All procurement transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition consistent with the standards of this section. In order to ensure objective contractor performance and eliminate unfair competitive advantage, contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work, or invitations for bids or requests for proposals must be excluded from competing for such procurements. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:
 - i. Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
 - ii. Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding;
 - iii. Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
 - iv. Noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
 - v. Organizational conflicts of interest;
 - vi. Specifying only a "brand name" product instead of allowing "an equal" product to be offered and describing the performance or other relevant requirements of the procurement; and
 - vii. Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

- (ii) The non-Federal entity must conduct procurements in a manner that prohibits the use of statutorily or administratively imposed state, local, or tribal geographical preferences in the evaluation of bids or proposals, except in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage geographic preference. Nothing in this section preempts state licensing laws. When contracting for architectural and engineering (A/E) services, geographic location may be a selection criterion provided its application leaves an appropriate number of qualified firms, given the nature and size of the project, to compete for the contract.
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have written procedures for procurement transactions. These procedures must ensure that all solicitations:
 - i. Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product, or service to be procured. Such description must not, in competitive procurements, contain features which unduly restrict competition. The description may include a statement of the qualitative nature of the material, product or service to be procured and, when necessary, must set forth those minimum essential characteristics and standards to which it must conform if it is to satisfy its intended use. Detailed product specifications should be avoided if at all possible. When it is impractical or uneconomical to make a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements, a "brand name or equivalent" description may be used as a means to define the performance or other salient requirements of procurement. The specific features of the named brand which must be met by offers must be clearly stated; and
 - ii. Identify all requirements which the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - iii. The non-Federal entity must ensure that all prequalified lists of persons, firms, or products which are used in acquiring goods and services are current and include enough qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. Also, the non-Federal entity must not preclude potential bidders from qualifying during the solicitation period.
- (h) Appeal and Dispute Procedures

The City and its contractors shall have protest procedures to hand and resolve disputes relating to their procurement. A protester shall exhaust all administrative remedies with the contractor before pursuing a protest at a higher level. Notice of appeal rights and procedures must be given to all bidders

EXHIBIT J

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (GC 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about: the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and, penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will: receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and, agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (GC 8350 et seq.)

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (PCC 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:

Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

CCC 307 - CERTIFICATION

Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lesser of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with State of California.

SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured penal

Exhibit J Page 1 of 2 sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph a.

DOMESTIC PARTNERS: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code section 10295.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES STANDARD LANGUAGE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

Agreement No.	
Project Title:	Relocation Services
Primary Services Location:	
Contractor:	Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC
Type of Organization:	a Delaware limited liability company
Corporate Number:	<u>201726810156</u>
UEID Number:	
CFDA Number:	
FAIN:	
Federal Award Date:	
Research and Development Aw	ard: Yes 🗆 No 🛛

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THIS AGREEMENT is entered into between the City of Los Angeles ("City"), a municipal corporation, and Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC ("Contractor"), a Delaware limited liability company, for the provision of services related to the XXXX Program.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Grant Agreement with U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, ("Grantor" or "HUD"), to address the needs of the City, and the Grantor has awarded Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds to the City for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department ("LAHD"), has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, LAHD cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the XXXX program that is the subject of this Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the LAHD budget by HUD pursuant to the CDBG Funds; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter §1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX dated Month Day, Year), that authorize the General Manager of LAHD to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and Contractor agree as follows:

1. INTRODUCTION

§101 TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement including all exhibits and attachments, including, but not limited to, the Standard Provisions for City Contracts, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, shall constitute the terms of this Agreement.

§102 NOTICES

The parties to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be forwarded are as follows:

A. The City, represented by:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, Ninth Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to:

Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager Lead Program, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

B. The Contractor, represented by:

Dr. Michele Folk, Senior Vice President Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC 5000 Airport Plaza Drive, Suite 250 Long Beach, CA 90815 Phone Number mfolk@opcservices.com

§103 SERVICE OF NOTICES

- A. The City's representative as stated above is the party authorized to provide written approvals by City to Contractor in reference to matters addressed in this Agreement.
- B. Formal notices, demands, and communications required by this Agreement to be given by either party shall be made in writing and may be delivered personally or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.
- C. If the name and/or address of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications changes, the affected party shall notify the other party in writing of the change in accordance with this section within five (5) days of the change.

§104 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EXECUTION

- A. Prior to the execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City for approval in writing the following documents:
 - 1. Insurance Certificates The requirements and instructions for completing, executing, and submitting evidence of insurance to the City are set forth in the City's Insurance Requirements, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference, and more fully described in §502 herein below.
 - 2. If the City has approved the advancement of CDBG funds to Contractor, a Special Bank Account Agreement with a bank is required for the deposit of the advanced CDBG funds. The Special Bank Account Agreement

Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC CDBG - PY 22-23 shall be on a form supplied by the City that sets forth the right of the City to exercise a suspension of business upon proper notice to the bank by the City.

- 3. An Affirmative Action Plan in accordance with §503, herein
- 4. A Code of Conduct that meets the requirements of §504(B) herein.
- B. Prior to execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the City with the documents listed below. Contractor shall provide immediate updates to these documents to the City during the Term hereof in the event that the information changes.
 - 1. A current list of the members of the Board of Directors with their individual addresses and telephone numbers where they may be reached.
 - 2. Contractor's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to those Articles, as filed with the Secretary of State.
 - 3. Contractor's Bylaws, and all amendments to those Bylaws, as adopted by Contractor and properly attested.
 - 4. Resolutions of Executorial Authority or other corporate actions of the Contractor's Board of Directors, properly attested or certified, which specify the name(s) of the person(s) authorized to obligate Contractor and execute contractual documents. If the authorized person is someone other than Contractor's Corporate President, then Contractor shall also submit a copy of a signature specimen(s) on a form provided by the City.
 - 5. A current and valid license to do business in the City of Los Angeles. Contractor represents that it has obtained and presently holds the Tax Registration Certificate(s) required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance (Article 1, Chapter 2, §21.00, *et seq.*, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code). For the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain, or obtain as necessary, all Certificates required of it under the Business Tax Ordinance and shall not allow the Certificates to be revoked or suspended.
 - 6. An Internal Revenue Service taxpayer identification number.
 - 7. A Contractor Responsibility Ordinance Questionnaire in accordance with PSC 31 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.40 *et seq*.
 - 8. A Certification Regarding Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with the requirements of the Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation as it relates to the Living Wage Ordinance.
 - 9. A Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion, fully executed in accordance with Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, and attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference.
 - 10. A Certification Regarding Lobbying, fully executed in accordance with City Directive 91-3 (July 27, 1990) and attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with all provisions of 31 USC §1352 *et seq.* and 29 CFR Part 93.
 - A Certification of Compliance With Equal Benefits Ordinance/Reasonable Measures Application for Equal Benefits Ordinance in accordance with PSC – 26 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.8.3.
 - 12. Compliance with, and/or completion of, the Disclosure Ordinance Affidavit setting forth the requirements of the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance (in accordance with PSC 33 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts), and the Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance, as set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.41 *et seq.*, and the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.50, respectively.
 - 13. A Management Representation Statement fully executed in accordance with City's fiscal policies and attached hereto as Exhibit "F" and incorporated herein by reference.

14. Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC-307) fully executed in accordance with the CSBG Agreement and attached hereto as Exhibit "J" and incorporated herein by reference.

§105 CONTRACTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL DOCUMENTS

Contractor warrants that it has adopted, shall retain, and make available upon request from the City, the following documents and their amendments, if any:

- A. Contractor's Financial and Accounting Procedures, which incorporate Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) including, but not limited to, the preparation and submission of invoices, reconciliation of cash on-hand and earnings with City records, reporting and tracking of customer activity and earnings, repayment of unearned funds, preparation for the resolution of audits and inspections, inventory control, reporting and tracking of program income.
- B. Contractor's Personnel Policy, which incorporates due process protection and standard personnel procedures, and which the Contractor agrees to abide by in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. Agreements with Other Funding Sources: A copy of any agreements between Contractor and other public or private organizations that directly impact the activities funded under this Agreement shall be kept on file at Contractor's offices and be provided to the City upon Agreement execution. Contractor shall also notify City of any default, termination, or finding of disallowed costs under these agreements. Contractor warrants that no other funding source will be billed for services that are provided and paid for by the City under this Agreement.
- D. Board of Director's meeting minutes.

§106 CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO NOTIFY CITY OF CHANGES

- A. Contractor agrees to provide the City sixty (60) days advance written notice of any facts that may materially affect the performance of this Agreement or impact the City's decision to continue this Agreement with the Contractor. Among the items to be disclosed are an amendment to its Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, move to dissolve or transfer any assets derived from funds provided under §301 herein, negotiations leading to the sale, merger or acquisition of Contractor; debarment or contract termination by any other public entity and/or any final audit findings regarding Contractor's administration of any contract with public funds.
- B. Contractor shall notify the City within five (5) days of changes affecting this Agreement including actions that would change Contractor's legal status, any action that may materially change the performance of the Scope of Work (i.e., bankruptcy) and/or a change in Contractor's corporate name.

2. TERM, SCOPE OF WORK, BUDGET AND PROJECT ELIGIBILITY

§201 TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. The term of this Agreement shall be from **October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023**, with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year terms, provided that said term is subject to the provisions of this Agreement ("Term"). Performance shall not commence until the City has approved all of the required documents described hereinabove, and is in receipt of those and/or other documents as described herein.
- B. The City may, at its discretion, agree to extend the Term and/or provide additional funds to Contractor. Funding for contract extensions will be based on the availability to the City of state and/or federal funds and upon the Contractor's successful performance of all terms of this Agreement.

§202 SCOPE OF WORK AND CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor shall provide relocation services.

The detailed Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit "G" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall complete the Scope of Work during the Term, except as otherwise provided herein.

§203 BUDGET

Contractor shall submit to the City for approval prior to the disbursement of any funds hereunder a proposed Budget. The Budget shall be prepared in accordance with the budget guidelines to be provided by the City. The Budget is a detailed listing of items for expenditure and scope of service(s) under the terms herein. The Budget shall be submitted with all backup documentation as required and/or a cost allocation plan, if necessary and appropriate. All requests to modify the Budget must be made in writing and must be approved in writing by the City. The Budget shall also describe all subcontractor services to be used by the Contractor and the payment procedures for subcontractors.

§204 IDENTIFICATION OF PROJECT ELIGIBILITY/NATIONAL OBJECTIVES

A. This program is eligible under 24 CFR 570 *et seq.* as follows (indicate all appropriate letters and sub-numbers, project may be eligible under several criteria):

201 (a-q) <u>e</u>	204 (a) <u>X</u>
202 (a-c)	205 (a)
203 (a-c)	206 (a-h)

- B. All programs funded with CDBG funds must meet one of three national objectives. This project meets the following national objective (check only one):
 - 1. X Activities benefiting very low and low income persons under 24 CFR 570.208 (a)
 - a. _____ Area-wide benefit project affecting _____ percent very low and low income persons as indicated in the 2010 census.
 - b. _____ Limited-Clientele activities: 570.208(a)(2): A __; B __; C __; D ___
 - c. ____ Housing activities
 - d. _____ Job Creation/Retention activities that are designed to create or retain jobs for at least 51% very low and low income persons.
 - 2. Activities which aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, under 24 CFR 570.208 (b).
 - a. _____ Activity is located in a slum or blighted area, which has been (check one):

designated as a Redevelopment Project Area;

List conditions of slum or blight to be addressed by the project. (Complete only for projects qualifying under 570.208 (b)(1), prevention or elimination of slums or blight.)

- b. _____ Activity is located outside a slum or blighted area, but qualifies under spot slum and blight conditions.
- c. _____ Activity will address slum or blight in an urban renewal/ redevelopment area.
- 3. Activities designed to meet community development needs having a particular urgency, under 24 CFR 570.208 (c).
- C. Contractor, during the Term, shall not perform services, or otherwise engage in any activities, that are not consistent with the national objective and project eligibility. Should the City determine that Contractor has performed services or otherwise engaged in activities not in furtherance of the national objective and/or project eligibility, then the City may disallow payment for such services/activities, terminate this Agreement and/or take any other actions as authorized herein.

3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

§301 CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION

- A. Compensation
 - The City shall pay Contractor an amount not to exceed Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000), for the complete and satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work (Exhibit G). These funds shall be allocated from Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. Contractor's right to receive compensation is conditioned upon approval of the Budget by the City, compliance with the City's indemnification and insurance requirements, satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work, and compliance with the terms and conditions contained herein.
 - 2. In no event shall the final expenditures for the Term exceed the total compensation set forth above except as provided for by an amendment to this Agreement.
 - 3. Contractor's reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work shall be made only upon acceptance by the City of the Contractor's invoice and supporting documentation as described in the Reporting Requirements, Section 601 herein below.
 - 4. Expenditures shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Checks, payrolls, invoices, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Undocumented expenditures shall not be paid under this Agreement.
 - 5. The City shall pay Contractor for salaries and eligible, allowable, and reasonable expenses as detailed in the approved Budget.
 - 6. Contractor shall be paid either on a cost reimbursement or advance basis. If the Contractor were to receive advance funds, it must execute a City approved Special Bank Account Agreement before receipt of funds and shall comply with all contract and regulatory requirements for safeguarding advance funds. Request for advance payment basis is subject to City approval. A Contractor on a cost reimbursement basis of payment shall be paid by the City only upon reporting of actual costs incurred.
- B. Funding of Agreement

Funding for the Scope of Work and Budget is subject to the continuing availability of funds for this program. This Agreement may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor of a loss or reduction of grant funds.

- C. Payment to the Contractor
 - 1. The City makes no commitment to fund this project beyond the initial Term of this Agreement. The City shall review Contractor's performance on a periodic basis. In the event the City determines that Contractor is not meeting its proposed performance measures, the City may unilaterally reduce the compensation set forth above in compliance with the provisions set forth in this Agreement, upon written notice to Contractor and as set forth by a written amendment.
 - 2. Contractor shall be reimbursed for reasonable and allowable expenses incurred. Unless Contractor has been approved to receive advance payments, all payments shall be on reimbursement basis. Contractors who are on an advance payment plan authorized by the City as described in the Budget shall bill the City for all reasonable and allowable costs incurred.
 - 3. Contractors not receiving advance payment plan shall request reimbursements by submitting the cash request, monthly expenditure report and all other documentation, as required by City. Contractor shall be reimbursed after City has received the monthly expenditure report and all other required documents and after City determines that Contractor has incurred and expended funds for reasonable and allowable costs under this Agreement.

- 4. Reasonable and allowable costs shall be determined pursuant to the Allowable and Unallowable Cost section herein.
- D. Stand-In Costs: Contractor shall identify, document, and account for stand-in costs in accordance with the Department's guidelines.
- E. Profit: Contractor shall comply with any City Directives regarding profit or return on investment.
- F. Indirect Costs: For purposes of allocating indirect costs, contractors may use current negotiated indirect cost rates that have been approved by a cognizant federal agency. Contractor shall submit a copy of the approval letter from the cognizant agency. The Contractor may elect to use the 10 percent de minimis rate, if the Agency does not have an approved indirect cost rate as permitted under 45 CFR § 75.414(f) and 2 CFR § 200.414(f).
- G. Applicable Discounts: Contractor warrants that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs billed to the City.
- H. Concurrent Enrollment: If the Contractor is serving customers, concurrently utilizing more than one funding stream, the Contractor is responsible for tracking the services delivered and the expenditures reported to ensure that services and expenditures are not duplicated.
- I. Overtime Work: Contractor is responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the Federal award through the application of sound management practices. The approved Budget for this Agreement does not include any line item for overtime work. Any overtime expenditures incurred by Contractor shall not be reimbursed through this Agreement.
- J. Travel: Travel must be approved in advance by the City and included in the Budget. Contractor shall be compensated for its reasonable travel expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work and in compliance with 2 C.F.R §200.474.
- K. Reallocation of Funds: City reserves the right to unilaterally decrease funds allocated to Contractor in the event that the City determines that (i) Contractor has failed to provide adequate services as required in this Agreement, (ii) Contractor, based on its spending pattern as evidenced by invoices submitted, will have unexpended funds at the end of the Term, or (iii) City determines that a reallocation of funds would better meet program objectives. Such reallocation of funds may be by written amendment to this Agreement or unilaterally imposed by the City by written notice to Contractor.

4. METHODS AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING PAYMENT

§401 WITHHELD PAYMENTS

- A. Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or not released if funds granted to the City are suspended or terminated.
- B. The City has the authority to withhold funds under this Agreement pending a final determination by the City of questioned expenditures or indebtedness to the City arising from past or present agreements between the City and the Contractor. Upon final determination by the City of disallowed expenditures or indebtedness, the City may deduct and retain the amount of the disallowance or indebtedness from the amount of the withheld earned funds.
- C. In the event of a final determination of disallowed costs or a determination of unearned grant funds by either the City, the State, or Grantor, Contractor agrees that it shall pay to the City in non-federal funds, the amount of the final disallowance within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the City that such funds are due.
- D. Payments to the Contractor may be unilaterally withheld or reduced by the City if the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions contained herein.

§402 FUNDS EARNED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT

Contractor shall not earn funds provided hereunder prior to the commencement or after the end of the Term. Contractor shall not earn funds subsequent to suspension or termination of this Agreement.

§403 ALLOWABLE AND UNALLOWABLE COSTS

- A. To be eligible for payment, costs or expenditures must be made in compliance with the terms herein, and the provisions of 2 C.F.R Part 200, and set forth below:
 - 1. Be necessary and reasonable for the proper and efficient performance of the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Budget; the City shall have final authority to determine in good faith whether an expenditure is necessary and reasonable.
 - 2. Conform to the limitations within these general conditions and to any governing statutes, regulations and ordinances.
 - 3. Be fully documented and determined in accordance with GAAP.
 - 4. Not be included as a cost or used to meet cost sharing or matching requirements for any other government funding source in either the current or a prior period, except when permitted by the respective government funding sources.
- B. The following costs, among others, are specifically disallowed:
 - 1. Bad Debts: Any losses arising from un-collectible accounts and other claims, and related costs.
 - 2. Contingencies: Contributions to a contingency reserve or any similar provisions for unforeseen events.
 - 3. Contributions and donations.
 - 4. Entertainment: Costs of amusements, social activities and incidental costs, such as meals, beverages, lodging and gratuities relating to entertainment, or any political or lobbying activity.
 - 5. Fines and Penalties: Costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with federal, State, and local laws and regulations.
 - 6. Interest and Other Financial Costs: Interest or borrowings (however represented), bond discounts, cost of financing and refinancing operations, and legal and professional fees paid in connection therewith.
 - 7. Membership Expenses: Costs of membership in any organization that devotes a substantial part of its activities to influencing legislation.
 - 8. Meeting Attendance: Costs of attending meetings directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are not open for attendance on a non-segregated basis.
 - 9. Non-competitive Subcontracts: Payments under a subcontract not obtained under competitive bidding procedures unless specifically waived in writing by the City.
 - 10. Insurance policies offering protection against debts established by the federal government.
 - 11. Costs prohibited by §200.450 include Lobbying or costs related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress of the United States.
 - 12. Advancements or reimbursements for expenditures that are determined by the City to be unallowable must be immediately returned to the City.
 - 13. Grant funds may not be used to supplant existing services.

§404 PROGRAM INCOME

- A. Program income is defined as income earned through the activities funded hereby and as set forth in 2 CFR 200.80 and 200.307. Program income includes, but is not limited to, grants, fees that duplicate payments, average daily attendance payments earned through program funded activities, and public or nonprofit agency revenues in excess of contract costs.
- B. Interest earned on advances received by Contractor is program income. All interest earned must be reported as part of the Contractor's monthly expenditure report and must be returned to the City quarterly by separate check made payable to the City and which identifies that the amount represents interest earned on advanced funds.
- C. Any program income must be reported to the City on the expenditure report, and must be returned to the City in accordance with the City's written direction to the Contractor. At the City's discretion, program income may be used to augment the Contractor's program. Use of program income is permitted only by written amendment to this Agreement. Should this use of program income be approved, Contractor shall maintain records in support of all earnings and expenditures relating to the use of those funds in accordance with City record retention and audit requirements. The City shall monitor Contractor's compliance with all program income requirements.
- D. Contractor's failure to comply fully with program income requirements including any City Directives or regulations shall result in findings of disallowed costs.

§405 RETURN OF PROGRAM INCOME

Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days of the end of the Term, transmit to the City any, and all, remaining program income directly generated by funds provided hereby

§406 RETURN OF UNEXPENDED FUNDS AND CLOSEOUTS

- A. Contractor agrees that upon either the completion or termination of this Agreement any unexpended funds, whether advances, interest earned on advances or unearned funds, shall be immediately returned to the City and in no event later than forty-five (45) days after completion or termination.
- B. Contractor shall submit a complete and accurate final closeout invoice of costs and reimbursements for services performed hereby to the City within forty-five (45) days following the termination or completion of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to comply with the 45-day requirement may result in a unilateral close-out by the City based on previous invoices filed with the City, and/or the imposition of sanctions as specified herein. Requests for payment after the 45 days shall not be paid by the City.

§407 VALIDITY OF FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSIONS

Financial reports submitted to the City shall be accurate and correct in all respects. Should inaccurate reports be submitted to the City, the City may elect to have the Contractor secure the services of a licensed accounting firm. Cost of such accounting services are to be borne by the Contractor and are not to be reimbursed from the funds authorized hereby unless specifically agreed to between Contractor and the City by written amendment.

5. STANDARD PROVISIONS

The provisions of the body of this Agreement shall prevail over the provisions of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts should there be any inconsistency. The term "contract" as used in the Standard Provisions for City Contracts shall include this Agreement.

§501 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In implementing this Agreement, Contractor represents and certifies that it will:

- A. Comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments; and California Government Code Section 11135.
- B. Not discriminate in the provision of its programs, services or activities on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability.
- C. Provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to all of its programs, services and activities.

Contractor represents and certifies that any construction for housing performed with funds provided through this Agreement will be done in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 CFR, Part 40.

Contractor represents and certifies that its buildings, and facilities used to provide services in accordance with this Agreement, are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Agreement.

Contractor will require its subcontractors, if any, to include this language in any subcontract.

§502 INSURANCE

- A. General Conditions
 - 1. During the Term and without limiting Contractor's duty of indemnification herein, Contractor shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having coverage and limits customarily carried and actually arranged by the Contractor but not less than the amounts and types listed on the Required Insurance And Minimum Limits Sheet (Form Gen. 146) in Exhibit B hereto, covering its operations hereunder. Such insurance shall conform to City requirements established by Charter, ordinance or policy, shall comply with instructions set forth on the City of Los Angeles–Instructions And Information On Complying With City Insurance Requirements (Revised 05/18) document, and shall otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. Specifically, such insurance shall: 1) protect City as an Insured or an Additional Interest Party, or a Loss Payee As Its Interest May Appear, respectively, when such status is appropriate and available depending on the nature of applicable coverage; 2) provide City at least thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation, material reduction in coverage or reduction in limits when such change is made at option of the insurer; and 3) be primary with respect to City's insurance plan. Except when City is a named insured, Contractor's insurance is not expected to respond to claims which may arise from acts or omissions of the City.
 - 2. The standard City insurance conditions are incorporated into the sample standard subcontract provisions. The specific insurance coverages and limits shall be described by contractor in any RFP for subcontractor services. These coverages and limits should be tailored to the individual subcontract. For City contracts, Required Insurance and Minimum Limits are set by the City Risk Management staff in the Office of the City Administrative Officer on the Form Gen. 146. Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your evidence of insurance documents. KwikComply™ is the City's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. The easiest and guickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply[™] at https://kwikcomply.org and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf. Additional instructions and information on complying with City insurance requirements can be found at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/Submitting proof of Insurance.pdf.
- B. Modification of Coverage

City reserves the right at any time during the Term to change the amounts and types of insurance required hereunder by giving Contractor ninety (90) days advance written notice of such change. If such change should Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC CDBG - PY 22-23

result in substantial additional cost to Contractor, City agrees to negotiate additional compensation proportional to the increased benefit to City.

C. Failure to Procure Insurance

All required insurance must be submitted and approved by the City Administrative Officer/Risk Management/Insurance and Bonds prior to the performance of services, inception of any operations or tenancy by Contractor. The required coverages and limits are subject to availability on the open market at reasonable cost as determined by City. Non-availability or non-affordability must be documented by a letter from Contractor's insurance broker or agent indicating a good faith effort to place the required insurance and showing as a minimum the names of the insurance carriers and the declinations or guotations received from each.

Within the foregoing constraints, Contractor's failure to procure or maintain required insurance or a selfinsurance program during the Term shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement under which City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement or, at its discretion, procure or renew such insurance to protect City's interests and pay any and all premiums in connection therewith and recover all monies so paid from Contractor.

D. Workers' Compensation

By signing this Agreement, Contractor hereby certifies that it is aware of the provisions of §3700 *et seq.*, of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and that it will comply with such provisions at all such times as they may apply during the performance of the work pursuant to this Agreement.

A Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City will be required when work is performed on City premises under hazardous conditions.

§503 NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable nondiscrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate in its employment practices, including compensation, against any employee or applicant for employment, because of such person's race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship and political affiliation or belief. The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity", as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR Part 60).
- B. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code Sections 10.8 through 10.13, to the extent applicable hereto. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Contractor shall comply with the Equal Employment Practices provisions of Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.3, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Affirmative Action Program of this Agreement shall be the mandatory contract provisions set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.4, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall also comply with all rules, regulations, and policies of the City's Board of Public Works, Office of Contract Compliance relating to nondiscrimination and affirmative action.
- C. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Agreement, to the extent allowed hereunder, shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- D. No person shall on the grounds of race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship, and political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under this program/project. For purposes of this Section, Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations Part 107 and Section 570.601(b) defines specific discriminatory actions that are prohibited and corrective action that shall be taken in a situation as defined therein.

E. Contractor agrees to adhere to the Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Practices ("ND/EEP") and Affirmative Action ("AA") program provisions during the entire duration of this contract. Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to comply with any and all ND/EEP and AA provisions as set forth in the applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and/or laws.

§504 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any agreements and/or amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

- B. Code of Conduct
 - 1. The City requires that all contractors/subcontractors adopt a Code of Conduct that, at a minimum, reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive Number FY 12-0001. The Code shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution of this Agreement.
 - Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 3. Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administering any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such a person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act (California Government Code §87100 *et seq.*) if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 4. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes but is not limited to domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-inlaw, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.
 - 2) Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent or more; ownership of five percent or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the board of directors or governing body.
 - c. A "subcontract" is any agreement entered into by a Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.

- 5. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- 6. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City agreement.
- 7. Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- 8. Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within an one-year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- 9. For further clarification of the meaning of any of the terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City, State, and federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- 10. Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- 11. Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one year thereafter.
- 12. Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor."
- 13. Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.

§505 COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL STATUTES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor warrants and certifies that it shall comply with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and orders of the United States, the State, the County and City of Los Angeles. Contractor understands that failure to comply with any of the following assurances may result in suspension, termination or reduction of grant funds, and repayment by Contractor to City of any unlawful expenditures. Contractor further warrants and certifies that it shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, and/or procedures that apply to the performance of this Agreement.

A. Statutes and Regulations Applicable To All Grant Contracts

Contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of State, federal, County and City of Los Angeles laws, executive orders, regulations, program and administrative requirements, policies, and any other requirements governing this Agreement, including, but not limited to laws and regulations pertaining to labor, wages, hours, and other conditions of employment. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

1. OMB Circulars

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u>.

2. Single Audit Act

Contractor shall adhere to the rules and regulations of the Single Audit Act, 31 USC §7501 et seq.; City Council action dated February 4, 1987 (C.F. No. 84-2259-S1); and any administrative regulation or field memos implementing the Act. The provisions of this paragraph survive expiration or termination of this Agreement. Also see §608(C) for additional audit requirements.

- 3. Political and Sectarian Activity Prohibited
 - a. None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office. Neither shall any funds provided under this Agreement be used for any purpose designed to support or defeat any pending legislation or administrative regulation. None of the funds provided pursuant to this Agreement shall be used for any sectarian purpose or to support or benefit any sectarian activity.
 - b. Contractor shall file a disclosure form at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure or which materially affects the accuracy of any of the information contained in any disclosure form previously filed by Contractor. Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. Records Inspection
 - a. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the U.S. Comptroller General and the Auditor General of the State of California, through any authorized representative, may deem necessary, Contractor shall make available for examination all of its records, paper or electronic, with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State, through any authorized representative, shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including all Contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
 - b. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement.
- 5. Labor
 - a. Contractor shall comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed requirements for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
 - b. Contractor shall comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction sub agreements.
 - c. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC § 201) regarding wages and hours of employment.
 - d. None of the funds shall be used to promote or deter union/labor organizing activities (California Government Code §16645 *et seq.*).
 - e. Contractor shall comply with the Hatch Act (5 USC §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328).
 - f. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Article 3, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code of California, the California Child Labor Laws and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and regulations relative to employment, wages, hours of labor and industrial safety.
- 6. Civil Rights

Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352, 42 U.S.C. §2000d, and implementing regulations) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin and its implementing regulations and as applied through Executive Order No. 13166, entitled "Improving Access to Services"

for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" ("LEP"), which requires recipients of federal funds, including Contractor, to take reasonable steps to insure meaningful access to its programs and activities by person with LEP as more fully described in HUD's final guidance contained in Federal Register, Volume 72, No. 13.

- b. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex.
- c. §§503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794, 45 CFR, Part 84), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap.
- d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age.
- e. The Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse.
- f. The Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616) as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism.
- g. §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records.
- h. Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 *et seq.*), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing.
- i. Any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for federal assistance is being made.
- j. The requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- k. P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
- I. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C. §2000e).
- m. The Americans with Disabilities Act 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq. and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) Pub.L.110-325 and all subsequent amendments.
- n. The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008 (GINA) P.L. 110-233.
- 7. Environmental
 - a. Contractor shall comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of federal participation in purchases.
 - b. Contractor shall comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §1451 *et seq.*); (f) conformity of federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under § 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.*); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L.

93-523) and the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986; (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205); (i) Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 §102(a) (P.L. 93-234); and (j) §508 of the Clean Water Act (38 U.S.C. §1360).

- c. Contractor shall comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §1271 *et seq*.) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
- d. Contractor shall comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §4822 *et seq*) that prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
- e. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §1251 *et seq*.) that restores and maintains the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the nation's waters.
- f. Contractor shall ensure that the facilities under its ownership, lease or supervision which shall be utilized in the accomplishment of this project are not listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) list of violating facilities and that it will notify the Federal Grantor agency of the receipt of any communication from the director of the EPA Office of Federal Activities indicating that a facility to be used in the project is under consideration for listing by the EPA.
- g. By signing this Agreement, Contractor ensures that it is in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* and is not impacting the environment negatively.
- h. Contractor shall comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- 8. Preservation

Contractor shall comply with §106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §469a-1 *et seq.*).

9. Suspension and Debarment

Contractor shall comply with Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 228, regarding Suspension and Debarment, and Contractor shall submit a certification Regarding Debarment required by EO 12549 and 12689, and any amendment thereto. Contractor shall require that the language of this Certification be included in the award documents for all sub-award at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify accordingly.

10. Drug-Free Workplace

Contractor shall comply with the federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 USC §8102, 28 CFR Part 67, and the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (California Government Code §§ 8350-8357).

11. Animal Welfare

Contractor shall comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, as amended (P.L. 89-544, 7 U.S.C. §2131 *et. seq*.)

- 12. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-161) grant funds will not be used in contravention of the federal buildings performance and reporting requirements of EO No. 13123, Part 3 of Title V of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. §8251 *et seq.*) or Subtitle A of Title I of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (including the amendments made thereby), nor shall grant funds be used in contravention of §303 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. §13212).
- 13. Contractor shall comply with Public Law 103-227, Part C-Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act). This Act requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted by entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State and local governments. Federal programs include

grants, cooperative agreements, loans or loan guarantees, and contracts. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug and alcohol treatment.

Contractor further agrees that the above language will be included in any subcontracts that contain provisions for children's services and that all subcontractors shall certify compliance accordingly.

- 14. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to Public Law 103-333, §507, to the extent practicable, that all equipment and products purchased with grant funds made available under this Agreement shall be American made.
- 15. Contractor shall administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which provisions supersede the OMB Circulars.
- 16. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (California Government Code §12650 *et seq.)*, including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) per false claim.
- 17. Mandatory Disclosures: The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for non-Compliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
- B. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to This Grant Agreement:

Contractor shall comply with the following statutes and regulations as applicable:

- 1. CDBG Program, including, but not limited to 42 U.S.C. §5301 et seq., and 24 CFR Parts 84, 85, and 570.
- Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint: Laws and regulations pertaining to abatement of asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) including insuring that all personnel involved in the abatement of removal process of all ACM and LBP will wear the necessary, legally required protective clothing and respiratory gear.
- 3. Archaeological Sites: If archaeological sites are determined to be located in the vicinity of the program site, a halt work condition is required to allow a state certified archaeologist to assess findings and all work to continue in non-archaeological areas.
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR, Part 31.
- 5. City of Los Angeles Ordinance 164244 relating to the 1% fee for public art.
- 6. Sweat-free Code of Conduct:

All contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment or supplies furnished to the State pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. Contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that it adheres to the Sweat-free Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov and Public Contract Code §6108. Contractor agrees to provide records requested by the Department of Industrial Relations or City to determine compliance with the foregoing requirements.

7. State Nondiscrimination Clause:

During the performance of this contract, contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass or allow harassment, against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, sexual

orientation, race, color, religious creed, marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, ancestry, national origin, medical condition (cancer/genetic characteristics), age (40 and above), disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, denial of pregnancy disability leave or reasonable accommodation. Contractor and subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code, §12900 et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code, §12990 (a)–(f), are incorporated into this contract by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

This Contractor shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts to perform work under contract.

8. Traveling Expenses:

Contractor's administrative-related travel and per diem reimbursement costs shall be reimbursed based on the Contractor's policies and procedures. For programmatic-related travel costs, Contractor's reimbursement rates shall not exceed the amounts established by the State Department of Personnel Administration Rules and Regulations, PML 97-024, Section 599.619, dated July 1, 1997 and Section 599.631, and as amended from time to time.

9. National Labor Relations Board Certification:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

10. Contractors for Legal Services \$50,000.00 or more – Pro Bono Requirement:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

11. Expatriate Corporations:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

- C. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to all HUD Funded Agreements:
 - 1. Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing
 - a. Eligibility for HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing:

A determination of eligibility for housing that is assisted by HUD or subject to a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) shall be made in accordance with the eligibility requirements provided for such program by HUD, and such housing shall me made available without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status. The terms "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" are defined in 24 CFR §5.100.

b. Prohibition of Inquiries on Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity:

No owner or administrator of HUD-assisted or HUD-insured housing, approved lender in an FHA mortgage insurance program, nor any (or any other) recipient or subrecipient of HUD funds may inquire about the sexual orientation or gender identity of an applicant for, or occupant of, HUD-assisted housing or housing whose financing is insured by HUD, whether renter- or owner-occupied, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the housing or otherwise making housing available.

This prohibition on inquiries regarding sexual orientation or gender identity does not prohibit an individual from voluntarily self-identifying sexual orientation or gender identity. This prohibition on inquiries does not prohibit lawful inquiries of an applicant or occupant's sex where the housing provided or to be provided to the individual is temporary, emergency shelter that involves the sharing of sleeping areas or bathrooms, or inquiries made for the purpose of determining the number of bedrooms to which a household may be entitled. The term "household" is defined in 24 CFR §570.3.

§506 FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

Federal, State, and local taxes shall be the responsibility of Contractor as an independent contractor and not as a City employee.

§507 INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

Contractor shall comply with the requirements regarding Inventions, Patents and Copyrights, which is attached hereto as Exhibit H and incorporated herein by reference.

§508 DISCLOSURE OF BORDER WALL CONTRACTING ORDINANCE

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting. The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50.

§509 CITY'S ADDITIONAL REMEDIES

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§510 PAYMENT DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

§511 WORK NOT IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 herein. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.

§512 PROHIBITION AGAINST DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS

Prohibition against duplication of benefits: Section 312 (42 U.S.C. 5155) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*) prohibits duplication of benefits for programs that provide financial assistance to people or entities suffering losses as a result of a Federally-declared disaster or emergency. The "duplication of benefits" occurs when Federal financial assistance is provided to a person or entity through a program to address losses resulting from a Federally-declared emergency or disaster, and the person or entity has received (or would receive, by acting reasonably to obtain available assistance) financial assistance for the same costs from any other source (including insurance), and the total amount received exceeds the total need for those costs. Contractor must establish and maintain adequate procedures to prevent any duplication of benefits with concurrent grant funds. The City will issue additional guidance to facilitate compliance with this requirement.

§513 COMPLIANCE WITH CURRENT APPLICABLE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND LAWS

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, City employees and the public.

§514 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

6. **GRANT REQUIREMENTS**

§601 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. General Reporting: Contractor shall furnish to the City at the times and on the forms and formats, electronically or manually, as the City may require all records, reports, data and information pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Program Reporting: Contractor shall submit to the City the following program reports as identified below. Contractor shall submit to the City all required documents in accordance with all City procedures and Directives, which are incorporated herein by reference.
 - 1. Monthly Fiscal Report
 - a. Expenditure Report Due on or before the 15th day of each month, the Contractor shall submit the Expenditure Report to the City, which reflects accrued expenditures as of the previous month on forms provided by the City.
 - b. Cash Request Due on or before the 15th day of the month, a Cash Request shall be submitted on forms provided. Contractors approved for cash advances shall submit a cash request on or before the 5th day of the month but not earlier than the 25th of the preceding month. If approved for cash advance, Contractor shall submit an expenditure report for costs incurred as of the 2 months preceding the month for which the cash is requested.
 - 2. Closeout Report
 - a. Costs reported are subject to City verification. Requests to modify the Budget shall be submitted to the City before closeout. Within 45 days following the completion of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City, on forms provided by the City, a complete and accurate closeout invoice, including:
 - 1) Accruals of allowable expenditures within the contract term and program's budget period;

- 2) Remittance for all unearned grant funds as identified in the close-out;
- 3) Program General Ledgers of all billed expenditures approved in the Budget;
- 4) Program Equipment Inventory List.
- b. In the event Contractor does not submit a final closeout or other required documentation within the prescribed time frame, the City reserves the right to unilaterally closeout the Agreement and use the invoice then on file at City for determination of Contractor's final allowable expenditures. The City will not reimburse Contractor for expenditures reported after the 45-day closeout date following the termination of this Agreement. The City shall provide to Contractor the City closeout forms at least 30 days before termination of the Agreement.

§602 MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

- A. Record Retention: Records, in their original form, shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Grantor and the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. Original forms are to be maintained on file for all documents specified in this Agreement. Unaltered copies of eligibility documents are acceptable. These records shall be retained for a period of six (6) years after termination of this Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. Pending matters include, but are not limited to, an audit, litigation, or other actions involving records. The City may, at its discretion, take possession of and retain the records. Before destruction of records retained under this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of the records.
- B. Location of Records: Records (including, but not limited to, customer files and fiscal documents in their original form) pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement shall at all times, be retained within the County of Los Angeles unless authorization to remove them is granted in writing by the City.

§603 CUSTOMER/APPLICANT FILES

Contractor shall complete and maintain on-site in each customer's file the following documents, as prescribed by program requirements: 1) application for all applicants; 2) eligibility documents (see note below); 3) assessment documents; 4) standard worksite training agreement (when applicable); 5) progress reports; 6) counseling documents, 7) job development records; 8) exit documents; 9) post placement follow-up documentation; 10) documentation of follow-up services; 11) employer verification documents; 12) verification documents for training completion; 13) written documentation that customer has received: program orientation, supportive services information, City complaint resolution procedures, contractor customer complaint resolution procedures; 14) documentation of supportive services received; and 15) documentation of credential received as a result of training.

NOTE: The City requires Contractor to verify and certify eligibility and maintain in the customer file, on-site, all eligibility documentation prior to, or as of, the date the applicant is registered in the program.

§604 EQUIPMENT RECORDS

A. Nonexpendable personal property (equipment) acquired with grant funds shall be properly maintained and accounted for as set forth below.

A record shall be maintained for each item of equipment acquired for the program. Equipment is nonexpendable property, which is not consumed or does not lose its identity by being incorporated into another item of equipment, which costs \$5,000 or more per unit, or is expected to have a useful life of one year or more. Items costing below \$5,000, but falling into the following categories are also considered equipment and records must be maintained for them: (1) electronic communications equipment for stationary or vehicular use, including cellular telephones acquired by lease or purchase, and (2) electronic office equipment as follows – facsimile machines, copiers, electric typewriters, personal computers (monitors and CPU's), terminals, and printers.

The record shall include: (1) description of the item of equipment, including model and serial number, if applicable; (2) date of acquisition; (3) the acquisition cost or assigned value to the program; and (4) source of acquisition.

B. A physical inventory shall be taken by Contractor and reconciled with the record card annually or at other times as the City shall prescribe.

§605 PURCHASE OR LEASE OF EQUIPMENT OR FACILITIES

Prior to the purchase or lease of equipment, Contractor shall receive prior City approval in writing and shall comply with all requirements described in this Agreement.

The term "equipment" as used in this Agreement shall be defined to mean personal property.

A. Lease of Equipment

A copy of each executed equipment lease agreement shall be submitted to the City before payment. Written amendments to equipment lease agreement shall comply with the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

B. Purchase of Equipment

All equipment shall be purchased and used in accordance with 2 CFR Parts 200.313 and 200.439. All property real and personal, purchased under this Agreement with grant funds and of over \$5,000 in value shall become the property of the City and shall be returned to the City upon termination of this Agreement, except as provided otherwise by the City in writing. Contractor shall file all Uniform Commercial Code statements for any eligible property purchased with grant funds and deliver a copy of the filing to the City.

- C. Lease of Property or Facilities
 - 1. All lease agreements shall incorporate the following provisions:
 - a. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision that allows the City, at its sole option, to assume the lease for its remaining term, under the same terms and conditions then in effect, in the event that the City terminates its Contractor's City Agreement or if Contractor abandons the lease.
 - b. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision, which provides that any improvements made to the facility or property by Contractor, inures to the benefit of the City, and the City may elect, at its sole option, to remove the improvements.
 - c. It is recommended that the Contractor, during lease negotiations, request the addition of a section to the lease agreement, whereby the lessor agrees that if lessee's grant funding for any calendar year decreases by \$500,000 or more from the previous calendar year, lessee may terminate the lease with 120 days written notice.
 - d. Contractor shall amend any current lease agreements to incorporate the above provisions.
 - 2. A copy of all leases and lease amendments must be reviewed and approved by the City prior to signature and be on file with the City prior to the release of funding.
 - 3. Contractor shall not sublease, assign, or amend in any manner leases paid for with funds under this Agreement without prior written City approval.
 - 4. Contractor shall invoice for only that portion of the lease cost that is allocated to the program funded by this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for collecting any portion of the rent due to Contractor under sublease agreements with partners or other entities.

§606 ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

- A. Contractor shall maintain a system of Internal Control in accordance with standard accounting practices.
 - 1. In accordance with GAAP and City Directives, financial systems shall include:
 - a. Information pertaining to sub-grant and contract awards, obligations, un-obligated balances, assets, expenditures, and income;

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- b. Effective internal controls to safeguard assets and assure their proper use;
- c. A comparison of actual expenditures with budgeted amounts for each subgrant and contract;
- d. Source documentation to support accounting records;
- e. Proper charging of costs and cost allocation and be sufficient to (i) permit preparation of required reports, and (ii) permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to establish that funds have not been used in violation of the applicable restrictions on the use of the funds; and
- f. "Internal Control" for purpose of this Agreement, comprises the plan or organization and all of the coordinated methods and measures adopted within an organization to safeguard its assets, check the adequacy and the reliability of its accounting data, promote operating efficiency, and assure adherence to prescribed management policies.
- 2. Contractor shall submit its system of accounting procedures and Internal Control to the City before the City disburses any funds to the Contractor.

§607 DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURES

- A. Documentation of expenditures, including the necessary supporting records, must be made available upon request.
- B. Payroll expenditures shall be supported by activity reports that may include but not be limited to case reports, mileage logs, attendance rosters and other documents supporting work related to City contract or program.
- C. Contractor shall not release funds to any subcontractor for reimbursement of costs, until it has received adequate documentation from the subcontractor that the expenditures are reasonable and allowable under the sub-agreement. All documentation must remain on file at Contractor's office.

§608 AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the Grantor, the U.S. Comptroller General, Auditor General of the State of California or the City may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination, all of its records with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State shall have the authority to audit, examine and make excerpts, or transcripts from records, including all contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Access by the Grantor, City, the State, the DOL, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records (including computer records) of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to charges to the program, shall not be denied in order to conduct audits and examinations, and make excerpts, transcripts, and photocopies. This right also includes timely and reasonable access to Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.
- C. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement. When total expenditures under all federal programs in a fiscal year equal or exceed \$750,000, the Contractor shall conduct or have conducted on an annual basis, audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, PL 98-502, implementing regulations in the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which applicable provision supersedes OMB Circulars A-133 as applicable, (City Council action dated February 4, 1987, C.F. No. 84-2259-S1) and administrative regulations or field memos implementing revisions or updates to the audit requirements. The auditor's reports, prepared in accordance with the aforementioned requirements, and any accompanying management reports on the operation of the Contractor or this Agreement, shall be submitted to the City within nine (9) months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year.
- D. Contractor, should it meet the above threshold, shall annually subcontract with a qualified independent auditor.
- E. The audit is to be conducted annually to test the fiscal integrity of financial transactions as well as compliance with the applicable laws and regulations.

- F. Contractor, not later than thirty (30) days following receipt of the final audit report and within nine (9) months after the close of Contractor's fiscal year, shall submit a copy of the report to the LAHD Financial Management Division.
- G. If the auditor's report or management report identifies deficiencies with internal controls or contract compliance, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a corrective action plan along with the auditor's reports. The plan shall address all deficiencies and provide specific details on corrective actions to be taken along with the date the action was or will be implemented.
- H. If the expenditures under all federal programs are less than \$750,000, Contractor shall permit the City to conduct a performance review of this Agreement and all related records in accordance with directives received from the City.
- I. In the event that Contractor is operating on a for-profit basis, Contractor shall conduct a program-specific annual independent financial and compliance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, or an organization-wide audit that includes coverage of the City program within its scope.
- J. The City reserves the right to impose any or all of the following sanctions for Contractor's failure to comply with the Single Audit Act and the provisions of this Agreement:
 - 1. Withhold a percentage of payments, at the City's sole discretion, until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to LAHD, and/or.
 - 2. Suspend payments due to Contractor until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to the City; and/or Impose the Default, Probation, Suspension and Termination provisions of this Agreement as set forth herein.
- K. City, Auditor General of the State, Grantor, Director of the Office of Civil Rights, and the U.S. Comptroller General shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including contracts, invoices, customer records and other records supporting this Agreement. Audits of earned funds are limited to determining if such funds were earned in accordance with this Agreement.
- L. City may require Contractor who has inadequate fiscal or administrative procedures, to use any or all of the City's accounting or administrative procedures used in the planning, controlling, monitoring, and reporting of fiscal matters relating to this Agreement; or secure at Contractor's expense the service of independent experts.
- M. City shall have the authority to make physical inspections and to require such physical safeguarding devices as locks, alarms, safes, fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems, etc., to safeguard property, records and/or equipment used in the performance of this Agreement.
- N. Should a fiscal or special audit determine that Contractor has earned funds which are questioned under the criteria set forth herein, the Contractor shall be notified and given the opportunity to justify questioned expenditures prior to the City's final determination of disallowed costs, in accordance with the procedures established under the Grant.

§609 CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION

- A. The Grantor, the City, and Contractor will exchange various kinds of information pursuant to this Agreement. That information will include data, applications, program files and databases. These data and information are confidential when they define an individual or an employing unit. Confidential information requires special precautions to protect it from unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification, and destruction. The sources of information may include, but are not limited to, the Employment Development Department, the California Department of Social Services, the California Department of Education, the County Welfare Department(s), the County IV-D Directors Office of Child Support, the Office of the District Attorney, the California Department of Mental Health, the California Office of Community Colleges, and the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- B. The City and Contractor agree that:
 - 1. Each party shall keep all information that is exchanged between them in the strictest confidence and make such information available to their own employees only on a "need-to-know" basis.

- Each party shall provide written instructions to all of its employees with access to information provided by the other party of the confidential nature of the information and of the penalties for unauthorized use or disclosure found in §1798.55 of the Civil Code, §502 of the Penal Code, §2111 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, §10850 of the Welfare and Institutions Code and other applicable local, State and federal laws.
- 3. Each party shall (where appropriate) store and process information in an electronic format, in such a way that unauthorized persons cannot reasonably retrieve the information by computer, remote terminal, or other means.
- 4. Each party shall promptly return to the other party confidential information when its use ends or destroy the confidential information utilizing an approved method of destroying confidential information by shredding, burning, or certified, or witnessed destruction. Magnetic media are to be degaussed or returned to the other party.
- 5. If the City or Contractor enters into an agreement with a third party to provide services, the City or Contractor agrees to include these data and security and confidentiality requirements in the agreement with that third party. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.
- 6. Each party shall designate an employee who shall be responsible for overall security and confidentiality of its data and information systems and, each party shall notify the other of any changes in that designation. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.

§610 SECURITY CLEARANCE AND TUBERCULOSIS TEST OF STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

- A. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor and subcontractor staff working with youth, either as employees or volunteers, who have a supervisory or disciplinary authority over minors must be fingerprinted and pass the background check, as required by California Penal Code §11105.3 and California Education Code §45125.1 and §10911.5. Fingerprinting and a background check may be required of other staff and volunteers depending upon how much contact the staff member will have with minors. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining security clearances for staff whose duties require a sufficient level of interaction with youth.
- B. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor shall have Tuberculosis (TB) tests completed on any staff member working with the youth.
- C. Contractor shall maintain proof of Security Clearance and TB tests of all staff, including those of the subcontractors, and make these records available for future inspection.

§611 RESTRICTION ON DISCLOSURES

Prior to the release of any reports, analyses, studies, information, or data generated as a result of this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City of the request to release the information. Release of information shall be coordinated by Contractor and the City and shall be in compliance with state and federal law.

§612 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM RECORDS AND REPORTS

- A. Contractor shall report to the City numeric data, statistics, facts, news, details and information for its City-funded project(s) using forms and formats such as the electronic Integrated Services Information System prescribed by the City for this purpose.
- B. The City shall rely upon and use records and monthly invoices located at the City, and on-site verifications, as needed, to substantiate Contractor's performance and expenditure data, including, but not limited to, enrollment, training services, placement activities, wages, business/job creation, and post-program services status.
- C. The City may contact Contractor staff, participants, subcontractors, training institutions or schools to verify the documentation supporting performance and compliance with this Agreement.

§613 INSTALLATION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SIGN

Contractor shall install, or allow to be installed, for public display upon the program site premises a sign, identifying Contractor as receiving financial assistance from the City and HUD.

§614 PRESS RELEASES--PUBLIC INFORMATION

Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency and that Contractor is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer in all communications with the press, television, radio or any other means of communicating with the general community. Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency of the program regarding any items that are related to the program funded hereby. Contractor shall also coordinate press releases with the media/public relations project for maximum impact.

§615 NOTICE TO CITY OF LABOR DISPUTES

When Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute involving participants or other employees is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Agreement Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof, including all pertinent information, with regard to same to City. No funds provided hereby shall be used to promote or deter union organizing.

§616 LISTING OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH EDD

Contractor shall list all Contractor's job openings with the local Employment Development Department Office when such job openings are funded, in full or in part, through monies provided hereby.

§617 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Should Contractor need technical assistance from the City regarding matters that are the subject of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit a written request to the City identifying the nature of the problem, the action Contractor has taken to resolve the problem, and the type of assistance needed.

§618 PROHIBITION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Contractor is prohibited from using Grant funds received under this Agreement for the purpose of instituting legal proceeding against the City and/or HUD or their officials, employee or representatives.

§619 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING FOR DENIAL OF CLIENT BENEFITS BY CONTRACTOR – IF APPLICABLE

- A. Contractor has read and agrees to strictly comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, §100751, as amended, which sets forth elements to be included in client benefit denial appeal procedures and shall advise individuals who have been denied assistance of their 20-day right to appeal to the State for an administrative hearing pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §8624(b) (13), as amended.
- B. The client may withdraw request for appeal for administrative hearing at any time during the appeal process by rendering written or oral notice to the State. Where oral notice is given, such notice shall be confirmed in writing by the parties.

§620 FAITH-BASED ACTIVITIES

Organizations that are religious or faith-based are eligible, on the same basis as any other organization, to participate in the grant-funded program. However, a contractor that participates in a grant-funded program shall comply with the following provisions if it is deemed to be a religious or faith-based organization.

A. Contractor may not engage in inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, as part of the programs or services funded under this Agreement. If Contractor conducts such activities, the activities must be offered separately, in time or location, from the programs or services funded under this Agreement, and participation must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the grant-funded programs or services.

- B. A religious or faith-based contractor will retain its independence from federal, State, and local governments, and may continue to carry out its mission, including the definition, practice, and expression of its religious beliefs, provided that it does not use direct grant funds to support any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.
- C. A religious or faith-based contractor may use space in their facilities to provide grant funded services, without removing religious art, icons, scriptures, or other religious symbols.
- D. A religious or faith-based contractor retains its authority over its internal governance, and it may retain religious terms in its organization's name, select its board members on a religious basis, and include religious references in its organization's mission statements and other governing documents.
- E. A religious or faith-based contractor shall not, in providing program assistance, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospective program beneficiary on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- F. Grant funds may not be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities.
- G. Grant funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under this section. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, grant funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to grant funds herein. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a grant funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for grant funded improvements. Disposition of real property after the term of the grant, or any change in use of the property during the term of the grant, is subject to government-wide regulations governing real property dispositions.

§621 CHILD ABUSE

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (California Penal Code §11164 *et seq.*), and specifically §§ 11165.7, 11165.9 and 11166 therein.

7. SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

§701 SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall comply with the federal and City standards in the award of any subcontracts. For purposes of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to, purchase agreements, rental or lease agreements, third party agreements, consultant service contracts and construction subcontracts. Contractor shall comply with subcontracting/procurement requirements set forth in Exhibit "I", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall ensure that the terms of this Agreement are incorporated into all subcontractor agreements. Contractor shall submit all subcontractor agreements to the City for review prior to the release of any funds to the subcontractor. Contractor shall withhold funds to any subcontractor that fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and their respective subcontractor agreement.

8. <u>REMEDIES</u>

§801 DEFAULTS

Should the Contractor fail for any reason to comply with the contractual obligations of this Agreement, including but not limited to, meet the Performance Standards, start up the program on time, provide services according to plan and/or to benefit customers and the provisions of the Agreement, maintain expenditures at an approved rate in the Budget, resolve performance problems in a timely manner, demonstrate the capabilities to solve identified problems within a specific time, provide necessary fiscal or Management Information Services documents to City in a timely manner, maintain agreed cost per placement or utilize grant funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement, the City reserves the right to take any or all of the following actions at its discretion:

A. Notify Contractor of performance deficiencies in accordance with §804 of this Agreement.

- B. Withhold the release of funds.
- C. Require that no funds be advanced to Contractor until Contractor has provided for the security of funds advanced by a Surety/performance bond. The amount and form of the security, if required, shall be determined by the City as noted on the Insurance Requirement Form and is subject to prior City approval.
- D. Modify and/or renegotiate the funding/service level and/or make any changes in the general scope of this Agreement.
- E. Require Contractor to secure at its own expense the services of independent experts.
- F. Require specific performance progress reports for identified time periods.
- G. Reduce compensation within the scope of the City's reallocation policy.
- H. Suspend operations in accordance with §803 below of this Agreement.
- I. Terminate the Agreement.

§802 NOTICE TO CORRECT PERFORMANCE

- A. The City may notify Contractor of its failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement by giving written notice, effective upon date of such notice, which states the specific performance deficiencies to be corrected.
- B. Within five (5) working days, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions that will be undertaken to remedy the performance deficiencies, which actions are subject to City approval in writing.
- C. Contractor shall thereafter submit monthly progress reports to the City in accordance with the City approved corrective action plan specifying the actions taken and resolution of the performance deficiencies.

§803 SUSPENSION OF THE AGREEMENT

- A. The City may, by giving written notice, suspend all or part of the project operations for Contractor's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and may notify the bank identified on the City form referenced in §104A.3 above that all funds are frozen pending further notice from the City. This Notice of Suspension shall be effective upon the date of the City's written notice.
- B. This notice shall set forth the specific conditions of noncompliance and the period provided for corrective action.
- C. Within five (5) working days from the date of written City notification, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions which will be undertaken, subject to City approval in writing.

§804 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- A. At any time during the Term the City may terminate this Agreement, or any part of the Agreement, upon giving Contractor at least 30 days written notice prior to the effective date of the termination, which date shall be specified in the notice. The City is not required to use other remedies provided herein prior to issuing a 30 day notice to terminate the Agreement. Upon the receipt of such notice, Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, cost or expenses, except as may be reasonably necessary to terminate its activities or as otherwise approved by the City.
- B. Contractor shall retain and dispose of all customers' documents and related records required by Contractor under this Agreement, in accordance with City Directives or written instructions. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Agreement, including all intellectual property rights thereto, shall become City property upon the date of such termination. Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.
- C. Contractor shall return to the City all equipment that was purchased with City grant funds pursuant to this Agreement.

- D. In the event Contractor dissolves or otherwise goes out of existence, copies of all records relating to the project or activity that are the subject of this Agreement shall be furnished to the City.
- E. Upon satisfactory completion and documentation of termination activities, the City shall determine the total amount of funds earned by Contractor.
- F. The City may withhold any payments due to Contractor after notice of termination has been issued for the purpose of set-aside until the exact amount of damages or unearned dollars due to the City from Contractor is determined.
- G. Subsections B, C, D, E, and F above shall also apply to Agreements terminating upon the date specified in §201 of the foregoing Agreement or upon completion of performance of this Agreement.
- H. This Agreement may be terminated immediately for any violation of City Lobbying Ordinances.
- I. In the event the City terminates this Agreement as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- J. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement, under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had not been issued pursuant to this section.

§805 NOTICES OF SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION

In the event that this Agreement is suspended or terminated, Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and customers and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of Agreement within five (5) working days from the City's written notice.

9. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

§901 SURVIVAL OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All terms and conditions of this Agreement which impose a duty, obligation or requirement on Contractor that extend beyond the Term hereof shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Such terms and conditions shall include, but not be limited to, §§404 through 407, 505(A)(2), 602, 604 and 608.

§902 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the documents regarding this Agreement, said inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to (i) the body of the Agreement, (ii) the terms of applicable City ordinances and regulations, (iii) the other exhibits and attachments hereto, and (iv) any documents provided by Contractor.

§903 RATIFICATION CLAUSE

Due to the need for the Contractor's services to be provided for the benefit of the community, Contractor may have provided services prior to the execution of this Agreement. To the extent that said services were performed prior to the execution of this Agreement but in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, such preexecution services are hereby ratified and accepted.

§904 COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§905 NUMBER OF PAGES AND ATTACHMENTS

This Agreement is executed in three (3) duplicate originals, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes thirty-three (31) pages and ten (10) exhibits that constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

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[Signatures continue on next page.]

10. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	Executed this day of	_, 2022
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	For: CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
By: Assistant/Deputy City Attorney	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
Date:		
ATTEST:	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk		
By: Deputy City Clerk		
Data	Executed this day of	_, 2022
Date:	For: Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC	
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By: Authorized Signatory #1 Official Title By:	
	Authorized Signatory #2 Official Title	
City Tax Registration Certificate Number: XXXXXXXX		
Internal Revenue Service ID Number: XXXXXXXX		
Council File Number: XXXXXXXX; Date of Approval: Mor	nth Day, Year	
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STANDARD PROVISIONS FOR CITY CONTRACTS

PSC – 1. CONSTRUCTION OF PROVISIONS AND TITLES HEREIN

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the **CITY** or **CONTRACTOR**. The word **"CONTRACTOR"** includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural; if there is more than one **CONTRACTOR**, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

PSC – 2. APPLICABLE LAW, INTERPRETATION AND ENFORCEMENT

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**, including, but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to **CONTRACTOR**.

In any action arising out of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law of a federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of the Contract shall not be affected.

PSC – 3. TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This contract has been signed on behalf of **CONTRACTOR** by the person or persons authorized to bind **CONTRACTOR**;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the **CITY** by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.

PSC – 4. INTEGRATED CONTRACT

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous Contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of PSC-5 hereof.

PSC – 5. <u>AMENDMENT</u>

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of PSC-3.

PSC – 6. <u>EXCUSABLE DELAYS</u>

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of **CONTRACTOR** shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both **CONTRACTOR** and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, **CONTRACTOR** shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit **CONTRACTOR** to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event **CONTRACTOR'S** delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, **CONTRACTOR** agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

PSC – 7. WAIVER

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

PSC – 8. SUSPENSION

At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing **CONTRACTOR** with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to **CITY** until **CITY** gives written notice to recommence the services.

PSC – 9. <u>TERMINATION</u>

A. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

CITY may terminate this Contract for **CITY'S** convenience at any time by providing **CONTRACTOR** thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. **CITY** shall pay **CONTRACTOR** its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination. Thereafter, **CONTRACTOR** shall have no further claims against **CITY** under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights **CITY** is entitled to, shall become **CITY** property upon the date of the termination. **CONTRACTOR** agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

B. TERMINATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

1. Except as provided in PSC-6, if **CONTRACTOR** fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, **CITY** may give **CONTRACTOR** written notice of the default. **CITY'S** default

notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of **CITY**. Additionally, **CITY'S** default notice may offer **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to provide **CITY** with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to **CITY** within the time period allowed by **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may accept or reject **CONTRACTOR'S** plan. If the default cannot be cured or if **CONTRACTOR** fails to cure within the period allowed by **CITY**, then **CITY** may terminate this Contract due to **CONTRACTOR'S** breach of this Contract.

- 2. If the default under this Contract is due to **CONTRACTOR'S** failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. **CONTRACTOR** shall not recommence performance until **CONTRACTOR** is fully insured and in compliance with **CITY'S** requirements.
- 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against **CONTRACTOR**, or if **CONTRACTOR** makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 4. If **CONTRACTOR** engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates **CITY'S** laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude

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- a. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify CITY if CONTRACTOR or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
- b. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- c. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may terminate this Contract after providing **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to present evidence of **CONTRACTOR'S** ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
 - Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of **CONTRACTOR**.

- 6. In the event **CITY** terminates this Contract as provided in this section, **CITY** may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as **CITY** may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and **CONTRACTOR** shall be liable to **CITY** for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that **CONTRACTOR** was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to PSC-9(A) Termination for Convenience.
- 8. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

PSC – 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of **CITY**.

PSC – 11. CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL

Unless otherwise approved by **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Contract. **CITY** has the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall remove personnel from performing work under this Contract if requested to do so by **CITY**.

CONTRACTOR shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Contract without the prior written approval of **CITY**. If **CITY** permits the use of Subcontractors, **CONTRACTOR** shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Contract and paying all Subcontractors. **CITY** has the right to approve **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and **CITY** reserves the right to request replacement of any Subcontractor. **CITY** does not have any obligation to pay **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity of contract between **CITY** and any Subcontractor.

PSC – 12. ASSIGNMENT OR DELEGATION

CONTRACTOR may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of **CITY**:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

PSC – 13. PERMITS

CONTRACTOR and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors, shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications and other documents necessary for **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals, or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract.

PSC – 14. CLAIMS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS

CONTRACTOR shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against any **CITY** property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by **CONTRACTOR** hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

PSC – 15. CURRENT LOS ANGELES CITY BUSINESS TAX REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

For the duration of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by **CITY'S** Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 *et seq.* of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

PSC – 16. RETENTION OF RECORDS, AUDIT AND REPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by **CITY**. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by **CITY**, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized **CITY** personnel or **CITY'S** representatives at any time. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide any reports requested by **CITY** regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, **CONTRACTOR** may, upon **CITY'S** written approval, submit the required information to **CITY** in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 17. BONDS

All bonds required by **CITY** shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 *et seq.*, as amended from to time.

PSC – 18. INDEMNIFICATION

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of **CITY**, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in interest, **CONTRACTOR** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including **CONTRACTOR'S** employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by **CONTRACTOR**, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION

CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the **CITY**, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**,

including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of **CITY'S** actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in PSC-21) furnished by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 20. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY WARRANTY

CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributory, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

PSC – 21. OWNERSHIP AND LICENSE

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of **CITY** for its use in any manner **CITY** deems appropriate. **CONTRACTOR** hereby assigns to **CITY** all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

CONTRACTOR agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause **CITY** irreparable harm. **CITY** may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude **CITY** from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which **CITY** may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to **CITY** that are not originated or prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall secure a grant, at no cost to **CITY**, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any **CITY** purposes.

CONTRACTOR shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of **CITY**.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that **CITY'S** ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

PSC – 22. DATA PROTECTION

A. **CONTRACTOR** shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, **CITY**-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). **CONTRACTOR** shall notify **CITY** in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of **CONTRACTOR'S** discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or

potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. **CONTRACTOR** shall begin remediation immediately. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by **CITY**, regarding findings and actions performed by **CONTRACTOR** until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to **CITY'S** satisfaction. **CONTRACTOR** shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. **CONTRACTOR** shall cooperate fully with **CITY**, its agents and law enforcement.

B. If **CITY** is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then **CONTRACTOR** shall fully indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and defend against any resulting actions.

PSC – 23. INSURANCE

During the term of this Contract and without limiting **CONTRACTOR'S** obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit 1 hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to **CITY'S** requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit 1 hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit 1 hereto. Exhibit 1 is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

PSC – 24. <u>BEST TERMS</u>

Throughout the term of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR**, shall offer **CITY** the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of **CONTRACTOR'S** customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

PSC – 25. WARRANTY AND RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within **CONTRACTOR'S** profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

PSC – 26. MANDATORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**. In performing this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference.
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract.
- D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 27. CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, **CONTRACTOR** shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the **CONTRACTOR** under this Contract. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 28. <u>LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 29. SERVICE CONTRACTOR WORKER RETENTION ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 30. ACCESS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

CONTRACTOR represents and certifies that:

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;
- B. **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to **CITY**-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

CONTRACTOR understands that **CITY** is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 31. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

PSC – 32. BUSINESS INCLUSION PROGRAM

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. **CONTRACTOR** shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. **CONTRACTOR** shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall **CONTRACTOR** reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of **CITY**.

PSC – 33. SLAVERY DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 *et* seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 34. FIRST SOURCE HIRING ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 35. LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 36. IRAN CONTRACTING ACT

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with **CITY** for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contacting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

PSC – 37. RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDRAISING IN CITY ELECTIONS

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected **CITY** office, **CONTRACTOR**, **CONTRACTOR'S** principals, and **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles **CITY** to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected **CITY** officials or candidates for elected **CITY** office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #______. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("CITY") officials and candidates for elected CITY office for twelve months after the CITY contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the **CONTRACTOR** and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

PSC – 38. <u>CONTRACTORS' USE OF CRIMINAL HISTORY FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT</u> <u>APPLICATIONS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 39. LIMITATION OF CITY'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE PAYMENT TO CONTRACTOR

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for CITY to comply with its governing legal requirements, CITY shall have no obligation to make any payments to CONTRACTOR unless CITY shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. CONTRACTOR agrees that any services provided by CONTRACTOR, purchases made by CONTRACTOR or expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to CITY and CITY shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. CONTRACTOR shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

PSC – 40. COMPLIANCE WITH IDENTITY THEFT LAWS AND PAYMENT CARD DATA SECURITY STANDARDS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. **CONTRACTOR** also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, **CONTRACTOR** shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

PSC – 41. COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCE CODE 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of **CONTRACTOR** working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at **CONTRACTOR'S** sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal

Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

PSC – 42. POSSESSORY INTERESTS TAX

Rights granted to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** may create a possessory interest. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall pay the property tax. **CONTRACTOR** acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

PSC – 43. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

All documents, information and materials provided to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** or developed by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. **CONTRACTOR** shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by **CITY** or as required by law. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 44 <u>COVID-19</u>

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services. Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders

EXHIBIT B Form Gen 146 (Rev. 6/12) Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

Name:	Overland, Pacific & Cutler, LLC		Date:	XX/XX/XXXX	
Agreen	nent/Reference: <u>Relocation Services</u>				
occupa	ce of coverages checked below, with the sp ncy/start of operations. Amounts shown are C substituted for a CSL if the total per occurrenc	ombined	d Single Lim	its ("CSLs"). For Au	
	Workers' Compensation (WC) and Employer's Liability (EL)			WC <u>Statutory</u> EL \$ <u>1,000,000</u>	
	Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City		Longshore Jones Act	& Harbor Workers	
\boxtimes	General Liability				\$ <u>1,000,000</u>
	Products/Completed OperationsFire Legal Liability		Sexual Mis		×
	Automobile Liability (for any and all vehicles other than commuting	\$			
	Professional Liability (Errors and Omission Discovery Period <u>12 Months After Completion</u>	\$ <u>1,000,000</u>			
	Property Insurance (to cover replacement co by insurance company)	ost of bui	ilding - as de	etermined	\$
	 All Risk Coverage Flood Earthquake 		Boiler and Builder's R		
	Pollution Liability				\$
	Surety Bonds – Performance and Payment (Labor ar	nd Materials)) Bonds	100% of the contract price
	Crime Insurance				\$
Other:	1) Professional Liability Insurance is required	for any (Contractor o	r Sub-Contractor tha	at requires a Licensed

<u>Professional Liability insurance is required for any Contractor of Sub-Contractor that requires a Licensed</u>
 <u>Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement.</u>
 <u>2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.</u>

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

NAME: Analyst Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE: XXX-XXX-XXXX

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Agreement/Reference** All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the **types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts** specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For As-needed Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. **KwikComply** is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access **KwikComply** at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. **General Liability** insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. **Sexual Misconduct** coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. **Fire Legal Liability** is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (<u>www.2sparta.com</u>), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. **Automobile Liability** insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. **Errors and Omissions** coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. **Cyber Liability & Privacy** coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT C CERTIFICATION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Living Wage Ordinance. Contractor shall post a copy of the Notice to Employees Working on City Contracts Re: Living Wage Ordinance and Prohibition Against Retaliation, which is as below, in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees.

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (English).pdf and in Spanish at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (Spanish).pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section at (213) 847-2625.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES Department of Public Works Bureau of Contract Administration Office of Contract Compliance 1149 S. Broadway Street, Suite 300 Los Angeles, CA 90015 Phone: (213) 847-2625 — Fax: (213) 847-2777

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AGREEMENT NUMBER:

Legal Name of Contractor CONTRACTOR/BORROWER/AGENCY

Authorized Representative, Official Title NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT D

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension, 24 CFR Part 24 Section 24.510, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, Participants' responsibilities.

(READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION BEFORE COMPLETING)

- 1. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

AGREEMENT NUMBER

Legal Name of Contractor CONTRACTOR/BORROWER/AGENCY

Authorized Representative, Official Title NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT D (cont.)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this document, the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is providing the certification as set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this agreement is entered, if at any time the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds learns that its certification was erroneous, when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689.
- 5. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the <u>List of Parties Excluded from Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs</u>.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under Paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

<u>EXHIBIT E</u>

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

<u>Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans</u> <u>and Cooperative Agreements</u>

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352 Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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Authorized Representative, Official Title NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT F MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION

As a prerequisite to receipt of a City funded Contract, and as material facts upon which the City may rely in preparing the Contract, I, an authorized representative of the Contractor, make the following representations:

1. I am responsible for the fair presentation of the Contractor's financial records/reports in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and have provided such records/reports accordingly to the City. I will make available to City all related data and information. I am not aware of any material transactions that have not been properly recorded and disclosed.

True 🗌 False 🗌

2. The Contractor has adopted sound accounting policies and procedures in accordance with GAAP that include procedures for maintaining internal controls, and preventing and detecting fraud and abuse.

True 🗌 False 🗌

3. I have advised and will continue to advise the City of any actions taken at meetings of Contractor's Board of Directors, and Committees of the Board of Directors which may have a material impact on Contractor's ability to perform the City's Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

- 4. Except as recorded or disclosed to you herein, I know of no instances of:
 - a. Conflict of interests (direct or indirect), nepotism, related (direct or indirect) party transactions including revenues, expenses, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, and amounts receivable from or payable to related parties.

True 🗌 False 🗌

b. Guarantees, whether written or oral, under which the Contractor is contingently liable.

True 🗌 False 🗌

c. Actual, forthcoming or possible terminations of funding from regulatory agencies or other sources due to noncompliance, deficiencies, or for any other reason, that would affect the financial records and/or continuing viability of the Contractor as an on-going concern.

True 🗌 False 🗌

5. I have no knowledge that a board member/s is/are also an employee of this Contractor whose salary costs are reimbursed under this agreement.

True 🗌 False 🗌

6. I have no knowledge of and am not in receipt of any communication regarding allegations of fraud, suspected fraud or abuse affecting the Contractor involving management, employees who have significant roles in internal control, or others where fraud/abuse could have a material effect on the financial records or performance of the City Contract.

True 🗌 False 🔲

7. I have no knowledge of any allegations, written or oral, of misstatements or misapplication of funds in the Contractor's conduct of its financial affairs or in its financial records.

True 🗌 False 🗌

8. I am not aware of any pending litigation, bankruptcy, judgment, liens and other significant issues that may threaten the financial viability, legal and continuing existence of the Contractor.

True 🗌 False 🗌

9. The Contractor has satisfactory title to all assets being used in the City's program, and there are no liens or encumbrances on such assets, nor has any asset been pledged as collateral.

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10. The Contractor has complied with all aspects of contractual agreements, related laws and regulations that could have a material effect on the financial records, the program/s, or on the organization as a whole.

True 🗌 False 🗌

11. I have properly reported and paid to the appropriate governmental agencies all payroll taxes due on employees' (City program related or otherwise) compensation.

True 🗌	False	
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12. I have responded fully to all the City's inquiries related to the Contractor's financial records and/or reports.

True 🗌 False 🗌

13. I understand that the City's auditing and monitoring procedures of Contractor are limited to those which the City determines best meet its informational needs and may not necessarily disclose all errors, irregularities, including fraud or defalcation, or illegal acts, that may exist.

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True		False	

14. I understand that the City audit and monitoring reports are intended solely for use by the Contractor and the other authorized parties, and are not intended for other purposes, unless otherwise required by law.

True 🗌 False 🗌

15. If one or more of the above statements is found to be false, I understand that the City may terminate this contract immediately. I also understand that I have a continuing duty to report to City any material factual change to any of these statements.

True | False |

Use this space to provide any additional information:

I declare under	penalty	of perjury	that I h	nave re	ad the	foregoing	statements	and they	are true	and	complete	to the	e best o	f my
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EXHIBIT G SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide services as follows:

Services to be provided by the Contractor

The Contractor shall ensure that persons displaced as a direct result of federal or state assisted projects are treated fairly, consistently and equitably. This includes any family or individual that must move as a direct result of remediation, rehabilitation, demolition or acquisition for a project in which State and/or Federal funds are used.

The Contractor shall have an extensive working knowledge of The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (URA), Section 104(d) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, the City of Los Angeles Municipal Code (inclusive of the Rent Stabilization Ordinance (RSO) and Tenant Habitability Ordinance), HOME Program Regulations, CDBG Program Regulations, State of California Relocation Regulations, and any other federal, state, or local regulations or guidance pertaining to relocation assistance. All relocation services shall be in compliance with the above regulations and LAHD's, HUD-approved relocation policies.

The Contractor shall have a bilingual staff (at minimum, Spanish and English) and shall secure translation services for other languages as required. Relocation information shall be provided to tenants in English, Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Filipino and Vietnamese and other languages as needed.

Contractor Responsibilities

- A. Conduct relocation activities in compliance with:
 - i. Federal Uniform Relocation Act (URA), HUD Handbook 1378, and all HUD Info Bulletins on relocation;
 - ii. Section 104(d) of the federal Housing and Community Development Act;
 - iii. Federal HOME Program Regulations;
 - iv. Federal CDBG Program Regulations, inclusive of Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP) regulations and requirements;
 - v. Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 151.00 et seq. (Rent Stabilization Ordinance) and Section 152.00 et seq. (Tenant Habitability Ordinance);
 - vi. The California Relocation Assistance Law (California Government Code Section 7260 et seq.) and The California Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Guidelines (Title 25, California Code of Regulations, Ch. 6, Art. 1, Section 6000 et seq.); and
 - vii. HUD-Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes. HUD expects that the lead hazard control work and temporary displacement (relocation) will take 10 days or less. Such tenant-occupants are entitled to receive temporary relocation assistance pursuant to the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (URA), 42 U.S.C. §§ 4601-4655, as described in regulations at 49 CFR 24.2(a)(9)(ii)(D) and the corresponding Appendix A to Part 24.
- B. All notices are to be provided in writing according to the timelines and requirements listed in the federal, state and/or local laws and regulations.
 - i. Ensure that if no displacement (permanent, involuntary move) is anticipated, all occupants (owner and tenants) are notified that they "will not be displaced."

- ii. Ensure that for permanent, involuntary relocations, all occupants are notified that they will be displaced, and that it is important that they **do not move** before learning what they must do to receive the relocation payments and other assistance to which they are entitled.
- iii. Ensure that all occupants are notified about whether they will be temporarily displaced when that is a possibility, including 60-day advance written notice of the date and approximate duration of the temporary relocation; the address of the suitable, decent, safe, and sanitary dwelling to be made available for the temporary period; and the reimbursement provisions described above.
- C. Ensure that residential occupants, who will not be required to move permanently, be relocated temporarily (as required by the program activities and in accordance with local Tenant Habitability requirements) to permit the lead-based paint remediation, property rehabilitation programs, and other activities to be carried out.
- D. Coordinate the provision of benefits to tenants as applicable, including but not limited to:
 - i. Relocation Assistance Payments (RAP) under federal and state relocation regulations;
 - ii. Actual and Fixed Moving Payments under federal and state relocation regulations;
 - iii. Relocation benefits in accordance with the LAMC 151.09G;
 - iv. Reimbursement for all out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with the temporary relocation, including the cost of moving to and from the temporarily occupied housing and any increase in monthly rent/utility costs at that housing according to the above-cited regulations and accompanying guidance; and
 - v. Appropriate advisory services as required by the above-cited regulations and accompanying guidance-
 - vi. Communicate, verbally and in writing, in English and Spanish and in other languages as required to meet the needs of tenants and owner-occupants. Relocation information shall be provided to tenants in English, Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Pilipino, Vietnamese, and other languages as needed.
- E. Prepare, submit and coordinate "Relocation Plans" for LAHD review and approval, in a timely manner. At a minimum Relocation Plans shall include:
 - i. A description of the project;
 - ii. A diagrammatic sketch of the project area;
 - iii. Projected dates of displacement;
 - iv. A written analysis of the displacee's household and/or business characteristics, special needs, income, and aggregate relocation needs of all persons to be displaced and a detailed explanation as to how these needs are to be met; include HUD's Low Income Table and the Federal Highway Admin Fix Moving Payment table used in the determination;
 - v. A written analysis of relocation housing resources;
 - vi. A detailed description of the relocation advisory services program, including specific procedures for locating and referring eligible persons to comparable replacement housing;

- vii. A detailed description of all notices to be delivered;
- viii. A description of the relocation payments to be made and a plan for disbursement. Include all regulatory citations, charts used for determining low-income, adjustments to income, etc.;
- ix. A cost estimate for carrying out the plan and identification of the source of necessary funds;
- x. A detailed plan by which any last resort housing is to be built and financed;
- xi. A standard information statement to be sent to all tenant who will be permanently displaced;
- xii. Temporary relocation plans, if any;
- xiii. A description of relocation office operation procedures;
- xiv. Plans for citizen participation;
- xv. An enumeration of the coordination activities undertaken;
- xvi. A written determination by that the necessary replacement resources will be available as required; and
- xvii. For businesses, an explanation of any complex or lengthy moving processes for small businesses with limited financial resources and/or an analysis of business moving problems including type of advisory services to be provided to resolve issues.
- F. Advise and provide assistance to both tenants and owners being displaced by an LAHD-funded project, including completing necessary paperwork for relocation benefits.
- G. Documentation and Certification. The contractor shall maintain relocation files and records for each household in full compliance with all the above-cited regulations and accompanying guidance. Such records shall be the property of LAHD. LAHD shall have the right at any time during regular business hours to audit such records and files while in the possession of the contractor. Upon project completion such records shall be transferred to LAHD and must be included after the completion of the relocation along with the invoice (and included in the draw request).

EXHIBIT H INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

A. Reporting Procedure for Inventions

If any project produces any invention or discovery (Invention) patentable or otherwise under Title 35 of the U.S. Code, including, without limitation processes and business methods made in the course of work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall report the fact and disclose the Invention promptly and fully to the City. The City shall report the fact and disclose the Invention. Unless there is a prior agreement between the City and the Grantor, the Grantor shall determine whether to seek protection on the Invention. The Grantor shall determine how the rights in the Invention, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the policy ("Policy") embodied in the Federal Acquisition Regulations System, which is based on Ch. 18 of Title 35 U.S.C. §200 *et seq.* (Pub.L. 95-517, Pub.L. 98-620, 37 CFR, Part 401); Presidential Memorandum on Government Patent Policy to the Heads of the Executive Departments and Agencies, dated 2/18/1983; and Executive Order 12591, 4/10/87, 52 FR 13414, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 220 (as amended by Executive Order 12618, 12/22/87, 52 FR 48661, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp. p. 262). Contractor hereby agrees to be bound by the Policy, and will contractually require its personnel to be bound by the Policy.

B. Rights to Use Inventions

City shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Invention developed under this Agreement.

- C. Copyright Policy
 - Unless otherwise provided by the terms of the Grantor or of this Agreement, when copyrightable material (Material) is developed under this Agreement, the author or the City, at the City's discretion, may copyright the Material. If the City declines to copyright the Material, the City shall have an unencumbered right, and a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, access, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all governmental purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement.
 - 2. The Grantor shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement or any Copyright purchased under this Agreement. Contractor shall comply with 24 CFR 85.34.
- D. Rights to Data
 - 1. The Grantor and the City shall have unlimited rights or copyright license to any data first produced or delivered under this Agreement. "Unlimited rights" means the right to use, disclose, reproduce, prepare derivative works, distribute copies to the public, and perform and display publicly, or permit others to do so; as required by 48 CFR 27.401. Where the data are not first produced under this Agreement or are published copyrighted data with the notice of 17 U.S.C. §401 or §402, the Grantor acquires the data under a copyright license as set forth in 48 CFR 27.404(f) (2) instead of unlimited rights (48 CFR 27.404(a)).
 - 2. Obligations Binding on Subcontractors Contractor shall require all subcontractors to comply with the obligations of this section by incorporating the terms of this section into all subcontracts.
- E. Intellectual Property Provisions for California Sub-Grants (IF APPLICABLE)

This Agreement is funded in part with federal "pass through" funds from the State of California (State). The following requirements are applicable to this Agreement. In any Contract funded in whole or in part by the federal government, City/State may acquire and maintain the Intellectual Property rights, title, and ownership, which result directly or indirectly from the Contract, except as provided in 37 Code of Federal Regulations Part 401.14. However, pursuant to 29 CFR Part 97.34, the federal government shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, irrevocable, paid-up license throughout the world to use, duplicate, or dispose of such Intellectual Property throughout the world in any manner for governmental purposes and to have and permit others to do so.

F. Ownership

- 1. Except where City/State has agreed in a signed writing to accept a license, City/State shall be and remain, without additional compensation, the sole owner of any and all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property, from the moment of creation, whether or not jointly conceived, that are made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. For the purposes of this Agreement, Intellectual Property means recognized protectable rights and interest such as: patents (whether or not issued,) copyrights, trademarks, service marks, applications for any of the foregoing: inventions, trade secrets, trade dress, logos, insignia, color combinations, slogans, moral rights, right of publicity, author's rights, contract and licensing rights, works, mask works, industrial design rights, rights of priority, know how, design flows, methodologies, devices, business processes, developments, innovations, good will any data or information maintained, collected or stored in the ordinary course of business by City/State, and all other legal rights protecting intangible proprietary information as may exist now and/or hereafter come into existence, and all renewals and extensions, regardless of whether those rights arise under the laws of the United States, or any other state, country, jurisdiction.
- 3. For the purposes of the definition of Intellectual Property, "works" means all literary works, writings and printed matter, including the medium by which they are recorded or reproduced, photographs, art work, pictorial and graphic representations and works of a similar nature, film, motion pictures, digital images, animation cells, and other audiovisual works, including positives and negatives thereof, sound recordings, tapes, educational materials, interactive videos, computer software and any other materials of products created, produced, conceptualized and fixed in a tangible medium of expression. It includes preliminary and final products and any materials and information developed for the purposes of producing those final products. "Works" does not include articles submitted to peer review or reference journals or independent research projects.
- 4. In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor may exercise and utilize certain of its Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. In addition, under this Agreement, Contractor may access and utilize certain of City's/State's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Except as otherwise set forth herein, Contractor shall not use any of City's/State's Intellectual Property now existing or hereafter existing for any purposes without the prior written permission of City/State. Except as otherwise set forth herein, neither Contractor nor City/State shall give any ownership interest in or rights to its Intellectual Property to the other Party. If, during the term of this Agreement, Contractor accesses any third-party Intellectual Property that is licensed to City/State, Contractor agrees to abide by all license and confidentiality restrictions applicable to City/State in the third-party's license agreement.
- 5. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City/State in establishing or maintaining City/State's exclusive rights in the Intellectual Property, and in assuring City's/State's sole rights against third-parties with respect to the Intellectual Property. If the Contractor enters into any agreements or subcontracts with other parities in order to perform this Agreement, Contractor shall require the terms of agreement(s) to include all Intellectual Property provisions herein. Such terms must include, but are not limited to, the subcontractor assigning and agreeing to assign to City/State all rights, title and interest in Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by the subcontractor, Contractor or City/State and which result directly indirectly from this Agreement or any subcontract.
- 6. The requirement for the Contractor to include all Intellectual Property Provisions in all agreements and subcontracts it enters into with other parties does not apply to agreements or subcontracts that are for customized and on-the-job-training as authorized under 20 CFR 663.700-730.
- 7. Contractor further agrees to assist and cooperate with City/State in all reasonable respects, and execute all documents and, subject to reasonable availability, give testimony, and take all further acts reasonably necessary to acquire, transfer, maintain, and enforce City's/State's Intellectual Property rights and interests.
- G. Retained Rights/License Rights
 - 1. Except for Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement, Contractor shall retain title to all of its Intellectual Property to the extent such Intellectual Property is in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Contractor hereby grants to City/State, without additional compensation, a permanent, non-exclusive, royalty free, paid-up, worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, non-terminable license to use, reproduce, manufacture, sell, offer to sell, import, export, modify, publicly and privately display/perform, distribute, and dispose of Contractor's Intellectual Property with the right to sub-license through multiple layers, for any purpose

whatsoever, to the extent it is incorporated in the Intellectual Property resulting from this Agreement, unless Contractor assigns all rights, title and interest in the Intellectual Property as set forth herein.

2. Nothing in this provision shall restrict, limit, or otherwise prevent Contractor from using any ideas, concepts, know-how, methodology or techniques related to its performance under this Agreement, provided that Contractor's use does not infringe the patent, copyright, trademark rights, license or other Intellectual Property rights of City/State or third-party, or result in a breach or default of any provisions herein or result in a breach of any provisions of law relating to confidentiality.

H. Copyright

- 1. Contractor agrees that for purposes of copyright law, all works made by or on behalf of Contractor in connection with Contractor's performance of this Agreement shall be deemed "works for hire." Contractor further agrees that the work of each person utilized by Contractor in connection with the performance of this Agreement will be a "work made for hire," whether that person is an employee of Contractor or that person has entered into an agreement with Contractor to perform the work. Contractor shall enter into a written agreement with any such person that: (i) all work performed for Contractor shall be deemed a "work made for hire" under the Copyright Act and (ii) that person shall assign all right, title, and interest to City/State to any work product made, conceived, derived from or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. All materials, including, but not limited to, computer software, visual works or text, reproduced or distributed pursuant to this Agreement that include Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement may not be reproduced or disseminated without prior written permission from City/State.

I. Patent Rights

With respect to inventions made by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, which did not result from research and development specifically included in the Agreement's scope of work, Contractor hereby grants to City/State a license for devises or material incorporating, or made through the use of such inventions. If such inventions result from research and development work specifically included within the Agreement's scope of work, then Contractor agrees to assign to City/State, without additional compensation, all its rights, title and interest in and to such inventions and to assist City/State in securing United States and foreign patents with respect thereto.

J. Third-Party Intellectual Property

Except as provided herein, Contractor agrees that its performance of this Agreement shall not be dependent upon or include any Intellectual Property of Contractor or third-party without first: (i) obtaining City's/State's prior written approval; and (ii) granting to or obtaining for City's/State's, without additional compensation, a license, as described in Section G above, for any of Contractor's or third-party's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. If such a license upon these terms is unattainable, and City/State determines that the Intellectual Property should be included in or is required for Contractor's performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall obtain a license under terms acceptable to City/State.

K. Warranties

- 1. Contractor represents and warrants that:
 - a. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for its performance of this Agreement. Neither Contractor's performance of this Agreement, nor the exercise by either Party of the rights granted in this Agreement, nor any use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, import, export, modification, public and private display/performance, distribution, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement will infringe upon or violate any Intellectual Property right, non-disclosure obligation, or other proprietary right or interest of any third-party or entity now existing under the laws of, or hereafter existing or issued by, any state, the United States, or any foreign country. There are currently no actual or threatened claims by any such third-party based on an alleged violation of any such right by Contractor.
 - b. Neither Contractor's performance nor any part of its performance will violate the right of privacy of, or constitute a libel or slander against any person or entity.

- c. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for Intellectual Property, including, but not limited to, consents, waivers or releases from all authors or music or performances used, and talent (radio, television, and motion picture talent), owners of any interest in and to real estate, site locations, property or props that may be used or shown.
- d. It has not granted and shall not grant to any person or entity any right that would or might derogate, encumber, or interfere with any of the rights granted to City/State in this Agreement.
- e. It has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance or computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- f. It has no knowledge of any outstanding claims, licenses or other charges, liens, or encumbrances of any kind or nature whatsoever that could affect in any way Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- 2. City/State makes no warranty that the intellectual property resulting from this sub-grant Agreement does not infringe upon any patent, trademark, copyright or the like, now existing or subsequently issued.
- L. Intellectual Property Indemnity
 - 1. Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless City/State and its licensees and assignees, and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and users of its products ("Indemnities") from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, liabilities (or actions or proceedings with respect to any thereof), whether or not rightful, arising from any and all actions or claims by any third-party or expenses related thereto (including, but not limited to, all legal expenses, court costs, and attorney's fees incurred in investigating, preparing, serving as a witness in, or defending against, any such claim action, or proceeding, commenced or threatened) to which any of the Indemnities may be subject, whether or not Contractor is a party to any pending or threatened litigation, which arise out of or are related to: (i) the incorrectness or breach of any of the representations, warranties, covenants or agreements of Contractor pertaining to Intellectual Property; or (ii) any Intellectual Property infringement, or any other type of actual or alleged infringement claim, arising out of City's/State's use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, distribution, import, export, modification, public and private performance/display, license, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement. This indemnity obligation shall apply irrespective of whether the infringement claim is based on a patent, trademark or copyright registration that was issued after the effective date of this Agreement. City/State reserves the right to participate in and/or control, at Contractor's expense, any such infringement action brought against City/State.
 - 2. Should any Intellectual Property licensed by the Contractor to City/State under this Agreement become the subject of an Intellectual Property infringement claim, Contractor will exercise its authority reasonably and in good faith to preserve City's/State's right to use the licensed Intellectual Property in accordance with this Agreement at no expense to City/State. City/State shall have the right to monitor and appear through its own counsel (at Contractor's expense) in any such claim or action. In the defense or settlement of the claim, Contractor may obtain the right for City/State to continue using the licensed Intellectual Property, or replace or modify the licensed Intellectual Property so that the replaced or modified Intellectual Property becomes non-infringing provided that such replacement or modification is functionally equivalent to the original licensed Intellectual Property. If such remedies are not reasonably available, City/State may be entitled to a refund of all monies paid under this Agreement, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.
 - 3. Contractor agrees that damages alone would be inadequate to compensate City/State for breach of any term of these Intellectual Property provisions herein by Contractor. Contractor acknowledges City/State would suffer irreparable harm in the event of such breach and agrees City/State shall be entitled to obtain equitable relief, including without limitation an injunction, from a court of competent jurisdiction, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

M. Survival

The provisions set forth herein shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or any project schedule.

EXHIBIT I SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

- 1. For the purpose of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to purchase agreement or lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, consultant services subcontracts and construction subcontracts.
- 2. Subcontracts entered into in the performance of this Agreement shall:
 - a. Be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. City may require incorporation of the applicable provisions in a written agreement.
 - b. Specifically prohibit assignment or transfer of interest without prior written approval by the City.
 - c. Contractor must specifically provide proof, when applicable, of the appropriate permits and/or business licenses.
- 3. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution.
- 4. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be maintained by Contractor and provided to City upon written request.
- 5. Subcontractors shall be procured consistent with the Procurement Procedures outlined in this Agreement.
- 6. A subcontractor is defined as a person or business who is awarded a portion of an existing contract by a principal or general contractor. A subcontractor performs work under a contract with a general contractor.

B. PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

- It is the policy of the City of Los Angeles (City) to encourage fair and open competition in its procurement for goods and services. The requirements for a fair and open competition include the development of written procurement policies that include, but are not limited to all of the following subsections. Several of the provisions herein include City mandated rules and procedures in addition to the other grant requirements. Such policies are applicable to subcontractors to the extent permitted by law.
 - a. Purpose: It is the intent of these rules that these procedures shall apply to all subcontracts including, but not limited to purchase agreements, lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, and consultant services subcontracts. All contractors are required to prepare written procurement procedures. All written procedures and policies for procurement activities are to be available for public inspection.
 - b. Responsibilities:
 - (1) The following procedures shall apply to all procurements under this Agreement in order to ensure that all solicitations:
 - (a) Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product or service to be procured. Such description shall not, in competitive procurement, contain features which unduly restrict competition; and
 - (b) Identify all requirements that the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - (2) Issue a Public Notification: The notification must be made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) or other media that covers the entire service area.

- (3) All steps of each procurement must be documented, including a description of the documentation process and where the documentation will be located.
- (4) Contractor shall provide a copy of the bid package to anyone who requests it. Contractor shall compile a list of everyone requesting a copy of the bid package.
- (5) The Contractor shall ensure that all pre-qualified lists of persons, firms or other organizations that are used to acquire goods and services are current and include sufficient numbers of qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. The agencies listed on the bidder's list may be individually notified.
- (6) The Contractor shall maintain records that are sufficient to detail the significant history of a procurement procedure. These records shall include, but are not limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement; the selection of contract type; contractor selection or rejection; rational and reasonable rating criteria and the basis for the contract type.
- (7) The Contractor shall keep records sufficient to insure that funds have not been spent unlawfully.
- (8) The Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to any procurement agreement/contract within the County of Los Angeles for a period of five (5) years following termination of the Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. "Pending Matters" include, but are not limited to an audit, litigation, or other activities involving records. Prior to destruction of records retained under this Agreement, the Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of said records.
- (9) The Contractor shall not contract with any party that is debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from participation in Federal assistance programs. All contracts shall include a self-certification from the contractor that it is not a debarred party.

The Federal government prohibits awards to any party that is debarred. The Federal government compiles a list of debarred parties. The Federal list is published by the General Services Administration. A copy may be obtained by accessing <u>https://www.sam.gov/SAM/</u>. The list will be issued as an Information Bulletin in May of each year. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that funds are not awarded to entities on the debarment list.

- (10)Procurement activities must be concluded in a confidential manner. Staff involved in procurements must not divulge advance purchasing information, specific proposal/offer evaluation criteria, and negotiations with bidders or in-house discussions regarding procurement until such time as this information is released to all parties.
- (11)Contractor shall receive and log in proposals and establish a method for recording the date and time of arrival of proposals using either a log-in sheet, or a date/time stamp. Contractor shall establish a single location for receipt of proposals. Contractor shall ensure that the only proposals received by the deadline specified in the bid package qualify for the evaluation process unless there is a valid legal reason for otherwise considering a late proposal.
- (12)Contractor shall establish proposal evaluation procedures that shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Clear staff responsibilities: A procurement specialist shall be designated for each bid/proposal process. It shall be the responsibility of the specialist to insure compliance with these procurement rules;
 - (b) Develop a standard worksheet or check-list for determining responsiveness of each proposal;
 - (c) Establish and use evaluation criteria and a standard evaluation worksheet to be used in recording the evaluations of each proposal;
 - (d) Prepare an analysis of costs to verify allowability and to determine reasonableness;
 - (e) Identify staff responsibilities for completing proposal evaluation and for summarizing evaluation results;

- (f) Develop a description of methods for ensuring independence of ratings by those involved in the evaluation process (i.e., prohibit discussion among staff, sequestered evaluations);
- (g) Identify policy and process by which selection of awardee(s) will be made; and
- (h) Provide an opportunity for bidders to appeal staff recommendations.

Items a-c should be sufficiently completed before issuance of the bid package so relevant parts can be included.

- (13)Contractor shall identify complete and timely proposals. Contractor shall review the technical merits of these proposals based on the rating criteria contained in the bid package. Contractor shall review the cost proposals based on applicable cost principles and the technical proposal.
- (14)Contractor shall determine which proposals are in competitive range for technical response and based on the cost and price analysis conducted prior to the release of the bid package.
- (15)Contractor shall negotiate with organization(s) in the competitive range. Contractor shall establish policies and procedures governing face-to-face negotiations. Include in these policies opportunities to seek clarification of the proposal content, the offeror to submit a best and final proposal prior to final evaluation and award. Contractor shall include in the criteria that all responsive offerors in the competitive range are given fair and equal consideration based on the merits of their proposals. Contractor shall document these negotiations in writing.
- (16)Private for-profit entities must obtain prior written approval from the City for purchases of personal property (other than supplies) using Agreement funds.
- (17)Contractor shall conduct and document oversight to ensure compliance with these procurement procedures.
- (18)If the State of California, or the City of Los Angeles has established a debt against a service provider that has not been repaid or a repayment agreement plan has not be implemented, then the service provider shall be barred from receiving any future City funds.
- (19)Participation of Minorities, Women, Disadvantaged and Small Businesses

To the fullest extent possible in the administration of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to provide opportunities for minorities, women, disadvantaged and small businesses to participate in procurements under this Agreement.

- (20)The Contractor shall not use funds provided under this Agreement to duplicate facilities or services available in the area (with or without reimbursement) from Federal, State, or local sources, unless it is demonstrated that the Agreement-funded alternative services or facilities would be more effective or more likely to achieve performance goals.
- (21)The Contractor, to the maximum extent practicable and permitted by law, is encouraged to maximize use of goods, products, and materials produced in the United States when procuring goods and services under Federal awards. (2 CFR 200.322.)
- (22)The Contractor, consistent with 2 CFR 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunication and video surveillance services or equipment (Effective 8/13/2020)), shall be prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or (3) enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain, equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. This prohibition applies even if the contract is not intended to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services. As described in section 889 of the 2019 National Defense Authorization Act, covered telecommunications equipment or services includes: Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- (a) Costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:
 - (i) Obligating or expending covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (ii) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (iii) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (iv) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.
- c. Cost or Price Analysis:
 - (1) The non-Federal entity must perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the Simplified Acquisition Threshold including contract modifications. The method and degree of analysis is dependent on the facts surrounding the particular procurement situation, but as a starting point, the non-Federal entity must make independent estimates before receiving bids or proposals.
 - (2) The non-Federal entity must negotiate profit as a separate element of the price for each contract in which there is no price competition and in all cases where cost analysis is performed. To establish a fair and reasonable profit, consideration must be given to the complexity of the work to be performed, the risk borne by the contractor, the contractor's investment, the amount of subcontracting, the quality of its record of past performance, and industry profit rates in the surrounding geographical area for similar work.
 - (3) Costs or prices based on estimated costs for contracts under the Federal award are allowable only to the extent that costs incurred or cost estimates included in negotiated prices would be allowable for the non-Federal entity under Subpart E—Cost Principles of this part. The non-Federal entity may reference its own cost principles that comply with the Federal cost principles.
 - (4) The cost plus a percentage of cost and percentage of construction cost methods of contracting must not be used.
- d. Awarding of Agreement/Contract
 - (1) Prior to an award of a contract, the City/Contractor shall make a determination that the Contractor/Subcontractor has demonstrated effectiveness in providing the requested services. Agreements/Contracts shall be made only with responsible Contractors/Subcontractors who possess the potential ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. The selected proposer must be a responsive entity that has submitted a proposal or bid which meets all requirements of the solicitation adequately, which includes responding to the Request for Proposal (RFP)/Request of Qualification (RFQ) within the required time frames, and completing all forms and documents. A responsible entity is one that has been determined to: 1) have a satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics; 2) have a satisfactory performance record; 3) have adequate financial resources to perform the contract or the ability to obtain such resources; 4) be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery of performance schedule, taking into consideration all existing commercial and business commitments; 5) have the needed organization, experience, accounting, operational control and technical skills or ability to obtain them; 6) have adequate production, construction or technical equipment and needed facilities or the ability to obtain them; 7) be able to meet the program design specifications; 8) be able to meet performance goals which includes a showing of demonstrated effectiveness in providing employment and training services; 9) be able to provide services that can lead to the achievement of competency standards for participants; and 10) be both qualified and eligible to receive the award under the applicable law and regulation. Contractor/Subcontractor shall make the award(s) and finalize the contract(s). Contractor/Subcontractor shall follow established procedures for formal notification of offerors of the results of the evaluations and selected process.
 - (2) The City/Contractor and its contractors/subcontractors shall make positive efforts to utilize small business and minority-owned business as sources of supplies and services. Such efforts should allow these sources the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts to be performed utilizing Federal grant funds. If applicable, Contractor/Subcontractor certifies that it has complied with Mayoral Directive 2001-26 regarding the Outreach Program for Personal Services Contracts Greater than \$100,000.

- (3) Where such advertised bids are obtained, the awards shall be made to the responsible bidder whose bid is responsive to the invitation and is most advantageous to the grantee, price and other factors considered. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs, and taxes may be considered in determining the lowest bid. No points shall be given for status as subcontractors or a contractor with an approved childcare policy within existing delivery systems. However, if a bid results in a tie score, preference may be given to the contractor or a subcontractors with an approved child care policy.
- (4) Any or all bids may be rejected when it is in the City/Contractor's interest to do so, and such rejections are in accordance with applicable State and local law, rules, and regulations.
- e. Funding Restrictions for High-Risk Contracts
 - (1) A contractor may be considered "high-risk" if an awarding agency determines that the contractor is otherwise responsible but:
 - (a) Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - (b) Is not financially stable;
 - (c) Has a management system that does not meet the management standards set forth in this part; or
 - (d) Has not conformed to terms and conditions of a previously awarded grant or sub-grant.
 - (2) If the City/Contractor agency determines that a grant or sub-grant shall be made to a "high-risk" contractor or subcontractors, then special funding restrictions that address the "high-risk" status may be included in the contract or subcontract. Funding restrictions may include, but are not limited to:
 - (a) Use of reimbursements rather than advances or payment upon completion of the project;
 - (b) Requiring additional and/or more detailed financial or performance reports;
 - (c) Additional monitoring;
 - (d) Requiring the contractor or subcontractors to obtain specific technical or management assistance, and/or
 - (e) Establishing additional prior approvals (e.g., requiring awarding agency approval prior to hiring/firing, award of small purchase contracts).
 - (3) If the City/Contractor decides to impose such funding restrictions, the awarding official shall notify the contractor or subcontractors as early as possible, in writing, of:
 - (a) The nature of the funding restriction(s);
 - (b) The reason(s) for imposing them;
 - (c) The corrective actions which must be taken before they will be removed and the time allowed for completing the corrective actions;
 - (d) The method of requesting reconsideration of the restrictions imposed; and
 - (e) Additional prior approvals.
- f. City Code of Conduct

All contractors shall adopt a Code of Conduct in accordance with the requirements as set forth in §504 of this Agreement.

- g. Methods of Procurement
 - (1) Contractor shall use one (1) of the following methods of procurement either by bid or proposal, as appropriate for each procurement action, for entering into contracts with subcontractors. Contractors shall conduct procurement in a manner that provides full and open competition. Contractor shall perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the small purchase procedures, including contract modifications to determine that the expenditure is reasonable. When any purchase is made, it can only be for an allowable cost. Invitations for bids shall clearly set forth all requirements that the bidder must fulfill in order for his bid to be evaluated by the grantee. Grievance process procedures shall be included in each of the following methods of advertised procurement. Specific requirements and procedures are set forth in 24 CFR §84.44, 2 CFR 200, Los Angeles City Charter §370-§372, and 2 CFR Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, et al., incorporated herein by reference.
 - (2) Prior to entering into any subcontract that has a value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) or more, the Contractor shall submit to the City evidence that it has received a minimum bid(s) for such subcontractors and documentation that justifies the selection of the successful bidder. The Contractor shall maintain records showing the parties solicited and the bids submitted.
 - (a) Micro Purchase Procedure: Micro purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$10,000. No quotations or bids required, but an equitable distribution of purchases must be documented.
 - (b) Small Purchase Procedures: Small purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$250,000. Following the procedures for small purchases shall constitute justification of the procurement method chosen. The bid must indicate the quantity, time frame and all other requirements of the product or service sought. Bids must be solicited from vendors that can reasonably be expected to provide the goods or services needed.

The requirements are:

Dollar Range of Purchase Contract and Method

\$10,001 to \$250,000

3 written bids received**

**Three (3) bids must be received by Contractor. The bid process and bids received must be documented in writing in the file. The Request for Bid must either be provided in writing to the vendors, or transmitted as uniformly as possible over the telephone. To be considered, the bid response must be signed and dated by the vendor.

(c) Purchase/Services Over \$250,000

Procurement by sealed bids (formal advertising). Bids are publicly solicited and a firm fixed price contract (lump sum or unit price) is awarded to the responsible bidder whose bid, conforming with all the material terms and conditions of the invitation for bids, is the lowest in price. The sealed bid method is the preferred method for procuring construction, if the conditions in paragraph (c)(1) of this section apply.

- (i) In order for sealed bidding to be feasible, the following conditions should be present:
 - i. A complete, adequate, and realistic specification or purchase description is available;
 - ii. Two or more responsible bidders are willing and able to compete effectively for the business; and
 - iii. The procurement lends itself to a firm fixed price contract and the selection of the successful bidder can be made principally on the basis of price.
- (ii) If sealed bids are used, the following requirements apply:

- i. Bids must be solicited from an adequate number of known suppliers, providing them sufficient response time prior to the date set for opening the bids, for local, and tribal governments, the invitation for bids must be publicly advertised;
- ii. The invitation for bids, which shall include any specifications and pertinent attachments, must define the items or services in order for the bidder to properly respond;
- iii. All bids shall be opened at the time and place prescribed in the invitation for bids, and for local and tribal governments, the bids must be opened publicly;
- iv. A firm fixed price contract award shall be made in writing to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Where specified in bidding documents, factors such as discounts, transportation cost, and life cycle costs must be considered in determining which bid is lowest. Payment discounts shall only be used to determine the low bid when prior experience indicates that such discounts are usually taken advantage of; and
- v. Any or all bids may be rejected if there is a sound documented reason.
- vi. Issue a Public Notification made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) that covers the entire service area.
- (d) Procurement by competitive proposals.

The technique of competitive proposals is normally conducted with more than one source submitting an offer, and either a fixed price or cost-reimbursement type contract is awarded. It is generally used when conditions are not appropriate for the use of sealed bids. If this method is used, the following requirements apply:

- (i) Requests for proposals must be publicized and identify all evaluation factors and their relative importance. Any response to publicized requests for proposals must be considered to the maximum extent practical;
- (ii) Proposals must be solicited from an adequate number of qualified sources;
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have a written method for conducting technical evaluations of the proposals received and for selecting recipients;
- (iv) Contracts must be awarded to the responsible firm whose proposal is most advantageous to the program, with price and other factors considered; and
- (v) The non-Federal entity may use competitive proposal procedures for qualifications-based procurement of architectural/engineering (A/E) professional services whereby competitors' qualifications are evaluated and the most qualified competitor is selected, subject to negotiation of fair and reasonable compensation. The method, where price is not used as a selection factor, can only be used in procurement of A/E professional services. It cannot be used to purchase other types of services though A/E firms are a potential source to perform the proposed effort.
- (e) Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposals

Procurement by noncompetitive proposals. Procurement by noncompetitive proposals is procurement through solicitation of a proposal from only one source and may be used only when one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- (i) The item is available only from a single source;
- (ii) The public exigency or emergency for the requirement shall not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitation;

- (iii) The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the non-Federal entity; or
- (iv) After solicitation of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.
- (f) Contract Provisions
 - (i) All contracts must contain at a minimum the following provisions:
 - i. Specific deliverables and the basis for payment;
 - ii. Provisions requiring compliance with Community Development Block Grantors (CDBG) including, but not limited to other funding source regulations;
 - iii. Provisions that describe remedies for breach;
 - iv. Provisions that describe Grantors CDBG and other funding sources patent and copyright rules;
 - v. Provisions for termination for cause and convenience;
 - vi. Access to records for audit purposes;
 - vii. Audit requirements;
 - viii. Provisions for payment and delivery;
 - ix. Provisions describing contract amendment procedures;
 - x. Provisions against assignment;
 - xi. Provisions for equal opportunity and non-discrimination;
 - xii. Provisions prohibiting conflicts of interest.
- (g) Competition
 - (i) All procurement transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition consistent with the standards of this section. In order to ensure objective contractor performance and eliminate unfair competitive advantage, contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work, or invitations for bids or requests for proposals must be excluded from competing for such procurements. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:
 - i. Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
 - ii. Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding;
 - iii. Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
 - iv. Noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
 - v. Organizational conflicts of interest;
 - vi. Specifying only a "brand name" product instead of allowing "an equal" product to be offered and describing the performance or other relevant requirements of the procurement; and
 - vii. Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

- (ii) The non-Federal entity must conduct procurements in a manner that prohibits the use of statutorily or administratively imposed state, local, or tribal geographical preferences in the evaluation of bids or proposals, except in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage geographic preference. Nothing in this section preempts state licensing laws. When contracting for architectural and engineering (A/E) services, geographic location may be a selection criterion provided its application leaves an appropriate number of qualified firms, given the nature and size of the project, to compete for the contract.
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have written procedures for procurement transactions. These procedures must ensure that all solicitations:
 - i. Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product, or service to be procured. Such description must not, in competitive procurements, contain features which unduly restrict competition. The description may include a statement of the qualitative nature of the material, product or service to be procured and, when necessary, must set forth those minimum essential characteristics and standards to which it must conform if it is to satisfy its intended use. Detailed product specifications should be avoided if at all possible. When it is impractical or uneconomical to make a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements, a "brand name or equivalent" description may be used as a means to define the performance or other salient requirements of procurement. The specific features of the named brand which must be met by offers must be clearly stated; and
 - ii. Identify all requirements which the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - iii. The non-Federal entity must ensure that all prequalified lists of persons, firms, or products which are used in acquiring goods and services are current and include enough qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. Also, the non-Federal entity must not preclude potential bidders from qualifying during the solicitation period.
- (h) Appeal and Dispute Procedures

The City and its contractors shall have protest procedures to hand and resolve disputes relating to their procurement. A protester shall exhaust all administrative remedies with the contractor before pursuing a protest at a higher level. Notice of appeal rights and procedures must be given to all bidders

EXHIBIT J

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (GC 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about: the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and, penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will: receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and, agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (GC 8350 et seq.)

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (PCC 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:

Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

CCC 307 - CERTIFICATION

Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lesser of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with State of California.

SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured penal

Exhibit J Page 1 of 2 sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph a.

DOMESTIC PARTNERS: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code section 10295.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

Contractor: Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc.

Title: Technical Training Services

Said Agreement is Number _____ of City Contracts.

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AGREEMENT NUMBER _____ OF CITY CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES AND FORENSIC ANALYTICAL CONSULTING SERVICES, INC.

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the City of Los Angeles, a municipal corporation, hereinafter called the City, and Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc., a California for profit corporation, hereinafter called the Contractor.

<u>WITNESSETH</u>

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department, hereinafter called the "LAHD", has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, the City cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the project which is the subject of this Agreement, hereinafter called the Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the Los Angeles Housing Department budget by the United States Conference of Mayors Lead-Safe for Kids' Sake Program (USCM) Grant funding which has been approved by the Los Angeles City Council and the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary, and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter Section 1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX approved by City Council on XXXXber XX 201X and concurred by the Mayor on XXXXber XX 201X) **OR** the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and the Mayor (refer to CAO Report Number 0220-00540-XXXX dated <u>XXXXber XX, 20XX</u>) **OR** Section 14.8 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code which authorizes the General Manager of the Los Angeles Housing Department to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and the Contractor agree as follows:

I. INTRODUCTION

§101. Parties to the Agreement

The parties to this Agreement are:

- A. The City of Los Angeles, a municipal corporation, having its principal office at 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles, California 90012.
- B. The Contractor, known as Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc., a California for profit corporation, having its principal office at 21228 Cabot Boulevard, Hayward, California 94545.
- §102. Representatives of the Parties and Service of Notices
 - A. The representatives of the respective parties who are authorized to administer this Agreement and to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be given are as follows:
 - 1. The representative of the City shall be, unless otherwise stated in the Agreement:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 9th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to: Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

2. The representative of the Contractor shall be:

David B. McGrath, Corporate Training Director Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. 7850 West 70th Drive Arvada, CO 80004 david.mcgrath@forensicanalytical.com

With copies to: «SecondSigner», «Title2ndSigner»

«Center_location» «AdminEmail»

Formal notices, demands and communications to be given hereunder by either party shall be made in writing and may be effected by personal delivery or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.

If the name of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications or the address of such person is changed, written notice shall be given, in accord with this section, within five (5) working days of said change.

§103. Conditions Precedent to Execution of This Agreement

Contractor shall provide copies of the following documents to the City:

- A. Proof of insurance as required by the City in accordance with and attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- B. A Certification of Compliance with the Living Wage Ordinance Service Contractor Worker Contention and Living Wage Policy in accordance with the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.37 *et seq*.
- C. A Certification of Compliance with Slavery Disclosure Ordinance in accordance with §433, First Source Hiring Ordinance in accordance with §434, Local Business Preference Ordinance in accordance with §435, and Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance in accordance with §445, available on the City of Los Angeles' Business Assistance Virtual Network (BAVN) residing at <u>www.labavn.org</u>, prior to award of a City contract.
- D. Contractor shall submit a Code of Conduct to the City for approval and that it must meet the requirements of the Executive Directive Number FY 12-0001.

II. TERM AND SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED

§201. Time of Performance

The term of this Agreement shall commence on **October 1, 2022** and end **September 30, 2023**, with an option to extend for up to two (2) additional one-year terms. Said term is subject to the provisions herein. Performance shall not commence until the Contractor has obtained the City's approval of the insurance as required herein.

§202. Services to be Provided by the Contractor

The Contractor shall provide contractual services which are supported by the work task schedule identified in this section. All work is subject to prior City approval. Failure to receive approval may result in withholding compensation pursuant to §301.

The Contractor shall provide construction training to staff on a periodic basis. Such training may include:

- A. Construction law, construction project monitoring, Davis Bacon compliance training, Renovation, Repair and Painting (RRP) Rule, Lead Inspector Assessor, Monitor, Lead Supervisor, Lead worker, and other related California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) related courses for initial certification and continuing education (where required).
- B. Contractor shall be responsible for providing handouts, and necessary audio-visual aids to make a complete presentation.
- C. Contractor shall prepare a class evaluation form, to be reviewed by LAHD before using. At the end of each training session, Contractor shall ask each student to complete a class evaluation form. Evaluations shall be submitted to LAHD along with a written report of the training. The written report will be due within one week of the training and should include: date of training; location of training; topic; number of students; sign-in sheet with student name, position, company, address, and phone; samples of materials distributed; Contractor assessment of training; and the students' evaluations.

LAHD, if needed, shall work with Contractor in providing space accommodations. This does not include computer or audio-visual equipment.

III. PAYMENT

- §301. Compensation and Method of Payment
 - A. The City shall pay to the Contractor as compensation for complete and satisfactory performance of the terms of this Agreement, an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000). The foregoing amount represents the total compensation to be paid by the City to Contractor for services to be performed as designated by this Agreement.
 - B. The Contractor shall submit monthly invoices to Los Angeles Housing Department. Each monthly invoice shall: a) be submitted on the Contractor's letterhead; b) include the name, hours, rate of pay for all personnel to be paid; c) include evidence of the completed project; d) include supporting documentation for all approved purchases of equipment or supplies; and e) be accompanied by a statement detailing the work completed for the month. All expenses for travel must receive prior approval from the City and must be documented and will be paid only in conformance with City policies

and procedures. Funds shall not be released until the City has approved the work received and is satisfied with the documentation included in the invoice.

- C. Ten percent (10%) of the total compensation shall be withheld by the City until the Contractor has completed the requirements of this Agreement.
- D. It is understood that the City makes no commitment to fund this Agreement beyond the terms set herein.
- E. Invoices and supporting documentation shall be prepared at the sole expense and responsibility of the Contractor. The City will not compensate the contractor for any costs incurred for invoice preparation. The City may request, in writing, changes to the content and format of the invoice and supporting documentation at any time. The City reserves the right to request additional supporting documentation to substantiate costs at any time. All invoices must be signed by an officer of the Contractor under penalty of perjury that the information submitted is true and correct.
- F. Contractor agrees to offer the City any discount terms that are offered to its best customers for the goods and services to be provided hereunder and shall warrant that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs to the City.
- G. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (Cal. Gov. Code §§12650 *et seq.*), including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to \$10,000 per false claim.

IV. STANDARD PROVISIONS

§401. Construction of Provisions and Titles Herein

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the City or Contractor. The word "Contractor" includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural and if there is more than one Contractor, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

§402. Applicable Law, Interpretation and Enforcement

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City, including but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. The Contractor shall comply with new, amended, or revised

laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to the Contractor.

In any action arising out of this Contract, the Contractor consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of this Contract shall not be affected.

§403. Time of Effectiveness

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the Contractor by the person or persons authorized to bind the Contractor;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the City by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.
- §404. Integrated Contract

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of Section 405 herein.

§405. Amendment

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of Section 403.

§406. Excusable Delays

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist

acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of the Contractor shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both the Contractor and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, the Contractor shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit the Contractor to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event the Contractor's delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, the Contractor agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

§407. Waiver

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

§408. Suspension

At the City's sole discretion, the City may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing the Contractor with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, the Contractor shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to the City until the City gives written notice to recommence the services.

§409. Termination

A. Termination for Convenience

The City may terminate this Contract for the City's convenience at any time by providing the Contractor thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, the Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. The City shall pay the Contractor its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination and those reasonable and necessary costs incurred by the Contractor to effect the termination. Thereafter, the Contractor shall have no further claims against the City under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and

materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights the City is entitled to, shall become the City property upon the date of the termination. The Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize, or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.

- B. Termination for Breach of Contract
 - Except as provided in Section 6, if the Contractor fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, the City may give the Contractor written notice of the default. The City's default notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of the City. Additionally, the City's default notice may offer the Contractor an opportunity to provide the City with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to the City within the time period allowed by the City. At the City's sole discretion, the City may accept or reject the Contractor's plan. If the default cannot be cured or if the Contractor fails to cure within the period allowed by the City, then the City may terminate this Contract due to the Contractor's breach of this Contract.
 - 2. If the default under this Contract is due to the Contractor's failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, the Contractor shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. The Contractor shall not recommence performance until the Contractor is fully insured and in compliance with the City's requirements.
 - 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against the Contractor, or if the Contractor makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then the City may immediately terminate this Contract.
 - 4. If the Contractor engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates the City's laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then the City may immediately terminate this Contract.
 - 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude
 - a. The Contractor shall immediately notify the City if the Contractor or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
 - b. If the Contractor or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, the City may immediately terminate this Contract.

- c. If the Contractor or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, the City may terminate this Contract after providing the Contractor an opportunity to present evidence of the Contractor's ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
- d. Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of the Contractor.
- 6. In the event the City terminates this Contract as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and the Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that the Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to Section 409.A "Termination for Convenience".
- 8. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, the Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

§410 Independent Contractor

The Contractor is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of the City. The Contractor shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of the City.

§411 Contractor's Personnel

Unless otherwise provided or approved by the City, Contractor shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Agreement. The City shall have the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Agreement. Contractor agrees to remove personnel from performing work under this Agreement if requested to do so by the City.

Contractor shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Agreement without the prior written approval of the City. If the City permits the use of Subcontractors, Contractor shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Agreement. The City has the right to approve Contractor's Subcontractors, and the City reserves the right to request replacement of Subcontractors. The City does not have any obligation to pay Contractor's Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity between the City and the Subcontractors.

§412. Assignment and Delegation

The Contractor may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of the City:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

§413. Permits

The Contractor and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications, and other documents necessary for the Contractor's performance under this Contract and shall pay any fees required therefor. The Contractor shall immediately notify the City of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to the Contractor's performance of this Contract.

§414. Claims for Labor and Materials

The Contractor shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against the City property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by the Contractor hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

§415. Current Los Angeles City Business Tax Registration Certificate Required

For the duration of this Contract, the Contractor shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 et seq. of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

§416. Retention of Records, Audit, and Reports

The Contractor shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by the City. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by the City, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized the City personnel or the City regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, the Contractor may, upon the City's written approval, submit the required information to the City in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

§417. Bonds

All bonds required by the City shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 et seq., as amended from to time.

§418. Indemnification

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of the City, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in Interest, the Contractor shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands, and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by the City, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including the Contractor's employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by the Contractor, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

§419. Intellectual Property Indemnification

The Contractor, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the City, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by the City, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by the Contractor, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of the City's actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in Section 21) furnished by the Contractor, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of the City provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

§420. Intellectual Property Warranty

The Contractor represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributorily, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

§421. Ownership and License

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by the Contractor or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of the City for its use in any manner the City deems appropriate. the Contractor hereby assigns to the City all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. The Contractor further agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize, or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.

The Contractor agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause the City irreparable harm. The City may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude the City from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which the City may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to the City that are not originated or prepared by the Contractor or its Subcontractors under this Contract, the Contractor shall secure a grant, at no cost to the City, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any the City purposes.

The Contractor shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of the City.

Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that the City's ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

§422 Data Protection

- A. The Contractor shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, the City-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). the Contractor shall notify the City in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of the Contractor's discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. The Contractor shall begin remediation immediately. The Contractor shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by the City, regarding findings and actions performed by the Contractor until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to the City's satisfaction. The Contractor shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with the City. At the City's sole discretion, the City and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. The Contractor shall cooperate fully with the City, its agents and law enforcement.
- B. If the City is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then the Contractor shall fully indemnify and hold harmless the City and defend against any resulting actions.
- §423. Insurance

During the term of this Contract and without limiting the Contractor's obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the City, the Contractor shall provide and maintain

at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit A hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to the City's requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit A hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. The Contractor shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit A hereto. Exhibit A is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

§424. Best Terms

Throughout the term of this Contract, the Contractor, shall offer the City the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of the Contractor's customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

§425. Warranty and Responsibility of Contractor

The Contractor warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within the Contractor's profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

§426. Mandatory Provisions Pertaining to Non-Discrimination in Employment

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Contract, the Contractor shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference (<u>https://bca.lacity.org/Uploads/ebo/EB_Ordinance.pdf</u>).
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract (<u>http://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2015/15-0817_ORD_184292_6-27-16.pdf</u>).

D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract (<u>http://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2015/15-0817_ORD_184292_6-27-16.pdf</u>).

Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

§427. Child Support Assignment Orders

The Contractor shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, the Contractor shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of the Contractor to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of the Contractor to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the Contractor under this Contract. Failure of the Contractor or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include identical provision (http://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/1997/97an 2162 ORD 172401 02-13-1999.pdf).

§428. Living Wage Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 et seq., as amended from time to time. The Contractor further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

§429. Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 et seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision (<u>http://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/1995/95-0654-S2_ORD_171004_05-18-1996.pdf</u>).

§430. Access and Accommodations

The Contractor represents and certifies that:

A. The Contractor shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C.

Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;

- B. The Contractor shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. The Contractor shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to the City-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

The Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

§431. Contractor Responsibility Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 et seq., as amended from time to time.

§432. Business Inclusion Program

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, the Contractor shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. The Contractor shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. The Contractor shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. The Contractor shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall the Contractor reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of the City.

§433. Slavery Disclosure Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 et seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision (https://bca.lacity.org/uploads/sdo/Slavery%20Disclosure%20Ordinance.pdf).

§434. First Source Hiring Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 et seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision (https://bca.lacity.org/Uploads/fsho/First%20Source%20Hiring%20Ordinance.pdf).

§435. Local Business Preference Ordinance

The Contractor shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 et seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision (<u>https://bca.lacity.org/Uploads/contracting/LBP Ordinance 181910.pdf</u>).

§436. Iran Contracting Act

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with the City for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contracting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

§437. Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected the City office, the Contractor, the Contractor's principals, and the Contractor's Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles the City to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected the City officials or candidates for elected the City office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a the Contractor subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any the Contractor subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #_____. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("City") officials and candidates for elected the City office for twelve months after the City contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the CONTRACTOR and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

§438 Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications

The Contractor shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 et seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision (https://bca.lacity.org/Uploads/fciho/Fair%20Chance%20Initiative%20for%20Hiring%20 Ordinance%20for%20City%20Contractors.pdf).

§439 Limitation of City's Obligation to Make Payment to Contractor

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for the City to comply with its governing legal requirements, the City shall have no obligation to make any payments to the Contractor unless the City shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. The Contractor agrees that any services provided by the Contractor, purchases made by the Contractor or expenses incurred by the Contractor in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to the City and the City shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. The Contractor shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriated amount(s) until the City appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

§440 Compliance with Identity Theft Laws and Payment Card Data Security

The Contractor shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. The Contractor also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, the Contractor shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

§441 Compliance with California Public Resource Code Section 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. Technical Training Services

community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, the Contractor shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by the City. The Contractor is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of the Contractor working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at the Contractor's sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

§442 Possessory Interest Tax

Rights granted to the Contractor by the City may create a possessory interest. The Contractor agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, the Contractor shall pay the property tax. The Contractor acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

§443 Confidentiality

All documents, information and materials provided to the Contractor by the City or developed by the Contractor pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. The Contractor shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by the City or as required by law. The Contractor shall immediately notify the City of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

§444. Conflict of Interest

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any Agreements and/or Amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the Agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

B. Code of Conduct

- 1. The City requires that all Contractors/Sub-Contractors adopt a Code of Conduct which at minimum reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive FY12-0001. No Agreements and/or Amendments will be executed without City approval of this Code of Conduct.
- 2. Further, the City requires compliance with the following conflict of interest requirements for all City funded contractors.
- C. Conflict of Interest
 - 1. Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, the Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of the Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 2. The Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administrating any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act, California Government Code §87100 et seq. if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 3. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes, but is not limited to, domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, and daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - (1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.

- (2) Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent (5%) or more; ownership of five percent (5%) or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the Board of Directors or governing body.
- c. A subcontract is any agreement entered into by Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.
- D. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- E. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of the Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City Agreement.
- F. The Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement, (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- G. The Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within a one (1) year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- H. For further clarification of the meaning of any terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City of Los Angeles, State of California, and Federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- I. The Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- J. The Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one (1) year thereafter.
- K. The Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this Section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project, and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor".
- L. The Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.
- §445 Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting.' The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50 (https://bca.lacity.org/Uploads/sdo/Border%20Wall%20Ordinance.pdf).

§446 City's Additional Remedies

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§447 Payment Does Not Imply Acceptance of Work

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

- §448 Work Not in Scope of Services
 - A. Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 above. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.
 - B. Effective October 20, 2021, pursuant to Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 4.700, et seq., any and all employees of the Contractor and/or persons working on their behalf who (1) interact with City employees, (2) are assigned to work on City property for the provision of services, and/or (3) come into contact with the public during the course of work specified in this Agreement on behalf of the City must be fully vaccinated with the Covid-19 vaccine. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.
- §449 Compliance With Current Applicable Safety Protocols And Laws

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of both the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, and the public.

§450 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

VI. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

§501. Complete Agreement

This Agreement contains the full and complete Agreement between the two parties. No verbal agreement nor conversation with any officer or employee of either party shall affect or modify any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

§502. Counterparts and Electronic Signatures

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§503. Number of Pages and Attachments

This Agreement is executed in <u>three (3) duplicate originals</u>, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes twenty-four (24) pages and three (3) Exhibits which constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

[Remainder of page left intentionally blank.]

[Signatures begin on the next page.]

VII. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM: MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	Executed this day of, 2022	2
By Deputy/Assistant City Attorney	For: THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
DateATTEST:	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk By Deputy City Clerk	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
Date	Executed this day of, 2022	2
	For: FORENSIC ANALYTICAL CONSULTIN SERVICES, INC.	ΙG
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By (Print Name) (Title)	
	By (Print Name) (Title)	

City Business License Number: Internal Revenue Service ID Number: Council File/CAO File Number: _____Date of Approval: _____ Said Agreement is Number _____ of City Contracts

> Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. Technical Training Services

EXHIBIT A

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

Name:	Forensic Analytical Consulting Services, Inc. Date:			
Agreen	Agreement/Reference: Technical Training Services			
occupa	ce of coverages checked below, with the specified minimum limits, must be submitted ncy/start of operations. Amounts shown are Combined Single Limits ("CSLs"). For Autom e substituted for a CSL if the total per occurrence equals or exceeds the CSL amount.			
\boxtimes	Workers' Compensation – Workers' Compensation (WC) and Employer's Liability (EL)	WC <u><i>Statutory</i></u> EL \$ 1,000,000		
	Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City Longshore & Harbor Workers Jones Act			
	General Liability Products/Completed Operations Sexual Misconduct Fire Legal Liability	\$ <u>1,000,000</u>		
	Automobile Liability (for any and all vehicles used for this contract, other than commuting to/from work)	\$		
	Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions) Discovery Period <u>12 Months After Completion of Work or Date of Termination.</u>	\$ <u>1,000,000</u>		
	Property Insurance (to cover replacement cost of building - as determined by insurance company) All Risk Coverage Boiler and Machinery Flood Builder's Risk Earthquake Image: Coverage state	\$		
	Pollution Liability	\$		

 Surety Bonds – Performance and Payment (Labor and Materials) Bonds
 100% of the contract price

 Crime Insurance
 100% of the contract price

Other: 1) Professional Liability Insurance is required for any Contractor or Sub-Contractor that requires a Licensed Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement.

\$_____

2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.

EXHIBIT A

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

NAME : Analyst's Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department. Financial Management Div. ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE:

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

<u>PERSON TO CONTACT</u> Direct all correspondence, questions, requests for additional forms, etc., to the contact person listed here or to the department that administers your contract, lease or permit:

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Agreement/Reference All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For Asneeded Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. KwikComply is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at https://kwikcomply.org/.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. General Liability insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. Sexual Misconduct coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. Fire Legal Liability is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (www.2sparta.com), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. Automobile Liability insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. Errors and Omissions coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. Cyber Liability & Privacy coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT B NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at www.lacity.org/BCA/lwo_retaliation_english.pdf and in Spanish at www.lacity.org/BCA/lwo_retaliation_spanish.pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment/Affirmative Action Section at (213) 847-6480

CITY OF LOS ANGELES Department of Public Works Bureau of Contract Administration Office of Contract Compliance 600 South Spring Street, Suite 1300 Los Angeles, CA 90014 Phone: (213) 847-6480 — Fax: (213) 847-5566

<u>EXHIBIT C</u> <u>PROFESSIONAL FEE SCHEDULE</u>

Services will be compensated according to the following fee schedule:

Exhibit C Page 1 of 1

CITY OF LOS ANGELES STANDARD LANGUAGE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT

Agreement No.			
Project Title:	Section 106 Historic Preservation Services		
Primary Services Location:			
Contractor:	ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc.		
Type of Organization:	a Delaware for profit corporation		
Corporate Number:	<u>C3094107</u>		
UEID Number:			
CFDA Number:			
FAIN:			
Federal Award Date:			
Research and Development Award: Yes \Box No \boxtimes			

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THIS AGREEMENT is entered into between the City of Los Angeles ("City"), a municipal corporation, and ICF Jones and Stokes, Inc. ("Contractor"), a Delaware for profit corporation, for the provision of services related to the XXXX Program.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a Grant Agreement with U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, ("Grantor" or "HUD"), to address the needs of the City, and the Grantor has awarded Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") funds to the City for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Housing Department ("LAHD"), has been designated by the City to provide for the proper planning, coordination, direction and management of the City's various community development activities; and

WHEREAS, LAHD cooperates with private organizations, other agencies of the City and agencies of other governmental jurisdictions in carrying out certain functions and programs which are its responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the XXXX program that is the subject of this Agreement, has been established by the City as one of the above described programs, and has been funded in the LAHD budget by HUD pursuant to the CDBG Funds and additional funds; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided herein are of a professional, expert, temporary and occasional nature; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Los Angeles City Charter §1022, the City Council or designee has determined that the work can be performed more economically or feasibly by independent contractors than by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Contractor are desirous of executing this Agreement as authorized by the City Council and the Mayor (refer to Council File Number XX-XXXX dated Month Day, Year), that authorize the General Manager of LAHD to prepare and execute the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City and Contractor agree as follows:

1. INTRODUCTION

§101 TERMS OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement including all exhibits and attachments, including, but not limited to, the Standard Provisions for City Contracts, which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, shall constitute the terms of this Agreement.

§102 NOTICES

The parties to whom formal notices, demands and communications shall be forwarded are as follows:

A. The City, represented by:

Ann Sewill, General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, Ninth Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

With copies to:

Magdalina Zakaryan, Community Housing Programs Manager Lead Program, Housing Development Bureau Los Angeles Housing Department 1200 West 7th Street, 8th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

B. The Contractor, represented by:

Jesse Lattig, Project Manager ICF Jones & Stokes Inc. 555 West 5th Street Los Angeles, CA 90013 Phone Number Jesse.lattig@icf.com

§103 SERVICE OF NOTICES

- A. The City's representative as stated above is the party authorized to provide written approvals by City to Contractor in reference to matters addressed in this Agreement.
- B. Formal notices, demands, and communications required by this Agreement to be given by either party shall be made in writing and may be delivered personally or by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed communicated as of the date of mailing.
- C. If the name and/or address of the person designated to receive the notices, demands or communications changes, the affected party shall notify the other party in writing of the change in accordance with this section within five (5) days of the change.

§104 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EXECUTION

- A. Prior to the execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City for approval in writing the following documents:
 - 1. Insurance Certificates The requirements and instructions for completing, executing, and submitting evidence of insurance to the City are set forth in the City's Insurance Requirements, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference, and more fully described in §502 herein below.
 - 2. If the City has approved the advancement of CDBG funds to Contractor, a Special Bank Account Agreement with a bank is required for the deposit of the advanced CDBG funds. The Special Bank Account Agreement

shall be on a form supplied by the City that sets forth the right of the City to exercise a suspension of business upon proper notice to the bank by the City.

- 3. An Affirmative Action Plan in accordance with §503, herein
- 4. A Code of Conduct that meets the requirements of §504(B) herein.
- B. Prior to execution of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the City with the documents listed below. Contractor shall provide immediate updates to these documents to the City during the Term hereof in the event that the information changes.
 - 1. A current list of the members of the Board of Directors with their individual addresses and telephone numbers where they may be reached.
 - 2. Contractor's Articles of Incorporation and all amendments to those Articles, as filed with the Secretary of State.
 - 3. Contractor's Bylaws, and all amendments to those Bylaws, as adopted by Contractor and properly attested.
 - 4. Resolutions of Executorial Authority or other corporate actions of the Contractor's Board of Directors, properly attested or certified, which specify the name(s) of the person(s) authorized to obligate Contractor and execute contractual documents. If the authorized person is someone other than Contractor's Corporate President, then Contractor shall also submit a copy of a signature specimen(s) on a form provided by the City.
 - 5. A current and valid license to do business in the City of Los Angeles. Contractor represents that it has obtained and presently holds the Tax Registration Certificate(s) required by the City's Business Tax Ordinance (Article 1, Chapter 2, §21.00, *et seq.*, of the Los Angeles Municipal Code). For the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain, or obtain as necessary, all Certificates required of it under the Business Tax Ordinance and shall not allow the Certificates to be revoked or suspended.
 - 6. An Internal Revenue Service taxpayer identification number.
 - 7. A Contractor Responsibility Ordinance Questionnaire in accordance with PSC 31 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.40 *et seq*.
 - 8. A Certification Regarding Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with the requirements of the Notice of Prohibition Against Retaliation as it relates to the Living Wage Ordinance.
 - 9. A Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion, fully executed in accordance with Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, and attached hereto as Exhibit "D" and incorporated herein by reference.
 - 10. A Certification Regarding Lobbying, fully executed in accordance with City Directive 91-3 (July 27, 1990) and attached hereto as Exhibit "E" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall comply with all provisions of 31 USC §1352 *et seq.* and 29 CFR Part 93.
 - A Certification of Compliance With Equal Benefits Ordinance/Reasonable Measures Application for Equal Benefits Ordinance in accordance with PSC – 26 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts and Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.8.3.
 - 12. Compliance with, and/or completion of, the Disclosure Ordinance Affidavit setting forth the requirements of the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance (in accordance with PSC 33 of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts), and the Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting Ordinance, as set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.41 *et seq.*, and the Los Angeles Administrative Code §10.50, respectively.
 - 13. A Management Representation Statement fully executed in accordance with City's fiscal policies and attached hereto as Exhibit "F" and incorporated herein by reference.

14. Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC-307) fully executed in accordance with the CSBG Agreement and attached hereto as Exhibit "J" and incorporated herein by reference.

§105 CONTRACTOR'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL DOCUMENTS

Contractor warrants that it has adopted, shall retain, and make available upon request from the City, the following documents and their amendments, if any:

- A. Contractor's Financial and Accounting Procedures, which incorporate Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) including, but not limited to, the preparation and submission of invoices, reconciliation of cash on-hand and earnings with City records, reporting and tracking of customer activity and earnings, repayment of unearned funds, preparation for the resolution of audits and inspections, inventory control, reporting and tracking of program income.
- B. Contractor's Personnel Policy, which incorporates due process protection and standard personnel procedures, and which the Contractor agrees to abide by in the performance of this Agreement.
- C. Agreements with Other Funding Sources: A copy of any agreements between Contractor and other public or private organizations that directly impact the activities funded under this Agreement shall be kept on file at Contractor's offices and be provided to the City upon Agreement execution. Contractor shall also notify City of any default, termination, or finding of disallowed costs under these agreements. Contractor warrants that no other funding source will be billed for services that are provided and paid for by the City under this Agreement.
- D. Board of Director's meeting minutes.

§106 CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO NOTIFY CITY OF CHANGES

- A. Contractor agrees to provide the City sixty (60) days advance written notice of any facts that may materially affect the performance of this Agreement or impact the City's decision to continue this Agreement with the Contractor. Among the items to be disclosed are an amendment to its Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, move to dissolve or transfer any assets derived from funds provided under §301 herein, negotiations leading to the sale, merger or acquisition of Contractor; debarment or contract termination by any other public entity and/or any final audit findings regarding Contractor's administration of any contract with public funds.
- B. Contractor shall notify the City within five (5) days of changes affecting this Agreement including actions that would change Contractor's legal status, any action that may materially change the performance of the Scope of Work (i.e., bankruptcy) and/or a change in Contractor's corporate name.

2. TERM, SCOPE OF WORK, BUDGET AND PROJECT ELIGIBILITY

§201 TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- A. The term of this Agreement shall be from **October 1**, **2022 to September 30**, **2023** with an option to extend up to two (2) additional one year terms, provided that said term is subject to the provisions of this Agreement ("Term"). Performance shall not commence until the City has approved all of the required documents described hereinabove, and is in receipt of those and/or other documents as described herein.
- B. The City may, at its discretion, agree to extend the Term and/or provide additional funds to Contractor. Funding for contract extensions will be based on the availability to the City of state and/or federal funds and upon the Contractor's successful performance of all terms of this Agreement.

§202 SCOPE OF WORK AND CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY

The Contractor will identify and evaluate properties approved for federally-funded construction, reconstruction, clearance, demolition, or modification (referred to throughout this RFP as undertakings), and complete assessments per the guidelines found in 36 CFR Part 800 "Protection of Historic Properties."

The detailed Scope of Work is attached hereto as Exhibit "G" and incorporated herein by reference. Contractor shall complete the Scope of Work during the Term, except as otherwise provided herein.

§203 BUDGET

Contractor shall submit to the City for approval prior to the disbursement of any funds hereunder a proposed Budget. The Budget shall be prepared in accordance with the budget guidelines to be provided by the City. The Budget is a detailed listing of items12

2022 for expenditure and scope of service(s) under the terms herein. The Budget shall be submitted with all backup documentation as required and/or a cost allocation plan, if necessary and appropriate. All requests to modify the Budget must be made in writing and must be approved in writing by the City. The Budget shall also describe all subcontractor services to be used by the Contractor and the payment procedures for subcontractors.

§204 IDENTIFICATION OF PROJECT ELIGIBILITY/NATIONAL OBJECTIVES

A. This program is eligible under 24 CFR 570 *et seq*. as follows (indicate all appropriate letters and sub-numbers, project may be eligible under several criteria):

201 (a-q) <u>e</u>	204 (a) <u>X</u>
202 (a-c)	205 (a)
203 (a-c)	206 (a-h)

B. All programs funded with CDBG funds must meet one of three national objectives. This project meets the following national objective (check only one):

1. X Activities benefiting very low and low income persons under 24 CFR 570.208 (a)

- a. _____ Area-wide benefit project affecting _____ percent very low and low income persons as indicated in the 2010 census.
- b. _____ Limited-Clientele activities: 570.208(a)(2): A __; B __; C __; D ___
- c. ____ Housing activities
- d. _____ Job Creation/Retention activities that are designed to create or retain jobs for at least 51% very low and low income persons.

2. Activities which aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight, under 24 CFR 570.208 (b).

a. _____ Activity is located in a slum or blighted area, which has been (check one):

_ designated as a Redevelopment Project Area;

List conditions of slum or blight to be addressed by the project. (Complete only for projects qualifying under 570.208 (b)(1), prevention or elimination of slums or blight.)

- b. _____ Activity is located outside a slum or blighted area, but qualifies under spot slum and blight conditions.
- c. _____ Activity will address slum or blight in an urban renewal/ redevelopment area.
- 3. Activities designed to meet community development needs having a particular urgency, under 24 CFR 570.208 (c).
- C. Contractor, during the Term, shall not perform services, or otherwise engage in any activities, that are not consistent with the national objective and project eligibility. Should the City determine that Contractor has performed services or otherwise engaged in activities not in furtherance of the national objective and/or project eligibility, then the City may disallow payment for such services/activities, terminate this Agreement and/or take any other actions as authorized herein.

3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

§301 CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION

- A. Compensation
 - The City shall pay Contractor an amount not to exceed **One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000)**, for the complete and satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work (Exhibit G). These funds shall be allocated from Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds and additional funds. Contractor's right to receive compensation is conditioned upon approval of the Budget by the City, compliance with the City's indemnification and insurance requirements, satisfactory performance of the Scope of Work, and compliance with the terms and conditions contained herein.
 - 2. In no event shall the final expenditures for the Term exceed the total compensation set forth above except as provided for by an amendment to this Agreement.
 - 3. Contractor's reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work shall be made only upon acceptance by the City of the Contractor's invoice and supporting documentation as described in the Reporting Requirements, Section 601 herein below.
 - 4. Expenditures shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Checks, payrolls, invoices, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents shall be clearly identified and readily accessible. Undocumented expenditures shall not be paid under this Agreement.
 - 5. The City shall pay Contractor for salaries and eligible, allowable, and reasonable expenses as detailed in the approved Budget.
 - 6. Contractor shall be paid either on a cost reimbursement or advance basis. If the Contractor were to receive advance funds, it must execute a City approved Special Bank Account Agreement before receipt of funds and shall comply with all contract and regulatory requirements for safeguarding advance funds. Request for advance payment basis is subject to City approval. A Contractor on a cost reimbursement basis of payment shall be paid by the City only upon reporting of actual costs incurred.
- B. Funding of Agreement

Funding for the Scope of Work and Budget is subject to the continuing availability of funds for this program. This Agreement may be terminated immediately upon written notice to Contractor of a loss or reduction of grant funds.

- C. Payment to the Contractor
 - 1. The City makes no commitment to fund this project beyond the initial Term of this Agreement. The City shall review Contractor's performance on a periodic basis. In the event the City determines that Contractor is not meeting its proposed performance measures, the City may unilaterally reduce the compensation set forth above in compliance with the provisions set forth in this Agreement, upon written notice to Contractor and as set forth by a written amendment.
 - 2. Contractor shall be reimbursed for reasonable and allowable expenses incurred. Unless Contractor has been approved to receive advance payments, all payments shall be on reimbursement basis. Contractors who are on an advance payment plan authorized by the City as described in the Budget shall bill the City for all reasonable and allowable costs incurred.
 - 3. Contractors not receiving advance payment plan shall request reimbursements by submitting the cash request, monthly expenditure report and all other documentation, as required by City. Contractor shall be reimbursed after City has received the monthly expenditure report and all other required documents and after City determines that Contractor has incurred and expended funds for reasonable and allowable costs under this Agreement.

- 4. Reasonable and allowable costs shall be determined pursuant to the Allowable and Unallowable Cost section herein.
- D. Stand-In Costs: Contractor shall identify, document, and account for stand-in costs in accordance with the Department's guidelines.
- E. Profit: Contractor shall comply with any City Directives regarding profit or return on investment.
- F. Indirect Costs: For purposes of allocating indirect costs, contractors may use current negotiated indirect cost rates that have been approved by a cognizant federal agency. Contractor shall submit a copy of the approval letter from the cognizant agency. The Contractor may elect to use the 10 percent de minimis rate, if the Agency does not have an approved indirect cost rate as permitted under 45 CFR § 75.414(f) and 2 CFR § 200.414(f).
- G. Applicable Discounts: Contractor warrants that any applicable discounts have been included in the costs billed to the City.
- H. Concurrent Enrollment: If the Contractor is serving customers, concurrently utilizing more than one funding stream, the Contractor is responsible for tracking the services delivered and the expenditures reported to ensure that services and expenditures are not duplicated.
- I. Overtime Work: Contractor is responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the Federal award through the application of sound management practices. The approved Budget for this Agreement does not include any line item for overtime work. Any overtime expenditures incurred by Contractor shall not be reimbursed through this Agreement.
- J. Travel: Travel must be approved in advance by the City and included in the Budget. Contractor shall be compensated for its reasonable travel expenses incurred in the performance of the Scope of Work and in compliance with 2 C.F.R §200.474.
- K. Reallocation of Funds: City reserves the right to unilaterally decrease funds allocated to Contractor in the event that the City determines that (i) Contractor has failed to provide adequate services as required in this Agreement, (ii) Contractor, based on its spending pattern as evidenced by invoices submitted, will have unexpended funds at the end of the Term, or (iii) City determines that a reallocation of funds would better meet program objectives. Such reallocation of funds may be by written amendment to this Agreement or unilaterally imposed by the City by written notice to Contractor.

4. METHODS AND PROCEDURES GOVERNING PAYMENT

§401 WITHHELD PAYMENTS

- A. Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or not released if funds granted to the City are suspended or terminated.
- B. The City has the authority to withhold funds under this Agreement pending a final determination by the City of questioned expenditures or indebtedness to the City arising from past or present agreements between the City and the Contractor. Upon final determination by the City of disallowed expenditures or indebtedness, the City may deduct and retain the amount of the disallowance or indebtedness from the amount of the withheld earned funds.
- C. In the event of a final determination of disallowed costs or a determination of unearned grant funds by either the City, the State, or Grantor, Contractor agrees that it shall pay to the City in non-federal funds, the amount of the final disallowance within thirty (30) days of receipt of notice from the City that such funds are due.
- D. Payments to the Contractor may be unilaterally withheld or reduced by the City if the Contractor fails to comply with the provisions contained herein.

§402 FUNDS EARNED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT

Contractor shall not earn funds provided hereunder prior to the commencement or after the end of the Term. Contractor shall not earn funds subsequent to suspension or termination of this Agreement.

§403 ALLOWABLE AND UNALLOWABLE COSTS

- A. To be eligible for payment, costs or expenditures must be made in compliance with the terms herein, and the provisions of 2 C.F.R Part 200, and set forth below:
 - 1. Be necessary and reasonable for the proper and efficient performance of the Scope of Work and in accordance with the Budget; the City shall have final authority to determine in good faith whether an expenditure is necessary and reasonable.
 - 2. Conform to the limitations within these general conditions and to any governing statutes, regulations and ordinances.
 - 3. Be fully documented and determined in accordance with GAAP.
 - 4. Not be included as a cost or used to meet cost sharing or matching requirements for any other government funding source in either the current or a prior period, except when permitted by the respective government funding sources.
- B. The following costs, among others, are specifically disallowed:
 - 1. Bad Debts: Any losses arising from un-collectible accounts and other claims, and related costs.
 - 2. Contingencies: Contributions to a contingency reserve or any similar provisions for unforeseen events.
 - 3. Contributions and donations.
 - 4. Entertainment: Costs of amusements, social activities and incidental costs, such as meals, beverages, lodging and gratuities relating to entertainment, or any political or lobbying activity.
 - 5. Fines and Penalties: Costs resulting from violations of, or failure to comply with federal, State, and local laws and regulations.
 - 6. Interest and Other Financial Costs: Interest or borrowings (however represented), bond discounts, cost of financing and refinancing operations, and legal and professional fees paid in connection therewith.
 - 7. Membership Expenses: Costs of membership in any organization that devotes a substantial part of its activities to influencing legislation.
 - 8. Meeting Attendance: Costs of attending meetings directly related to the performance of this Agreement that are not open for attendance on a non-segregated basis.
 - 9. Non-competitive Subcontracts: Payments under a subcontract not obtained under competitive bidding procedures unless specifically waived in writing by the City.
 - 10. Insurance policies offering protection against debts established by the federal government.
 - 11. Costs prohibited by §200.450 include Lobbying or costs related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the Congress of the United States.
 - 12. Advancements or reimbursements for expenditures that are determined by the City to be unallowable must be immediately returned to the City.
 - 13. Grant funds may not be used to supplant existing services.

§404 PROGRAM INCOME

- A. Program income is defined as income earned through the activities funded hereby and as set forth in 2 CFR 200.80 and 200.307. Program income includes, but is not limited to, grants, fees that duplicate payments, average daily attendance payments earned through program funded activities, and public or nonprofit agency revenues in excess of contract costs.
- B. Interest earned on advances received by Contractor is program income. All interest earned must be reported as part of the Contractor's monthly expenditure report and must be returned to the City quarterly by separate check made payable to the City and which identifies that the amount represents interest earned on advanced funds.
- C. Any program income must be reported to the City on the expenditure report, and must be returned to the City in accordance with the City's written direction to the Contractor. At the City's discretion, program income may be used to augment the Contractor's program. Use of program income is permitted only by written amendment to this Agreement. Should this use of program income be approved, Contractor shall maintain records in support of all earnings and expenditures relating to the use of those funds in accordance with City record retention and audit requirements. The City shall monitor Contractor's compliance with all program income requirements.
- D. Contractor's failure to comply fully with program income requirements including any City Directives or regulations shall result in findings of disallowed costs.

§405 RETURN OF PROGRAM INCOME

Contractor shall, within forty-five (45) days of the end of the Term, transmit to the City any, and all, remaining program income directly generated by funds provided hereby

§406 RETURN OF UNEXPENDED FUNDS AND CLOSEOUTS

- A. Contractor agrees that upon either the completion or termination of this Agreement any unexpended funds, whether advances, interest earned on advances or unearned funds, shall be immediately returned to the City and in no event later than forty-five (45) days after completion or termination.
- B. Contractor shall submit a complete and accurate final closeout invoice of costs and reimbursements for services performed hereby to the City within forty-five (45) days following the termination or completion of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to comply with the 45-day requirement may result in a unilateral close-out by the City based on previous invoices filed with the City, and/or the imposition of sanctions as specified herein. Requests for payment after the 45 days shall not be paid by the City.

§407 VALIDITY OF FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION SUBMISSIONS

Financial reports submitted to the City shall be accurate and correct in all respects. Should inaccurate reports be submitted to the City, the City may elect to have the Contractor secure the services of a licensed accounting firm. Cost of such accounting services are to be borne by the Contractor and are not to be reimbursed from the funds authorized hereby unless specifically agreed to between Contractor and the City by written amendment.

5. STANDARD PROVISIONS

The provisions of the body of this Agreement shall prevail over the provisions of the Standard Provisions for City Contracts should there be any inconsistency. The term "contract" as used in the Standard Provisions for City Contracts shall include this Agreement.

§501 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In implementing this Agreement, Contractor represents and certifies that it will:

- A. Comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments; and California Government Code Section 11135.
- B. Not discriminate in the provision of its programs, services or activities on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability.
- C. Provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to all of its programs, services and activities.

Contractor represents and certifies that any construction for housing performed with funds provided through this Agreement will be done in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 CFR, Part 40.

Contractor represents and certifies that its buildings, and facilities used to provide services in accordance with this Agreement, are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

Contractor understands that the City is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Agreement.

Contractor will require its subcontractors, if any, to include this language in any subcontract.

§502 INSURANCE

- A. General Conditions
 - 1. During the Term and without limiting Contractor's duty of indemnification herein, Contractor shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having coverage and limits customarily carried and actually arranged by the Contractor but not less than the amounts and types listed on the Required Insurance And Minimum Limits Sheet (Form Gen. 146) in Exhibit B hereto, covering its operations hereunder. Such insurance shall conform to City requirements established by Charter, ordinance or policy, shall comply with instructions set forth on the City of Los Angeles–Instructions And Information On Complying With City Insurance Requirements (Revised 05/18) document, and shall otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. Specifically, such insurance shall: 1) protect City as an Insured or an Additional Interest Party, or a Loss Payee As Its Interest May Appear, respectively, when such status is appropriate and available depending on the nature of applicable coverage; 2) provide City at least thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation, material reduction in coverage or reduction in limits when such change is made at option of the insurer; and 3) be primary with respect to City's insurance plan. Except when City is a named insured, Contractor's insurance is not expected to respond to claims which may arise from acts or omissions of the City.
 - 2. The standard City insurance conditions are incorporated into the sample standard subcontract provisions. The specific insurance coverages and limits shall be described by contractor in any RFP for subcontractor services. These coverages and limits should be tailored to the individual subcontract. For City contracts, Required Insurance and Minimum Limits are set by the City Risk Management staff in the Office of the City Administrative Officer on the Form Gen. 146. Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your evidence of insurance documents. KwikComply™ is the City's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. The easiest and guickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access KwikComply[™] at https://kwikcomply.org and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf. Additional instructions and information on complying with City insurance requirements can be found at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/Submitting proof of Insurance.pdf.
- B. Modification of Coverage

City reserves the right at any time during the Term to change the amounts and types of insurance required hereunder by giving Contractor ninety (90) days advance written notice of such change. If such change should tokes Inc.

result in substantial additional cost to Contractor, City agrees to negotiate additional compensation proportional to the increased benefit to City.

C. Failure to Procure Insurance

All required insurance must be submitted and approved by the City Administrative Officer/Risk Management/Insurance and Bonds prior to the performance of services, inception of any operations or tenancy by Contractor. The required coverages and limits are subject to availability on the open market at reasonable cost as determined by City. Non-availability or non-affordability must be documented by a letter from Contractor's insurance broker or agent indicating a good faith effort to place the required insurance and showing as a minimum the names of the insurance carriers and the declinations or quotations received from each.

Within the foregoing constraints, Contractor's failure to procure or maintain required insurance or a selfinsurance program during the Term shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement under which City may immediately suspend or terminate this Agreement or, at its discretion, procure or renew such insurance to protect City's interests and pay any and all premiums in connection therewith and recover all monies so paid from Contractor.

D. Workers' Compensation

By signing this Agreement, Contractor hereby certifies that it is aware of the provisions of §3700 *et seq.*, of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and that it will comply with such provisions at all such times as they may apply during the performance of the work pursuant to this Agreement.

A Waiver of Subrogation in favor of City will be required when work is performed on City premises under hazardous conditions.

§503 NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

- A. The Contractor shall comply with the applicable nondiscrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and the City. In performing this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate in its employment practices, including compensation, against any employee or applicant for employment, because of such person's race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship and political affiliation or belief. The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity", as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR Part 60).
- B. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code Sections 10.8 through 10.13, to the extent applicable hereto. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Contractor shall comply with the Equal Employment Practices provisions of Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.3, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. If this Agreement contains a consideration in excess of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), the Affirmative Action Program of this Agreement shall be the mandatory contract provisions set forth in Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.8.4, in which event said provisions are incorporated herein by this reference. The Contractor shall also comply with all rules, regulations, and policies of the City's Board of Public Works, Office of Contract Compliance relating to nondiscrimination and affirmative action.
- C. Any subcontract entered into by the Contractor relating to this Agreement, to the extent allowed hereunder, shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- D. No person shall on the grounds of race, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identification, transgender status, sex stereotypes, age, physical handicap, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, domestic partner status, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions, citizenship, and political affiliation or belief be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under this program/project. For purposes of this Section, Title 24 Code of Federal Regulations Part 107 and Section 570.601(b) defines specific discriminatory actions that are prohibited and corrective action that shall be taken in a situation as defined therein.

E. Contractor agrees to adhere to the Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Practices ("ND/EEP") and Affirmative Action ("AA") program provisions during the entire duration of this contract. Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to comply with any and all ND/EEP and AA provisions as set forth in the applicable statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and/or laws.

§504 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

A. No City-funded Employees as Board Members

The City will not execute any agreements and/or amendments with Contractors where an employee (an individual who is paid or receives any financial benefit from funds from the agreement with the City), is a member of the Board of Directors. The Board minutes must reflect this requirement.

- B. Code of Conduct
 - 1. The City requires that all contractors/subcontractors adopt a Code of Conduct that, at a minimum, reflects the constraints discussed in LAHD Directive Number FY 12-0001. The Code shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution of this Agreement.
 - Prior to obtaining the City's approval of any subcontract, Contractor shall disclose to the City any relationship, financial or otherwise, direct or indirect, of Contractor or any of its officers, directors or employees or their immediate family with the proposed subcontractor and its officers, directors or employees.
 - 3. Contractor covenants that none of its directors, officers, employees, or agents shall participate in selecting, or administering any subcontract supported (in whole or in part) by City funds (regardless of source) where such person is a director, officer, employee or agent of the subcontractor; or where the selection of subcontractors is or has the appearance of being motivated by a desire for personal gain for themselves or others such as family business, etc.; or where such person knows or should have known that:
 - a. A member of such person's immediate family, or domestic partner or organization has a financial interest in the subcontract;
 - b. The subcontractor is someone with whom such person has or is negotiating any prospective employment; or
 - c. The participation of such a person would be prohibited by the California Political Reform Act (California Government Code §87100 *et seq.*) if such person were a public officer, because such person would have a "financial or other interest" in the subcontract.
 - 4. Definitions:
 - a. The term "immediate family" includes but is not limited to domestic partner and/or those persons related by blood or marriage, such as husband, wife, father, mother, brother, sister, son, daughter, father-inlaw, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.
 - b. The term "financial or other interest" includes, but is not limited to:
 - 1) Any direct or indirect financial interest in the specific contract, including a commission or fee, a share of the proceeds, prospect of a promotion or of future employment, a profit, or any other form of financial reward.
 - Any of the following interests in the subcontractor ownership: partnership interest or other beneficial interest of five percent or more; ownership of five percent or more of the stock; employment in a managerial capacity; or membership on the board of directors or governing body.
 - c. A "subcontract" is any agreement entered into by a Contractor for the purchase of goods or services with any funds provided by this Agreement.

- 5. Minutes of Board Meetings must reflect disclosure of transactions where Board Members may have had a direct or indirect interest/benefit in the action.
- 6. No director, officer, employee (or agent) of Contractor may be on the Board of Directors if they receive any financial benefit provided by any City agreement.
- 7. Contractor further covenants that no officer, director, employee, or agent shall solicit or accept gratuities, favors, anything of monetary value from any actual or potential subcontractor, supplier, a party to a sub agreement (or persons who are otherwise in a position to benefit from the actions of any officer, employee, or agent).
- 8. Contractor shall not subcontract with a former director, officer, or employee within an one-year period following the termination of the relationship between said person and the Contractor.
- 9. For further clarification of the meaning of any of the terms used herein, the parties agree that references shall be made to the guidelines, rules, and laws of the City, State, and federal regulations regarding conflict of interest.
- 10. Contractor warrants that it has not paid or given and will not pay or give to any third person, any money or other consideration for obtaining this Agreement.
- 11. Contractor covenants that no member, officer or employee of Contractor shall have interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract or the proceeds thereof for work to be performed in connection with this project during his/her tenure as such employee, member or officer or for one year thereafter.
- 12. Contractor shall incorporate the foregoing subsections of this section into every agreement that it enters into in connection with this project and shall substitute the term "subcontractor" for the term "Contractor" and "sub-subcontractor" for "Subcontractor."
- 13. Contractor warrants that it has adopted and shall comply with the Code of Conduct, as approved by the City that meets the foregoing requirements.

§505 COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL STATUTES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor warrants and certifies that it shall comply with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and orders of the United States, the State, the County and City of Los Angeles. Contractor understands that failure to comply with any of the following assurances may result in suspension, termination or reduction of grant funds, and repayment by Contractor to City of any unlawful expenditures. Contractor further warrants and certifies that it shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, and/or procedures that apply to the performance of this Agreement.

A. Statutes and Regulations Applicable To All Grant Contracts

Contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of State, federal, County and City of Los Angeles laws, executive orders, regulations, program and administrative requirements, policies, and any other requirements governing this Agreement, including, but not limited to laws and regulations pertaining to labor, wages, hours, and other conditions of employment. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

1. OMB Circulars

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u>.

2. Single Audit Act

Contractor shall adhere to the rules and regulations of the Single Audit Act, 31 USC §7501 et seq.; City Council action dated February 4, 1987 (C.F. No. 84-2259-S1); and any administrative regulation or field memos implementing the Act. The provisions of this paragraph survive expiration or termination of this Agreement. Also see §608(C) for additional audit requirements.

- 3. Political and Sectarian Activity Prohibited
 - a. None of the funds, materials, property, or services provided directly or indirectly under this Agreement shall be used for any partisan political activity, or to further the election or defeat of any candidate for public office. Neither shall any funds provided under this Agreement be used for any purpose designed to support or defeat any pending legislation or administrative regulation. None of the funds provided pursuant to this Agreement shall be used for any sectarian purpose or to support or benefit any sectarian activity.
 - b. Contractor shall file a disclosure form at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure or which materially affects the accuracy of any of the information contained in any disclosure form previously filed by Contractor. Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. Records Inspection
 - a. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the U.S. Comptroller General and the Auditor General of the State of California, through any authorized representative, may deem necessary, Contractor shall make available for examination all of its records, paper or electronic, with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State, through any authorized representative, shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including all Contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
 - b. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement.
- 5. Labor
 - a. Contractor shall comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed requirements for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
 - b. Contractor shall comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction sub agreements.
 - c. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC § 201) regarding wages and hours of employment.
 - d. None of the funds shall be used to promote or deter union/labor organizing activities (California Government Code §16645 *et seq*.).
 - e. Contractor shall comply with the Hatch Act (5 USC §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328).
 - f. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Article 3, Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code of California, the California Child Labor Laws and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and regulations relative to employment, wages, hours of labor and industrial safety.
- 6. Civil Rights

Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, including, but not limited to:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352, 42 U.S.C. §2000d, and implementing regulations) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin and its implementing regulations and as applied through Executive Order No. 13166, entitled "Improving Access to Services

for Persons with Limited English Proficiency" ("LEP"), which requires recipients of federal funds, including Contractor, to take reasonable steps to insure meaningful access to its programs and activities by person with LEP as more fully described in HUD's final guidance contained in Federal Register, Volume 72, No. 13.

- b. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex.
- c. §§503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794, 45 CFR, Part 84), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap.
- d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age.
- e. The Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse.
- f. The Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616) as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism.
- g. §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records.
- h. Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 *et seq.*), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing.
- i. Any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for federal assistance is being made.
- j. The requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- k. P.L. 93-348 regarding the protection of human subjects involved in research, development, and related activities supported by this award of assistance.
- I. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 U.S.C. §2000e).
- m. The Americans with Disabilities Act 42 U.S.C. §12101 et seq. and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA) Pub.L.110-325 and all subsequent amendments.
- n. The Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008 (GINA) P.L. 110-233.
- 7. Environmental
 - a. Contractor shall comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of federal participation in purchases.
 - b. Contractor shall comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §1451 *et seq.*); (f) conformity of federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under § 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 *et seq.*); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L.

93-523) and the California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986; (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205); (i) Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 §102(a) (P.L. 93-234); and (j) §508 of the Clean Water Act (38 U.S.C. §1360).

- c. Contractor shall comply with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 (16 U.S.C. §1271 *et seq*.) related to protecting components or potential components of the national wild and scenic rivers system.
- d. Contractor shall comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §4822 *et seq*) that prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.
- e. Contractor shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §1251 *et seq*.) that restores and maintains the chemical, physical and biological integrity of the nation's waters.
- f. Contractor shall ensure that the facilities under its ownership, lease or supervision which shall be utilized in the accomplishment of this project are not listed in the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) list of violating facilities and that it will notify the Federal Grantor agency of the receipt of any communication from the director of the EPA Office of Federal Activities indicating that a facility to be used in the project is under consideration for listing by the EPA.
- g. By signing this Agreement, Contractor ensures that it is in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* and is not impacting the environment negatively.
- h. Contractor shall comply with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (P.L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).
- 8. Preservation

Contractor shall comply with §106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §469a-1 *et seq.*).

9. Suspension and Debarment

Contractor shall comply with Federal Register, Volume 68, Number 228, regarding Suspension and Debarment, and Contractor shall submit a certification Regarding Debarment required by EO 12549 and 12689, and any amendment thereto. Contractor shall require that the language of this Certification be included in the award documents for all sub-award at all tiers and that all subcontractors shall certify accordingly.

10. Drug-Free Workplace

Contractor shall comply with the federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 USC §8102, 28 CFR Part 67, and the California Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 (California Government Code §§ 8350-8357).

11. Animal Welfare

Contractor shall comply with the Laboratory Animal Welfare Act of 1966, as amended (P.L. 89-544, 7 U.S.C. §2131 *et. seq.*)

- 12. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-161) grant funds will not be used in contravention of the federal buildings performance and reporting requirements of EO No. 13123, Part 3 of Title V of the National Energy Conservation Policy Act (42 U.S.C. §8251 *et seq.*) or Subtitle A of Title I of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (including the amendments made thereby), nor shall grant funds be used in contravention of §303 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (42 U.S.C. §13212).
- 13. Contractor shall comply with Public Law 103-227, Part C-Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act). This Act requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted by entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State and local governments. Federal programs include

grants, cooperative agreements, loans or loan guarantees, and contracts. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug and alcohol treatment.

Contractor further agrees that the above language will be included in any subcontracts that contain provisions for children's services and that all subcontractors shall certify compliance accordingly.

- 14. Contractor shall assure, pursuant to Public Law 103-333, §507, to the extent practicable, that all equipment and products purchased with grant funds made available under this Agreement shall be American made.
- 15. Contractor shall administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which provisions supersede the OMB Circulars.
- 16. Contractor acknowledges that it is aware of liabilities resulting from submitting a false claim for payment by the City under the False Claims Act (California Government Code §12650 *et seq.)*, including treble damages, costs of legal actions to recover payments, and civil penalties of up to Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) per false claim.
- 17. Mandatory Disclosures: The non-Federal entity or applicant for a Federal award must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in §200.338 Remedies for non-Compliance, including suspension or debarment. (See also 2 CFR part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
- B. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to This Grant Agreement:

Contractor shall comply with the following statutes and regulations as applicable:

- 1. CDBG Program, including, but not limited to 42 U.S.C. §5301 et seq., and 24 CFR Parts 84, 85, and 570.
- Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint: Laws and regulations pertaining to abatement of asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) including insuring that all personnel involved in the abatement of removal process of all ACM and LBP will wear the necessary, legally required protective clothing and respiratory gear.
- 3. Archaeological Sites: If archaeological sites are determined to be located in the vicinity of the program site, a halt work condition is required to allow a state certified archaeologist to assess findings and all work to continue in non-archaeological areas.
- 4. Federal Acquisition Regulation, 48 CFR, Part 31.
- 5. City of Los Angeles Ordinance 164244 relating to the 1% fee for public art.
- 6. Sweat-free Code of Conduct:

All contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment or supplies furnished to the State pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. Contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that it adheres to the Sweat-free Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov and Public Contract Code §6108. Contractor agrees to provide records requested by the Department of Industrial Relations or City to determine compliance with the foregoing requirements.

7. State Nondiscrimination Clause:

During the performance of this contract, contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass or allow harassment, against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, sexual

orientation, race, color, religious creed, marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, ancestry, national origin, medical condition (cancer/genetic characteristics), age (40 and above), disability (mental and physical) including HIV and AIDS, denial of pregnancy disability leave or reasonable accommodation. Contractor and subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code, §12900 et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing Government Code, §12990 (a)–(f), are incorporated into this contract by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 2, §7285.0 et seq.). Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other agreement.

This Contractor shall include the non-discrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts to perform work under contract.

8. Traveling Expenses:

Contractor's administrative-related travel and per diem reimbursement costs shall be reimbursed based on the Contractor's policies and procedures. For programmatic-related travel costs, Contractor's reimbursement rates shall not exceed the amounts established by the State Department of Personnel Administration Rules and Regulations, PML 97-024, Section 599.619, dated July 1, 1997 and Section 599.631, and as amended from time to time.

9. National Labor Relations Board Certification:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

10. Contractors for Legal Services \$50,000.00 or more – Pro Bono Requirement:

Contractor hereby certifies that Contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

11. Expatriate Corporations:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

- C. Statutes and Regulations Applicable to all HUD Funded Agreements:
 - 1. Equal Access to HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing
 - a. Eligibility for HUD-Assisted or Insured Housing:

A determination of eligibility for housing that is assisted by HUD or subject to a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) shall be made in accordance with the eligibility requirements provided for such program by HUD, and such housing shall me made available without regard to actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender identity, or marital status. The terms "sexual orientation" and "gender identity" are defined in 24 CFR §5.100.

b. Prohibition of Inquiries on Sexual Orientation or Gender Identity:

No owner or administrator of HUD-assisted or HUD-insured housing, approved lender in an FHA mortgage insurance program, nor any (or any other) recipient or subrecipient of HUD funds may inquire about the sexual orientation or gender identity of an applicant for, or occupant of, HUD-assisted housing or housing whose financing is insured by HUD, whether renter- or owner-occupied, for the purpose of determining eligibility for the housing or otherwise making housing available.

This prohibition on inquiries regarding sexual orientation or gender identity does not prohibit an individual from voluntarily self-identifying sexual orientation or gender identity. This prohibition on inquiries does not prohibit lawful inquiries of an applicant or occupant's sex where the housing provided or to be provided to the individual is temporary, emergency shelter that involves the sharing of sleeping areas or bathrooms, or inquiries made for the purpose of determining the number of bedrooms to which a household may be entitled. The term "household" is defined in 24 CFR §570.3.

§506 FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

Federal, State, and local taxes shall be the responsibility of Contractor as an independent contractor and not as a City employee.

§507 INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

Contractor shall comply with the requirements regarding Inventions, Patents and Copyrights, which is attached hereto as Exhibit H and incorporated herein by reference.

§508 DISCLOSURE OF BORDER WALL CONTRACTING ORDINANCE

Contractor shall comply with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 10.50, 'Disclosure of Border Wall Contracting. The City may terminate this Contract at any time if City determines that Contractor failed to fully and accurately complete the required affidavit and disclose all Border Wall Bids and Border Wall Contracts, as defined in Section 10.50.

§509 CITY'S ADDITIONAL REMEDIES

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that nothing contained in this Agreement is, represents, or is intended to be construed as: a release, compromise, settlement, or waiver by City of any cause of action that City may have against Contractor. City reserves its rights in full, including, but not limited to, the right to bring any claim, cause of action, or request for reimbursement against Contractor in relation to this Agreement and other transactions between City and Contractor.

§510 PAYMENT DOES NOT IMPLY ACCEPTANCE OF WORK

The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, in no way lessens the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials although the unsatisfactory character of this work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time the payment was made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and upon rejection must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

§511 WORK NOT IN SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall immediately notify LAHD in writing of any work that is requested to be performed that is outside of the original scope of work covered by this Agreement and Section 202 herein. If it is determined that the request is outside of the scope of work, Contractor shall not perform the requested work unless and until (i) the City's designated contract administrator approves the request in writing and authorizes the use of any contingency funds for the work, and (ii) an amendment providing for an adjustment in Contractor's compensation, and the scope of work, is approved and executed by both parties.

§512 PROHIBITION AGAINST DUPLICATION OF BENEFITS

Prohibition against duplication of benefits: Section 312 (42 U.S.C. 5155) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*) prohibits duplication of benefits for programs that provide financial assistance to people or entities suffering losses as a result of a Federally-declared disaster or emergency. The "duplication of benefits" occurs when Federal financial assistance is provided to a person or entity through a program to address losses resulting from a Federally-declared emergency or disaster, and the person or entity has received (or would receive, by acting reasonably to obtain available assistance) financial assistance for the same costs from any other source (including insurance), and the total amount received exceeds the total need for those costs. Contractor must establish and maintain adequate procedures to prevent any duplication of benefits with concurrent grant funds. The City will issue additional guidance to facilitate compliance with this requirement.

§513 COMPLIANCE WITH CURRENT APPLICABLE SAFETY PROTOCOLS AND LAWS

The Contractor, and any of its subcontractors, if applicable, shall comply with any and all safety protocols, current laws, regulations, and public health orders related to the COVID-19 pandemic to ensure the health and safety of the Contractor's employees, any subcontractors, City employees and the public.

§514 COVID-19

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders.

6. **GRANT REQUIREMENTS**

§601 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- A. General Reporting: Contractor shall furnish to the City at the times and on the forms and formats, electronically or manually, as the City may require all records, reports, data and information pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Program Reporting: Contractor shall submit to the City the following program reports as identified below. Contractor shall submit to the City all required documents in accordance with all City procedures and Directives, which are incorporated herein by reference.
 - 1. Monthly Fiscal Report
 - a. Expenditure Report Due on or before the 15th day of each month, the Contractor shall submit the Expenditure Report to the City, which reflects accrued expenditures as of the previous month on forms provided by the City.
 - b. Cash Request Due on or before the 15th day of the month, a Cash Request shall be submitted on forms provided. Contractors approved for cash advances shall submit a cash request on or before the 5th day of the month but not earlier than the 25th of the preceding month. If approved for cash advance, Contractor shall submit an expenditure report for costs incurred as of the 2 months preceding the month for which the cash is requested.
 - 2. Closeout Report
 - a. Costs reported are subject to City verification. Requests to modify the Budget shall be submitted to the City before closeout. Within 45 days following the completion of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit to the City, on forms provided by the City, a complete and accurate closeout invoice, including:
 - 1) Accruals of allowable expenditures within the contract term and program's budget period;

- 2) Remittance for all unearned grant funds as identified in the close-out;
- 3) Program General Ledgers of all billed expenditures approved in the Budget;
- 4) Program Equipment Inventory List.
- b. In the event Contractor does not submit a final closeout or other required documentation within the prescribed time frame, the City reserves the right to unilaterally closeout the Agreement and use the invoice then on file at City for determination of Contractor's final allowable expenditures. The City will not reimburse Contractor for expenditures reported after the 45-day closeout date following the termination of this Agreement. The City shall provide to Contractor the City closeout forms at least 30 days before termination of the Agreement.

§602 MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

- A. Record Retention: Records, in their original form, shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by the Grantor and the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. Original forms are to be maintained on file for all documents specified in this Agreement. Unaltered copies of eligibility documents are acceptable. These records shall be retained for a period of six (6) years after termination of this Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. Pending matters include, but are not limited to, an audit, litigation, or other actions involving records. The City may, at its discretion, take possession of and retain the records. Before destruction of records retained under this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of the records.
- B. Location of Records: Records (including, but not limited to, customer files and fiscal documents in their original form) pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement shall at all times, be retained within the County of Los Angeles unless authorization to remove them is granted in writing by the City.

§603 CUSTOMER/APPLICANT FILES

Contractor shall complete and maintain on-site in each customer's file the following documents, as prescribed by program requirements: 1) application for all applicants; 2) eligibility documents (see note below); 3) assessment documents; 4) standard worksite training agreement (when applicable); 5) progress reports; 6) counseling documents, 7) job development records; 8) exit documents; 9) post placement follow-up documentation; 10) documentation of follow-up services; 11) employer verification documents; 12) verification documents for training completion; 13) written documentation that customer has received: program orientation, supportive services information, City complaint resolution procedures, contractor customer complaint resolution procedures; 14) documentation of supportive services received; and 15) documentation of credential received as a result of training.

NOTE: The City requires Contractor to verify and certify eligibility and maintain in the customer file, on-site, all eligibility documentation prior to, or as of, the date the applicant is registered in the program.

§604 EQUIPMENT RECORDS

A. Nonexpendable personal property (equipment) acquired with grant funds shall be properly maintained and accounted for as set forth below.

A record shall be maintained for each item of equipment acquired for the program. Equipment is nonexpendable property, which is not consumed or does not lose its identity by being incorporated into another item of equipment, which costs \$5,000 or more per unit, or is expected to have a useful life of one year or more. Items costing below \$5,000, but falling into the following categories are also considered equipment and records must be maintained for them: (1) electronic communications equipment for stationary or vehicular use, including cellular telephones acquired by lease or purchase, and (2) electronic office equipment as follows – facsimile machines, copiers, electric typewriters, personal computers (monitors and CPU's), terminals, and printers.

The record shall include: (1) description of the item of equipment, including model and serial number, if applicable; (2) date of acquisition; (3) the acquisition cost or assigned value to the program; and (4) source of acquisition.

B. A physical inventory shall be taken by Contractor and reconciled with the record card annually or at other times as the City shall prescribe.

§605 PURCHASE OR LEASE OF EQUIPMENT OR FACILITIES

Prior to the purchase or lease of equipment, Contractor shall receive prior City approval in writing and shall comply with all requirements described in this Agreement.

The term "equipment" as used in this Agreement shall be defined to mean personal property.

A. Lease of Equipment

A copy of each executed equipment lease agreement shall be submitted to the City before payment. Written amendments to equipment lease agreement shall comply with the conditions set forth in this Agreement.

B. Purchase of Equipment

All equipment shall be purchased and used in accordance with 2 CFR Parts 200.313 and 200.439. All property real and personal, purchased under this Agreement with grant funds and of over \$5,000 in value shall become the property of the City and shall be returned to the City upon termination of this Agreement, except as provided otherwise by the City in writing. Contractor shall file all Uniform Commercial Code statements for any eligible property purchased with grant funds and deliver a copy of the filing to the City.

- C. Lease of Property or Facilities
 - 1. All lease agreements shall incorporate the following provisions:
 - a. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision that allows the City, at its sole option, to assume the lease for its remaining term, under the same terms and conditions then in effect, in the event that the City terminates its Contractor's City Agreement or if Contractor abandons the lease.
 - b. All leases of property or facilities procured to house a City program under this Agreement must contain a provision, which provides that any improvements made to the facility or property by Contractor, inures to the benefit of the City, and the City may elect, at its sole option, to remove the improvements.
 - c. It is recommended that the Contractor, during lease negotiations, request the addition of a section to the lease agreement, whereby the lessor agrees that if lessee's grant funding for any calendar year decreases by \$500,000 or more from the previous calendar year, lessee may terminate the lease with 120 days written notice.
 - d. Contractor shall amend any current lease agreements to incorporate the above provisions.
 - 2. A copy of all leases and lease amendments must be reviewed and approved by the City prior to signature and be on file with the City prior to the release of funding.
 - 3. Contractor shall not sublease, assign, or amend in any manner leases paid for with funds under this Agreement without prior written City approval.
 - 4. Contractor shall invoice for only that portion of the lease cost that is allocated to the program funded by this Agreement. The Contractor is responsible for collecting any portion of the rent due to Contractor under sublease agreements with partners or other entities.

§606 ACCOUNTING PRACTICES

- A. Contractor shall maintain a system of Internal Control in accordance with standard accounting practices.
 - 1. In accordance with GAAP and City Directives, financial systems shall include:
 - a. Information pertaining to sub-grant and contract awards, obligations, un-obligated balances, assets, expenditures, and income;

- b. Effective internal controls to safeguard assets and assure their proper use;
- c. A comparison of actual expenditures with budgeted amounts for each subgrant and contract;
- d. Source documentation to support accounting records;
- e. Proper charging of costs and cost allocation and be sufficient to (i) permit preparation of required reports, and (ii) permit the tracing of funds to a level of expenditure adequate to establish that funds have not been used in violation of the applicable restrictions on the use of the funds; and
- f. "Internal Control" for purpose of this Agreement, comprises the plan or organization and all of the coordinated methods and measures adopted within an organization to safeguard its assets, check the adequacy and the reliability of its accounting data, promote operating efficiency, and assure adherence to prescribed management policies.
- 2. Contractor shall submit its system of accounting procedures and Internal Control to the City before the City disburses any funds to the Contractor.

§607 DOCUMENTATION OF EXPENDITURES

- A. Documentation of expenditures, including the necessary supporting records, must be made available upon request.
- B. Payroll expenditures shall be supported by activity reports that may include but not be limited to case reports, mileage logs, attendance rosters and other documents supporting work related to City contract or program.
- C. Contractor shall not release funds to any subcontractor for reimbursement of costs, until it has received adequate documentation from the subcontractor that the expenditures are reasonable and allowable under the sub-agreement. All documentation must remain on file at Contractor's office.

§608 AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. At any time during normal business hours and as often as the Grantor, the U.S. Comptroller General, Auditor General of the State of California or the City may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination, all of its records with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement. The City, the U.S. Comptroller General, and the Auditor General of the State shall have the authority to audit, examine and make excerpts, or transcripts from records, including all contractor's invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, conditions of employment, and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.
- B. Access by the Grantor, City, the State, the DOL, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records (including computer records) of the Contractor which are directly pertinent to charges to the program, shall not be denied in order to conduct audits and examinations, and make excerpts, transcripts, and photocopies. This right also includes timely and reasonable access to Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.
- C. Contractor agrees to provide any reports requested by the City regarding performance of the Agreement. When total expenditures under all federal programs in a fiscal year equal or exceed \$750,000, the Contractor shall conduct or have conducted on an annual basis, audits in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, PL 98-502, implementing regulations in the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, which applicable provision supersedes OMB Circulars A-133 as applicable, (City Council action dated February 4, 1987, C.F. No. 84-2259-S1) and administrative regulations or field memos implementing revisions or updates to the audit requirements. The auditor's reports, prepared in accordance with the aforementioned requirements, and any accompanying management reports on the operation of the Contractor or this Agreement, shall be submitted to the City within nine (9) months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year.
- D. Contractor, should it meet the above threshold, shall annually subcontract with a qualified independent auditor.
- E. The audit is to be conducted annually to test the fiscal integrity of financial transactions as well as compliance with the applicable laws and regulations.

- F. Contractor, not later than thirty (30) days following receipt of the final audit report and within nine (9) months after the close of Contractor's fiscal year, shall submit a copy of the report to the LAHD Financial Management Division.
- G. If the auditor's report or management report identifies deficiencies with internal controls or contract compliance, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a corrective action plan along with the auditor's reports. The plan shall address all deficiencies and provide specific details on corrective actions to be taken along with the date the action was or will be implemented.
- H. If the expenditures under all federal programs are less than \$750,000, Contractor shall permit the City to conduct a performance review of this Agreement and all related records in accordance with directives received from the City.
- I. In the event that Contractor is operating on a for-profit basis, Contractor shall conduct a program-specific annual independent financial and compliance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, or an organization-wide audit that includes coverage of the City program within its scope.
- J. The City reserves the right to impose any or all of the following sanctions for Contractor's failure to comply with the Single Audit Act and the provisions of this Agreement:
 - 1. Withhold a percentage of payments, at the City's sole discretion, until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to LAHD, and/or.
 - 2. Suspend payments due to Contractor until the audit is completed satisfactorily and submitted to the City; and/or Impose the Default, Probation, Suspension and Termination provisions of this Agreement as set forth herein.
- K. City, Auditor General of the State, Grantor, Director of the Office of Civil Rights, and the U.S. Comptroller General shall have the authority to audit, examine, and make excerpts or transcripts from records, including contracts, invoices, customer records and other records supporting this Agreement. Audits of earned funds are limited to determining if such funds were earned in accordance with this Agreement.
- L. City may require Contractor who has inadequate fiscal or administrative procedures, to use any or all of the City's accounting or administrative procedures used in the planning, controlling, monitoring, and reporting of fiscal matters relating to this Agreement; or secure at Contractor's expense the service of independent experts.
- M. City shall have the authority to make physical inspections and to require such physical safeguarding devices as locks, alarms, safes, fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems, etc., to safeguard property, records and/or equipment used in the performance of this Agreement.
- N. Should a fiscal or special audit determine that Contractor has earned funds which are questioned under the criteria set forth herein, the Contractor shall be notified and given the opportunity to justify questioned expenditures prior to the City's final determination of disallowed costs, in accordance with the procedures established under the Grant.

§609 CONFIDENTIALITY OF INFORMATION

- A. The Grantor, the City, and Contractor will exchange various kinds of information pursuant to this Agreement. That information will include data, applications, program files and databases. These data and information are confidential when they define an individual or an employing unit. Confidential information requires special precautions to protect it from unauthorized use, access, disclosure, modification, and destruction. The sources of information may include, but are not limited to, the Employment Development Department, the California Department of Social Services, the California Department of Education, the County Welfare Department(s), the County IV-D Directors Office of Child Support, the Office of the District Attorney, the California Department of Mental Health, the California Office of Community Colleges, and the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- B. The City and Contractor agree that:
 - 1. Each party shall keep all information that is exchanged between them in the strictest confidence and make such information available to their own employees only on a "need-to-know" basis.

- Each party shall provide written instructions to all of its employees with access to information provided by the other party of the confidential nature of the information and of the penalties for unauthorized use or disclosure found in §1798.55 of the Civil Code, §502 of the Penal Code, §2111 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, §10850 of the Welfare and Institutions Code and other applicable local, State and federal laws.
- 3. Each party shall (where appropriate) store and process information in an electronic format, in such a way that unauthorized persons cannot reasonably retrieve the information by computer, remote terminal, or other means.
- 4. Each party shall promptly return to the other party confidential information when its use ends or destroy the confidential information utilizing an approved method of destroying confidential information by shredding, burning, or certified, or witnessed destruction. Magnetic media are to be degaussed or returned to the other party.
- 5. If the City or Contractor enters into an agreement with a third party to provide services, the City or Contractor agrees to include these data and security and confidentiality requirements in the agreement with that third party. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.
- 6. Each party shall designate an employee who shall be responsible for overall security and confidentiality of its data and information systems and, each party shall notify the other of any changes in that designation. In no event shall said information be disclosed to any individual outside of that third party's authorized staff, subcontractor(s), service providers, or employees.

§610 SECURITY CLEARANCE AND TUBERCULOSIS TEST OF STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS

- A. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor and subcontractor staff working with youth, either as employees or volunteers, who have a supervisory or disciplinary authority over minors must be fingerprinted and pass the background check, as required by California Penal Code §11105.3 and California Education Code §45125.1 and §10911.5. Fingerprinting and a background check may be required of other staff and volunteers depending upon how much contact the staff member will have with minors. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining security clearances for staff whose duties require a sufficient level of interaction with youth.
- B. Contractor hereby certifies that by signing this Agreement, Contractor shall have Tuberculosis (TB) tests completed on any staff member working with the youth.
- C. Contractor shall maintain proof of Security Clearance and TB tests of all staff, including those of the subcontractors, and make these records available for future inspection.

§611 RESTRICTION ON DISCLOSURES

Prior to the release of any reports, analyses, studies, information, or data generated as a result of this Agreement, Contractor shall notify the City of the request to release the information. Release of information shall be coordinated by Contractor and the City and shall be in compliance with state and federal law.

§612 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM RECORDS AND REPORTS

- A. Contractor shall report to the City numeric data, statistics, facts, news, details and information for its City-funded project(s) using forms and formats such as the electronic Integrated Services Information System prescribed by the City for this purpose.
- B. The City shall rely upon and use records and monthly invoices located at the City, and on-site verifications, as needed, to substantiate Contractor's performance and expenditure data, including, but not limited to, enrollment, training services, placement activities, wages, business/job creation, and post-program services status.
- C. The City may contact Contractor staff, participants, subcontractors, training institutions or schools to verify the documentation supporting performance and compliance with this Agreement.

§613 INSTALLATION OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SIGN

Contractor shall install, or allow to be installed, for public display upon the program site premises a sign, identifying Contractor as receiving financial assistance from the City and HUD.

§614 PRESS RELEASES--PUBLIC INFORMATION

Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency and that Contractor is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer in all communications with the press, television, radio or any other means of communicating with the general community. Contractor shall make specific reference to the City as the sponsoring agency of the program regarding any items that are related to the program funded hereby. Contractor shall also coordinate press releases with the media/public relations project for maximum impact.

§615 NOTICE TO CITY OF LABOR DISPUTES

When Contractor has knowledge that any actual or potential labor dispute involving participants or other employees is delaying or threatens to delay the timely performance of this Agreement Contractor shall immediately give notice thereof, including all pertinent information, with regard to same to City. No funds provided hereby shall be used to promote or deter union organizing.

§616 LISTING OF CONTRACTOR'S EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH EDD

Contractor shall list all Contractor's job openings with the local Employment Development Department Office when such job openings are funded, in full or in part, through monies provided hereby.

§617 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Should Contractor need technical assistance from the City regarding matters that are the subject of this Agreement, Contractor shall submit a written request to the City identifying the nature of the problem, the action Contractor has taken to resolve the problem, and the type of assistance needed.

§618 PROHIBITION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Contractor is prohibited from using Grant funds received under this Agreement for the purpose of instituting legal proceeding against the City and/or HUD or their officials, employee or representatives.

§619 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING FOR DENIAL OF CLIENT BENEFITS BY CONTRACTOR – IF APPLICABLE

- A. Contractor has read and agrees to strictly comply with Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, §100751, as amended, which sets forth elements to be included in client benefit denial appeal procedures and shall advise individuals who have been denied assistance of their 20-day right to appeal to the State for an administrative hearing pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §8624(b) (13), as amended.
- B. The client may withdraw request for appeal for administrative hearing at any time during the appeal process by rendering written or oral notice to the State. Where oral notice is given, such notice shall be confirmed in writing by the parties.

§620 FAITH-BASED ACTIVITIES

Organizations that are religious or faith-based are eligible, on the same basis as any other organization, to participate in the grant-funded program. However, a contractor that participates in a grant-funded program shall comply with the following provisions if it is deemed to be a religious or faith-based organization.

A. Contractor may not engage in inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization, as part of the programs or services funded under this Agreement. If Contractor conducts such activities, the activities must be offered separately, in time or location, from the programs or services funded under this Agreement, and participation must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the grant-funded programs or services.

- B. A religious or faith-based contractor will retain its independence from federal, State, and local governments, and may continue to carry out its mission, including the definition, practice, and expression of its religious beliefs, provided that it does not use direct grant funds to support any inherently religious activities, such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization.
- C. A religious or faith-based contractor may use space in their facilities to provide grant funded services, without removing religious art, icons, scriptures, or other religious symbols.
- D. A religious or faith-based contractor retains its authority over its internal governance, and it may retain religious terms in its organization's name, select its board members on a religious basis, and include religious references in its organization's mission statements and other governing documents.
- E. A religious or faith-based contractor shall not, in providing program assistance, discriminate against a program beneficiary or prospective program beneficiary on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- F. Grant funds may not be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities.
- G. Grant funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under this section. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, grant funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to grant funds herein. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a grant funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for grant funded improvements. Disposition of real property after the term of the grant, or any change in use of the property during the term of the grant, is subject to government-wide regulations governing real property dispositions.

§621 CHILD ABUSE

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act (California Penal Code §11164 *et seq.*), and specifically §§ 11165.7, 11165.9 and 11166 therein.

7. SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

§701 SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

Contractor shall comply with the federal and City standards in the award of any subcontracts. For purposes of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to, purchase agreements, rental or lease agreements, third party agreements, consultant service contracts and construction subcontracts. Contractor shall comply with subcontracting/procurement requirements set forth in Exhibit "I", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall ensure that the terms of this Agreement are incorporated into all subcontractor agreements. Contractor shall submit all subcontractor agreements to the City for review prior to the release of any funds to the subcontractor. Contractor shall withhold funds to any subcontractor that fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and their respective subcontractor agreement.

8. <u>REMEDIES</u>

§801 DEFAULTS

Should the Contractor fail for any reason to comply with the contractual obligations of this Agreement, including but not limited to, meet the Performance Standards, start up the program on time, provide services according to plan and/or to benefit customers and the provisions of the Agreement, maintain expenditures at an approved rate in the Budget, resolve performance problems in a timely manner, demonstrate the capabilities to solve identified problems within a specific time, provide necessary fiscal or Management Information Services documents to City in a timely manner, maintain agreed cost per placement or utilize grant funds in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement, the City reserves the right to take any or all of the following actions at its discretion:

A. Notify Contractor of performance deficiencies in accordance with §804 of this Agreement.

- B. Withhold the release of funds.
- C. Require that no funds be advanced to Contractor until Contractor has provided for the security of funds advanced by a Surety/performance bond. The amount and form of the security, if required, shall be determined by the City as noted on the Insurance Requirement Form and is subject to prior City approval.
- D. Modify and/or renegotiate the funding/service level and/or make any changes in the general scope of this Agreement.
- E. Require Contractor to secure at its own expense the services of independent experts.
- F. Require specific performance progress reports for identified time periods.
- G. Reduce compensation within the scope of the City's reallocation policy.
- H. Suspend operations in accordance with §803 below of this Agreement.
- I. Terminate the Agreement.

§802 NOTICE TO CORRECT PERFORMANCE

- A. The City may notify Contractor of its failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement by giving written notice, effective upon date of such notice, which states the specific performance deficiencies to be corrected.
- B. Within five (5) working days, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions that will be undertaken to remedy the performance deficiencies, which actions are subject to City approval in writing.
- C. Contractor shall thereafter submit monthly progress reports to the City in accordance with the City approved corrective action plan specifying the actions taken and resolution of the performance deficiencies.

§803 SUSPENSION OF THE AGREEMENT

- A. The City may, by giving written notice, suspend all or part of the project operations for Contractor's failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and may notify the bank identified on the City form referenced in §104A.3 above that all funds are frozen pending further notice from the City. This Notice of Suspension shall be effective upon the date of the City's written notice.
- B. This notice shall set forth the specific conditions of noncompliance and the period provided for corrective action.
- C. Within five (5) working days from the date of written City notification, Contractor shall reply in writing setting forth the corrective actions which will be undertaken, subject to City approval in writing.

§804 TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

- A. At any time during the Term the City may terminate this Agreement, or any part of the Agreement, upon giving Contractor at least 30 days written notice prior to the effective date of the termination, which date shall be specified in the notice. The City is not required to use other remedies provided herein prior to issuing a 30 day notice to terminate the Agreement. Upon the receipt of such notice, Contractor shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, cost or expenses, except as may be reasonably necessary to terminate its activities or as otherwise approved by the City.
- B. Contractor shall retain and dispose of all customers' documents and related records required by Contractor under this Agreement, in accordance with City Directives or written instructions. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Agreement, including all intellectual property rights thereto, shall become City property upon the date of such termination. Contractor agrees to execute any documents necessary for the City to perfect, memorialize or record the City's ownership of rights provided herein.
- C. Contractor shall return to the City all equipment that was purchased with City grant funds pursuant to this Agreement.

- D. In the event Contractor dissolves or otherwise goes out of existence, copies of all records relating to the project or activity that are the subject of this Agreement shall be furnished to the City.
- E. Upon satisfactory completion and documentation of termination activities, the City shall determine the total amount of funds earned by Contractor.
- F. The City may withhold any payments due to Contractor after notice of termination has been issued for the purpose of set-aside until the exact amount of damages or unearned dollars due to the City from Contractor is determined.
- G. Subsections B, C, D, E, and F above shall also apply to Agreements terminating upon the date specified in §201 of the foregoing Agreement or upon completion of performance of this Agreement.
- H. This Agreement may be terminated immediately for any violation of City Lobbying Ordinances.
- I. In the event the City terminates this Agreement as provided in this section, the City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as the City may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and Contractor shall be liable to the City for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- J. If, after notice of termination of this Agreement, under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that Contractor was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Agreement, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had not been issued pursuant to this section.

§805 NOTICES OF SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION

In the event that this Agreement is suspended or terminated, Contractor shall immediately notify all employees and customers and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of Agreement within five (5) working days from the City's written notice.

9. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

§901 SURVIVAL OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All terms and conditions of this Agreement which impose a duty, obligation or requirement on Contractor that extend beyond the Term hereof shall survive the termination of this Agreement. Such terms and conditions shall include, but not be limited to, §§404 through 407, 505(A)(2), 602, 604 and 608.

§902 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of any inconsistency between the documents regarding this Agreement, said inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence to (i) the body of the Agreement, (ii) the terms of applicable City ordinances and regulations, (iii) the other exhibits and attachments hereto, and (iv) any documents provided by Contractor.

§903 RATIFICATION CLAUSE

Due to the need for the Contractor's services to be provided for the benefit of the community, Contractor may have provided services prior to the execution of this Agreement. To the extent that said services were performed prior to the execution of this Agreement but in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, such preexecution services are hereby ratified and accepted.

§904 COUNTERPARTS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, and by the parties in separate counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The parties further agree that facsimile signatures or signatures scanned into .pdf (or signatures in another electronic format designated by City) and sent by e-mail shall be deemed original signatures.

§905 NUMBER OF PAGES AND ATTACHMENTS

This Agreement is executed in three (3) duplicate originals, each of which is deemed to be an original. This Agreement includes thirty-three (31) pages and ten (10) exhibits that constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. Alternatively, this Agreement may be executed with electronic signatures, resulting in an electronic final original, which shall be uploaded to the LACityClerk Connect website.

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[Signatures continue on next page.]

10. SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Los Angeles and the Contractor have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	Executed this day of	_, 2022
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney	For: CITY OF LOS ANGELES	
By: Assistant/Deputy City Attorney	ANN SEWILL General Manager Los Angeles Housing Department	
Date:		
ATTEST:	By: Luz C. Santiago Assistant General Manager	
HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk		
By: Deputy City Clerk		
Data	Executed this day of	_, 2022
Date:	For: ICF Jones & Stokes, Inc.	
(Contractor's Corporate Seal)	By: Authorized Signatory #1 Official Title By: Authorized Signatory #2 Official Title	
City Tax Registration Certificate Number: XXXXXXXX		
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STANDARD PROVISIONS FOR CITY CONTRACTS

PSC – 1. CONSTRUCTION OF PROVISIONS AND TITLES HEREIN

All titles, subtitles, or headings in this Contract have been inserted for convenience, and shall not be deemed to affect the meaning or construction of any of the terms or provisions of this Contract. The language of this Contract shall be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against the **CITY** or **CONTRACTOR**. The word **"CONTRACTOR"** includes the party or parties identified in this Contract. The singular shall include the plural; if there is more than one **CONTRACTOR**, unless expressly stated otherwise, their obligations and liabilities shall be joint and several. Use of the feminine, masculine, or neuter genders shall be deemed to include the genders not used.

PSC – 2. APPLICABLE LAW, INTERPRETATION AND ENFORCEMENT

Each party's performance shall comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**, including, but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wage and hours and licensing. This Contract shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of the State of California without regard to conflict of law principles. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with new, amended, or revised laws, regulations, or procedures that apply to the performance of this Contract with no additional compensation paid to **CONTRACTOR**.

In any action arising out of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** consents to personal jurisdiction, and agrees to bring all such actions, exclusively in state or federal courts located in Los Angeles County, California.

If any part, term or provision of this Contract is held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law of a federal, state or local law or regulation, the validity of the remaining parts, terms or provisions of the Contract shall not be affected.

PSC – 3. <u>TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS</u>

Unless otherwise provided, this Contract shall take effect when all of the following events have occurred:

- A. This contract has been signed on behalf of **CONTRACTOR** by the person or persons authorized to bind **CONTRACTOR**;
- B. This Contract has been approved by the City Council or by the board, officer or employee authorized to give such approval;
- C. The Office of the City Attorney has indicated in writing its approval of this Contract as to form; and
- D. This Contract has been signed on behalf of the **CITY** by the person designated by the City Council, or by the board, officer or employee authorized to enter into this Contract.

PSC – 4. INTEGRATED CONTRACT

This Contract sets forth all of the rights and duties of the parties with respect to the subject matter of this Contract, and replaces any and all previous Contracts or understandings, whether written or oral, relating thereto. This Contract may be amended only as provided for in the provisions of PSC-5 hereof.

PSC – 5. <u>AMENDMENT</u>

All amendments to this Contract shall be in writing and signed and approved pursuant to the provisions of PSC-3.

PSC – 6. <u>EXCUSABLE DELAYS</u>

Neither party shall be liable for its delay or failure to perform any obligation under and in accordance with this Contract, if the delay or failure arises out of fires, floods, earthquakes, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, other natural occurrences, strikes, lockouts (other than a lockout by the party or any of the party's Subcontractors), freight embargoes, terrorist acts, insurrections or other civil disturbances, or other similar events to those described above, but in each case the delay or failure to perform must be beyond the control and without any fault or negligence of the party delayed or failing to perform (these events are referred to in this provision as "Force Majeure Events").

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a delay or failure to perform by a Subcontractor of **CONTRACTOR** shall not constitute a Force Majeure Event, unless the delay or failure arises out of causes beyond the control of both **CONTRACTOR** and Subcontractor, and without any fault or negligence of either of them. In such case, **CONTRACTOR** shall not be liable for the delay or failure to perform, unless the goods or services to be furnished by the Subcontractor were obtainable from other sources in sufficient time to permit **CONTRACTOR** to perform timely. As used in this Contract, the term "Subcontractor" means a subcontractor at any tier.

In the event **CONTRACTOR'S** delay or failure to perform arises out of a Force Majeure Event, **CONTRACTOR** agrees to use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain the goods or services from other sources, and to otherwise mitigate the damages and reduce the delay caused by the Force Majeure Event.

PSC – 7. WAIVER

A waiver of a default of any part, term or provision of this Contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding default or as a waiver of the part, term or provision itself. A party's performance after the other party's default shall not be construed as a waiver of that default.

PSC – 8. SUSPENSION

At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may suspend any or all services provided under this Contract by providing **CONTRACTOR** with written notice of suspension. Upon receipt of the notice of suspension, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately cease the services suspended and shall not incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses to **CITY** until **CITY** gives written notice to recommence the services.

PSC – 9. <u>TERMINATION</u>

A. TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE

CITY may terminate this Contract for **CITY'S** convenience at any time by providing **CONTRACTOR** thirty days written notice. Upon receipt of the notice of termination, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately take action not to incur any additional obligations, costs or expenses, except as may be necessary to terminate its activities. **CITY** shall pay **CONTRACTOR** its reasonable and allowable costs through the effective date of termination. Thereafter, **CONTRACTOR** shall have no further claims against **CITY** under this Contract. All finished and unfinished documents and materials procured for or produced under this Contract, including all intellectual property rights **CITY** is entitled to, shall become **CITY** property upon the date of the termination. **CONTRACTOR** agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

B. TERMINATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

1. Except as provided in PSC-6, if **CONTRACTOR** fails to perform any of the provisions of this Contract or so fails to make progress as to endanger timely performance of this Contract, **CITY** may give **CONTRACTOR** written notice of the default. **CITY'S** default

notice will indicate whether the default may be cured and the time period to cure the default to the sole satisfaction of **CITY**. Additionally, **CITY'S** default notice may offer **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to provide **CITY** with a plan to cure the default, which shall be submitted to **CITY** within the time period allowed by **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** may accept or reject **CONTRACTOR'S** plan. If the default cannot be cured or if **CONTRACTOR** fails to cure within the period allowed by **CITY**, then **CITY** may terminate this Contract due to **CONTRACTOR'S** breach of this Contract.

- 2. If the default under this Contract is due to **CONTRACTOR'S** failure to maintain the insurance required under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately: (1) suspend performance of any services under this Contract for which insurance was required; and (2) notify its employees and Subcontractors of the loss of insurance coverage and Contractor's obligation to suspend performance of services. **CONTRACTOR** shall not recommence performance until **CONTRACTOR** is fully insured and in compliance with **CITY'S** requirements.
- 3. If a federal or state proceeding for relief of debtors is undertaken by or against **CONTRACTOR**, or if **CONTRACTOR** makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 4. If **CONTRACTOR** engages in any dishonest conduct related to the performance or administration of this Contract or violates **CITY'S** laws, regulations or policies relating to lobbying, then **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- 5. Acts of Moral Turpitude

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- a. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify CITY if CONTRACTOR or any Key Person, as defined below, is charged with, indicted for, convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, any act which constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude under federal, state, or local laws ("Act of Moral Turpitude").
- b. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is convicted of, pleads nolo contendere to, or forfeits bail or fails to appear in court for a hearing related to, an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may immediately terminate this Contract.
- c. If **CONTRACTOR** or a Key Person is charged with or indicted for an Act of Moral Turpitude, **CITY** may terminate this Contract after providing **CONTRACTOR** an opportunity to present evidence of **CONTRACTOR'S** ability to perform under the terms of this Contract.
 - Acts of Moral Turpitude include, but are not limited to: violent felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 667.5, crimes involving weapons, crimes resulting in serious bodily injury or death, serious felonies as defined by Penal Code Section 1192.7, and those crimes referenced in the Penal Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2); in addition to and including acts of murder, rape, sexual assault, robbery, kidnapping, human trafficking, pimping, voluntary manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault on a peace officer, mayhem, fraud, domestic abuse, elderly abuse, and child abuse, regardless of whether such acts are punishable by felony or misdemeanor conviction.
- e. For the purposes of this provision, a Key Person is a principal, officer, or employee assigned to this Contract, or owner (directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries) of ten percent or more of the voting power or equity interests of **CONTRACTOR**.

- 6. In the event **CITY** terminates this Contract as provided in this section, **CITY** may procure, upon such terms and in the manner as **CITY** may deem appropriate, services similar in scope and level of effort to those so terminated, and **CONTRACTOR** shall be liable to **CITY** for all of its costs and damages, including, but not limited to, any excess costs for such services.
- 7. If, after notice of termination of this Contract under the provisions of this section, it is determined for any reason that **CONTRACTOR** was not in default under the provisions of this section, or that the default was excusable under the terms of this Contract, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be the same as if the notice of termination had been issued pursuant to PSC-9(A) Termination for Convenience.
- 8. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract.
- C. In the event that this Contract is terminated, **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify all employees and Subcontractors, and shall notify in writing all other parties contracted with under the terms of this Contract within five working days of the termination.

PSC – 10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** shall not represent or otherwise hold out itself or any of its directors, officers, partners, employees, or agents to be an agent or employee of **CITY**.

PSC – 11. CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL

Unless otherwise approved by **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall use its own employees to perform the services described in this Contract. **CITY** has the right to review and approve any personnel who are assigned to work under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall remove personnel from performing work under this Contract if requested to do so by **CITY**.

CONTRACTOR shall not use Subcontractors to assist in performance of this Contract without the prior written approval of **CITY**. If **CITY** permits the use of Subcontractors, **CONTRACTOR** shall remain responsible for performing all aspects of this Contract and paying all Subcontractors. **CITY** has the right to approve **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and **CITY** reserves the right to request replacement of any Subcontractor. **CITY** does not have any obligation to pay **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors, and nothing herein creates any privity of contract between **CITY** and any Subcontractor.

PSC – 12. ASSIGNMENT OR DELEGATION

CONTRACTOR may not, unless it has first obtained the written permission of CITY:

- A. Assign or otherwise alienate any of its rights under this Contract, including the right to payment; or
- B. Delegate, subcontract, or otherwise transfer any of its duties under this Contract.

PSC – 13. PERMITS

CONTRACTOR and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, and Subcontractors, shall obtain and maintain all licenses, permits, certifications and other documents necessary for **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any suspension, termination, lapses, non-renewals, or restrictions of licenses, permits, certificates, or other documents that relate to **CONTRACTOR'S** performance of this Contract.

PSC – 14. CLAIMS FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS

CONTRACTOR shall promptly pay when due all amounts owed for labor and materials furnished in the performance of this Contract so as to prevent any lien or other claim under any provision of law from arising against any **CITY** property (including reports, documents, and other tangible or intangible matter produced by **CONTRACTOR** hereunder), and shall pay all amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act or any other applicable law with respect to labor used to perform under this Contract.

PSC – 15. CURRENT LOS ANGELES CITY BUSINESS TAX REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE REQUIRED

For the duration of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall maintain valid Business Tax Registration Certificate(s) as required by **CITY'S** Business Tax Ordinance, Section 21.00 *et seq.* of the Los Angeles Municipal Code ("LAMC"), and shall not allow the Certificate to lapse or be revoked or suspended.

PSC – 16. <u>RETENTION OF RECORDS, AUDIT AND REPORTS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records, including records of financial transactions, pertaining to the performance of this Contract, in their original form or as otherwise approved by **CITY**. These records shall be retained for a period of no less than three years from the later of the following: (1) final payment made by **CITY**, (2) the expiration of this Contract or (3) termination of this Contract. The records will be subject to examination and audit by authorized **CITY** personnel or **CITY'S** representatives at any time. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide any reports requested by **CITY** regarding performance of this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

In lieu of retaining the records for the term as prescribed in this provision, **CONTRACTOR** may, upon **CITY'S** written approval, submit the required information to **CITY** in an electronic format, e.g. USB flash drive, at the expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 17. BONDS

All bonds required by **CITY** shall be filed with the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for its review and acceptance in accordance with Los Angeles Administrative Code ("LAAC") Sections 11.47 *et seq.*, as amended from to time.

PSC – 18. INDEMNIFICATION

Except for the active negligence or willful misconduct of **CITY**, or any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns and successors in interest, **CONTRACTOR** shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**, including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature whatsoever, for death or injury to any person, including **CONTRACTOR'S** employees and agents, or damage or destruction of any property of either party hereto or of third parties, arising in any manner by reason of an act, error, or omission by **CONTRACTOR**, Subcontractors, or their boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 19. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION

CONTRACTOR, at its own expense, shall defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the **CITY**, and any of its boards, officers, agents, employees, assigns, and successors in interest from and against all lawsuits and causes of action, claims, losses, demands and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees (both in house and outside counsel) and cost of litigation (including all actual litigation costs incurred by **CITY**,

including but not limited to, costs of experts and consultants), damages or liability of any nature arising out of the infringement, actual or alleged, direct or contributory, of any intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity, and proprietary information: (1) on or in any design, medium, matter, article, process, method, application, equipment, device, instrumentation, software, hardware, or firmware used by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, in performing the work under this Contract; or (2) as a result of **CITY'S** actual or intended use of any Work Product (as defined in PSC-21) furnished by **CONTRACTOR**, or its Subcontractors, under this Contract. The rights and remedies of **CITY** provided in this section shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Contract. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 20. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY WARRANTY

CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that its performance of all obligations under this Contract does not infringe in any way, directly or contributory, upon any third party's intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, right of publicity and proprietary information.

PSC – 21. OWNERSHIP AND LICENSE

Unless otherwise provided for herein, all finished and unfinished works, tangible or not, created under this Contract including, without limitation, documents, materials, data, reports, manuals, specifications, artwork, drawings, sketches, blueprints, studies, memoranda, computation sheets, computer programs and databases, schematics, photographs, video and audiovisual recordings, sound recordings, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, websites, domain names, inventions, processes, formulas, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property originated and prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract (each a "Work Product"; collectively "Work Products") shall be and remain the exclusive property of **CITY** for its use in any manner **CITY** deems appropriate. **CONTRACTOR** hereby assigns to **CITY** all goodwill, copyright, trademark, patent, trade secret and all other intellectual property rights worldwide in any Work Products originated and prepared under this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees to execute any documents necessary for **CITY** to perfect, memorialize, or record **CITY'S** ownership of rights provided herein.

CONTRACTOR agrees that a monetary remedy for breach of this Contract may be inadequate, impracticable, or difficult to prove and that a breach may cause **CITY** irreparable harm. **CITY** may therefore enforce this requirement by seeking injunctive relief and specific performance, without any necessity of showing actual damage or irreparable harm. Seeking injunctive relief or specific performance does not preclude **CITY** from seeking or obtaining any other relief to which **CITY** may be entitled.

For all Work Products delivered to **CITY** that are not originated or prepared by **CONTRACTOR** or its Subcontractors under this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall secure a grant, at no cost to **CITY**, for a non-exclusive perpetual license to use such Work Products for any **CITY** purposes.

CONTRACTOR shall not provide or disclose any Work Product to any third party without prior written consent of **CITY**.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** relating to this Contract shall include this provision to contractually bind its Subcontractors performing work under this Contract such that **CITY'S** ownership and license rights of all Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

PSC – 22. DATA PROTECTION

A. **CONTRACTOR** shall protect, using the most secure means and technology that is commercially available, **CITY**-provided data or consumer-provided data acquired in the course and scope of this Contract, including but not limited to customer lists and customer credit card or consumer data, (collectively, the "City Data"). **CONTRACTOR** shall notify **CITY** in writing as soon as reasonably feasible, and in any event within twenty-four hours, of **CONTRACTOR'S** discovery or reasonable belief of any unauthorized access of City Data (a "Data Breach"), or of any incident affecting, or

potentially affecting City Data related to cyber security (a "Security Incident"), including, but not limited to, denial of service attack, and system outage, instability or degradation due to computer malware or virus. **CONTRACTOR** shall begin remediation immediately. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide daily updates, or more frequently if required by **CITY**, regarding findings and actions performed by **CONTRACTOR** until the Data Breach or Security Incident has been effectively resolved to **CITY'S** satisfaction. **CONTRACTOR** shall conduct an investigation of the Data Breach or Security Incident and shall share the report of the investigation with **CITY**. At **CITY'S** sole discretion, **CITY** and its authorized agents shall have the right to lead or participate in the investigation. **CONTRACTOR** shall cooperate fully with **CITY**, its agents and law enforcement.

B. If **CITY** is subject to liability for any Data Breach or Security Incident, then **CONTRACTOR** shall fully indemnify and hold harmless **CITY** and defend against any resulting actions.

PSC – 23. INSURANCE

During the term of this Contract and without limiting **CONTRACTOR'S** obligation to indemnify, hold harmless and defend **CITY**, **CONTRACTOR** shall provide and maintain at its own expense a program of insurance having the coverages and limits not less than the required amounts and types as determined by the Office of the City Administrative Officer of Los Angeles, Risk Management (template Form General 146 in Exhibit 1 hereto). The insurance must: (1) conform to **CITY'S** requirements; (2) comply with the Insurance Contractual Requirements (Form General 133 in Exhibit 1 hereto); and (3) otherwise be in a form acceptable to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all Insurance Contractual Requirements shown on Exhibit 1 hereto. Exhibit 1 is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Contract.

PSC – 24. <u>BEST TERMS</u>

Throughout the term of this Contract, **CONTRACTOR**, shall offer **CITY** the best terms, prices, and discounts that are offered to any of **CONTRACTOR'S** customers for similar goods and services provided under this Contract.

PSC – 25. WARRANTY AND RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR

CONTRACTOR warrants that the work performed hereunder shall be completed in a manner consistent with professional standards practiced among those firms within **CONTRACTOR'S** profession, doing the same or similar work under the same or similar circumstances.

PSC – 26. MANDATORY PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO NON-DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Unless otherwise exempt, this Contract is subject to the applicable non-discrimination, equal benefits, equal employment practices, and affirmative action program provisions in LAAC Section 10.8 et seq., as amended from time to time.

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the applicable non-discrimination and affirmative action provisions of the laws of the United States of America, the State of California, and **CITY**. In performing this Contract, **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate in any of its hiring or employment practices against any employee or applicant for employment because of such person's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, age, disability, domestic partner status, marital status or medical condition.
- B. The requirements of Section 10.8.2.1 of the LAAC, the Equal Benefits Ordinance, and the provisions of Section 10.8.2.1(f) are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference.
- C. The provisions of Section 10.8.3 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Equal Employment Practices" provisions of this Contract.
- D. The provisions of Section 10.8.4 of the LAAC are incorporated and made a part of this Contract by reference and will be known as the "Affirmative Action Program" provisions of this Contract.

Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 27. CHILD SUPPORT ASSIGNMENT ORDERS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Child Support Assignment Orders Ordinance, Section 10.10 of the LAAC, as amended from time to time. Pursuant to Section 10.10(b) of the LAAC, **CONTRACTOR** shall fully comply with all applicable State and Federal employment reporting requirements. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with all applicable reporting requirements or to implement lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment, or the failure of any principal owner(s) of **CONTRACTOR** to comply with any Wage and Earnings Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment or Notices of Assignment applicable to them personally, shall constitute a default by the **CONTRACTOR** under this Contract. Failure of **CONTRACTOR** or principal owner to cure the default within 90 days of the notice of default will subject this Contract to termination for breach. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 28. <u>LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Living Wage Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.37 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. **CONTRACTOR** further agrees that it shall comply with federal law proscribing retaliation for union organizing. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 29. SERVICE CONTRACTOR WORKER RETENTION ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Service Contractor Worker Retention Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.36 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 30. ACCESS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

CONTRACTOR represents and certifies that:

- A. **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq., the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. Section 701 et seq., the Fair Housing Act, and its implementing regulations and any subsequent amendments, and California Government Code Section 11135;
- B. **CONTRACTOR** shall not discriminate on the basis of disability or on the basis of a person's relationship to, or association with, a person who has a disability;
- C. **CONTRACTOR** shall provide reasonable accommodation upon request to ensure equal access to **CITY**-funded programs, services and activities;
- D. Construction will be performed in accordance with the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (UFAS), 24 C.F.R. Part 40; and
- E. The buildings and facilities used to provide services under this Contract are in compliance with the federal and state standards for accessibility as set forth in the 2010 ADA Standards, California Title 24, Chapter 11, or other applicable federal and state law.

CONTRACTOR understands that **CITY** is relying upon these certifications and representations as a condition to funding this Contract. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 31. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.40 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time.

PSC – 32. BUSINESS INCLUSION PROGRAM

Unless otherwise exempted prior to bid submission, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with all aspects of the Business Inclusion Program as described in the Request for Proposal/Qualification process, throughout the duration of this Contract. **CONTRACTOR** shall utilize the Business Assistance Virtual Network ("BAVN") at https://www.labavn.org/, to perform and document outreach to Minority, Women, and Other Business Enterprises. **CONTRACTOR** shall perform subcontractor outreach activities through BAVN. **CONTRACTOR** shall not change any of its designated Subcontractors or pledged specific items of work to be performed by these Subcontractors, nor shall **CONTRACTOR** reduce their level of effort, without prior written approval of **CITY**.

PSC – 33. SLAVERY DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Slavery Disclosure Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.41 *et* seq., as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 34. FIRST SOURCE HIRING ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the First Source Hiring Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.44 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 35. LOCAL BUSINESS PREFERENCE ORDINANCE

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Local Business Preference Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.47 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 36. IRAN CONTRACTING ACT

In accordance with California Public Contract Code Sections 2200-2208, all contractors entering into, or renewing contracts with **CITY** for goods and services estimated at \$1,000,000 or more are required to complete, sign, and submit the "Iran Contacting Act of 2010 Compliance Affidavit."

PSC – 37. RESTRICTIONS ON CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDRAISING IN CITY ELECTIONS

Unless otherwise exempt, if this Contract is valued at \$100,000 or more and requires approval by an elected **CITY** office, **CONTRACTOR**, **CONTRACTOR'S** principals, and **CONTRACTOR'S** Subcontractors expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under the Contract, and the principals of those Subcontractors (the "Restricted Persons") shall comply with Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35. Failure to comply entitles **CITY** to terminate this Contract and to pursue all available legal remedies. Charter Section 470(c)(12) and LAMC Section 49.7.35 limit the ability of the Restricted Persons to make campaign contributions to and engage in fundraising for certain elected **CITY** officials or candidates for elected **CITY** office for twelve months after this Contract is signed. Additionally, a **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) is required to comply with disclosure requirements by submitting a completed and signed Ethics Commission Form 55 and to amend the information in that form as specified by law. Any **CONTRACTOR** subject to Charter Section 470(c)(12) shall include the following notice in any contract with any Subcontractor expected to receive at least \$100,000 for performance under this Contract:

"Notice Regarding Restrictions on Campaign Contributions and Fundraising in City Elections

You are a subcontractor on City of Los Angeles Contract #______. Pursuant to the City of Los Angeles Charter Section 470(c)(12) and related ordinances, you and your principals are prohibited from making campaign contributions to and fundraising for certain elected City of Los Angeles ("CITY") officials and candidates for elected CITY office for twelve months after the CITY contract is signed. You are required to provide the names and contact information of your principals to the **CONTRACTOR** and to amend that information within ten business days if it changes during the twelve month time period. Failure to comply may result in termination of this Contract and any other available legal remedies. Information about the restrictions may be found online at ethics.lacity.org or by calling the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960."

PSC – 38. <u>CONTRACTORS' USE OF CRIMINAL HISTORY FOR CONSIDERATION OF EMPLOYMENT</u> <u>APPLICATIONS</u>

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the City Contractors' Use of Criminal History for Consideration of Employment Applications Ordinance, LAAC Section 10.48 *et seq.*, as amended from time to time. Any subcontract entered into by **CONTRACTOR** for work to be performed under this Contract must include an identical provision.

PSC – 39. LIMITATION OF CITY'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE PAYMENT TO CONTRACTOR

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, including any exhibits or attachments incorporated therein, and in order for CITY to comply with its governing legal requirements, CITY shall have no obligation to make any payments to CONTRACTOR unless CITY shall have first made an appropriation of funds equal to or in excess of its obligation to make any payments as provided in this Contract. CONTRACTOR agrees that any services provided by CONTRACTOR, purchases made by CONTRACTOR or expenses incurred by CONTRACTOR in excess of the appropriation(s) shall be free and without charge to CITY and CITY shall have no obligation to pay for the services, purchases or expenses. CONTRACTOR shall have no obligation to provide any services, provide any equipment or incur any expenses in excess of the appropriated amount(s) until CITY appropriates additional funds for this Contract.

PSC – 40. COMPLIANCE WITH IDENTITY THEFT LAWS AND PAYMENT CARD DATA SECURITY STANDARDS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all identity theft laws including without limitation, laws related to: (1) payment devices; (2) credit and debit card fraud; and (3) the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act ("FACTA"), including its requirement relating to the content of transaction receipts provided to Customers. **CONTRACTOR** also shall comply with all requirements related to maintaining compliance with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards ("PCI DSS"). During the performance of any service to install, program or update payment devices equipped to conduct credit or debit card transactions, including PCI DSS services, **CONTRACTOR** shall verify proper truncation of receipts in compliance with FACTA.

PSC – 41. COMPLIANCE WITH CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RESOURCE CODE 5164

California Public Resources Code Section 5164 prohibits a public agency from hiring a person for employment or as a volunteer to perform services at any park, playground, or community center used for recreational purposes in a position that has supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor, if the person has been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal Code, and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2).

If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall comply with California Public Resources Code Section 5164, and shall additionally adhere to all rules and regulations that have been adopted or that may be adopted by **CITY**. **CONTRACTOR** is required to have all employees, volunteers and Subcontractors (including all employees and volunteers of any Subcontractor) of **CONTRACTOR** working on premises to pass a fingerprint and background check through the California Department of Justice at **CONTRACTOR'S** sole expense, indicating that such individuals have never been convicted of certain crimes as referenced in the Penal

Code and articulated in California Public Resources Code Section 5164(a)(2), if the individual will have supervisory or disciplinary authority over any minor.

PSC – 42. POSSESSORY INTERESTS TAX

Rights granted to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** may create a possessory interest. **CONTRACTOR** agrees that any possessory interest created may be subject to California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 and a property tax may be levied on that possessory interest. If applicable, **CONTRACTOR** shall pay the property tax. **CONTRACTOR** acknowledges that the notice required under California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 107.6 has been provided.

PSC – 43. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>

All documents, information and materials provided to **CONTRACTOR** by **CITY** or developed by **CONTRACTOR** pursuant to this Contract (collectively "Confidential Information") are confidential. **CONTRACTOR** shall not provide or disclose any Confidential Information or their contents or any information therein, either orally or in writing, to any person or entity, except as authorized by **CITY** or as required by law. **CONTRACTOR** shall immediately notify **CITY** of any attempt by a third party to obtain access to any Confidential Information. This provision will survive expiration or termination of this Contract.

PSC – 44 <u>COVID-19</u>

Employees of Contractor and/or persons working on its behalf, including, but not limited to, subcontractors (collectively, "Contractor Personnel"), while performing services under this Agreement and prior to interacting in person with City employees, contractors, volunteers, or members of the public (collectively, "In-Person Services") must be fully vaccinated against the novel coronavirus 2019 ("COVID-19"). "Fully vaccinated" means that 14 or more days have passed since Contractor Personnel have received the final dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine series (Moderna or Pfizer-BioNTech) or a single dose of a one-dose COVID-19 vaccine (Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) and all booster doses recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Prior to assigning Contractor Personnel to perform In-Person Services. Contractor shall obtain proof that such Contractor Personnel have been fully vaccinated. Contractor shall retain such proof for the document retention period set forth in this Agreement. Contractor shall grant medical or religious exemptions ("Exemptions") to Contractor Personnel as required by law. If Contractor wishes to assign Contractor Personnel with Exemptions to perform In-Person Services, Contractor shall require such Contractor Personnel to undergo weekly COVID-19 testing, with the full cost of testing to be borne by Contractor. If Contractor Personnel test positive, they shall not be assigned to perform In-Person Services or, to the extent they have already been performing In-Person Services, shall be immediately removed from those assignments. Furthermore, Contractor shall immediately notify City if Contractor Personnel performing In-Person Services (1) have tested positive for or have been diagnosed with COVID-19, (2) have been informed by a medical professional that they are likely to have COVID-19, or (3) meet the criteria for isolation under applicable government orders

EXHIBIT B Form Gen 146 (Rev. 6/12) Required Insurance and Minimum Limits

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Other:			Liability Insura				r Sub-Contractor	that requires a Licensed

Professional to perform their duties as part of this agreement. 2) In the absence of imposed Auto Liability requirements, all contractors using vehicles during the course of their contract must adhere to the financial responsibility laws of the State of California.

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION ON COMPLYING WITH CITY INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Share this information with your insurance agent or broker.)

NAME: Analyst Name CITY AGENCY: Los Angeles Housing Department ADDRESS: 1200 W. 7th Street, 4th Flr Los Angeles, CA 90017 TELEPHONE: XXX-XXX-XXXX

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **Agreement/Reference** All evidence of insurance should identify the nature of your business with the CITY. Clearly show any assigned number of a bid, contract, lease, permit, etc. or give the project name and the job site or street address to ensure that your submission will be properly credited. Provide the **types of coverage and minimum dollar amounts** specified on the Required Insurance and Minimum Limits sheet (Form Gen. 146) included in your CITY documents.

2. When to Submit Normally, no work may begin until a CITY insurance certificate approval number ("CA number") has been obtained, so insurance documents should be submitted as early as practicable. For As-needed Contracts, insurance need not be submitted until a specific job has been awarded. Design Professionals coverage for new construction work may be submitted simultaneously with final plans and drawings, but before construction commences.

3. Acceptable Evidence and Approval Electronic submission is the preferred method of submitting your documents. **KwikComply** is the CITY's online insurance compliance system and is designed to make the experience of submitting and retrieving insurance information quick and easy. The system is designed to be used primarily by insurance brokers and agents as they submit client insurance certificates directly to the City. It uses the standard insurance industry form known as the ACCORD 25 Certificate of Liability Insurance in electronic format. KwikComply advantages include standardized, universally accepted forms, paperless approval transactions (24 hours, 7 days per week), and security checks and balances. The easiest and quickest way to obtain approval of your insurance is to have your insurance broker or agent access **KwikComply** at https://kwikcomply.org/ and follow the instructions to register and submit the appropriate proof of insurance on your behalf.

Contractor must provide City a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation (ten (10) days for nonpayment of premium) AND an Additional Insured Endorsement naming the CITY an additional insured completed by your insurance company or its designee. If the policy includes an automatic or blanket additional insured endorsement, the Certificate must state the CITY is an automatic or blanket additional insured. An endorsement naming the CITY an Additional Named Insured and Loss Payee as Its Interests May Appear is required on property policies. All evidence of insurance must be authorized by a person with authority to bind coverage, whether that is the authorized agent/broker or insurance underwriter.

Additional Insured Endorsements DO NOT apply to the following:

- Indication of compliance with statute, such as Workers' Compensation Law.
- Professional Liability insurance

Verification of approved insurance and bonds may be obtained by checking **KwikComply**, the CITY's online insurance compliance system, at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

4. **Renewal** When an existing policy is renewed, have your insurance broker or agent submit a new Acord 25 Certificate or edit the existing Acord 25 Certificate through KwikComply at <u>https://kwikcomply.org/</u>.

5. Alternative Programs/Self-Insurance Risk financing mechanisms such as Risk Retention Groups, Risk Purchasing Groups, off-shore carriers, captive insurance programs and selfinsurance programs are subject to separate approval after the CITY has reviewed the relevant audited financial statements. To initiate a review of your program, you should complete the Applicant's Declaration of Self Insurance form (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>) to the Office of the City Administrative Officer, Risk Management for consideration.

6. **General Liability** insurance covering your operations (and products, where applicable) is required whenever the CITY is at risk of third-party claims which may arise out of your work or your presence or special event on City premises. **Sexual Misconduct** coverage is a required coverage when the work performed involves minors. **Fire Legal Liability** is required for persons occupying a portion of CITY premises. (Information on two CITY insurance programs, the SPARTA program, an optional source of low-cost insurance which meets the most minimum requirements, and the Special Events Liability Insurance Program, which provides liability coverage for short-term special events on CITY premises or streets, is available at (<u>www.2sparta.com</u>), or by calling (800) 420-0555.)

7. **Automobile Liability** insurance is required only when vehicles are used in performing the work of your Contract or when they are driven off-road on CITY premises; it is not required for simple commuting unless CITY is paying mileage. However, compliance with California law requiring auto liability insurance is a contractual requirement.

8. **Errors and Omissions** coverage will be specified on a project-by-project basis if you are working as a licensed or other professional. The length of the claims discovery period required will vary with the circumstances of the individual job.

9. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance are not required for single-person contractors. However, under state law these coverages (or a copy of the state's Consent To Self Insure) must be provided if you have any employees at any time during the period of this contract. Contractors with no employees must complete a Request for Waiver of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirement (<u>http://cao.lacity.org/risk/InsuranceForms.htm</u>). A Waiver of Subrogation on the coverage is required only for jobs where your employees are working on CITY premises under hazardous conditions, e.g., uneven terrain, scaffolding, caustic chemicals, toxic materials, power tools, etc. The Waiver of Subrogation waives the insurer's right to recover (from the CITY) any workers' compensation paid to an injured employee of the contractor.

10. **Property** Insurance is required for persons having exclusive use of premises or equipment owned or controlled by the CITY. Builder's Risk/Course of Construction is required during construction projects and should include building materials in transit and stored at the project site.

11. **Surety** coverage may be required to guarantee performance of work and payment to vendors and suppliers. A Crime Policy may be required to handle CITY funds or securities, and under certain other conditions. Specialty coverages may be needed for certain operations. For assistance in obtaining the CITY required bid, performance and payment surety bonds, please see the City of Los Angeles Contractor Development and Bond Assistance Program website address at http://cao.lacity.org/risk/BondAssistanceProgram.pdf or call (213) 258-3000 for more information

12. **Cyber Liability & Privacy** coverage may be required to cover technology services or products for both liability and property losses that may result when a CITY contractor engages in various electronic activities, such as selling on the Internet or collecting data within its internal electronic network. Contractor's policies shall cover liability for a data breach in which the CITY employees' and/or CITY customers' confidential or personal information, such as but not limited to, Social Security or credit card information are exposed or stolen by a hacker or other criminal who has gained access to the CITY's or contractor's electronic network. The policies shall cover a variety of expenses associated with data breaches, including: notification costs, credit monitoring, costs to defend claims by state regulators, fines and penalties, and loss resulting from identity theft. The policies are required to cover liability arising from website media content, as well as property exposures from: (a) business interruption, (b) data loss/destruction, (c) computer fraud, (d) funds transfer loss, and (e) cyber extortion.

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EXHIBIT C CERTIFICATION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Living Wage Ordinance. Contractor shall post a copy of the Notice to Employees Working on City Contracts Re: Living Wage Ordinance and Prohibition Against Retaliation, which is as below, in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees.

An employer subject to the Living Wage Ordinance shall post in a prominent place in an area frequented by employees a copy of the below notice to employees regarding the LWO prohibition against retaliation (also available in English at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (English).pdf and in Spanish at http://bca.lacity.org/site/pdf/lwo/Notice To Employees Of Retaliation (Spanish).pdf. The retaliation notice must be posted by an employer even if the employer has been exempted from the LWO.

NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES WORKING ON CITY CONTRACTS RE: LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE AND PROHIBITION AGAINST RETALIATION

"Section 10.37.5 Retaliation Prohibited" of the Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) provides that any employer that has a contractual relationship with the City **may not** discharge, reduce the pay of, or discriminate against his or her employees working under the City contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1. Complaining to the City if your employer is not complying with the Ordinance.
- 2. Opposing any practice prohibited by the Ordinance.
- 3. Participating in proceedings related to the Ordinance, such as serving as a witness and testifying in a hearing.
- 4. Seeking to enforce your rights under this Ordinance by any lawful means.
- 5. Asserting your rights under the Ordinance.

Also, you may not be fired, lose pay or be discriminated against for asking your employer questions about the Living Wage Ordinance, or asking the City about whether your employer is doing what is required under the LWO. If you are fired, lose pay, or discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section, as well as file a claim in court.

For more information, or to obtain a complaint form, please call the Equal Employment Opportunity Enforcement Section at (213) 847-2625.

CITY OF LOS ANGELES Department of Public Works Bureau of Contract Administration Office of Contract Compliance 1149 S. Broadway Street, Suite 300 Los Angeles, CA 90015 Phone: (213) 847-2625 — Fax: (213) 847-2777

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SIGNATURE

DATE

EXHIBIT D

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension, 24 CFR Part 24 Section 24.510, and 29 CFR Parts 97.35 and 98.510, Participants' responsibilities.

(READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION BEFORE COMPLETING)

- 1. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 2. Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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EXHIBIT D (cont.)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this document, the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is providing the certification as set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this agreement is entered, if at any time the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds learns that its certification was erroneous, when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Orders 12549 and 12689.
- 5. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the <u>List of Parties Excluded from Procurement or Non-Procurement Programs</u>.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under Paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

<u>EXHIBIT E</u>

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

<u>Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans</u> <u>and Cooperative Agreements</u>

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or shall be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352 Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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EXHIBIT F MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION

As a prerequisite to receipt of a City funded Contract, and as material facts upon which the City may rely in preparing the Contract, I, an authorized representative of the Contractor, make the following representations:

1. I am responsible for the fair presentation of the Contractor's financial records/reports in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and have provided such records/reports accordingly to the City. I will make available to City all related data and information. I am not aware of any material transactions that have not been properly recorded and disclosed.

True 🗌 False 🗌

2. The Contractor has adopted sound accounting policies and procedures in accordance with GAAP that include procedures for maintaining internal controls, and preventing and detecting fraud and abuse.

True 🗌 False 🗌

3. I have advised and will continue to advise the City of any actions taken at meetings of Contractor's Board of Directors, and Committees of the Board of Directors which may have a material impact on Contractor's ability to perform the City's Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

- 4. Except as recorded or disclosed to you herein, I know of no instances of:
 - a. Conflict of interests (direct or indirect), nepotism, related (direct or indirect) party transactions including revenues, expenses, loans, transfers, leasing arrangements, and guarantees, and amounts receivable from or payable to related parties.

True 🗌 False 🗌

b. Guarantees, whether written or oral, under which the Contractor is contingently liable.

True 🗌 False 🗌

c. Actual, forthcoming or possible terminations of funding from regulatory agencies or other sources due to noncompliance, deficiencies, or for any other reason, that would affect the financial records and/or continuing viability of the Contractor as an on-going concern.

True 🗌 False 🗌

5. I have no knowledge that a board member/s is/are also an employee of this Contractor whose salary costs are reimbursed under this agreement.

True 🗌 False 🗌

6. I have no knowledge of and am not in receipt of any communication regarding allegations of fraud, suspected fraud or abuse affecting the Contractor involving management, employees who have significant roles in internal control, or others where fraud/abuse could have a material effect on the financial records or performance of the City Contract.

True 🗌 False 🗌

7. I have no knowledge of any allegations, written or oral, of misstatements or misapplication of funds in the Contractor's conduct of its financial affairs or in its financial records.

True 🗌 False 🗌

8. I am not aware of any pending litigation, bankruptcy, judgment, liens and other significant issues that may threaten the financial viability, legal and continuing existence of the Contractor.

True 🗌 False 🗌

9. The Contractor has satisfactory title to all assets being used in the City's program, and there are no liens or encumbrances on such assets, nor has any asset been pledged as collateral.

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10. The Contractor has complied with all aspects of contractual agreements, related laws and regulations that could have a material effect on the financial records, the program/s, or on the organization as a whole.

True 🗌 False 🗌

11. I have properly reported and paid to the appropriate governmental agencies all payroll taxes due on employees' (City program related or otherwise) compensation.

True		False	
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12. I have responded fully to all the City's inquiries related to the Contractor's financial records and/or reports.

True 🗌 False 🗌

13. I understand that the City's auditing and monitoring procedures of Contractor are limited to those which the City determines best meet its informational needs and may not necessarily disclose all errors, irregularities, including fraud or defalcation, or illegal acts, that may exist.

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14. I understand that the City audit and monitoring reports are intended solely for use by the Contractor and the other authorized parties, and are not intended for other purposes, unless otherwise required by law.

True] False [
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15. If one or more of the above statements is found to be false, I understand that the City may terminate this contract immediately. I also understand that I have a continuing duty to report to City any material factual change to any of these statements.

True | False |

Use this space to provide any additional information:

I declare under	penalty	of perjury	that I h	nave re	ad the	foregoing	statements	and they	are true	and	complete	to the	e best o	f my
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EXHIBIT G SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor shall provide services as follows:

A. Conduct in-field review of properties to determine historic status.

The consultant will be required to determine the eligibility of properties for inclusion in the National Register Area of Potential Effect studies and archeological surveys, which will be submitted to the SHPO for review and concurrence.

The consultant will be required to determine what impact federally-funded projects will have on historically significant structures/properties as specified in the Section 106 Regulations. The following is an estimate of the number of reviews that may be required during each contract year:

Activity	Estimated Number of Structures to be Reviewed
Determination of Historic Significance (Residential, Commercial and Industrial Structures)	300
Area of Potential Effect	100
Archeological Records Search	150
Phase 1 - Archeological Survey of Cultural Resources (Structures and Purchase of Property)	50

B. Apply "The National Register Criteria" for evaluation to identify properties which may be considered eligible for the National Register of Historic Places. The consultant will coordinate with the South Central Coastal Information Center at the California State University, Fullerton, for completion of archeological record searches and conduct follow-up and completion for any recommendations for Phase I Archeological Surveys.

Properties deemed eligible for inclusion in the National Register, Area of Potential Effect studies, and archeological surveys, shall be submitted to the State Historic Preservation Office for review and concurrence.

- C. Regarding the preparation of historical documents, the consultant shall:
 - i. Assist LAHD in preparing appropriate responses and action plans on a site-specific basis to meet the Preservation Brief 31 standard requirements, including photography of each site and a condition assessment.
 - ii. Provide follow-up documentation for cases of No Adverse Effect (with or without conditions) to demonstrate project compliance (e.g., before and after photographs of each project).
 - iii. Prepare appropriate case studies in cases of Adverse Effect.
 - iv. Write specifications for rehabilitation work on historic properties (contributing to National Register listed or eligible historic districts or individually listed/eligible).
- D. Regarding the preparation of related analyses, reports and recommendations, the consultant shall:
 - i. Identify possible mitigation measures for Adverse Effects.

- ii. Provide analysis and consulting pertaining to lead-based paint in compliance with the Secretary of Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation for all proposals within the CDBG and HUD-funded programs where sites are in a historic district or are individually eligible for the National Register.
- iii. Prescribe lead-based paint hazard control procedures to be followed and formulate recommendations on lead-based paint hazard control procedures for all proposals located inside the City's designated historic districts.
- E. Regarding the provision of technical assistance and monitoring, the consultant shall:
 - i. As necessary, provide technical assistance to the affected community in implementation of mitigation plans. As necessary, this shall include conducting and attending community stakeholder meetings.
 - ii. Advise local government on historic preservation issues and provide technical assistance to local government and contractors in meeting the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and appropriate guidelines.
 - iii. Provide technical assistance to LAHD staff on historical issues and regulatory requirements throughout the duration of the contract.
 - iv. Assist in the monitoring process of all historic projects for LAHD. The consultant(s) shall perform site inspections of the work when the project is 50% completed and 100% completed, unless additional inspections are requested by the City.
- F. Regarding the coordination with local, state and federal governmental agencies, the consultant shall:
 - i. Request comments from the SHPO, THPO, and the National Advisory Council where appropriate and necessary.
 - ii. Assist City staff in interpretation and application of Section 106 requirements and standards to federally assisted programs and projects.
 - iii. Communicate federal and state program changes to implementing departments. As necessary, this will also include the sharing of information and data, to LAHD staff, from the SHPO and the Advisory Council.
- G. Programmatic Agreement (PA)
 - i. The selected consultant will assist the City in carrying out the responsibilities as outlined in the Programmatic Agreement (PA) (Exhibit A).

The City of Los Angeles implemented a PA executed among the City of Los Angeles, the California State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO), and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (Advisory Council) regarding any properties 50 years or older. Under the terms of the PA, the City is required to retain the services of a Historic Preservation Consultant who will participate in the consultation regarding the PA with the SHPO and the Advisory Council as the Historic Preservation Consultant for the City. The consultant will be responsible for preparation of the reports and other documents no later than six (6) weeks upon completion of the final determination, as deemed necessary by LAHD staff pertaining to the PA.

The PA requires the City to document in writing all actions taken pursuant to the PA and to report the activities to the SHPO and the Advisory Council in a Programmatic Agreement Compliance Report (PACR) every six (6) months.

The purpose of the PACR is to:

• Summarize for SHPO and the Advisory Council the activities carried out under this PA.

- Document all decisions made with respect to identification and evaluation of historic properties, treatment of historic properties, resolutions of adverse effects, and consideration and treatment of historic resources.
- Provide copies of all Standard Mitigation Measures Agreements.
- Present the views of the City regarding the usefulness of the PA in promoting the efficiency and effectiveness of both the programs and the consideration of Historic Properties.
- Inform the public of the activities carried out under the terms of the PA by making the PACR available for public inspection and comment.
- ii. In consultation with the SHPO, LAHD Staff and relevant agencies, update the PA to reflect more complexes and recent challenges to the Historic Preservation within the City of Los Angeles.

EXHIBIT H INVENTIONS, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

A. Reporting Procedure for Inventions

If any project produces any invention or discovery (Invention) patentable or otherwise under Title 35 of the U.S. Code, including, without limitation processes and business methods made in the course of work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall report the fact and disclose the Invention promptly and fully to the City. The City shall report the fact and disclose the Invention. Unless there is a prior agreement between the City and the Grantor, the Grantor shall determine whether to seek protection on the Invention. The Grantor shall determine how the rights in the Invention, including rights under any patent issued thereon, will be allocated and administered in order to protect the public interest consistent with the policy ("Policy") embodied in the Federal Acquisition Regulations System, which is based on Ch. 18 of Title 35 U.S.C. §200 *et seq.* (Pub.L. 95-517, Pub.L. 98-620, 37 CFR, Part 401); Presidential Memorandum on Government Patent Policy to the Heads of the Executive Departments and Agencies, dated 2/18/1983; and Executive Order 12591, 4/10/87, 52 FR 13414, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp., p. 220 (as amended by Executive Order 12618, 12/22/87, 52 FR 48661, 3 CFR, 1987 Comp. p. 262). Contractor hereby agrees to be bound by the Policy, and will contractually require its personnel to be bound by the Policy.

B. Rights to Use Inventions

City shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Invention developed under this Agreement.

- C. Copyright Policy
 - Unless otherwise provided by the terms of the Grantor or of this Agreement, when copyrightable material (Material) is developed under this Agreement, the author or the City, at the City's discretion, may copyright the Material. If the City declines to copyright the Material, the City shall have an unencumbered right, and a nonexclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, access, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all governmental purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement.
 - 2. The Grantor shall have an unencumbered right, and a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty-free license, to use, manufacture, improve upon, and allow others to do so for all government purposes, any Material developed under this Agreement or any Copyright purchased under this Agreement. Contractor shall comply with 24 CFR 85.34.
- D. Rights to Data
 - 1. The Grantor and the City shall have unlimited rights or copyright license to any data first produced or delivered under this Agreement. "Unlimited rights" means the right to use, disclose, reproduce, prepare derivative works, distribute copies to the public, and perform and display publicly, or permit others to do so; as required by 48 CFR 27.401. Where the data are not first produced under this Agreement or are published copyrighted data with the notice of 17 U.S.C. §401 or §402, the Grantor acquires the data under a copyright license as set forth in 48 CFR 27.404(f) (2) instead of unlimited rights (48 CFR 27.404(a)).
 - 2. Obligations Binding on Subcontractors Contractor shall require all subcontractors to comply with the obligations of this section by incorporating the terms of this section into all subcontracts.
- E. Intellectual Property Provisions for California Sub-Grants (IF APPLICABLE)

This Agreement is funded in part with federal "pass through" funds from the State of California (State). The following requirements are applicable to this Agreement. In any Contract funded in whole or in part by the federal government, City/State may acquire and maintain the Intellectual Property rights, title, and ownership, which result directly or indirectly from the Contract, except as provided in 37 Code of Federal Regulations Part 401.14. However, pursuant to 29 CFR Part 97.34, the federal government shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive, irrevocable, paid-up license throughout the world to use, duplicate, or dispose of such Intellectual Property throughout the world in any manner for governmental purposes and to have and permit others to do so.

F. Ownership

- 1. Except where City/State has agreed in a signed writing to accept a license, City/State shall be and remain, without additional compensation, the sole owner of any and all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property, from the moment of creation, whether or not jointly conceived, that are made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. For the purposes of this Agreement, Intellectual Property means recognized protectable rights and interest such as: patents (whether or not issued,) copyrights, trademarks, service marks, applications for any of the foregoing: inventions, trade secrets, trade dress, logos, insignia, color combinations, slogans, moral rights, right of publicity, author's rights, contract and licensing rights, works, mask works, industrial design rights, rights of priority, know how, design flows, methodologies, devices, business processes, developments, innovations, good will any data or information maintained, collected or stored in the ordinary course of business by City/State, and all other legal rights protecting intangible proprietary information as may exist now and/or hereafter come into existence, and all renewals and extensions, regardless of whether those rights arise under the laws of the United States, or any other state, country, jurisdiction.
- 3. For the purposes of the definition of Intellectual Property, "works" means all literary works, writings and printed matter, including the medium by which they are recorded or reproduced, photographs, art work, pictorial and graphic representations and works of a similar nature, film, motion pictures, digital images, animation cells, and other audiovisual works, including positives and negatives thereof, sound recordings, tapes, educational materials, interactive videos, computer software and any other materials of products created, produced, conceptualized and fixed in a tangible medium of expression. It includes preliminary and final products and any materials and information developed for the purposes of producing those final products. "Works" does not include articles submitted to peer review or reference journals or independent research projects.
- 4. In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor may exercise and utilize certain of its Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. In addition, under this Agreement, Contractor may access and utilize certain of City's/State's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Except as otherwise set forth herein, Contractor shall not use any of City's/State's Intellectual Property now existing or hereafter existing for any purposes without the prior written permission of City/State. Except as otherwise set forth herein, neither Contractor nor City/State shall give any ownership interest in or rights to its Intellectual Property to the other Party. If, during the term of this Agreement, Contractor accesses any third-party Intellectual Property that is licensed to City/State, Contractor agrees to abide by all license and confidentiality restrictions applicable to City/State in the third-party's license agreement.
- 5. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City/State in establishing or maintaining City/State's exclusive rights in the Intellectual Property, and in assuring City's/State's sole rights against third-parties with respect to the Intellectual Property. If the Contractor enters into any agreements or subcontracts with other parities in order to perform this Agreement, Contractor shall require the terms of agreement(s) to include all Intellectual Property provisions herein. Such terms must include, but are not limited to, the subcontractor assigning and agreeing to assign to City/State all rights, title and interest in Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by the subcontractor, Contractor or City/State and which result directly indirectly from this Agreement or any subcontract.
- 6. The requirement for the Contractor to include all Intellectual Property Provisions in all agreements and subcontracts it enters into with other parties does not apply to agreements or subcontracts that are for customized and on-the-job-training as authorized under 20 CFR 663.700-730.
- 7. Contractor further agrees to assist and cooperate with City/State in all reasonable respects, and execute all documents and, subject to reasonable availability, give testimony, and take all further acts reasonably necessary to acquire, transfer, maintain, and enforce City's/State's Intellectual Property rights and interests.
- G. Retained Rights/License Rights
 - 1. Except for Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement, Contractor shall retain title to all of its Intellectual Property to the extent such Intellectual Property is in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. Contractor hereby grants to City/State, without additional compensation, a permanent, non-exclusive, royalty free, paid-up, worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, non-terminable license to use, reproduce, manufacture, sell, offer to sell, import, export, modify, publicly and privately display/perform, distribute, and dispose of Contractor's Intellectual Property with the right to sub-license through multiple layers, for any purpose

whatsoever, to the extent it is incorporated in the Intellectual Property resulting from this Agreement, unless Contractor assigns all rights, title and interest in the Intellectual Property as set forth herein.

2. Nothing in this provision shall restrict, limit, or otherwise prevent Contractor from using any ideas, concepts, know-how, methodology or techniques related to its performance under this Agreement, provided that Contractor's use does not infringe the patent, copyright, trademark rights, license or other Intellectual Property rights of City/State or third-party, or result in a breach or default of any provisions herein or result in a breach of any provisions of law relating to confidentiality.

H. Copyright

- 1. Contractor agrees that for purposes of copyright law, all works made by or on behalf of Contractor in connection with Contractor's performance of this Agreement shall be deemed "works for hire." Contractor further agrees that the work of each person utilized by Contractor in connection with the performance of this Agreement will be a "work made for hire," whether that person is an employee of Contractor or that person has entered into an agreement with Contractor to perform the work. Contractor shall enter into a written agreement with any such person that: (i) all work performed for Contractor shall be deemed a "work made for hire" under the Copyright Act and (ii) that person shall assign all right, title, and interest to City/State to any work product made, conceived, derived from or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement.
- 2. All materials, including, but not limited to, computer software, visual works or text, reproduced or distributed pursuant to this Agreement that include Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement may not be reproduced or disseminated without prior written permission from City/State.

I. Patent Rights

With respect to inventions made by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement, which did not result from research and development specifically included in the Agreement's scope of work, Contractor hereby grants to City/State a license for devises or material incorporating, or made through the use of such inventions. If such inventions result from research and development work specifically included within the Agreement's scope of work, then Contractor agrees to assign to City/State, without additional compensation, all its rights, title and interest in and to such inventions and to assist City/State in securing United States and foreign patents with respect thereto.

J. Third-Party Intellectual Property

Except as provided herein, Contractor agrees that its performance of this Agreement shall not be dependent upon or include any Intellectual Property of Contractor or third-party without first: (i) obtaining City's/State's prior written approval; and (ii) granting to or obtaining for City's/State's, without additional compensation, a license, as described in Section G above, for any of Contractor's or third-party's Intellectual Property in existence prior to the effective date of this Agreement. If such a license upon these terms is unattainable, and City/State determines that the Intellectual Property should be included in or is required for Contractor's performance of this Agreement, Contractor shall obtain a license under terms acceptable to City/State.

K. Warranties

- 1. Contractor represents and warrants that:
 - a. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for its performance of this Agreement. Neither Contractor's performance of this Agreement, nor the exercise by either Party of the rights granted in this Agreement, nor any use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, import, export, modification, public and private display/performance, distribution, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement will infringe upon or violate any Intellectual Property right, non-disclosure obligation, or other proprietary right or interest of any third-party or entity now existing under the laws of, or hereafter existing or issued by, any state, the United States, or any foreign country. There are currently no actual or threatened claims by any such third-party based on an alleged violation of any such right by Contractor.
 - b. Neither Contractor's performance nor any part of its performance will violate the right of privacy of, or constitute a libel or slander against any person or entity.

- c. It has secured and will secure all rights and licenses necessary for Intellectual Property, including, but not limited to, consents, waivers or releases from all authors or music or performances used, and talent (radio, television, and motion picture talent), owners of any interest in and to real estate, site locations, property or props that may be used or shown.
- d. It has not granted and shall not grant to any person or entity any right that would or might derogate, encumber, or interfere with any of the rights granted to City/State in this Agreement.
- e. It has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or maintenance or computer software in violation of copyright laws.
- f. It has no knowledge of any outstanding claims, licenses or other charges, liens, or encumbrances of any kind or nature whatsoever that could affect in any way Contractor's performance of this Agreement.
- 2. City/State makes no warranty that the intellectual property resulting from this sub-grant Agreement does not infringe upon any patent, trademark, copyright or the like, now existing or subsequently issued.
- L. Intellectual Property Indemnity
 - 1. Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless City/State and its licensees and assignees, and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and users of its products ("Indemnities") from and against all claims, actions, damages, losses, liabilities (or actions or proceedings with respect to any thereof), whether or not rightful, arising from any and all actions or claims by any third-party or expenses related thereto (including, but not limited to, all legal expenses, court costs, and attorney's fees incurred in investigating, preparing, serving as a witness in, or defending against, any such claim action, or proceeding, commenced or threatened) to which any of the Indemnities may be subject, whether or not Contractor is a party to any pending or threatened litigation, which arise out of or are related to: (i) the incorrectness or breach of any of the representations, warranties, covenants or agreements of Contractor pertaining to Intellectual Property; or (ii) any Intellectual Property infringement, or any other type of actual or alleged infringement claim, arising out of City's/State's use, reproduction, manufacture, sale, offer to sell, distribution, import, export, modification, public and private performance/display, license, and disposition of the Intellectual Property made, conceived, derived from, or reduced to practice by Contractor or City/State and which result directly or indirectly from this Agreement. This indemnity obligation shall apply irrespective of whether the infringement claim is based on a patent, trademark or copyright registration that was issued after the effective date of this Agreement. City/State reserves the right to participate in and/or control, at Contractor's expense, any such infringement action brought against City/State.
 - 2. Should any Intellectual Property licensed by the Contractor to City/State under this Agreement become the subject of an Intellectual Property infringement claim, Contractor will exercise its authority reasonably and in good faith to preserve City's/State's right to use the licensed Intellectual Property in accordance with this Agreement at no expense to City/State. City/State shall have the right to monitor and appear through its own counsel (at Contractor's expense) in any such claim or action. In the defense or settlement of the claim, Contractor may obtain the right for City/State to continue using the licensed Intellectual Property, or replace or modify the licensed Intellectual Property so that the replaced or modified Intellectual Property becomes non-infringing provided that such replacement or modification is functionally equivalent to the original licensed Intellectual Property. If such remedies are not reasonably available, City/State may be entitled to a refund of all monies paid under this Agreement, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.
 - 3. Contractor agrees that damages alone would be inadequate to compensate City/State for breach of any term of these Intellectual Property provisions herein by Contractor. Contractor acknowledges City/State would suffer irreparable harm in the event of such breach and agrees City/State shall be entitled to obtain equitable relief, including without limitation an injunction, from a court of competent jurisdiction, without restriction or limitation of any other rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

M. Survival

The provisions set forth herein shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or any project schedule.

EXHIBIT I SUBCONTRACT AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

- 1. For the purpose of this Agreement, subcontracts shall include, but not be limited to purchase agreement or lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, consultant services subcontracts and construction subcontracts.
- 2. Subcontracts entered into in the performance of this Agreement shall:
 - a. Be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. City may require incorporation of the applicable provisions in a written agreement.
 - b. Specifically prohibit assignment or transfer of interest without prior written approval by the City.
 - c. Contractor must specifically provide proof, when applicable, of the appropriate permits and/or business licenses.
- 3. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be submitted to the City for approval prior to execution.
- 4. A copy of each executed subcontract, or amendment(s) thereto, shall be maintained by Contractor and provided to City upon written request.
- 5. Subcontractors shall be procured consistent with the Procurement Procedures outlined in this Agreement.
- 6. A subcontractor is defined as a person or business who is awarded a portion of an existing contract by a principal or general contractor. A subcontractor performs work under a contract with a general contractor.

B. PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES

- It is the policy of the City of Los Angeles (City) to encourage fair and open competition in its procurement for goods and services. The requirements for a fair and open competition include the development of written procurement policies that include, but are not limited to all of the following subsections. Several of the provisions herein include City mandated rules and procedures in addition to the other grant requirements. Such policies are applicable to subcontractors to the extent permitted by law.
 - a. Purpose: It is the intent of these rules that these procedures shall apply to all subcontracts including, but not limited to purchase agreements, lease or rental agreements (excluding real property agreements), third-party agreements, and consultant services subcontracts. All contractors are required to prepare written procurement procedures. All written procedures and policies for procurement activities are to be available for public inspection.
 - b. Responsibilities:
 - (1) The following procedures shall apply to all procurements under this Agreement in order to ensure that all solicitations:
 - (a) Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product or service to be procured. Such description shall not, in competitive procurement, contain features which unduly restrict competition; and
 - (b) Identify all requirements that the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - (2) Issue a Public Notification: The notification must be made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) or other media that covers the entire service area.

- (3) All steps of each procurement must be documented, including a description of the documentation process and where the documentation will be located.
- (4) Contractor shall provide a copy of the bid package to anyone who requests it. Contractor shall compile a list of everyone requesting a copy of the bid package.
- (5) The Contractor shall ensure that all pre-qualified lists of persons, firms or other organizations that are used to acquire goods and services are current and include sufficient numbers of qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. The agencies listed on the bidder's list may be individually notified.
- (6) The Contractor shall maintain records that are sufficient to detail the significant history of a procurement procedure. These records shall include, but are not limited to the following: rationale for the method of procurement; the selection of contract type; contractor selection or rejection; rational and reasonable rating criteria and the basis for the contract type.
- (7) The Contractor shall keep records sufficient to insure that funds have not been spent unlawfully.
- (8) The Contractor shall retain all records pertinent to any procurement agreement/contract within the County of Los Angeles for a period of five (5) years following termination of the Agreement and after final disposition of all pending matters. "Pending Matters" include, but are not limited to an audit, litigation, or other activities involving records. Prior to destruction of records retained under this Agreement, the Contractor shall notify the City and request instructions on disposition of said records.
- (9) The Contractor shall not contract with any party that is debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from participation in Federal assistance programs. All contracts shall include a self-certification from the contractor that it is not a debarred party.

The Federal government prohibits awards to any party that is debarred. The Federal government compiles a list of debarred parties. The Federal list is published by the General Services Administration. A copy may be obtained by accessing <u>https://www.sam.gov/SAM/</u>. The list will be issued as an Information Bulletin in May of each year. It is the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that funds are not awarded to entities on the debarment list.

- (10)Procurement activities must be concluded in a confidential manner. Staff involved in procurements must not divulge advance purchasing information, specific proposal/offer evaluation criteria, and negotiations with bidders or in-house discussions regarding procurement until such time as this information is released to all parties.
- (11)Contractor shall receive and log in proposals and establish a method for recording the date and time of arrival of proposals using either a log-in sheet, or a date/time stamp. Contractor shall establish a single location for receipt of proposals. Contractor shall ensure that the only proposals received by the deadline specified in the bid package qualify for the evaluation process unless there is a valid legal reason for otherwise considering a late proposal.
- (12)Contractor shall establish proposal evaluation procedures that shall include, but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Clear staff responsibilities: A procurement specialist shall be designated for each bid/proposal process. It shall be the responsibility of the specialist to insure compliance with these procurement rules;
 - (b) Develop a standard worksheet or check-list for determining responsiveness of each proposal;
 - (c) Establish and use evaluation criteria and a standard evaluation worksheet to be used in recording the evaluations of each proposal;
 - (d) Prepare an analysis of costs to verify allowability and to determine reasonableness;
 - (e) Identify staff responsibilities for completing proposal evaluation and for summarizing evaluation results;

- (f) Develop a description of methods for ensuring independence of ratings by those involved in the evaluation process (i.e., prohibit discussion among staff, sequestered evaluations);
- (g) Identify policy and process by which selection of awardee(s) will be made; and
- (h) Provide an opportunity for bidders to appeal staff recommendations.

Items a-c should be sufficiently completed before issuance of the bid package so relevant parts can be included.

- (13)Contractor shall identify complete and timely proposals. Contractor shall review the technical merits of these proposals based on the rating criteria contained in the bid package. Contractor shall review the cost proposals based on applicable cost principles and the technical proposal.
- (14)Contractor shall determine which proposals are in competitive range for technical response and based on the cost and price analysis conducted prior to the release of the bid package.
- (15)Contractor shall negotiate with organization(s) in the competitive range. Contractor shall establish policies and procedures governing face-to-face negotiations. Include in these policies opportunities to seek clarification of the proposal content, the offeror to submit a best and final proposal prior to final evaluation and award. Contractor shall include in the criteria that all responsive offerors in the competitive range are given fair and equal consideration based on the merits of their proposals. Contractor shall document these negotiations in writing.
- (16)Private for-profit entities must obtain prior written approval from the City for purchases of personal property (other than supplies) using Agreement funds.
- (17)Contractor shall conduct and document oversight to ensure compliance with these procurement procedures.
- (18)If the State of California, or the City of Los Angeles has established a debt against a service provider that has not been repaid or a repayment agreement plan has not be implemented, then the service provider shall be barred from receiving any future City funds.
- (19)Participation of Minorities, Women, Disadvantaged and Small Businesses

To the fullest extent possible in the administration of this Agreement, Contractor agrees to provide opportunities for minorities, women, disadvantaged and small businesses to participate in procurements under this Agreement.

- (20)The Contractor shall not use funds provided under this Agreement to duplicate facilities or services available in the area (with or without reimbursement) from Federal, State, or local sources, unless it is demonstrated that the Agreement-funded alternative services or facilities would be more effective or more likely to achieve performance goals.
- (21)The Contractor, to the maximum extent practicable and permitted by law, is encouraged to maximize use of goods, products, and materials produced in the United States when procuring goods and services under Federal awards. (2 CFR 200.322.)
- (22)The Contractor, consistent with 2 CFR 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunication and video surveillance services or equipment (Effective 8/13/2020)), shall be prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or (3) enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain, equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as a critical technology as part of any system. This prohibition applies even if the contract is not intended to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services includes: Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

- (a) Costs incurred for telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment such as phones, internet, video surveillance, cloud servers are allowable except for the following circumstances:
 - (i) Obligating or expending covered telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment or services as described in 2 CFR 200.216 to:
 - (ii) Procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain;
 - (iii) Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure; or
 - (iv) Obtain the equipment, services, or systems.
- c. Cost or Price Analysis:
 - (1) The non-Federal entity must perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the Simplified Acquisition Threshold including contract modifications. The method and degree of analysis is dependent on the facts surrounding the particular procurement situation, but as a starting point, the non-Federal entity must make independent estimates before receiving bids or proposals.
 - (2) The non-Federal entity must negotiate profit as a separate element of the price for each contract in which there is no price competition and in all cases where cost analysis is performed. To establish a fair and reasonable profit, consideration must be given to the complexity of the work to be performed, the risk borne by the contractor, the contractor's investment, the amount of subcontracting, the quality of its record of past performance, and industry profit rates in the surrounding geographical area for similar work.
 - (3) Costs or prices based on estimated costs for contracts under the Federal award are allowable only to the extent that costs incurred or cost estimates included in negotiated prices would be allowable for the non-Federal entity under Subpart E—Cost Principles of this part. The non-Federal entity may reference its own cost principles that comply with the Federal cost principles.
 - (4) The cost plus a percentage of cost and percentage of construction cost methods of contracting must not be used.
- d. Awarding of Agreement/Contract
 - (1) Prior to an award of a contract, the City/Contractor shall make a determination that the Contractor/Subcontractor has demonstrated effectiveness in providing the requested services. Agreements/Contracts shall be made only with responsible Contractors/Subcontractors who possess the potential ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of a proposed procurement. The selected proposer must be a responsive entity that has submitted a proposal or bid which meets all requirements of the solicitation adequately, which includes responding to the Request for Proposal (RFP)/Request of Qualification (RFQ) within the required time frames, and completing all forms and documents. A responsible entity is one that has been determined to: 1) have a satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics; 2) have a satisfactory performance record; 3) have adequate financial resources to perform the contract or the ability to obtain such resources; 4) be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery of performance schedule, taking into consideration all existing commercial and business commitments; 5) have the needed organization, experience, accounting, operational control and technical skills or ability to obtain them; 6) have adequate production, construction or technical equipment and needed facilities or the ability to obtain them; 7) be able to meet the program design specifications; 8) be able to meet performance goals which includes a showing of demonstrated effectiveness in providing employment and training services; 9) be able to provide services that can lead to the achievement of competency standards for participants; and 10) be both qualified and eligible to receive the award under the applicable law and regulation. Contractor/Subcontractor shall make the award(s) and finalize the contract(s). Contractor/Subcontractor shall follow established procedures for formal notification of offerors of the results of the evaluations and selected process.
 - (2) The City/Contractor and its contractors/subcontractors shall make positive efforts to utilize small business and minority-owned business as sources of supplies and services. Such efforts should allow these sources the maximum feasible opportunity to compete for contracts to be performed utilizing Federal grant funds. If applicable, Contractor/Subcontractor certifies that it has complied with Mayoral Directive 2001-26 regarding the Outreach Program for Personal Services Contracts Greater than \$100,000.

- (3) Where such advertised bids are obtained, the awards shall be made to the responsible bidder whose bid is responsive to the invitation and is most advantageous to the grantee, price and other factors considered. Factors such as discounts, transportation costs, and taxes may be considered in determining the lowest bid. No points shall be given for status as subcontractors or a contractor with an approved childcare policy within existing delivery systems. However, if a bid results in a tie score, preference may be given to the contractor or a subcontractors with an approved child care policy.
- (4) Any or all bids may be rejected when it is in the City/Contractor's interest to do so, and such rejections are in accordance with applicable State and local law, rules, and regulations.
- e. Funding Restrictions for High-Risk Contracts
 - (1) A contractor may be considered "high-risk" if an awarding agency determines that the contractor is otherwise responsible but:
 - (a) Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - (b) Is not financially stable;
 - (c) Has a management system that does not meet the management standards set forth in this part; or
 - (d) Has not conformed to terms and conditions of a previously awarded grant or sub-grant.
 - (2) If the City/Contractor agency determines that a grant or sub-grant shall be made to a "high-risk" contractor or subcontractors, then special funding restrictions that address the "high-risk" status may be included in the contract or subcontract. Funding restrictions may include, but are not limited to:
 - (a) Use of reimbursements rather than advances or payment upon completion of the project;
 - (b) Requiring additional and/or more detailed financial or performance reports;
 - (c) Additional monitoring;
 - (d) Requiring the contractor or subcontractors to obtain specific technical or management assistance, and/or
 - (e) Establishing additional prior approvals (e.g., requiring awarding agency approval prior to hiring/firing, award of small purchase contracts).
 - (3) If the City/Contractor decides to impose such funding restrictions, the awarding official shall notify the contractor or subcontractors as early as possible, in writing, of:
 - (a) The nature of the funding restriction(s);
 - (b) The reason(s) for imposing them;
 - (c) The corrective actions which must be taken before they will be removed and the time allowed for completing the corrective actions;
 - (d) The method of requesting reconsideration of the restrictions imposed; and
 - (e) Additional prior approvals.
- f. City Code of Conduct

All contractors shall adopt a Code of Conduct in accordance with the requirements as set forth in §504 of this Agreement.

- g. Methods of Procurement
 - (1) Contractor shall use one (1) of the following methods of procurement either by bid or proposal, as appropriate for each procurement action, for entering into contracts with subcontractors. Contractors shall conduct procurement in a manner that provides full and open competition. Contractor shall perform a cost or price analysis in connection with every procurement action in excess of the small purchase procedures, including contract modifications to determine that the expenditure is reasonable. When any purchase is made, it can only be for an allowable cost. Invitations for bids shall clearly set forth all requirements that the bidder must fulfill in order for his bid to be evaluated by the grantee. Grievance process procedures shall be included in each of the following methods of advertised procurement. Specific requirements and procedures are set forth in 24 CFR §84.44, 2 CFR 200, Los Angeles City Charter §370-§372, and 2 CFR Chapter I, Chapter II, Part 200, et al., incorporated herein by reference.
 - (2) Prior to entering into any subcontract that has a value of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) or more, the Contractor shall submit to the City evidence that it has received a minimum bid(s) for such subcontractors and documentation that justifies the selection of the successful bidder. The Contractor shall maintain records showing the parties solicited and the bids submitted.
 - (a) Micro Purchase Procedure: Micro purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$10,000. No quotations or bids required, but an equitable distribution of purchases must be documented.
 - (b) Small Purchase Procedures: Small purchases are made from vendors for goods or services under \$250,000. Following the procedures for small purchases shall constitute justification of the procurement method chosen. The bid must indicate the quantity, time frame and all other requirements of the product or service sought. Bids must be solicited from vendors that can reasonably be expected to provide the goods or services needed.

The requirements are:

Dollar Range of Purchase Contract and Method

\$10,001 to \$250,000

3 written bids received**

**Three (3) bids must be received by Contractor. The bid process and bids received must be documented in writing in the file. The Request for Bid must either be provided in writing to the vendors, or transmitted as uniformly as possible over the telephone. To be considered, the bid response must be signed and dated by the vendor.

(c) Purchase/Services Over \$250,000

Procurement by sealed bids (formal advertising). Bids are publicly solicited and a firm fixed price contract (lump sum or unit price) is awarded to the responsible bidder whose bid, conforming with all the material terms and conditions of the invitation for bids, is the lowest in price. The sealed bid method is the preferred method for procuring construction, if the conditions in paragraph (c)(1) of this section apply.

- (i) In order for sealed bidding to be feasible, the following conditions should be present:
 - i. A complete, adequate, and realistic specification or purchase description is available;
 - ii. Two or more responsible bidders are willing and able to compete effectively for the business; and
 - iii. The procurement lends itself to a firm fixed price contract and the selection of the successful bidder can be made principally on the basis of price.
- (ii) If sealed bids are used, the following requirements apply:

- i. Bids must be solicited from an adequate number of known suppliers, providing them sufficient response time prior to the date set for opening the bids, for local, and tribal governments, the invitation for bids must be publicly advertised;
- ii. The invitation for bids, which shall include any specifications and pertinent attachments, must define the items or services in order for the bidder to properly respond;
- iii. All bids shall be opened at the time and place prescribed in the invitation for bids, and for local and tribal governments, the bids must be opened publicly;
- iv. A firm fixed price contract award shall be made in writing to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Where specified in bidding documents, factors such as discounts, transportation cost, and life cycle costs must be considered in determining which bid is lowest. Payment discounts shall only be used to determine the low bid when prior experience indicates that such discounts are usually taken advantage of; and
- v. Any or all bids may be rejected if there is a sound documented reason.
- vi. Issue a Public Notification made through an announcement in a local public medium (e.g., newspaper) that covers the entire service area.
- (d) Procurement by competitive proposals.

The technique of competitive proposals is normally conducted with more than one source submitting an offer, and either a fixed price or cost-reimbursement type contract is awarded. It is generally used when conditions are not appropriate for the use of sealed bids. If this method is used, the following requirements apply:

- (i) Requests for proposals must be publicized and identify all evaluation factors and their relative importance. Any response to publicized requests for proposals must be considered to the maximum extent practical;
- (ii) Proposals must be solicited from an adequate number of qualified sources;
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have a written method for conducting technical evaluations of the proposals received and for selecting recipients;
- (iv) Contracts must be awarded to the responsible firm whose proposal is most advantageous to the program, with price and other factors considered; and
- (v) The non-Federal entity may use competitive proposal procedures for qualifications-based procurement of architectural/engineering (A/E) professional services whereby competitors' qualifications are evaluated and the most qualified competitor is selected, subject to negotiation of fair and reasonable compensation. The method, where price is not used as a selection factor, can only be used in procurement of A/E professional services. It cannot be used to purchase other types of services though A/E firms are a potential source to perform the proposed effort.
- (e) Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposals

Procurement by noncompetitive proposals. Procurement by noncompetitive proposals is procurement through solicitation of a proposal from only one source and may be used only when one or more of the following circumstances apply:

- (i) The item is available only from a single source;
- (ii) The public exigency or emergency for the requirement shall not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitation;

- (iii) The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the non-Federal entity; or
- (iv) After solicitation of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.
- (f) Contract Provisions
 - (i) All contracts must contain at a minimum the following provisions:
 - i. Specific deliverables and the basis for payment;
 - ii. Provisions requiring compliance with Community Development Block Grantors (CDBG) including, but not limited to other funding source regulations;
 - iii. Provisions that describe remedies for breach;
 - iv. Provisions that describe Grantors CDBG and other funding sources patent and copyright rules;
 - v. Provisions for termination for cause and convenience;
 - vi. Access to records for audit purposes;
 - vii. Audit requirements;
 - viii. Provisions for payment and delivery;
 - ix. Provisions describing contract amendment procedures;
 - x. Provisions against assignment;
 - xi. Provisions for equal opportunity and non-discrimination;
 - xii. Provisions prohibiting conflicts of interest.
- (g) Competition
 - (i) All procurement transactions must be conducted in a manner providing full and open competition consistent with the standards of this section. In order to ensure objective contractor performance and eliminate unfair competitive advantage, contractors that develop or draft specifications, requirements, statements of work, or invitations for bids or requests for proposals must be excluded from competing for such procurements. Some of the situations considered to be restrictive of competition include but are not limited to:
 - i. Placing unreasonable requirements on firms in order for them to qualify to do business;
 - ii. Requiring unnecessary experience and excessive bonding;
 - ili. Noncompetitive pricing practices between firms or between affiliated companies;
 - iv. Noncompetitive contracts to consultants that are on retainer contracts;
 - v. Organizational conflicts of interest;
 - vi. Specifying only a "brand name" product instead of allowing "an equal" product to be offered and describing the performance or other relevant requirements of the procurement; and
 - vii. Any arbitrary action in the procurement process.

- (ii) The non-Federal entity must conduct procurements in a manner that prohibits the use of statutorily or administratively imposed state, local, or tribal geographical preferences in the evaluation of bids or proposals, except in those cases where applicable Federal statutes expressly mandate or encourage geographic preference. Nothing in this section preempts state licensing laws. When contracting for architectural and engineering (A/E) services, geographic location may be a selection criterion provided its application leaves an appropriate number of qualified firms, given the nature and size of the project, to compete for the contract.
- (iii) The non-Federal entity must have written procedures for procurement transactions. These procedures must ensure that all solicitations:
 - i. Incorporate a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements for the material, product, or service to be procured. Such description must not, in competitive procurements, contain features which unduly restrict competition. The description may include a statement of the qualitative nature of the material, product or service to be procured and, when necessary, must set forth those minimum essential characteristics and standards to which it must conform if it is to satisfy its intended use. Detailed product specifications should be avoided if at all possible. When it is impractical or uneconomical to make a clear and accurate description of the technical requirements, a "brand name or equivalent" description may be used as a means to define the performance or other salient requirements of procurement. The specific features of the named brand which must be met by offers must be clearly stated; and
 - ii. Identify all requirements which the offerors must fulfill and all other factors to be used in evaluating bids or proposals.
 - iii. The non-Federal entity must ensure that all prequalified lists of persons, firms, or products which are used in acquiring goods and services are current and include enough qualified sources to ensure maximum open and free competition. Also, the non-Federal entity must not preclude potential bidders from qualifying during the solicitation period.
- (h) Appeal and Dispute Procedures

The City and its contractors shall have protest procedures to hand and resolve disputes relating to their procurement. A protester shall exhaust all administrative remedies with the contractor before pursuing a protest at a higher level. Notice of appeal rights and procedures must be given to all bidders

EXHIBIT J

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (GC 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about: the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and, penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will: receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and, agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: (1) the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (GC 8350 et seq.)

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (PCC 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:

Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

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Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lesser of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS:

Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with State of California.

SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured penal

Exhibit J Page 1 of 2 sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at www.dir.ca.gov, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph a.

DOMESTIC PARTNERS: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code section 10295.