

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
BIOLOGICAL MONITORING AND ASSESSMENT SPECIALISTS, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Biological Monitoring and Assessment Specialists, Inc., hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Biological Monitoring and Assessment Specialist, Inc.
333 Valencia Street, Suite #324
San Francisco, CA 94103
Telephone: (415) 255-8077
Facsimile: (925) 887-4702

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO


By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Biological Monitoring and Assessment Specialists, Inc.


Contractor's Signature

Date: 9-14-2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☒ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☐ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Cullen Wilkerson
Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Biomaas, Inc.
Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

333 Valencia St. # 324
Street Address or P.O. Box

San Francisco CA 94103
City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

[Signature]
Signature

Principal
Title of Authorized Official

9/14/12
Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
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This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.

- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.
- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay

for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

BKF Engineers
255 Shoreline Drive, Suite 200
Redwood City, CA 94065
Telephone: (650) 482-6300
Facsimile: (650) 482-6399

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

BKF Engineers


Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/10/12

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$500,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$500,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Linda Schmid

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

BKE Engineers

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

255 Shoreline Dr., Suite 200

Street Address or P.O. Box

Redwood City, CA 94065

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James J. Flaherty
Signature

Principal/Vice Pres.

Title of Authorized Official

9/10/12

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
BROWN AND CALDWELL**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Brown and Caldwell, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO
AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$500,000.00].

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been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Brown and Caldwell
201 N. Civic Drive, Suite 115
Walnut Creek, CA 94596
Telephone: (925) 937-9010
Facsimile: (925) 937-9026

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Brown and Caldwell



Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/17/2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$500,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$500,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Dawn Lederer

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Brown and Caldwell

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

201 North Civic Drive, Suite 115

Street Address or P.O. Box

Walnut Creek, CA 94596

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Signature

Vice President

Title of Authorized Official

September 14, 2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
DENISE DUFFY & ASSOCIATES, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Denise Duffy & Associates, Inc., hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

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9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Denise Duffy & Associates, Inc.
947 Cass Street, Suite 5
Monterey, CA 93940
Telephone: (831) 373-4341
Facsimile: (831) 373-1417

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

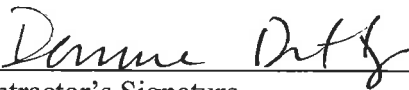
By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Denise Duffy & Associates, Inc.


Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/17/12

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☒ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☐ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Denise Puffy + Associates Inc.

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

947 Cass St. #5

Street Address or P.O. Box

Monterey CA 93940

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

Denise Puffy

Title of Authorized Official

President

Date

9/17/12

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
EOA, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and EOA, Inc., hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO
AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging to the extent caused by the negligence, recklessness or willful misconduct of Contractor, its employees or subcontractors, and any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

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(c) Professional Liability \$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition,

marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

EOA, Inc.
1410 Jackson Street
Oakland, CA 94612
Telephone: (510) 832-2852
Facsimile: (510) 832-2856

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

EOA, Inc.



Contractor's Signature

Don M. Eisenberg, President

Date: 9/11/2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Don Eisenberg

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

EOA, Inc

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

1410 Jackson St

Street Address or P.O. Box

Oakland, CA 94612

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Don Eisenberg

Signature

Don Eisenberg, President

Title of Authorized Official

9/11/2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
ESA**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and ESA, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit “B,” Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit “A” and Exhibit “C.”

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In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit “C”, County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

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been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

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- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

ESA
225 Bush Street, Suite 1700
San Francisco, CA 94104
Telephone: (415) 896-5900
Facsimile: (415) 896-0332

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

ESA


Contractor's Signature

Date: 12 Sept. 2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Annette Bonilla
Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Environmental Science Associates
Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

550 Kearny St., #800
Street Address or P.O. Box

San Francisco, CA 94108
City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Annette Bonilla
Signature

Vice President
Title of Authorized Official

September 13, 2012
Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
GEO-LOGIC ASSOCIATES**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Geo-Logic Associates, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
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Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

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In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

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Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

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Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

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(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

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14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Geo-Logic Associates
143E Spring Hill Drive
Grass Valley, CA 95945
Telephone: (530) 272-2448
Facsimile: (530) 272-8533

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO


By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Geo-Logic Associates



Contractor's Signature

Date: 09/12/2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

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County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

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In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

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Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

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- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Gary Lass

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Geo-Logic Associates

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

250 West First Street, Suite 228

Street Address or P.O. Box

Claremont, CA 91711

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Signature

President

Title of Authorized Official

September 12, 2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
HARRIS & ASSOCIATES**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Harris & Associates, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
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(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

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(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

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This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Harris & Associates
1401 Willow Pass Road, Suite 500
Concord, CA 94520
Telephone: (800) 827-4901
Facsimile: (925) 827-4982

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

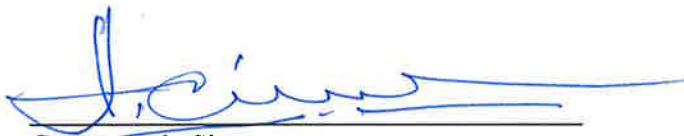
By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Harris & Associates


Contractor's Signature

Date: 7/17/12

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Brian Danley
Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Harris & Associates
Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

1401 Willow Pass Rd
Street Address or P.O. Box

Concord, CA 94520
City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

[Signature]
Signature

Vice President
Title of Authorized Official

9/12/12
Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
HORIZON WATER AND ENVIRONMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Horizon Water and Environment, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
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ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

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- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
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 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
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 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

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Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Horizon Water and Environment
1330 Broadway, Suite 600
Oakland, CA 94612
Telephone: (510) 986-1852
Facsimile: (510) 350-3592

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Horizon Water and Environment

 _____ Michael Stevenson, Member
Contractor's Signature

Date: Sept. 10, 2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☒ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☐ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

Street Address or P.O. Box

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.



Signature

Michael Sterenson Member

Title of Authorized Official

Sept. 10, 2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
HYDROSCIENCE ENGINEERS, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and HydroScience Engineers, Inc., hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit “B,” Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit “A” and Exhibit “C.”

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit “C”, County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

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Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

HydroScience Engineers, Inc.
741 Allston Way
Berkeley, CA 94710
Telephone: (510) 540-7100
Facsimile: (510) 540-7106

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

HydroScience Engineers, Inc.



Contractor's Signature

Date: 09/12/12

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In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

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In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

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- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

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a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.

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b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a)), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Curtis Lam

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

HydroScience Engineers, Inc.

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

741 Allston Way

Street Address or P.O. Box

Berkeley CA 94710

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

CL

Signature

Vice-President

Title of Authorized Official

09/12/12

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
RMC WATER AND ENVIRONMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and RMC Water and Environment, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

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Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

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(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

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In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

RMC Water and Environment
2290 North First Street, Suite 212
San Jose, CA 95131
Telephone: (408) 240-8160
Facsimile: (408) 240-8161

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO


By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

RMC Water and Environment



Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/18/12

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The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

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11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

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Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Colleen Onishi

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

RMC Water and Environment

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

2001 North Main Street, Suite 400

Street Address or P.O. Box

Walnut Creek, CA 94596

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Signature

VICE-PRESIDENT
Title of Authorized Official

9/14/12
Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
TANKO LIGHTING**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Tanko Lighting, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

All services to be performed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all applicable Federal, State, County, and municipal laws, including, but not limited to, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended and attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Attachment "I," which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving any Federal or County financial assistance. Such services shall also be performed in accordance with all applicable ordinances and regulations, including, but not limited to, appropriate licensure, certification regulations, provisions pertaining to confidentiality of records, and applicable quality assurance regulations. Further, Contractor certifies that the Contractor and all of its subcontractors will adhere to all applicable provisions of Chapter 4.106 of the San Mateo County Ordinance Code, which regulates the use of disposable food service ware.

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

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(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

(c) CONTRACTOR agrees to provide to COUNTY, to any Federal or State department having monitoring or review authority, to COUNTY's authorized representatives, and/or their appropriate audit agencies upon reasonable notice, access to and the right to examine all records and documents necessary to determine compliance with relevant Federal, State, and local statutes, rules and regulations, and this Agreement, and to evaluate the quality, appropriateness and timeliness of services performed.

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This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

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The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

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Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Tanko Lighting
210 Rose Street
San Francisco, CA 94102
Telephone: (415) 254-7579
Facsimile: (415) 822-3626

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Tanko Lighting

Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/17/12

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In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

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Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

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Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

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Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

8. Changes in Work

The Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may order changes in scope or character of work in writing which are mutually acceptable, either decreasing or increasing the amount of Contractor's services. In the event that such changes are ordered, Contractor shall be entitled to compensation of all work previously directed by County and performed by Contractor prior to receipt of notice of change. Increased compensation for changes shall be determined in accordance with Section 6 of the Agreement. Compensation shall first have been agreed to in writing by County.

In the event that changes are ordered pursuant to this Section, the schedule for progress and completion and compensation as provided with respective Task Order shall be adjusted by negotiation between Contractor and County.

9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

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Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

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Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

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Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a)), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

CLARE BRESSANI TANKO

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

210 ROSE ST

Street Address or P.O. Box

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

PRESIDENT

Title of Authorized Official

Date _____

9/17/12

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
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3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
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6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
TOWNSEND MANAGEMENT, INC.**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Townsend Management, Inc., hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

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Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
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Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

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In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

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ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
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 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

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14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

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Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Townsend Management, Inc.
P.O. Box 24442
San Francisco, CA 94124
Telephone: (415) 285-9009
Facsimile: (415) 285-9011

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Townsend Management, Inc.



Contractor's Signature

Date: September 14, 2012

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In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

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- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

Pete McKean

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

Townsend Management, Inc.

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

P.O. Box 24442

Street Address or P.O. Box

San Francisco, CA 94124

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Signature

Vice President

Title of Authorized Official

September 14, 2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
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3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
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5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
WATER WORKS ENGINEERS**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and Water Works Engineers, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit “B,” Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit “A” and Exhibit “C.”

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit “C”, County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$500,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

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In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

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ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
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 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

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- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

(b) Reporting and Record Keeping: CONTRACTOR shall comply with all program and fiscal reporting requirements set forth by appropriate Federal, State and local agencies, and as required by the COUNTY.

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14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

Water Works Engineers
5767 Broadway, Suite 201
Oakland, CA 94618
Telephone: (510) 428-9590
Facsimile: (815) 331-5180

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

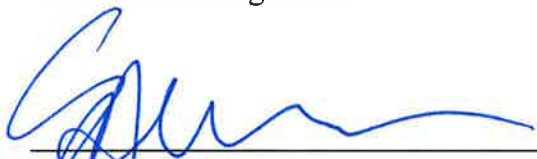
By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

Water Works Engineers



Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/12/12

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
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Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
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Exhibit "C"

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The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

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Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

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County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

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In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

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- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

SAMI KADEZ

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

WATER WORKS ENGINEERS

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

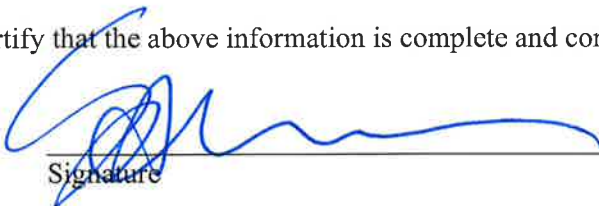
1405 VICTOR AVE, STE A

Street Address or P.O. Box

REDDING CA 96001

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.



Signature

PRINCIPAL

Title of Authorized Official

9/12/12

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

**AGREEMENT FOR ON-CALL ENGINEERING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND
WRECO**

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into this _____ day of _____, 2012, by and between the COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, hereinafter called "County," and WRECO, hereinafter called "Contractor";

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code, Section 31000, County may contract with independent contractors for the furnishing of such services to or for County or any Department thereof;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that Contractor be retained for the purpose of providing engineering and other related professional and technical services required for the delivery of various types of capital improvement projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

1. Exhibits and Attachments

The following exhibits and attachments are included hereto and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit A – Services
Exhibit B – Payments and Rates
Exhibit C – General Obligation of Contractor
Attachment I – §504 Compliance
Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

2. Services to be performed by Contractor

In consideration of the payments set forth herein and in Exhibit "B," Contractor shall perform services for County in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C."

3. Payments

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in accordance with all terms, conditions and specifications set forth herein and in Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "C", County shall make payment to Contractor based on the rates and in the manner specified in Exhibit

"B." The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable. In no event shall the County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars and No/100s [\$300,000.00].

4. Term and Termination

Subject to compliance with all terms and conditions, the term of this Agreement shall be from October 2, 2012 through October 1, 2015.

This Agreement may be terminated by Contractor, the Director of Department of Public Works and Parks or his/her designee at any time without a requirement of good cause upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, all finished or unfinished documents, data, studies, maps, photographs, reports, and materials (hereafter referred to as materials) prepared by Contractor under this Agreement shall become the property of the County and shall be promptly delivered to the County. Upon termination, the Contractor may make and retain a copy of such materials. Subject to availability of funding, Contractor shall be entitled to receive payment for work/services provided prior to termination of the Agreement. Such payment shall be that portion of the full payment which is determined by comparing the work/services completed to the work/services required by the Agreement.

5. Availability of Funds

The County may terminate this Agreement or a portion of the services referenced in the Attachments and Exhibits based upon unavailability of Federal, State, or County funds, by providing written notice to Contractor as soon as is reasonably possible after the County learns of said unavailability of outside funding.

6. Relationship of Parties

Contractor agrees and understands that the work/services performed under this Agreement are performed as an independent Contractor and not as an employee of the County and that Contractor acquires none of the rights, privileges, powers, or advantages of County employees.

7. Hold Harmless

Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless County, its officers, agents, employees, and servants from all claims, suits, or actions of every name, kind, and description, brought for, or on account of: (A) injuries to or death of any person, including Contractor, or (B) damage to any property of any kind whatsoever and to whomsoever belonging, (C) any sanctions, penalties, or claims of damages resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements set forth in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and all Federal regulations promulgated thereunder, as amended, or (D) any other loss or cost, including but not limited to that caused by the concurrent active or passive negligence of County, its officers, agents, employees, or servants, resulting from the performance of any work required of Contractor or payments made pursuant to this Agreement, provided that this shall not apply to injuries or damage for which County has

been found in a court of competent jurisdiction to be solely liable by reason of its own negligence or willful misconduct.

The duty of Contractor to indemnify and save harmless as set forth herein, shall include the duty to defend as set forth in Section 2778 of the California Civil Code.

8. Assignability and Subcontracting

Contractor shall not assign this Agreement or any portion thereof to a third party or subcontract with a third party to provide services required by contractor under this Agreement without the prior written consent of County. Any such assignment or subcontract without the County's prior written consent shall give County the right to automatically and immediately terminate this Agreement.

9. Insurance

The Contractor shall not commence work or be required to commence work under this Agreement unless and until all insurance required under this paragraph has been obtained and such insurance has been approved by Risk Management, and Contractor shall use diligence to obtain such insurance and to obtain such approval. The Contractor shall furnish the County with certificates of insurance evidencing the required coverage, and there shall be a specific contractual liability endorsement extending the Contractor's coverage to include the contractual liability assumed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement. These certificates shall specify or be endorsed to provide that thirty (30) days' notice must be given, in writing, to the County of any pending change in the limits of liability or of any cancellation or modification of the policy.

- (1) **Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall have in effect during the entire life of this Agreement Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance providing full statutory coverage. In signing this Agreement, the Contractor certifies, as required by Section 1861 of the California Labor Code, that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement.
- (2) **Liability Insurance** The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this Agreement such Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability Insurance as shall protect him/her while performing work covered by this Agreement from any and all claims for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as any and all claims for property damage which may arise from contractors operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by himself/herself or by any sub-contractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them. Such insurance shall be combined single limit bodily injury and property damage for each occurrence and shall be not less than the amount specified below.

Such insurance shall include:

(a) Comprehensive General Liability	\$1,000,000
(b) Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	\$1,000,000
(c) Professional Liability	\$1,000,000

County and its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be named as additional insured on any such policies of insurance, which shall also contain a provision that the insurance afforded thereby to the County, its officers, agents, employees and servants shall be primary insurance to the full limits of liability of the policy, and that if the County or its officers and employees have other insurance against the loss covered by such a policy, such other insurance shall be excess insurance only.

In the event of the breach of any provision of this section, or in the event any notice is received which indicates any required insurance coverage will be diminished or canceled, the County of San Mateo at its option, may, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, immediately declare a material breach of this Agreement and suspend all further work pursuant to this Agreement.

10. Compliance with laws; payment of Permits/Licenses

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In the event of a conflict between the terms of this agreement and State, Federal, County, or municipal law or regulations, the requirements of the applicable law will take precedence over the requirements set forth in this Agreement.

Contractor will timely and accurately complete, sign, and submit all necessary documentation of compliance.

11. Non-Discrimination and Other Requirements

- A. *Section 504 applies only to Contractor who are providing services to members of the public.* Contractor shall comply with § 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which provides that no otherwise qualified handicapped individual shall, solely by reason of a disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in the performance of this Agreement.
- B. *General non-discrimination.* No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion,

ancestry, gender, age (over 40), national origin, medical condition (cancer), physical or mental disability, sexual orientation, pregnancy, childbirth or related medical condition, marital status, or political affiliation be denied any benefits or subject to discrimination under this Agreement.

- C. *Equal employment opportunity.* Contractor shall ensure equal employment opportunity based on objective standards of recruitment, classification, selection, promotion, compensation, performance evaluation, and management relations for all employees under this Agreement. Contractor's equal employment policies shall be made available to County of San Mateo upon request.
- D. *Violation of Non-discrimination provisions.* Violation of the non-discrimination provisions of this Agreement shall be considered a breach of this Agreement and subject the Contractor to penalties, to be determined by the County Manager, including but not limited to
 - i) termination of this Agreement;
 - ii) disqualification of the Contractor from bidding on or being awarded a County contract for a period of up to 3 years;
 - iii) liquidated damages of \$2,500 per violation;
 - iv) imposition of other appropriate contractual and civil remedies and sanctions, as determined by the County Manager.

To effectuate the provisions of this section, the County Manager shall have the authority to examine Contractor's employment records with respect to compliance with this paragraph and/or to set off all or any portion of the amount described in this paragraph against amounts due to Contractor under the Contract or any other Contract between Contractor and County.

Contractor shall report to the County Manager the filing by any person in any court of any complaint of discrimination or the filing by any person of any and all charges with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Fair Employment and Housing Commission or any other entity charged with the investigation of allegations within 30 days of such filing, provided that within such 30 days such entity has not notified Contractor that such charges are dismissed or otherwise unfounded. Such notification shall include the name of the complainant, a copy of such complaint, and a description of the circumstance. Contractor shall provide County with a copy of their response to the Complaint when filed.

- E. *Compliance with Equal Benefits Ordinance.* With respect to the provision of employee benefits, Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance which prohibits contractors from discriminating in the provision of employee benefits between an employee with a domestic partner and an employee with a spouse.
- F. The Contractor shall comply fully with the non-discrimination requirements required by 41 CFR 60-741.5(a), which is incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

12. Compliance with Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance

Contractor shall comply with the County Ordinance with respect to provision of jury duty pay to employees and have and adhere to a written policy that provides that its employees shall receive from the Contractor, on an annual basis, no less than five days of regular pay for actual jury service in San Mateo County. The policy may provide that employees deposit

any fees received for such jury service with the Contractor or that the Contractor deduct from the employees' regular pay the fees received for jury service.

13. Retention of Records, Right to Monitor and Audit

(a) CONTRACTOR shall maintain all required records for three (3) years after the COUNTY makes final payment and all other pending matters are closed, and shall be subject to the examination and/or audit of the County, a Federal grantor agency, and the State of California.

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14. Merger Clause

This Agreement, including the Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, constitutes the sole Agreement of the parties hereto and correctly states the rights, duties, and obligations of each party as of this document's date. In the event that any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification set forth in this body of the agreement conflicts with or is inconsistent with any term, condition, provision, requirement or specification in any exhibit and/or attachment to this agreement, the provisions of this body of the agreement shall prevail. Any prior agreement, promises, negotiations, or representations between the parties not expressly stated in this document are not binding. All subsequent modifications shall be in writing and signed by the parties.

15. Controlling Law and Venue

The validity of this Agreement and of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties hereunder, the interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be venued either in the San Mateo County Superior Court or the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

16. Notices

Any notice, request, demand, or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be deemed to be properly given when both (1) transmitted via facsimile to the telephone number listed below and (2) either deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or when deposited for overnight delivery with an established overnight courier that provides a tracking number showing confirmation of receipt for transmittal, charges prepaid, addressed to:

In the case of County, to:

County of San Mateo
Department of Public Works and Parks
555 County Center, 5th Floor
Redwood City, CA 94063
Telephone: (650) 363-4100
Facsimile: (650) 361-8220

In the case of Contractor, to:

WRECO
1243 Alpine Road, Suite 108
Walnut Creek, CA 94596
Telephone: (925) 941-0017
Facsimile: (925) 941-0018

In the event that the facsimile transmission is not possible, notice shall be given both by United States mail and an overnight courier as outlined above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, by their duly authorized representatives, have affixed their hands.

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

By: _____
President, Board of Supervisors, San Mateo County

Date: _____

ATTEST:

By: _____
Clerk of Said Board

WRECO



Contractor's Signature

Date: 9/11/2012

Exhibit "A"

In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide the following services at the request of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the Director's designee:

1. In consideration of the payments set forth in Exhibit "B", Contractor shall provide on-call engineering professional services that may include but not be limited to topographic and bathymetric surveys, hydraulic and hydrologic studies, geotechnical studies, design, planning, independent investigation of existing conditions, proposed solutions and schematic plans, cost analysis and preparation of independent cost estimates, feasibility studies, preparation of specifications and drawings, projected schedules, construction observation and administration, landfill water quality and gas monitoring, reports and coordination with applicable code enforcing and environmental agencies, site analysis, coordination with applicable local, state, and federal jurisdictions, and regulatory permit acquisition for a variety of public works type projects.
2. When County Department of Public Works and Parks (Department) identifies a project that would benefit from Contractor's consulting services, the Department will request the Contractor prepare and submit a proposal for such project. The Contractor will then propose a detailed scope of services, a not-to-exceed fee, and a timetable for completing the proposed project. If and when the Department approves the scope of services, not-to-exceed fee, and timetable (the "Approved Project"), the Department may issue a task order authorizing the Contractor to begin work on the Approved Project. Contractor agrees to complete the Approved Project for an amount equal to or less than the Approved Project not-to-exceed fee and within the time limits set forth in the Approved Project timetable.

Exhibit "B"

In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor based on the following fee schedule:

1. In consideration of the services provided by Contractor in Exhibit "A", County shall pay Contractor upon receipt in Accounting Section of the Department of Public Works and Parks of a written itemized invoice identifying the task order, County project number (if applicable), specific work completed, number of hours involved and breakdown of charges. The Approved Project total not-to-exceed amount will be stipulated in each task order. Costs for services deemed necessary by the County for completion of each task order shall be authorized in writing prior to proceeding with the work. Billing rates for services provided under this Agreement shall be based upon the Contractor's most recent fee schedule and by reference made apart of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment if the County determines that the quantity or quality of the work performed is unacceptable.
2. The County shall pay Contractor reimbursable expenses. The Contractor shall be entitled to mileage, meals and lodging at the same rate granted to employees of the County whenever the Contractor is required to travel outside of San Mateo County in the performance of his duties under this Agreement. Such travel must first be approved in writing by the County. The Contractor shall also be reimbursed for expenses associated with reproduction (drawings, project manuals, reports, etc.); telephone or fax outside 650, 415, 408, 510, 707, and 925 area codes; fees paid for securing necessary permits and approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the project; and special delivery service.
3. The County's total fiscal obligation under this Agreement, shall not exceed \$300,000 unless said amount is authorized to be increased by the County Board of Supervisors by written amendment to this agreement. Specific projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall have individual not-to-exceed amounts as stated in the specific task orders. The sum of individual task order not-to-exceed fees for multiple projects that may be assigned to the Contractor shall not exceed the total \$300,000 not-to-exceed amount for this Agreement without prior written approval by the County Board of Supervisors.

Exhibit "C"

1. Contractor Personnel

The Contractor shall provide the County with resumes of the key staff members to be assigned to said project in advance of commencing any professional services. Once the County approves the key staff to be assigned to the project, any substitutions or additions shall be subject to written approval by the County. The County reserves the right to reject any personnel the Contractor proposes for use on the project.

Contractor represents that it is qualified to furnish the services described under this Agreement. Contractor further declares that one or more members or employees of its firm and that of its sub Contractors, if so required by the State, if any, are licensed by the State of California to perform their services and that these services will be performed by them or under their direct supervision. Contractor shall furnish to County for approval, upon execution of this Agreement, a list of all firms or corporations to be employed as sub Contractors.

Nothing in this Agreement abrogates the professional responsibilities of the Contractor and/or sub Contractors with respect to design defects, errors, omissions, or malpractice.

2. Corrections and/or Revisions

Contractor shall make and provide to the County all necessary corrections and/or revisions to the project design and document when it is determined by the Director of Public Works and Parks or his designated representative, that such changes are necessary for the project and are due to oversights, omissions or errors of Contractor.

3. General Obligations of County

County shall be responsible for providing any available data required by the Contractor as stipulated in any approved Task Order.

County shall examine documents submitted by Contractor and shall render comments and direction pertaining thereto promptly (up to two weeks or otherwise upon written agreement by County and Contractor), as stipulated in approved Task Orders.

4. Payment Upon Suspension, Abandonment of Project, or Termination of Agreement

If any Task Order is suspended for more than thirty (30) calendar days, or abandoned in all or part, Contractor shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of thirty (30) days written notice from County of such suspension or abandonment, together with reimbursable expenses then due. In the event that the County abandons any Final Task Order the County may specifically authorize additional work necessary to properly close out the project.

If this Agreement or any Task Order is suspended or terminated due to fault of Contractor, County shall be obligated to compensate Contractor only for that portion of Contractor's services that were satisfactorily performed.

5. Performance of Services if Contractor is not Diligent in Performing Work

In the event Contractor is not diligent in pursuing the designated services as specified in each Task Order, the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative may, at his option, seven (7) days after written notice to Contractor, perform any such required engineering services or retain a different Contractor to do the same, and the cost associated with having said work completed by means other than the Contractor will be retained from any sums not yet paid to the Contractor.

6. Authorization to Proceed

Contractor shall commence work upon receipt of the Task Order.

6.1 Time of Completion of Each Task

Contractor agrees to perform the professional services for the Task Order within the time limits set forth in the project schedule required by this Agreement. Any change in the scope of services as outlined in the Task Order will require a revised time table.

County agrees to exercise due diligence in performing its tasks to implement the Contractor's time schedule.

7. County's Review and Approval

Between each phase of work and at critical progress points there shall be a review and approval period by County and other agencies. County shall reject Contractor's submittal if changes and/or comments transmitted to Contractor by County during previous review were not addressed by Contractor in current submittal.

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9. Interest of Contractor/Contractor Independent of County

In accepting this Agreement, Contractor covenants that it presently has no interest, and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, financial or otherwise, which would conflict in any manner or degree with the performance of the services hereunder. Contractor further covenants that, in the performance of this Agreement, no subcontractor or person having such an interest shall be employed throughout the term of this Agreement. Contractor certifies that no one who has or will have any financial interest under this Agreement is an officer or employee of the County.

In the performance of the engineering services necessary for compliance with this Agreement, Contractor, and any of its sub Contractors or employees, shall be, and is at all times considered, an Independent Contractor, and is not an agent or employee of the County. Contractor has, and shall retain, the right to exercise full control and supervision of the services, and full control over the employment, direction, compensation and discharge of all persons assisting him in the performance of his engineering services hereunder to include any and all sub Contractors employed for the project described herein. Contractor shall be solely responsible for all matters relating to payment of his employees, including compliance with social security, withholding, and all other regulations governing such matters, and shall be solely responsible for his own acts and those of his subordinates and employees.

10. General Provisions

- (a) The Contractor acknowledges that time is of the essence for all projects defined in approved Task Order(s) and agrees to complete all work within the time frame as stipulated within said Task Order(s). Time extensions shall only be approved with prior written approval of the County and failure to complete services according to a mutually agreed upon schedule may be grounds for contract termination.
- (b) The Contractor upon becoming aware of factors which would result in delays shall be responsible for alerting County to potential delays well in advance in order that possible mitigation measures may be evaluated. Contractor shall detail the nature and reasons for potential delays and shall provide the County with possible mitigation measures for consideration.
- (c) On matters pertaining to Task Orders to be performed and the time taken by Contractor to perform such services, the decision of the Director of Public Works and Parks or the respective designated representative will be final after discussions between County and Contractor.
- (d) The Contractor warrants that he/she has not employed or retained any company or persons, other than a bona fide employee working for the Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement, and that he/she has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or formation of this

Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, the County shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

11. Ownership of Documents

Consistent with Attachment IP, all tracings, sketches, plans, specifications, estimates, maps, design calculations, quantity calculations, supporting documents, studies, survey notes, and other documents prepared by Contractor or sub Contractors under the terms of this Agreement shall be delivered to and become the property of the County without restriction or limitation on their use. However, should County re-use or utilize data or drawings not for their intended use then County shall be solely liable and indemnify Contractor against such use. Computer files used by Contractor to produce the final set of plans and specifications shall also be delivered in AutoCAD, Access, Excel and Word electronic form on compact disks or other media acceptable to the County at no additional cost and become the property of the County.

12. Jobsite Safety and Environmental Protection

Neither the professional activities of the Contractor nor the presence of the Contractor or his or her employees and sub Contractors at a construction site, shall relieve the General Contractor and any other entity of their obligations, duties and responsibilities including, but not limited to, construction means, methods, sequence, techniques or procedures necessary for performing, superintending or coordinating all portions of the Work of construction in accordance with the contract documents and any health or safety or environmental protection precautions required by any regulatory agencies. The Contractor and his or her personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions. The Contractor agrees that the General Contractor is solely responsible for jobsite safety, and environmental protection, and warrants that this intent shall be made evident in the County's Agreement with the General Contractor. The Contractor also agrees that the County, the Contractor and any other County Contractors that may be providing services at the construction site shall be indemnified and shall be made additional insured's under the General Contractor's general liability insurance policy.

ATTACHMENT I

Assurance of Compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Contractor(s)") hereby agrees that it will comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, all requirements imposed by the applicable DHHS regulation, and all guidelines and interpretations issued pursuant thereto.

The Contractor(s) gives/give this assurance in consideration of for the purpose of obtaining contracts after the date of this assurance. The Contractor(s) recognizes/recognize and agrees/agree that contracts will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Contractor(s), its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Contractor(s).

The Contractor(s): (Check a or b)

- ☐ a. Employs fewer than 15 persons.
- ☒ b. Employs 15 or more persons and, pursuant to section 84.7 (a) of the regulation (45 C.F.R. 84.7 (a), has designated the following person(s) to coordinate its efforts to comply with the DHHS regulation.

HAN-BIN LIANG

Name of 504 Person - Type or Print

WRECO

Name of Contractor(s) - Type or Print

1243 Alpine Road, Suite 108

Street Address or P.O. Box

Walnut Creek, CA 94596

City, State, Zip Code

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Ph. Liang

Signature

President

Title of Authorized Official

9/11/2012

Date

*Exception: DHHS regulations state that:

"If a recipient with fewer than 15 employees finds that, after consultation with a disabled person seeking its services, there is no method of complying with (the facility accessibility regulations) other than making a significant alteration in its existing facilities, the recipient may, as an alternative, refer the handicapped person to other providers of those services that are accessible."

Attachment IP – Intellectual Property Rights

1. The County of San Mateo (“County”), shall and does own all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products created by Contractor and its subcontractors (collectively “Vendors”) for the County under this Agreement. Contractor may not sell, transfer, or permit the use of any Work Products without the express written consent of the County.
2. “Work Products” are defined as all materials, tangible or not, created in whatever medium pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation publications, promotional or educational materials, reports, manuals, specifications, drawings and sketches, computer programs, software and databases, schematics, marks, logos, graphic designs, notes, matters and combinations thereof, and all forms of intellectual property.
3. Contractor shall not dispute or contest, directly or indirectly, the County’s exclusive right and title to the Work Products nor the validity of the intellectual property embodied therein. Contractor hereby assigns, and if later required by the County, shall assign to the County all titles, rights and interests in all Work Products. Contractor shall cooperate and cause subcontractors to cooperate in perfecting County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, including prompt execution of documents as presented by the County.
4. To the extent any of the Work Products may be protected by U.S. Copyright laws, Parties agree that the County commissions Vendors to create the copyrightable Work Products, which are intended to be work-made-for-hire for the sole benefit of the County and the copyright of which is vested in the County.
5. In the event that the title, rights, and/or interests in any Work Products are deemed not to be “work-made-for-hire” or not owned by the County, Contractor hereby assigns and shall require all persons performing work pursuant to this Agreement, including its subcontractors, to assign to the County all titles, rights, interests, and/or copyrights in such Work Product. Should such assignment and/or transfer become necessary or if at any time the County requests cooperation of Contractor to perfect the County’s titles, rights or interests in any Work Product, Contractor agrees to promptly execute and to obtain execution of any documents (including assignments) required to perfect the titles, rights, and interests of the County in the Work Products with no additional charges to the County beyond that identified in this Agreement or subsequent change orders. The County, however, shall pay all filing fees required for the assignment, transfer, recording, and/or application.
6. Contractor agrees that before commencement of any subcontract work it will incorporate this Schedule I to contractually bind or otherwise oblige its subcontractors and personnel performing work under this Agreement such that the County’s titles, rights, and interests in Work Products are preserved and protected as intended herein.

