

**City and County of San Francisco
Office of Contract Administration
Purchasing Division
City Hall, Room 430
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, California 94102-4685**

**Agreement between the City and County of San Francisco and
California State University, Sacramento, Center for Collaborative Policy**

This Agreement is made this 11th day of February, 2013 in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, by and between: California State University, Sacramento, Center for Collaborative Policy, 815 S Street, Sacramento, CA 95811, hereinafter referred to as “Contractor,” and the City and County of San Francisco, a municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as “City,” acting by and through its Director of the Office of Contract Administration or the Director’s designated agent, hereinafter referred to as “Purchasing.”

Recitals

WHEREAS, the Office of the Controller on behalf of the Citizen’s General Obligation Bond Oversight Committee (“Department”) wishes to obtain community engagement benchmarking services; and,

WHEREAS, Contractor represents and warrants that it is qualified to perform the services required by City as set forth under this Contract; and,

WHEREAS, approval for this Agreement was obtained when the Civil Service Commission approved Contract number 4042-11/12 on October 17, 2011;

Now, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

1. Certification of Funds; Budget and Fiscal Provisions; Termination in the Event of Non-Appropriation. This Agreement is subject to the budget and fiscal provisions of the City’s Charter. Charges will accrue only after prior written authorization certified by the Controller, and the amount of City’s obligation hereunder shall not at any time exceed the amount certified for the purpose and period stated in such advance authorization. This Agreement will terminate without penalty, liability or expense of any kind to City at the end of any fiscal year if funds are not appropriated for the next succeeding fiscal year. If funds are appropriated for a portion of the fiscal year, this Agreement will terminate, without penalty, liability or expense of any kind at the end of the term for which funds are appropriated. City has no obligation to make appropriations for this Agreement in lieu of appropriations for new or other agreements. City budget decisions are subject to the discretion of the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors. Contractor’s assumption of risk of possible non-appropriation is part of the consideration for this Agreement.

THIS SECTION CONTROLS AGAINST ANY AND ALL OTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT.

2. Term of the Agreement. Subject to Section 1, the term of this Agreement shall be from February 11, 2013 to August 11, 2013.

3. Effective Date of Agreement. This Agreement shall become effective when the Controller has certified to the availability of funds and Contractor has been notified in writing.

4. Services Contractor Agrees to Perform. The Contractor agrees to perform the services provided for in Appendix A, "Description of Services," attached hereto and incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein.

5. Compensation. Compensation shall be made in monthly payments on or before the last day of each month for work, as set forth in Section 4 of this Agreement, that the Controller, in his or her sole discretion, concludes has been performed as of the last day of the immediately preceding month. In no event shall the amount of this Agreement exceed \$73,206 (seventy-three thousand, two hundred and six dollars). The breakdown of costs associated with this Agreement appears in Appendix B, "Calculation of Charges," attached hereto and incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein. No charges shall be incurred under this Agreement nor shall any payments become due to Contractor until reports, services, or both, required under this Agreement are received from Contractor and approved by the Controller as being in accordance with this Agreement. City may withhold payment to Contractor in any instance in which Contractor has failed or refused to satisfy any material obligation provided for under this Agreement. In no event shall City be liable for interest or late charges for any late payments.

The Controller is not authorized to pay invoices submitted by Contractor prior to Contractor's submission of HRC Progress Payment Form. If Progress Payment Form is not submitted with Contractor's invoice, the Controller will notify the department, the Director of HRC and Contractor of the omission. If Contractor's failure to provide HRC Progress Payment Form is not explained to the Controller's satisfaction, the Controller will withhold 20% of the payment due pursuant to that invoice until HRC Progress Payment Form is provided. Following City's payment of an invoice, Contractor has ten working days to file an affidavit using HRC Payment Affidavit verifying that all subcontractors have been paid and specifying the amount.

6. Guaranteed Maximum Costs. The City's obligation hereunder shall not at any time exceed the amount certified by the Controller for the purpose and period stated in such certification. Except as may be provided by laws governing emergency procedures, officers and employees of the City are not authorized to request, and the City is not required to reimburse the Contractor for, Commodities or Services beyond the agreed upon contract scope unless the changed scope is authorized by amendment and approved as required by law. Officers and employees of the City are not authorized to offer or promise, nor is the City required to honor, any offered or promised additional funding in excess of the maximum amount of funding for which the contract is certified without certification of the additional amount by the Controller. The Controller is not authorized to make payments on any contract for which funds have not been certified as available in the budget or by supplemental appropriation.

7. Payment; Invoice Format. Invoices furnished by Contractor under this Agreement must be in a form acceptable to the Controller, and must include a unique invoice number. All amounts paid by City to Contractor shall be subject to audit by City. Payment shall be made by City to Contractor at the address specified in the section entitled "Notices to the Parties."

8. Submitting False Claims; Monetary Penalties. Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code §21.35, any contractor, subcontractor or consultant who submits a false claim shall be liable to the City for the statutory penalties set forth in that section. The text of Section 21.35, along with the entire San Francisco Administrative Code is available on the web

at <http://www.municode.com/Library/clientCodePage.aspx?clientID=4201>. A contractor, subcontractor or consultant will be deemed to have submitted a false claim to the City if the contractor, subcontractor or consultant: (a) knowingly presents or causes to be presented to an officer or employee of the City a false claim or request for payment or approval; (b) knowingly makes, uses, or causes to be made or used a false record or statement to get a false claim paid or approved by the City; (c) conspires to defraud the City by getting a false claim allowed or paid by the City; (d) knowingly makes, uses, or causes to be made or used a false record or statement to conceal, avoid, or decrease an obligation to pay or transmit money or property to the City; or (e) is a beneficiary of an inadvertent submission of a false claim to the City, subsequently discovers the falsity of the claim, and fails to disclose the false claim to the City within a reasonable time after discovery of the false claim.

9. Left blank by agreement of the parties. (Disallowance)

10. Taxes

a. Payment of any taxes, including possessory interest taxes and California sales and use taxes, levied upon or as a result of this Agreement, or the services delivered pursuant hereto, shall be the obligation of Contractor.

b. Contractor recognizes and understands that this Agreement may create a “possessory interest” for property tax purposes. Generally, such a possessory interest is not created unless the Agreement entitles the Contractor to possession, occupancy, or use of City property for private gain. If such a possessory interest is created, then the following shall apply:

1) Contractor, on behalf of itself and any permitted successors and assigns, recognizes and understands that Contractor, and any permitted successors and assigns, may be subject to real property tax assessments on the possessory interest;

2) Contractor, on behalf of itself and any permitted successors and assigns, recognizes and understands that the creation, extension, renewal, or assignment of this Agreement may result in a “change in ownership” for purposes of real property taxes, and therefore may result in a revaluation of any possessory interest created by this Agreement. Contractor accordingly agrees on behalf of itself and its permitted successors and assigns to report on behalf of the City to the County Assessor the information required by Revenue and Taxation Code section 480.5, as amended from time to time, and any successor provision.

3) Contractor, on behalf of itself and any permitted successors and assigns, recognizes and understands that other events also may cause a change of ownership of the possessory interest and result in the revaluation of the possessory interest. (see, e.g., Rev. & Tax. Code section 64, as amended from time to time). Contractor accordingly agrees on behalf of itself and its permitted successors and assigns to report any change in ownership to the County Assessor, the State Board of Equalization or other public agency as required by law.

4) Contractor further agrees to provide such other information as may be requested by the City to enable the City to comply with any reporting requirements for possessory interests that are imposed by applicable law.

11. Payment Does Not Imply Acceptance of Work. The granting of any payment by City, or the receipt thereof by Contractor, shall in no way lessen the liability of Contractor to replace unsatisfactory work, equipment, or materials, although the unsatisfactory character of such work, equipment or materials may not have been apparent or detected at the time such payment was

made. Materials, equipment, components, or workmanship that do not conform to the requirements of this Agreement may be rejected by City and in such case must be replaced by Contractor without delay.

12. Qualified Personnel. Work under this Agreement shall be performed only by competent personnel under the supervision of and in the employment of Contractor. Contractor will comply with City's reasonable requests regarding assignment of personnel, but all personnel, including those assigned at City's request, must be supervised by Contractor. Contractor shall commit adequate resources to complete the project within the project schedule specified in this Agreement.

13. Responsibility for Equipment. City shall not be responsible for any damage to persons or property as a result of the use, misuse or failure of any equipment used by Contractor, or by any of its employees, even though such equipment be furnished, rented or loaned to Contractor by City.

14. Independent Contractor; Payment of Taxes and Other Expenses

a. **Independent Contractor.** Contractor or any agent or employee of Contractor shall be deemed at all times to be an independent contractor and is wholly responsible for the manner in which it performs the services and work requested by City under this Agreement. Contractor or any agent or employee of Contractor shall not have employee status with City, nor be entitled to participate in any plans, arrangements, or distributions by City pertaining to or in connection with any retirement, health or other benefits that City may offer its employees. Contractor or any agent or employee of Contractor is liable for the acts and omissions of itself, its employees and its agents. Contractor shall be responsible for all obligations and payments, whether imposed by federal, state or local law, including, but not limited to, FICA, income tax withholdings, unemployment compensation, insurance, and other similar responsibilities related to Contractor's performing services and work, or any agent or employee of Contractor providing same. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating an employment or agency relationship between City and Contractor or any agent or employee of Contractor. Any terms in this Agreement referring to direction from City shall be construed as providing for direction as to policy and the result of Contractor's work only, and not as to the means by which such a result is obtained. City does not retain the right to control the means or the method by which Contractor performs work under this Agreement.

b. **Payment of Taxes and Other Expenses.** Should City, in its discretion, or a relevant taxing authority such as the Internal Revenue Service or the State Employment Development Division, or both, determine that Contractor is an employee for purposes of collection of any employment taxes, the amounts payable under this Agreement shall be reduced by amounts equal to both the employee and employer portions of the tax due (and offsetting any credits for amounts already paid by Contractor which can be applied against this liability). City shall then forward those amounts to the relevant taxing authority. Should a relevant taxing authority determine a liability for past services performed by Contractor for City, upon notification of such fact by City, Contractor shall promptly remit such amount due or arrange with City to have the amount due withheld from future payments to Contractor under this Agreement (again, offsetting any amounts already paid by Contractor which can be applied as a credit against such liability). A determination of employment status pursuant to the preceding two paragraphs shall be solely for the purposes of the particular tax in question, and for all other

purposes of this Agreement, Contractor shall not be considered an employee of City. Notwithstanding the foregoing, should any court, arbitrator, or administrative authority determine that Contractor is an employee for any other purpose, then Contractor agrees to a reduction in City's financial liability so that City's total expenses under this Agreement are not greater than they would have been had the court, arbitrator, or administrative authority determined that Contractor was not an employee.

15. Insurance

a. Without in any way limiting Contractor's liability pursuant to the "Indemnification" section of this Agreement, Contractor must maintain in force, during the full term of the Agreement, insurance in the following amounts and coverages:

- 1) Workers' Compensation, in statutory amounts, with Employers' Liability Limits not less than \$1,000,000 each accident, injury, or illness; and
- 2) Commercial General Liability Insurance with limits not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, including Contractual Liability, Personal Injury, Products and Completed Operations; and
- 3) Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance with limits not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, including Owned, Non-Owned and Hired auto coverage, as applicable.

b. It is understood and agreed that the California State University is a self-insured public agency of the State of California. The University maintains self-insurance programs to fund its General Liability, Professional Liability, Motor Vehicle Liability and Worker's Compensation. Evidence of Insurance, Certificates of Insurance or other similar documentation shall not be required of either party under this agreement.

16. Indemnification.

a) CITY agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless [CONTRACTOR], its officers, employees and agents, from any and all acts, claims, liabilities and losses by whomever asserted arising out of acts or omissions of CITY in the performance of the scope of work and all other obligations under this agreement except those arising by reason of the negligence of [CONTRACTOR], its officers, employees and agents.

b) [CONTRACTOR] agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless CITY, its commissioners, officers, employees and agents, from any and all acts, claims, liabilities and losses by whomever asserted, arising out of acts or omissions of [CONTRACTOR] in the performance of the scope of work and all other obligations under this agreement except those arising by reason of the negligence of the CITY, its commissioners, officers, employees and agents.

c) In the event of concurrent negligence of CITY, its commissioners, officers, employees and agents, and [CONTRACTOR] and its officers, employees and agents, the liability for any and all claims for injuries or damages to persons and/or property shall be apportioned under the California theory of comparative negligence as presently established or as may hereafter be modified.

17. Incidental and Consequential Damages. Contractor shall be responsible for incidental and consequential damages resulting in whole or in part from Contractor's acts or omissions. Nothing in this Agreement shall constitute a waiver or limitation of any rights that City may have under applicable law.

18. Liability of City. CITY'S PAYMENT OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE PAYMENT OF THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 5 OF THIS AGREEMENT. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS AGREEMENT, IN NO EVENT SHALL CITY BE LIABLE, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER ANY CLAIM IS BASED ON CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR ANY SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, INDIRECT OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, LOST PROFITS, ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS AGREEMENT OR THE SERVICES PERFORMED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS AGREEMENT.

19. Left blank by agreement of the parties. (Liquidated Damages)

20. Default; Remedies

a. Each of the following shall constitute an event of default ("Event of Default") under this Agreement:

1) Contractor fails or refuses to perform or observe any term, covenant or condition contained in any of the following Sections of this Agreement:

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| 8. Submitting False Claims; Monetary Penalties. | 37. Drug-free workplace policy |
| 10. Taxes | 53. Compliance with laws |
| 15. Insurance | 55. Supervision of minors |
| 24. Proprietary or confidential information of City | 57. Protection of private information |
| 30. Assignment | 58. Graffiti removal |
| | 62. Representation regarding previous expert services |

2) Contractor fails or refuses to perform or observe any other term, covenant or condition contained in this Agreement, and such default continues for a period of ten days after written notice thereof from City to Contractor.

3) Contractor (a) is generally not paying its debts as they become due, (b) files, or consents by answer or otherwise to the filing against it of, a petition for relief or reorganization or arrangement or any other petition in bankruptcy or for liquidation or to take advantage of any bankruptcy, insolvency or other debtors' relief law of any jurisdiction, (c) makes an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, (d) consents to the appointment of a custodian, receiver, trustee or other officer with similar powers of Contractor or of any substantial part of Contractor's property or (e) takes action for the purpose of any of the foregoing.

4) A court or government authority enters an order (a) appointing a custodian, receiver, trustee or other officer with similar powers with respect to Contractor or with respect to any substantial part of Contractor's property, (b) constituting an order for relief or approving a petition for relief or reorganization or arrangement or any other petition in bankruptcy or for liquidation or to take advantage of any bankruptcy, insolvency or other debtors' relief law of any jurisdiction or (c) ordering the dissolution, winding-up or liquidation of Contractor.

b. On and after any Event of Default, City shall have the right to exercise its legal and equitable remedies, including, without limitation, the right to terminate this Agreement or to seek specific performance of all or any part of this Agreement. In addition, City shall have the right (but no obligation) to cure (or cause to be cured) on behalf of Contractor any Event of Default; Contractor shall pay to City on demand all costs and expenses incurred by City in effecting such cure, with interest thereon from the date of incurrence at the maximum rate then permitted by law. City shall have the right to offset from any amounts due to Contractor under this Agreement or any other agreement between City and Contractor all damages, losses, costs or expenses incurred by City as a result of such Event of Default and any liquidated damages due from Contractor pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or any other agreement.

c. All remedies provided for in this Agreement may be exercised individually or in combination with any other remedy available hereunder or under applicable laws, rules and regulations. The exercise of any remedy shall not preclude or in any way be deemed to waive any other remedy.

21. Termination for Convenience

a. City shall have the option, in its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement, at any time during the term hereof, for convenience and without cause. City shall exercise this option by giving Contractor written notice of termination. The notice shall specify the date on which termination shall become effective.

b. Upon receipt of the notice, Contractor shall commence and perform, with diligence, all actions necessary on the part of Contractor to effect the termination of this Agreement on the date specified by City and to minimize the liability of Contractor and City to third parties as a result of termination. All such actions shall be subject to the prior approval of City. Such actions shall include, without limitation:

- 1) Halting the performance of all services and other work under this Agreement on the date(s) and in the manner specified by City.
- 2) Not placing any further orders or subcontracts for materials, services, equipment or other items.
- 3) Terminating all existing orders and subcontracts.
- 4) At City's direction, assigning to City any or all of Contractor's right, title, and interest under the orders and subcontracts terminated. Upon such assignment, City shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to settle or pay any or all claims arising out of the termination of such orders and subcontracts.
- 5) Subject to City's approval, settling all outstanding liabilities and all claims arising out of the termination of orders and subcontracts.
- 6) Completing performance of any services or work that City designates to be completed prior to the date of termination specified by City.
- 7) Taking such action as may be necessary, or as the City may direct, for the protection and preservation of any property related to this Agreement which is in the possession of Contractor and in which City has or may acquire an interest.

c. Within 30 days after the specified termination date, Contractor shall submit to City an invoice, which shall set forth each of the following as a separate line item:

1) The reasonable cost to Contractor, without profit, for all services and other work City directed Contractor to perform prior to the specified termination date, for which services or work City has not already tendered payment. Reasonable costs may include a reasonable allowance for actual overhead, not to exceed a total of 10% of Contractor's direct costs for services or other work. Any overhead allowance shall be separately itemized. Contractor may also recover the reasonable cost of preparing the invoice.

2) A reasonable allowance for profit on the cost of the services and other work described in the immediately preceding subsection (1), provided that Contractor can establish, to the satisfaction of City, that Contractor would have made a profit had all services and other work under this Agreement been completed, and provided further, that the profit allowed shall in no event exceed 5% of such cost.

3) The reasonable cost to Contractor of handling material or equipment returned to the vendor, delivered to the City or otherwise disposed of as directed by the City.

4) A deduction for the cost of materials to be retained by Contractor, amounts realized from the sale of materials and not otherwise recovered by or credited to City, and any other appropriate credits to City against the cost of the services or other work.

d. In no event shall City be liable for costs incurred by Contractor or any of its subcontractors after the termination date specified by City, except for those costs specifically enumerated and described in the immediately preceding subsection (c). Such non-recoverable costs include, but are not limited to, anticipated profits on this Agreement, post-termination employee salaries, post-termination administrative expenses, post-termination overhead or unabsorbed overhead, attorneys' fees or other costs relating to the prosecution of a claim or lawsuit, prejudgment interest, or any other expense which is not reasonable or authorized under such subsection (c).

e. In arriving at the amount due to Contractor under this Section, City may deduct: (1) all payments previously made by City for work or other services covered by Contractor's final invoice; (2) any claim which City may have against Contractor in connection with this Agreement; (3) any invoiced costs or expenses excluded pursuant to the immediately preceding subsection (d); and (4) in instances in which, in the opinion of the City, the cost of any service or other work performed under this Agreement is excessively high due to costs incurred to remedy or replace defective or rejected services or other work, the difference between the invoiced amount and City's estimate of the reasonable cost of performing the invoiced services or other work in compliance with the requirements of this Agreement.

f. City's payment obligation under this Section shall survive termination of this Agreement.

22. Rights and Duties upon Termination or Expiration

This Section and the following Sections of this Agreement shall survive termination or expiration of this Agreement:

8. Submitting false claims

24. Proprietary or confidential information of City

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| 9. Disallowance | 26. Ownership of Results |
| 10. Taxes | 27. Works for Hire |
| 11. Payment does not imply acceptance of work | 28. Audit and Inspection of Records |
| 13. Responsibility for equipment | 48. Modification of Agreement. |
| 14. Independent Contractor; Payment of Taxes and Other Expenses | 49. Administrative Remedy for Agreement Interpretation. |
| 15. Insurance | 50. Agreement Made in California; Venue |
| 16. Indemnification | 51. Construction |
| 17. Incidental and Consequential Damages | 52. Entire Agreement |
| 18. Liability of City | 56. Severability |
| | 57. Protection of private information |
| | 62. Representation regarding previous expert services |

Subject to the immediately preceding sentence, upon termination of this Agreement prior to expiration of the term specified in Section 2, this Agreement shall terminate and be of no further force or effect. Contractor shall transfer title to City, and deliver in the manner, at the times, and to the extent, if any, directed by City, any work in progress, completed work, supplies, equipment, and other materials produced as a part of, or acquired in connection with the performance of this Agreement, and any completed or partially completed work which, if this Agreement had been completed, would have been required to be furnished to City. This subsection shall survive termination of this Agreement.

23. Conflict of Interest. Through its execution of this Agreement, Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the provision of Section 15.103 of the City’s Charter, Article III, Chapter 2 of City’s Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, and Section 87100 et seq. and Section 1090 et seq. of the Government Code of the State of California, and certifies that it does not know of any facts which constitutes a violation of said provisions and agrees that it will immediately notify the City if it becomes aware of any such fact during the term of this Agreement.

24. Proprietary or Confidential Information of City. Contractor understands and agrees that, in the performance of the work or services under this Agreement or in contemplation thereof, Contractor may have access to private or confidential information which may be owned or controlled by City and that such information may contain proprietary or confidential details, the disclosure of which to third parties may be damaging to City. Contractor agrees that all information disclosed by City to Contractor shall be held in confidence and used only in performance of the Agreement. Contractor shall exercise the same standard of care to protect such information as a reasonably prudent contractor would use to protect its own proprietary data.

25. Notices to the Parties. Unless otherwise indicated elsewhere in this Agreement, all written communications sent by the parties may be by U.S. mail, e-mail or by fax, and shall be addressed as follows:

To City: Lily Conover
Office of the Controller
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett, Rm 306
San Francisco, CA 94102

lily.conover@sfgov.org

To Contractor: Gina Bartlett
California State University, Sacramento, Center for Collaborative Policy
815 S Street
Sacramento, CA 95811
gina@ccp.csus.edu

Legal Notifications must be also be provided to:
Jeannie Holler
815 S Street
Sacramento, CA 95811
jholler@ccp.csus.edu

Any notice of default must be sent by registered mail.

26. Ownership of Results. Any interest of Contractor or its Subcontractors, in drawings, plans, specifications, blueprints, studies, reports, memoranda, computation sheets, computer files and media or other documents prepared by Contractor or its subcontractors in connection with services to be performed under this Agreement, shall become the property of and will be transmitted to City. However, Contractor may retain and use copies for reference and as documentation of its experience and capabilities.

27. Works for Hire. If, in connection with services performed under this Agreement, Contractor or its subcontractors create artwork, copy, posters, billboards, photographs, videotapes, audiotapes, systems designs, software, reports, diagrams, surveys, blueprints, source codes or any other original works of authorship, such works of authorship shall be works for hire as defined under Title 17 of the United States Code, and all copyrights in such works are the property of the City. If it is ever determined that any works created by Contractor or its subcontractors under this Agreement are not works for hire under U.S. law, Contractor hereby assigns all copyrights to such works to the City, and agrees to provide any material and execute any documents necessary to effectuate such assignment. With the approval of the City, Contractor may retain and use copies of such works for reference and as documentation of its experience and capabilities.

28. Audit and Inspection of Records. Contractor agrees to maintain and make available to the City, during regular business hours, accurate books and accounting records relating to its work under this Agreement. Contractor will permit City to audit, examine and make excerpts and transcripts from such books and records, and to make audits of all invoices, materials, payrolls, records or personnel and other data related to all other matters covered by this Agreement, whether funded in whole or in part under this Agreement. Contractor shall maintain such data and records in an accessible location and condition for a period of not less than five years after final payment under this Agreement or until after final audit has been resolved, whichever is later. The State of California or any federal agency having an interest in the subject matter of this Agreement shall have the same rights conferred upon City by this Section.

29. Subcontracting. Contractor is prohibited from subcontracting this Agreement or any part of it unless such subcontracting is first approved by City in writing. Neither party shall, on

the basis of this Agreement, contract on behalf of or in the name of the other party. An agreement made in violation of this provision shall confer no rights on any party and shall be null and void.

30. Assignment. The services to be performed by Contractor are personal in character and neither this Agreement nor any duties or obligations hereunder may be assigned or delegated by the Contractor unless first approved by City by written instrument executed and approved in the same manner as this Agreement.

31. Non-Waiver of Rights. The omission by either party at any time to enforce any default or right reserved to it, or to require performance of any of the terms, covenants, or provisions hereof by the other party at the time designated, shall not be a waiver of any such default or right to which the party is entitled, nor shall it in any way affect the right of the party to enforce such provisions thereafter.

32. Earned Income Credit (EIC) Forms. Administrative Code section 12O requires that employers provide their employees with IRS Form W-5 (The Earned Income Credit Advance Payment Certificate) and the IRS EIC Schedule, as set forth below. Employers can locate these forms at the IRS Office, on the Internet, or anywhere that Federal Tax Forms can be found. Contractor shall provide EIC Forms to each Eligible Employee at each of the following times: (i) within thirty days following the date on which this Agreement becomes effective (unless Contractor has already provided such EIC Forms at least once during the calendar year in which such effective date falls); (ii) promptly after any Eligible Employee is hired by Contractor; and (iii) annually between January 1 and January 31 of each calendar year during the term of this Agreement. Failure to comply with any requirement contained in subparagraph (a) of this Section shall constitute a material breach by Contractor of the terms of this Agreement. If, within thirty days after Contractor receives written notice of such a breach, Contractor fails to cure such breach or, if such breach cannot reasonably be cured within such period of thirty days, Contractor fails to commence efforts to cure within such period or thereafter fails to diligently pursue such cure to completion, the City may pursue any rights or remedies available under this Agreement or under applicable law. Any Subcontract entered into by Contractor shall require the subcontractor to comply, as to the subcontractor's Eligible Employees, with each of the terms of this section. Capitalized terms used in this Section and not defined in this Agreement shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in Section 12O of the San Francisco Administrative Code.

33. Local Business Enterprise Utilization; Liquidated Damages

a. **The LBE Ordinance.** Contractor, shall comply with all the requirements of the Local Business Enterprise and Non-Discrimination in Contracting Ordinance set forth in Chapter 14B of the San Francisco Administrative Code as it now exists or as it may be amended in the future (collectively the "LBE Ordinance"), provided such amendments do not materially increase Contractor's obligations or liabilities, or materially diminish Contractor's rights, under this Agreement. Such provisions of the LBE Ordinance are incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth in this section. Contractor's willful failure to comply with any applicable provisions of the LBE Ordinance is a material breach of Contractor's obligations under this Agreement and shall entitle City, subject to any applicable notice and cure provisions set forth in this Agreement, to exercise any of the remedies provided for under this Agreement, under the LBE Ordinance or otherwise available at law or in equity, which remedies

shall be cumulative unless this Agreement expressly provides that any remedy is exclusive. In addition, Contractor shall comply fully with all other applicable local, state and federal laws prohibiting discrimination and requiring equal opportunity in contracting, including subcontracting.

b. Compliance and Enforcement

1) **Enforcement.** If Contractor willfully fails to comply with any of the provisions of the LBE Ordinance, the rules and regulations implementing the LBE Ordinance, or the provisions of this Agreement pertaining to LBE participation, Contractor shall be liable for liquidated damages in an amount equal to Contractor's net profit on this Agreement, or 10% of the total amount of this Agreement, or \$1,000, whichever is greatest. The Director of the City's Human Rights Commission or any other public official authorized to enforce the LBE Ordinance (separately and collectively, the "Director of HRC") may also impose other sanctions against Contractor authorized in the LBE Ordinance, including declaring the Contractor to be irresponsible and ineligible to contract with the City for a period of up to five years or revocation of the Contractor's LBE certification. The Director of HRC will determine the sanctions to be imposed, including the amount of liquidated damages, after investigation pursuant to Administrative Code §14B.17. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor acknowledges and agrees that any liquidated damages assessed by the Director of the HRC shall be payable to City upon demand. Contractor further acknowledges and agrees that any liquidated damages assessed may be withheld from any monies due to Contractor on any contract with City. Contractor agrees to maintain records necessary for monitoring its compliance with the LBE Ordinance for a period of three years following termination or expiration of this Agreement, and shall make such records available for audit and inspection by the Director of HRC or the Controller upon request.

2) **Subcontracting Goals.** The LBE subcontracting participation goal for this contract is 10%. Contractor shall fulfill the subcontracting commitment made in its bid or proposal. Each invoice submitted to City for payment shall include the information required in the HRC Progress Payment Form and the HRC Payment Affidavit. Failure to provide the HRC Progress Payment Form and the HRC Payment Affidavit with each invoice submitted by Contractor shall entitle City to withhold 20% of the amount of that invoice until the HRC Payment Form and the HRC Subcontractor Payment Affidavit are provided by Contractor. Contractor shall not participate in any back contracting to the Contractor or lower-tier subcontractors, as defined in the LBE Ordinance, for any purpose inconsistent with the provisions of the LBE Ordinance, its implementing rules and regulations, or this Section.

3) **Subcontract Language Requirements.** Contractor shall incorporate the LBE Ordinance into each subcontract made in the fulfillment of Contractor's obligations under this Agreement and require each subcontractor to agree and comply with provisions of the ordinance applicable to subcontractors. Contractor shall include in all subcontracts with LBEs made in fulfillment of Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, a provision requiring Contractor to compensate any LBE subcontractor for damages for breach of contract or liquidated damages equal to 5% of the subcontract amount, whichever is greater, if Contractor does not fulfill its commitment to use the LBE subcontractor as specified in the bid or proposal, unless Contractor received advance approval from the Director of HRC and contract awarding authority to substitute subcontractors or to otherwise modify the commitments in the bid or proposal. Such provisions shall also state that it is enforceable in a court of competent jurisdiction. Subcontracts shall require the subcontractor to maintain records necessary for

monitoring its compliance with the LBE Ordinance for a period of three years following termination of this contract and to make such records available for audit and inspection by the Director of HRC or the Controller upon request.

4) **Payment of Subcontractors.** Contractor shall pay its subcontractors within three working days after receiving payment from the City unless Contractor notifies the Director of HRC in writing within ten working days prior to receiving payment from the City that there is a bona fide dispute between Contractor and its subcontractor and the Director waives the three-day payment requirement, in which case Contractor may withhold the disputed amount but shall pay the undisputed amount. Contractor further agrees, within ten working days following receipt of payment from the City, to file the HRC Payment Affidavit with the Controller, under penalty of perjury, that the Contractor has paid all subcontractors. The affidavit shall provide the names and addresses of all subcontractors and the amount paid to each. Failure to provide such affidavit may subject Contractor to enforcement procedure under Administrative Code §14B.17.

34. Nondiscrimination; Penalties

a. **Contractor Shall Not Discriminate.** In the performance of this Agreement, Contractor agrees not to discriminate against any employee, City and County employee working with such contractor or subcontractor, applicant for employment with such contractor or subcontractor, or against any person seeking accommodations, advantages, facilities, privileges, services, or membership in all business, social, or other establishments or organizations, on the basis of the fact or perception of a person's race, color, creed, religion, national origin, ancestry, age, height, weight, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, domestic partner status, marital status, disability or Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or HIV status (AIDS/HIV status), or association with members of such protected classes, or in retaliation for opposition to discrimination against such classes.

b. **Subcontracts.** Contractor shall incorporate by reference in all subcontracts the provisions of §§12B.2(a), 12B.2(c)-(k), and 12C.3 of the San Francisco Administrative Code (copies of which are available from Purchasing) and shall require all subcontractors to comply with such provisions. Contractor's failure to comply with the obligations in this subsection shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

c. **Nondiscrimination in Benefits.** Contractor does not as of the date of this Agreement and will not during the term of this Agreement, in any of its operations in San Francisco, on real property owned by San Francisco, or where work is being performed for the City elsewhere in the United States, discriminate in the provision of bereavement leave, family medical leave, health benefits, membership or membership discounts, moving expenses, pension and retirement benefits or travel benefits, as well as any benefits other than the benefits specified above, between employees with domestic partners and employees with spouses, and/or between the domestic partners and spouses of such employees, where the domestic partnership has been registered with a governmental entity pursuant to state or local law authorizing such registration, subject to the conditions set forth in §12B.2(b) of the San Francisco Administrative Code.

d. **Condition to Contract.** As a condition to this Agreement, Contractor shall execute the "Chapter 12B Declaration: Nondiscrimination in Contracts and Benefits" form (form HRC-12B-101) with supporting documentation and secure the approval of the form by the San Francisco Human Rights Commission.

e. **Incorporation of Administrative Code Provisions by Reference.** The provisions of Chapters 12B and 12C of the San Francisco Administrative Code are incorporated in this Section by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein. Contractor shall comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions that apply to this Agreement under such Chapters, including but not limited to the remedies provided in such Chapters. Without limiting the foregoing, Contractor understands that pursuant to §§12B.2(h) and 12C.3(g) of the San Francisco Administrative Code, a penalty of \$50 for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against in violation of the provisions of this Agreement may be assessed against Contractor and/or deducted from any payments due Contractor.

35. MacBride Principles—Northern Ireland. Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code §12F.5, the City and County of San Francisco urges companies doing business in Northern Ireland to move towards resolving employment inequities, and encourages such companies to abide by the MacBride Principles. The City and County of San Francisco urges San Francisco companies to do business with corporations that abide by the MacBride Principles. By signing below, the person executing this agreement on behalf of Contractor acknowledges and agrees that he or she has read and understood this section.

36. Tropical Hardwood and Virgin Redwood Ban. Pursuant to §804(b) of the San Francisco Environment Code, the City and County of San Francisco urges contractors not to import, purchase, obtain, or use for any purpose, any tropical hardwood, tropical hardwood wood product, virgin redwood or virgin redwood wood product.

37. Drug-Free Workplace Policy. Contractor acknowledges that pursuant to the Federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1989, the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited on City premises. Contractor agrees that any violation of this prohibition by Contractor, its employees, agents or assigns will be deemed a material breach of this Agreement.

38. Resource Conservation. Chapter 5 of the San Francisco Environment Code (“Resource Conservation”) is incorporated herein by reference. Failure by Contractor to comply with any of the applicable requirements of Chapter 5 will be deemed a material breach of contract.

39. Compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act. Contractor acknowledges that, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), programs, services and other activities provided by a public entity to the public, whether directly or through a contractor, must be accessible to the disabled public. Contractor shall provide the services specified in this Agreement in a manner that complies with the ADA and any and all other applicable federal, state and local disability rights legislation. Contractor agrees not to discriminate against disabled persons in the provision of services, benefits or activities provided under this Agreement and further agrees that any violation of this prohibition on the part of Contractor, its employees, agents or assigns will constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

40. Sunshine Ordinance. In accordance with San Francisco Administrative Code §67.24(e), contracts, contractors’ bids, responses to solicitations and all other records of communications between City and persons or firms seeking contracts, shall be open to inspection immediately after a contract has been awarded. Nothing in this provision requires the disclosure of a private person or organization’s net worth or other proprietary financial data submitted for qualification for a contract or other benefit until and unless that person or organization is awarded the contract

or benefit. Information provided which is covered by this paragraph will be made available to the public upon request.

41. Public Access to Meetings and Records. If the Contractor receives a cumulative total per year of at least \$250,000 in City funds or City-administered funds and is a non-profit organization as defined in Chapter 12L of the San Francisco Administrative Code, Contractor shall comply with and be bound by all the applicable provisions of that Chapter. By executing this Agreement, the Contractor agrees to open its meetings and records to the public in the manner set forth in §§12L.4 and 12L.5 of the Administrative Code. Contractor further agrees to make-good faith efforts to promote community membership on its Board of Directors in the manner set forth in §12L.6 of the Administrative Code. The Contractor acknowledges that its material failure to comply with any of the provisions of this paragraph shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement. The Contractor further acknowledges that such material breach of the Agreement shall be grounds for the City to terminate and/or not renew the Agreement, partially or in its entirety.

42. Limitations on Contributions. Through execution of this Agreement, Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with section 1.126 of the City's Campaign and Governmental Conduct Code, which prohibits any person who contracts with the City for the rendition of personal services, for the furnishing of any material, supplies or equipment, for the sale or lease of any land or building, or for a grant, loan or loan guarantee, from making any campaign contribution to (1) an individual holding a City elective office if the contract must be approved by the individual, a board on which that individual serves, or the board of a state agency on which an appointee of that individual serves, (2) a candidate for the office held by such individual, or (3) a committee controlled by such individual, at any time from the commencement of negotiations for the contract until the later of either the termination of negotiations for such contract or six months after the date the contract is approved. Contractor acknowledges that the foregoing restriction applies only if the contract or a combination or series of contracts approved by the same individual or board in a fiscal year have a total anticipated or actual value of \$50,000 or more. Contractor further acknowledges that the prohibition on contributions applies to each prospective party to the contract; each member of Contractor's board of directors; Contractor's chairperson, chief executive officer, chief financial officer and chief operating officer; any person with an ownership interest of more than 20 percent in Contractor; any subcontractor listed in the bid or contract; and any committee that is sponsored or controlled by Contractor. Additionally, Contractor acknowledges that Contractor must inform each of the persons described in the preceding sentence of the prohibitions contained in Section 1.126. Contractor further agrees to provide to City the names of each person, entity or committee described above.

43. Requiring Minimum Compensation for Covered Employees

a. Contractor agrees to comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions of the Minimum Compensation Ordinance (MCO), as set forth in San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 12P (Chapter 12P), including the remedies provided, and implementing guidelines and rules. The provisions of Sections 12P.5 and 12P.5.1 of Chapter 12P are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth. The text of the MCO is available on the web at www.sfgov.org/olse/mco. A partial listing of some of Contractor's obligations under the MCO is set forth in this Section. Contractor is required to comply with all the provisions of the MCO, irrespective of the listing of obligations in this Section.

b. The MCO requires Contractor to pay Contractor's employees a minimum hourly gross compensation wage rate and to provide minimum compensated and uncompensated time off. The minimum wage rate may change from year to year and Contractor is obligated to keep informed of the then-current requirements. Any subcontract entered into by Contractor shall require the subcontractor to comply with the requirements of the MCO and shall contain contractual obligations substantially the same as those set forth in this Section. It is Contractor's obligation to ensure that any subcontractors of any tier under this Agreement comply with the requirements of the MCO. If any subcontractor under this Agreement fails to comply, City may pursue any of the remedies set forth in this Section against Contractor.

c. Contractor shall not take adverse action or otherwise discriminate against an employee or other person for the exercise or attempted exercise of rights under the MCO. Such actions, if taken within 90 days of the exercise or attempted exercise of such rights, will be rebuttably presumed to be retaliation prohibited by the MCO.

d. Contractor shall maintain employee and payroll records as required by the MCO. If Contractor fails to do so, it shall be presumed that the Contractor paid no more than the minimum wage required under State law.

e. The City is authorized to inspect Contractor's job sites and conduct interviews with employees and conduct audits of Contractor

f. Contractor's commitment to provide the Minimum Compensation is a material element of the City's consideration for this Agreement. The City in its sole discretion shall determine whether such a breach has occurred. The City and the public will suffer actual damage that will be impractical or extremely difficult to determine if the Contractor fails to comply with these requirements. Contractor agrees that the sums set forth in Section 12P.6.1 of the MCO as liquidated damages are not a penalty, but are reasonable estimates of the loss that the City and the public will incur for Contractor's noncompliance. The procedures governing the assessment of liquidated damages shall be those set forth in Section 12P.6.2 of Chapter 12P.

g. Contractor understands and agrees that if it fails to comply with the requirements of the MCO, the City shall have the right to pursue any rights or remedies available under Chapter 12P (including liquidated damages), under the terms of the contract, and under applicable law. If, within 30 days after receiving written notice of a breach of this Agreement for violating the MCO, Contractor fails to cure such breach or, if such breach cannot reasonably be cured within such period of 30 days, Contractor fails to commence efforts to cure within such period, or thereafter fails diligently to pursue such cure to completion, the City shall have the right to pursue any rights or remedies available under applicable law, including those set forth in Section 12P.6(c) of Chapter 12P. Each of these remedies shall be exercisable individually or in combination with any other rights or remedies available to the City.

h. Contractor represents and warrants that it is not an entity that was set up, or is being used, for the purpose of evading the intent of the MCO.

i. If Contractor is exempt from the MCO when this Agreement is executed because the cumulative amount of agreements with this department for the fiscal year is less than \$25,000, but Contractor later enters into an agreement or agreements that cause contractor to exceed that amount in a fiscal year, Contractor shall thereafter be required to comply with the MCO under this Agreement. This obligation arises on the effective date of the agreement that

causes the cumulative amount of agreements between the Contractor and this department to exceed \$25,000 in the fiscal year.

44. Requiring Health Benefits for Covered Employees

Contractor agrees to comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions of the Health Care Accountability Ordinance (HCAO), as set forth in San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 12Q, including the remedies provided, and implementing regulations, as the same may be amended from time to time. The provisions of section 12Q.5.1 of Chapter 12Q are incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein. The text of the HCAO is available on the web at www.sfgov.org/olse. Capitalized terms used in this Section and not defined in this Agreement shall have the meanings assigned to such terms in Chapter 12Q.

a. For each Covered Employee, Contractor shall provide the appropriate health benefit set forth in Section 12Q.3 of the HCAO. If Contractor chooses to offer the health plan option, such health plan shall meet the minimum standards set forth by the San Francisco Health Commission.

b. Notwithstanding the above, if the Contractor is a small business as defined in Section 12Q.3(e) of the HCAO, it shall have no obligation to comply with part (a) above.

c. Contractor's failure to comply with the HCAO shall constitute a material breach of this agreement. City shall notify Contractor if such a breach has occurred. If, within 30 days after receiving City's written notice of a breach of this Agreement for violating the HCAO, Contractor fails to cure such breach or, if such breach cannot reasonably be cured within such period of 30 days, Contractor fails to commence efforts to cure within such period, or thereafter fails diligently to pursue such cure to completion, City shall have the right to pursue the remedies set forth in 12Q.5.1 and 12Q.5(f)(1-6). Each of these remedies shall be exercisable individually or in combination with any other rights or remedies available to City.

d. Any Subcontract entered into by Contractor shall require the Subcontractor to comply with the requirements of the HCAO and shall contain contractual obligations substantially the same as those set forth in this Section. Contractor shall notify City's Office of Contract Administration when it enters into such a Subcontract and shall certify to the Office of Contract Administration that it has notified the Subcontractor of the obligations under the HCAO and has imposed the requirements of the HCAO on Subcontractor through the Subcontract. Each Contractor shall be responsible for its Subcontractors' compliance with this Chapter. If a Subcontractor fails to comply, the City may pursue the remedies set forth in this Section against Contractor based on the Subcontractor's failure to comply, provided that City has first provided Contractor with notice and an opportunity to obtain a cure of the violation.

e. Contractor shall not discharge, reduce in compensation, or otherwise discriminate against any employee for notifying City with regard to Contractor's noncompliance or anticipated noncompliance with the requirements of the HCAO, for opposing any practice proscribed by the HCAO, for participating in proceedings related to the HCAO, or for seeking to assert or enforce any rights under the HCAO by any lawful means.

f. Contractor represents and warrants that it is not an entity that was set up, or is being used, for the purpose of evading the intent of the HCAO.

g. Contractor shall maintain employee and payroll records in compliance with the California Labor Code and Industrial Welfare Commission orders, including the number of hours each employee has worked on the City Contract.

h. Contractor shall keep itself informed of the current requirements of the HCAO.

i. Contractor shall provide reports to the City in accordance with any reporting standards promulgated by the City under the HCAO, including reports on Subcontractors and Subtenants, as applicable.

j. Contractor shall provide City with access to records pertaining to compliance with HCAO after receiving a written request from City to do so and being provided at least ten business days to respond.

k. Contractor shall allow City to inspect Contractor's job sites and have access to Contractor's employees in order to monitor and determine compliance with HCAO.

l. City may conduct random audits of Contractor to ascertain its compliance with HCAO. Contractor agrees to cooperate with City when it conducts such audits.

m. If Contractor is exempt from the HCAO when this Agreement is executed because its amount is less than \$25,000 (\$50,000 for nonprofits), but Contractor later enters into an agreement or agreements that cause Contractor's aggregate amount of all agreements with City to reach \$75,000, all the agreements shall be thereafter subject to the HCAO. This obligation arises on the effective date of the agreement that causes the cumulative amount of agreements between Contractor and the City to be equal to or greater than \$75,000 in the fiscal year.

45. Left blank by agreement of the parties. (First Source Hiring Program)

46. Prohibition on Political Activity with City Funds. In accordance with San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 12.G, Contractor may not participate in, support, or attempt to influence any political campaign for a candidate or for a ballot measure (collectively, "Political Activity") in the performance of the services provided under this Agreement. Contractor agrees to comply with San Francisco Administrative Code Chapter 12.G and any implementing rules and regulations promulgated by the City's Controller. The terms and provisions of Chapter 12.G are incorporated herein by this reference. In the event Contractor violates the provisions of this section, the City may, in addition to any other rights or remedies available hereunder, (i) terminate this Agreement, and (ii) prohibit Contractor from bidding on or receiving any new City contract for a period of two (2) years. The Controller will not consider Contractor's use of profit as a violation of this section.

47. Preservative-treated Wood Containing Arsenic. Contractor may not purchase preservative-treated wood products containing arsenic in the performance of this Agreement unless an exemption from the requirements of Chapter 13 of the San Francisco Environment Code is obtained from the Department of the Environment under Section 1304 of the Code. The term "preservative-treated wood containing arsenic" shall mean wood treated with a preservative that contains arsenic, elemental arsenic, or an arsenic copper combination, including, but not limited to, chromated copper arsenate preservative, ammoniacal copper zinc arsenate preservative, or ammoniacal copper arsenate preservative. Contractor may purchase preservative-treated wood products on the list of environmentally preferable alternatives prepared and adopted by the Department of the Environment. This provision does not preclude Contractor from purchasing preservative-treated wood containing arsenic for saltwater

immersion. The term “saltwater immersion” shall mean a pressure-treated wood that is used for construction purposes or facilities that are partially or totally immersed in saltwater.

48. Modification of Agreement. This Agreement may not be modified, nor may compliance with any of its terms be waived, except by written instrument executed and approved in the same manner as this Agreement. Contractor shall cooperate with Department to submit to the Director of HRC any amendment, modification, supplement or change order that would result in a cumulative increase of the original amount of this Agreement by more than 20% (HRC Contract Modification Form).

49. Administrative Remedy for Agreement Interpretation. Should any question arise as to the meaning and intent of this Agreement, the question shall, prior to any other action or resort to any other legal remedy, be referred to Purchasing who shall decide the true meaning and intent of the Agreement.

50. Agreement Made in California; Venue. The formation, interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Venue for all litigation relative to the formation, interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be in San Francisco.

51. Construction. All paragraph captions are for reference only and shall not be considered in construing this Agreement.

52. Entire Agreement. This contract sets forth the entire Agreement between the parties, and supersedes all other oral or written provisions. This contract may be modified only as provided in Section 48, “Modification of Agreement.”

53. Compliance with Laws. Contractor shall keep itself fully informed of the City’s Charter, codes, ordinances and regulations of the City and of all state, and federal laws in any manner affecting the performance of this Agreement, and must at all times comply with such local codes, ordinances, and regulations and all applicable laws as they may be amended from time to time.

54. Services Provided by Attorneys. Any services to be provided by a law firm or attorney must be reviewed and approved in writing in advance by the City Attorney. No invoices for services provided by law firms or attorneys, including, without limitation, as subcontractors of Contractor, will be paid unless the provider received advance written approval from the City Attorney.

55. Left blank by agreement of the parties. (Supervision of Minors)

56. Severability. Should the application of any provision of this Agreement to any particular facts or circumstances be found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, then (a) the validity of other provisions of this Agreement shall not be affected or impaired thereby, and (b) such provision shall be enforced to the maximum extent possible so as to effect the intent of the parties and shall be reformed without further action by the parties to the extent necessary to make such provision valid and enforceable.

57. Protection of Private Information. Contractor has read and agrees to the terms set forth in San Francisco Administrative Code Sections 12M.2, “Nondisclosure of Private Information,” and 12M.3, “Enforcement” of Administrative Code Chapter 12M, “Protection of Private Information,” which are incorporated herein as if fully set forth. Contractor agrees that any

failure of Contractor to comply with the requirements of Section 12M.2 of this Chapter shall be a material breach of the Contract. In such an event, in addition to any other remedies available to it under equity or law, the City may terminate the Contract, bring a false claim action against the Contractor pursuant to Chapter 6 or Chapter 21 of the Administrative Code, or debar the Contractor.

58. Graffiti Removal. Graffiti is detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of the community in that it promotes a perception in the community that the laws protecting public and private property can be disregarded with impunity. This perception fosters a sense of disrespect of the law that results in an increase in crime; degrades the community and leads to urban blight; is detrimental to property values, business opportunities and the enjoyment of life; is inconsistent with the City's property maintenance goals and aesthetic standards; and results in additional graffiti and in other properties becoming the target of graffiti unless it is quickly removed from public and private property. Graffiti results in visual pollution and is a public nuisance. Graffiti must be abated as quickly as possible to avoid detrimental impacts on the City and County and its residents, and to prevent the further spread of graffiti. Contractor shall remove all graffiti from any real property owned or leased by Contractor in the City and County of San Francisco within forty eight (48) hours of the earlier of Contractor's (a) discovery or notification of the graffiti or (b) receipt of notification of the graffiti from the Department of Public Works. This section is not intended to require a Contractor to breach any lease or other agreement that it may have concerning its use of the real property. The term "graffiti" means any inscription, word, figure, marking or design that is affixed, marked, etched, scratched, drawn or painted on any building, structure, fixture or other improvement, whether permanent or temporary, including by way of example only and without limitation, signs, banners, billboards and fencing surrounding construction sites, whether public or private, without the consent of the owner of the property or the owner's authorized agent, and which is visible from the public right-of-way. "Graffiti" shall not include: (1) any sign or banner that is authorized by, and in compliance with, the applicable requirements of the San Francisco Public Works Code, the San Francisco Planning Code or the San Francisco Building Code; or (2) any mural or other painting or marking on the property that is protected as a work of fine art under the California Art Preservation Act (California Civil Code Sections 987 et seq.) or as a work of visual art under the Federal Visual Artists Rights Act of 1990 (17 U.S.C. §§ 101 et seq.).

Any failure of Contractor to comply with this section of this Agreement shall constitute an Event of Default of this Agreement.

59. Food Service Waste Reduction Requirements. Effective June 1, 2007, Contractor agrees to comply fully with and be bound by all of the provisions of the Food Service Waste Reduction Ordinance, as set forth in San Francisco Environment Code Chapter 16, including the remedies provided, and implementing guidelines and rules. The provisions of Chapter 16 are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth. This provision is a material term of this Agreement. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor agrees that if it breaches this provision, City will suffer actual damages that will be impractical or extremely difficult to determine; further, Contractor agrees that the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) liquidated damages for the first breach, two hundred dollars (\$200) liquidated damages for the second breach in the same year, and five hundred dollars (\$500) liquidated damages for subsequent breaches in the same year is reasonable estimate of the damage that City will incur based on the violation, established in light of the circumstances existing at the time

this Agreement was made. Such amount shall not be considered a penalty, but rather agreed monetary damages sustained by City because of Contractor's failure to comply with this provision.

60. Left blank by agreement of the parties. (Slavery Era Disclosure)

61. Cooperative Drafting. This Agreement has been drafted through a cooperative effort of both parties, and both parties have had an opportunity to have the Agreement reviewed and revised by legal counsel. No party shall be considered the drafter of this Agreement, and no presumption or rule that an ambiguity shall be construed against the party drafting the clause shall apply to the interpretation or enforcement of this Agreement.

62. Representation Regarding Previous Expert Services. Contractor hereby represents, warrants, and covenants that by performing the services required by this Agreement it will not be participating or assisting in an audit or investigation of any issue, matter, or question as to which Contractor has previously rendered compensated advice or services to any individual, corporation, department of the City other than the Controller, or any other entity. All representations, warranties and covenants made in this Section are deemed to be material. If City determines at any time that any such representation or warranty is not true: (a) upon written notice from City, this Agreement shall be deemed void, and Contractor shall immediately return to City any and all compensation received from City under this Agreement; (b) City may immediately terminate this Agreement by written notice to Contractor without any additional cost or obligations on the part of City; (c) City may commence debarment proceedings against Contractor; or (d) City may exercise any other legal or equitable remedies available to the City. The remedies provided herein may be exercised individually or in combination. The exercise of any remedy shall not be deemed to preclude or waive the exercise of any other remedy. The provisions of Section F1.112(b) of the City Charter are incorporated in this Section by reference and made a part of this Agreement as though fully set forth herein. This Section shall survive the expiration or any termination of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day first mentioned above.

CITY

Recommended by:

Monique Zmuda
Deputy Controller
Office of the Controller

Approved as to Form:

Dennis J. Herrera
City Attorney

By: _____
Gustin R. Guibert
Deputy City Attorney

Approved:

Jaci Fong
Director of the Office of Contract
Administration, and
Purchaser

CONTRACTOR

Center for Collaborative Policy, California
State University, Sacramento

By signing this Agreement, I certify that I
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uncompensated time off.

I have read and understood paragraph 35, the
City's statement urging companies doing
business in Northern Ireland to move towards
resolving employment inequities,
encouraging compliance with the MacBride
Principles, and urging
San Francisco companies to do business with
corporations that abide by the MacBride
Principles.

Suzanne Swartz
Contract Administrator
815 S Street
Sacramento, CA 95811

City vendor number: C01235

Appendices

- A: Services to be provided by Contractor
- B: Calculation of Charges

APPENDIX A – Services to be Provided by Contractor

Introduction: This scope of work is a general guide to the work the City expects to be performed, and is not a complete listing of all services that may be required or desired.

1. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Citizens' General Obligation Bond Oversight Committee (CGOBOC) was formed subsequent to the passage of Proposition F (March 2002) voted by residents of the City and County of San Francisco (City) to inform the public, through review and report, on the expenditure of general obligation bond proceeds in accordance with voter authorization. CGOBOC's primary responsibilities are to ensure that bond revenues are expended only in accordance with the ballot measure and that no funds are used for any administrative salaries or other general governmental operating expenses unless specifically authorized in the ballot measure for such bonds. In addition, in furtherance of its purpose, CGOBOC may also review efforts by the City to maximize bond proceeds by implementing cost-savings measures.

CGOBOC recognizes the great value of citizen input and community engagement, as they are vital components for the City's construction planning and decision making. As such, and given its authority to review efforts by the City to maximize bond proceeds through the implementation of cost-savings measures, the services required by this Agreement shall entail a benchmarking study to identify best practices in community engagement, specifically as they relate to planning the City's general obligation bond programs' construction and capital projects. In this context, community engagement includes information, consultation, engagement, and empowering activities that provide members of the public with direct ways to be involved in public life and decision making, particularly on issues in which they have a direct interest.

The objectives of this study are to determine potential cost savings by identifying improvements to the City's current community engagement practices. The results of this benchmarking study are aimed to provide the City with a set of best practices and roadmap of strategies for improving the City's community engagement practices and procedures, delivering quality outcomes for all stakeholders, and potentially reducing City costs.

Deliverables that Contractor shall deliver to the City and deliverable due dates are described in more detail in Appendix B Calculation of Charges.

2. PROJECT DEFINITIONS

Agreement – The Agreement between the Contractor and the City.

City – The City and County of San Francisco.

CGOBOC – Citizens' General Obligation Bond Oversight Committee

Contractor or Contractor's Team – Center for Collaborative Policy, California State University, Sacramento

Gina Bartlett – Project Manager and Senior Expert

Malka Kopell – Lead Author and Senior Expert; Subcontractor from Community Focus

Nicolas Dewar – Senior Interviewer; Subcontractor from Public Policy Collaboration

Controller's Office – The City and County of San Francisco Controller's Office.

CSA – City Services Auditor, a division of the Controller's Office.

CSA Audits – Audit unit of the City Services Auditor division; for this Agreement, the project staff will be:

Mark de la Rosa – Controller's Project Lead, Audit Manager,
Controller's Office

Tonia Lediju – Director of City Audits, Controller's Office

Project – The scope of services to be performed under this Agreement as set forth in this Appendix A – Services to be Provided to Contractor.

3. PROJECT APPROACH

3.1 Project Staffing: The City, in its sole discretion, has the right to approve or disapprove Contractor's personnel, including subcontractor personnel, assigned to perform the services under this Agreement at any time throughout the term of this Agreement.

The City shall have the right to interview and review the qualifications of any new personnel proposed by the Contractor. Any change to Contractor's personnel must be approved in writing by the City at least fourteen (14) days in advance of assignment of such personnel by the Contractor. Such approval by the City shall not be unreasonably withheld.

As applicable, the City hereby approves the use of the subcontractors named herein, as part of the Contractor's Team; provided, however, that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the Contractor shall ultimately bear all responsibility and liability for the performance of all tasks, deliverables, and services under this Agreement. Any changes to Local Business Enterprise subcontractor arrangements, if applicable, must be discussed and approved in advance by both the City's Contract Monitoring Division and Controller's Office.

3.2 Project Roles and Responsibilities: The Contractor's Project Lead shall manage the Contractor's Team to ensure that it completes all work and obligations described in this Agreement.

The Controller's Project Lead will provide oversight of the Project to ensure that the Contractor is meeting staffing, timeline, budget, and work product targets and deliverables described in this Agreement, will approve contract payments in accordance with Appendix B, and provide oversight of all contract administration matters.

3.3 Project Management and Communications: The Project requires effective project management, including, but not limited to the following.

- The Contractor's Team shall schedule and coordinate conference calls/meetings with the Controller's Office Project Lead as deemed necessary by the City. At minimum, the Contractor's Team Project Lead shall participate in each conference call/meeting. As

part of these meetings, the Contractor's Team shall report on its progress (including labor hours, expenses, and deadlines) on Project tasks and deliverables for review, input, decision-making, and approval by the Controller's Office Project Lead.

- Written Project progress reports and updates shall be provided to the Controller's Office Project Lead upon request throughout the term of the Agreement and in accordance with Appendix B to this Agreement.

4. TASKS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor's deliverables shall be professionally organized and presented. The Contractor's Team shall provide the Controller's Office Project/Lead Manager with deliverables in accordance with Appendices A and B.

The deliverables review process may be iterative and may, at the City's discretion, require face to face meetings of the City's and Contractor's Teams prior to the City's final approval of work products and deliverables. The Contractor is responsible for submitting draft materials to the City's Team for review and incorporating City feedback.

The Contractor shall provide the City prompt access to any data or documents relied on, or created by, Contractor in the performance of work for inspection. Upon completion of the project, the Contractor shall provide all final work papers and documentation to the City.

The timely submission of all reports is an essential and material term and condition of this Agreement. The reports, including any copies, shall be submitted on recycled paper and printed on double-sided pages to the maximum extent possible.

4.1 Benchmarking Services

The Contractor shall conduct benchmarking services to identify best practices in community engagement, specifically as they relate to planning the City's general obligation bond programs' construction and capital projects.

The objective of this study is to determine potential cost savings by identifying improvements to the City's current community engagement practices. The Contractor shall (1) describe the City's current policies and practices for engaging communities and soliciting public input; (2) identify and research at least three comparable jurisdictions to determine community engagement best practices; and (3) recommend a set of best practices and a roadmap of strategies and plans for how to implement effective, cost-efficient community engagement.

4.2 Description of Services

Upon commencement of the engagement, the Contractor shall perform the following services:

4.2.1 Task 1: Project Management

The objective of Task 1 is to provide a structure for the benchmark study activities.

- A. The Contractor shall create a project plan that details the tasks and deliverables, provides a project organizational structure describing roles and responsibilities, and

creates a timeline illustrating deliverable due dates and project tasks by start and finish dates.

- B. The Contractor shall facilitate a “kick-off” meeting with the City’s team. Prior to the meeting, the Contractor shall provide the City’s team with the draft agenda and draft project plan to solicit the City team’s input. The Contractor shall develop the final agenda and other materials as required to ensure the following meeting objectives are met:
- Confirmation of the project goals, tasks, deliverables, timeline, and roles and responsibilities of the project participants (project plan).
 - Protocol for project communications.
 - Identification of City resources that may be needed to complete the project successfully, including data requests and assistance in obtaining information.
 - Other topics as needed.
- C. The Contractor shall develop a meeting schedule with tentative meeting dates and times for the duration of the project. For all formal meetings, the Contractor shall prepare and provide agendas, meeting materials (presentation and handouts), and meeting notes. The Contractor shall participate in a minimum of two formal meetings with CGOBOC.
- D. The Contractor shall submit written monthly status reports to the City’s team. The monthly status reports will minimally include the Contractor’s completed and pending tasks, actual and milestone dates, and any performance and completion issues.
- E. The Contractor shall submit a draft survey instrument and a draft list of survey jurisdictions to the City’s team for review and approval. Based on the City’s team’s review, the Contractor shall revise and finalize the survey instrument and the list of survey jurisdictions.
- F. The Contractor shall submit a draft list of potential interviewees (e.g., name and/or organization affiliation) in the approved list of survey jurisdictions, including those involving San Francisco. The list will represent a broad cross-section of stakeholders including government agencies and commissions, non-governmental organizations, neighborhood associations, and others. Based on the City’s team’s review, the Contractor shall revise and finalize the list of interviewees.

TASK 1 DELIVERABLES

Task 1 deliverables may include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Draft and Final project plan.
2. “Kick-off” meeting materials, attendee list and meeting notes.
3. Meeting schedule & agendas, materials, and notes for each meeting.
4. Written monthly status reports. (6)
5. Draft and Final survey instrument and list of survey jurisdictions.
6. Draft and Final list of interviewees, representing a broad cross-section of stakeholders including government agencies and commissions, non-governmental organizations, neighborhood associations, and others.

4.2.2 Task 2: Determine Community Engagement Best Practices

The objective of Task 2 is to identify improvements to the City's current community engagement practices, including strategies for standardizing and streamlining procedures, better measuring outcomes, and potentially reducing costs. This benchmarking study will determine effective and cost-efficient community engagement strategies that the City could implement to ensure quality outcomes, specifically as they relate to the planning and designing of the City's General Obligation Bond Programs' construction and capital projects. The City greatly values citizen input and community engagement, as they are vital components for the City's construction planning and decision making. Determining best practices in community engagement is important to improve City operations and procedures, as well as to ensure the delivery of quality outcomes for all stakeholders.

This Task involves comparing the City's community engagement policies and practices against those of other jurisdictions to identify best practices and opportunities for improvement. The Contractor shall issue a written report that addresses the following key sub-tasks:

- A. **Describe Community Engagement Principles:** The Contractor shall define and describe the concept and practice of community engagement, including the principles and frameworks for effective and cost-efficient community engagement and a definition for what quality outcomes mean within the context of community engagement. The Contractor shall conduct a literature review of relevant research and provide a recommended bibliography, with practical sources prioritized over purely theoretical sources.
- B. **Describe Community Engagement Practices in San Francisco:** The Contractor shall collect relevant information and conduct 25 interviews in San Francisco in order to describe the City's current policies and practices for engaging communities and soliciting public input, specifically as they relate to the City's General Obligation Bond Programs' construction and capital projects. The Contractor shall identify the requirements pertaining to the City's current public input solicitation practices (i.e., relevant codes, laws, mandates, or provisions requiring public input solicitation) as they relate to the City's General Obligation Bond Programs' construction and capital projects. The Contractor shall also describe how the City solicits and processes community input, as well as evaluate the relationship between community input and the City's final decisions. The Contractor shall primarily use the 2008 Clean and Safe Neighborhood Parks Bond Program and secondarily use the 2000 Branch Library Improvement Bond Program as case studies to describe community engagement practices in the City, including lessons learned (e.g., what worked and what didn't work) and cost implications associated with the City's community engagement practices. The Contractor shall map the sequence, dependencies, and timeline for community engagement and shall identify on the map all points of time delays and inefficiencies.
- C. **Identify Community Engagement Best Practices:** The Contractor shall identify and research at least three comparable jurisdictions, with at least two outside the Bay Area and at least one outside California, to determine community engagement best practices. The Contractor shall conduct 8 telephone interviews per jurisdiction, for a total of at least 24 telephone interviews. In identifying comparable jurisdictions,

the Contractor shall consider such factors as population density, governmental structure (e.g., city, county, or city and county), complexity, geography, input from City staff, previous benchmarking efforts by City entities and agencies, and other variables for comparison (e.g., those based on information from entities such as the National League of Cities, National Association of Counties, and/or League of California Cities). The Contractor shall then collect information on and interview representatives from these comparable jurisdictions to identify approaches, techniques and strategies for effective, cost-efficient, and successful community engagement.

- D. **Recommend Community Engagement Strategies and Plans:** Based on the results of its best practices review and survey, the Contractor shall recommend a roadmap of strategies and plans for how to implement effective, cost-efficient community engagement, taking into consideration the City's political, operational, and civic environment. The Contractor shall consider and report on the policy and cost implications within the City context. At a minimum, these recommendations will address the following questions:
- i. What approaches, techniques, and strategies should City departments use in order to effectively and cost efficiently obtain and process community input? In other words, based on lessons learned from the City's and other jurisdictions' community engagement practices, what improvements should the City make in order to better standardize and streamline procedures, better measure outcomes, and potentially reduce costs?
 - ii. What are some potential cost savings associated with implementing these new community engagement strategies in the City?
 - iii. What is the appropriate level of community engagement to ensure quality outcomes?

TASK 2 DELIVERABLES

Task 2 deliverables may include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Draft report, presentation and final reports containing benchmarking results for each of the following,:
 - a. Description of Community Engagement Principles, including a bibliography of literature search
 - b. Description of Community Engagement Practices in San Francisco
 - c. Identification of Community Engagement Best Practices
 - d. Recommendations for Community Engagement Strategies and Plans
2. Presentation materials for use by the City's team and other stakeholder groups.

Appendix B - Calculation of Charges

In accordance with Section 5 of this Agreement, the Contractor's total compensation under this Agreement is detailed below, inclusive of all costs required to complete all work specified in Appendix A. In no event shall the total costs under this Agreement exceed the amount provided in Section 5 of this Agreement.

Project – COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT BENCHMARKING SERVICES

Payment Requests and Insurance Documentation should be sent to:

Controller's Office - CSA Operations
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, City Hall, Rm 388
San Francisco, CA 94102

Payments for Deliverables

- Payments for deliverables will be paid on a "not-to-exceed" basis. "Not-to-exceed" means that the Contractor shall perform its obligations under the Agreement for the amounts listed in the Cost Estimate below even if it is required to expend more than the number of hours listed in the Cost and Work Estimate.
- The Contractor is expected to track actual hours per each deliverable listed in the Cost Estimate below. Payments for deliverables will be based on actual hours. The Not-To-Exceed Deliverable Budget is the maximum amount the City will pay the Contractor for each deliverable. Additional and separate cost reimbursement for expenses will not be provided by the City.
- Partial payments will not be made for deliverables that are not approved by the City or that are not deemed completed by the City.

Payments will be made by City to Contractor within 30 days after the City has received Contractor's payment request, provided that:

1. The City has accepted as satisfactory, in the City's sole and absolute discretion, the services rendered by the Contractor to the City in accordance with this Agreement;
2. A written status report has been provided to the City by Contractor as part of the Contractor's payment request documenting completion of each task in accordance with Appendix A and associated deliverable/task or activity in accordance with the amounts below for which payment is requested (each status report shall be signed by the Controller's Project Lead or Controller's Project Manager indicating his/her agreement with the Contractor's description of completion in the status report);
3. A written summary of the estimated amount of hours per deliverable and the actual amount of hours and actual direct costs per deliverable spent by the Contractor with a summary of subtotals per deliverable and a grand total estimated to actual hours comparison for the Project is provided to the City;
4. Insurance documentation is current in accordance with Section 15 of the Agreement; and
5. Contract Monitoring Division (aka Human Rights Commission) Subcontractor Payment paperwork has been submitted in accordance with Section 33 of the Agreement.

Cost Estimate:

Tasks and Description of Deliverable	Target Completion Date	Estimated Number of Hours to Complete	Not-To-Exceed Deliverable Budget
Task 1: Project Management			
Develop Project Plan (draft & final)	Week 1 & 4	12	2,235
Facilitate Kick-Off Meeting	Week 3	16	2,962
Meeting Schedule & Facilitate up to 6 Project Meetings	Throughout the project	62	11,551
Develop 6 Monthly Status Reports	Monthly	5	943
Develop Survey Instrument	Week 4	16	2,982
Develop Interviewee List	Week 4	12	2,228
Subtotal Task 1		123	22,901
Task 2: Determine Community Engagement Best Practices			
Describe Community Engagement Principles	Week 22	16	3,002
Describe Community Engagement in SF Conduct 25 Interviews in San Francisco	Week 16	70	13,021
Identify Community Engagement Best Practices Research & Identify at least 3 External Jurisdictions	Week 18	21	3,934
Conduct 8 Telephone Interview/Jurisdiction, (24 Total)	Week 18	78	13,917
Recommend Strategies & Plans Draft Report, Draft Presentation	Week 20	73	13,689
Finalize Report & Presentation	Week 24	25	2,740
Subtotal Task 2		283	50,303
Total Professional Services			73,206
Grand Total for Agreement		406	\$73,206