

**CITY OF COSTA MESA  
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT  
WITH  
PSOMAS**

THIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into this 30th day of May, 2019 ("Effective Date"), by and between the CITY OF COSTA MESA, a municipal corporation ("City"), and PSOMAS, a California corporation ("Consultant").

**WITNESSETH:**

A. WHEREAS, City proposes to utilize the services of Consultant as an independent contractor to prepare California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) documentation for the amended Former LA Times Site project located at 1375 Sunflower Avenue, as more fully described herein; and

B. WHEREAS, Consultant represents that it has that degree of specialized expertise contemplated within California Government Code section 37103, and holds all necessary licenses to practice and perform the services herein contemplated; and

C. WHEREAS, City and Consultant desire to contract for the specific services described in Exhibit "A" and desire to set forth their rights, duties and liabilities in connection with the services to be performed; and

D. WHEREAS, no official or employee of City has a financial interest, within the provisions of sections 1090-1092 of the California Government Code, in the subject matter of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions contained herein, the parties hereby agree as follows:

**1.0. SERVICES PROVIDED BY CONSULTANT**

1.1. Scope of Services. Consultant shall provide the professional services described in Consultant's Proposal, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by this reference.

1.2. Professional Practices. All professional services to be provided by Consultant pursuant to this Agreement shall be provided by personnel experienced in their respective fields and in a manner consistent with the standards of care, diligence and skill ordinarily exercised by professional consultants in similar fields and circumstances in accordance with sound professional practices. Consultant also warrants that it is familiar with all laws that may affect its performance of this Agreement and shall advise City of any changes in any laws that may affect Consultant's performance of this Agreement.

1.3. Performance to Satisfaction of City. Consultant agrees to perform all the work to the complete satisfaction of the City and within the hereinafter specified. Evaluations of the work will be done by the City Manager or his or her designee. If the quality of work is not satisfactory, City in its discretion has the right to:

- (a) Meet with Consultant to review the quality of the work and resolve the

matters of concern;

- (b) Require Consultant to repeat the work at no additional fee until it is satisfactory; and/or
- (c) Terminate the Agreement as hereinafter set forth.

1.4. Warranty. Consultant warrants that it shall perform the services required by this Agreement in compliance with all applicable Federal and California employment laws, including, but not limited to, those laws related to minimum hours and wages; occupational health and safety; fair employment and employment practices; workers' compensation insurance and safety in employment; and all other Federal, State and local laws and ordinances applicable to the services required under this Agreement. Consultant shall indemnify and hold harmless City from and against all claims, demands, payments, suits, actions, proceedings, and judgments of every nature and description including attorneys' fees and costs, presented, brought, or recovered against City for, or on account of any liability under any of the above-mentioned laws, which may be incurred by reason of Consultant's performance under this Agreement.

1.5. Non-Discrimination. In performing this Agreement, Consultant shall not engage in, nor permit its agents to engage in, discrimination in employment of persons because of their race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, age, sexual orientation, or military or veteran status, except as permitted pursuant to section 12940 of the Government Code.

1.6. Non-Exclusive Agreement. Consultant acknowledges that City may enter into agreements with other consultants for services similar to the services that are subject to this Agreement or may have its own employees perform services similar to those services contemplated by this Agreement.

1.7. Delegation and Assignment. This is a personal service contract, and the duties set forth herein shall not be delegated or assigned to any person or entity without the prior written consent of City. Consultant may engage a subcontractor(s) as permitted by law and may employ other personnel to perform services contemplated by this Agreement at Consultant's sole cost and expense.

1.8. Confidentiality. Employees of Consultant in the course of their duties may have access to financial, accounting, statistical, and personnel data of private individuals and employees of City. Consultant covenants that all data, documents, discussion, or other information developed or received by Consultant or provided for performance of this Agreement are deemed confidential and shall not be disclosed by Consultant without written authorization by City. City shall grant such authorization if disclosure is required by law. All City data shall be returned to City upon the termination of this Agreement. Consultant's covenant under this Section shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

## **2.0. COMPENSATION AND BILLING**

2.1. Compensation. Consultant shall be paid in accordance with the fee schedule set forth in Exhibit A. Consultant's total compensation shall not exceed Thirty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Five Dollars (\$35,505.00).

2.2. Additional Services. Consultant shall not receive compensation for any services provided outside the scope of services specified in the Consultant's Proposal unless the City Manager or designee, prior to Consultant performing the additional services, approves such additional services in writing. It is specifically understood that oral requests and/or approvals of such additional services or additional compensation shall be barred and are unenforceable.

2.3. Method of Billing. Consultant may submit invoices to the City for approval on a progress basis, but no more often than two times a month. Said invoice shall be based on the total of all Consultant's services which have been completed to City's sole satisfaction. City shall pay Consultant's invoice within forty-five (45) days from the date City receives said invoice. Each invoice shall describe in detail, the services performed, the date of performance, and the associated time for completion. Any additional services approved and performed pursuant to this Agreement shall be designated as "Additional Services" and shall identify the number of the authorized change order, where applicable, on all invoices.

2.4. Records and Audits. Records of Consultant's services relating to this Agreement shall be maintained in accordance with generally recognized accounting principles and shall be made available to City or its Project Manager for inspection and/or audit at mutually convenient times from the Effective Date until three (3) years after termination of this Agreement.

### **3.0. TIME OF PERFORMANCE**

3.1. Commencement and Completion of Work. Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the parties, the professional services to be performed pursuant to this Agreement shall commence within five (5) days from the Effective Date of this Agreement. Said services shall be performed in compliance with the Project Schedule approved by City as set forth in Exhibit A. The Project Schedule may be amended by mutual agreement of the parties. Failure to commence work in a timely manner and/or diligently pursue work to completion may be grounds for termination of this Agreement.

3.2. Excusable Delays. Neither party shall be responsible for delays or lack of performance resulting from acts beyond the reasonable control of the party or parties. Such acts shall include, but not be limited to, acts of God, fire, strikes, material shortages, compliance with laws or regulations, riots, acts of war, or any other conditions beyond the reasonable control of a party.

### **4.0. TERM AND TERMINATION**

4.1. Term. This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and continue for a period of two (2) years, ending on May 29, 2021, unless previously terminated as provided herein or as otherwise agreed to in writing by the parties.

4.2. Notice of Termination. The City reserves and has the right and privilege of canceling, suspending or abandoning the execution of all or any part of the work contemplated by this Agreement, with or without cause, at any time, by providing written notice to Consultant. The termination of this Agreement shall be deemed effective upon receipt of the notice of termination. In the event of such termination, Consultant shall immediately stop rendering services under this Agreement unless directed otherwise by the City.

4.3. Compensation. In the event of termination, City shall pay Consultant for reasonable costs incurred and professional services satisfactorily performed up to and including

the date of City's written notice of termination. Compensation for work in progress shall be prorated based on the percentage of work completed as of the effective date of termination in accordance with the fees set forth herein. In ascertaining the professional services actually rendered hereunder up to the effective date of termination of this Agreement, consideration shall be given to both completed work and work in progress, to complete and incomplete drawings, and to other documents pertaining to the services contemplated herein whether delivered to the City or in the possession of the Consultant.

4.4. Documents. In the event of termination of this Agreement, all documents prepared by Consultant in its performance of this Agreement including, but not limited to, finished or unfinished design, development and construction documents, data studies, drawings, maps and reports, shall be delivered to the City within ten (10) days of delivery of termination notice to Consultant, at no cost to City. Any use of uncompleted documents without specific written authorization from Consultant shall be at City's sole risk and without liability or legal expense to Consultant.

## **5.0. INSURANCE**

5.1. Minimum Scope and Limits of Insurance. Consultant shall obtain, maintain, and keep in full force and effect during the life of this Agreement all of the following minimum scope of insurance coverages with an insurance company admitted to do business in California, rated "A," Class X, or better in the most recent Best's Key Insurance Rating Guide, and approved by City:

- (a) Commercial general liability, including premises-operations, products/completed operations, broad form property damage, blanket contractual liability, independent contractors, personal injury or bodily injury with a policy limit of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), combined single limits, per occurrence. If such insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this Agreement or shall be twice the required occurrence limit.
- (b) Business automobile liability for owned vehicles, hired, and non-owned vehicles, with a policy limit of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), combined single limits, per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.
- (c) Workers' compensation insurance as required by the State of California. Consultant agrees to waive, and to obtain endorsements from its workers' compensation insurer waiving subrogation rights under its workers' compensation insurance policy against the City, its officers, agents, employees, and volunteers arising from work performed by Consultant for the City and to require each of its subcontractors, if any, to do likewise under their workers' compensation insurance policies.
- (d) Professional errors and omissions ("E&O") liability insurance with policy limits of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), combined single limits, per occurrence and aggregate. Architects' and engineers' coverage shall be endorsed to include contractual liability. If the policy is written as a "claims made" policy, the retro date shall be prior to the start of the contract work. Consultant shall obtain and maintain, said E&O liability insurance

during the life of this Agreement and for three years after completion of the work hereunder.

5.2. Endorsements. The commercial general liability insurance policy and business automobile liability policy shall contain or be endorsed to contain the following provisions:

- (a) Additional insureds: "The City of Costa Mesa and its elected and appointed boards, officers, officials, agents, employees, and volunteers are additional insureds with respect to: liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of the Consultant pursuant to its contract with the City; products and completed operations of the Consultant; premises owned, occupied or used by the Consultant; automobiles owned, leased, hired, or borrowed by the Consultant."
- (b) Notice: "Said policy shall not terminate, be suspended, or voided, nor shall it be cancelled, nor the coverage or limits reduced, until thirty (30) days after written notice is given to City."
- (c) Other insurance: "The Consultant's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the City of Costa Mesa, its officers, officials, agents, employees, and volunteers. Any other insurance maintained by the City of Costa Mesa shall be excess and not contributing with the insurance provided by this policy."
- (d) Any failure to comply with the reporting provisions of the policies shall not affect coverage provided to the City of Costa Mesa, its officers, officials, agents, employees, and volunteers.
- (e) The Consultant's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.

5.3. Deductible or Self Insured Retention. If any of such policies provide for a deductible or self-insured retention to provide such coverage, the amount of such deductible or self-insured retention shall be approved in advance by City. No policy of insurance issued as to which the City is an additional insured shall contain a provision which requires that no insured except the named insured can satisfy any such deductible or self-insured retention.

5.4. Certificates of Insurance. Consultant shall provide to City certificates of insurance showing the insurance coverages and required endorsements described above, in a form and content approved by City, prior to performing any services under this Agreement. The certificates of insurance shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "B" and incorporated herein by this reference.

5.5. Non-Limiting. Nothing in this Section shall be construed as limiting in any way, the indemnification provision contained in this Agreement, or the extent to which Consultant may be held responsible for payments of damages to persons or property.

## 6.0. GENERAL PROVISIONS

6.1. Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to any matter referenced herein and supersedes any and all other prior

writings and oral negotiations. This Agreement may be modified only in writing, and signed by the parties in interest at the time of such modification. The terms of this Agreement shall prevail over any inconsistent provision in any other contract document appurtenant hereto, including exhibits to this Agreement.

6.2. Representatives. The City Manager or his or her designee shall be the representative of City for purposes of this Agreement and may issue all consents, approvals, directives and agreements on behalf of the City, called for by this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement.

Consultant shall designate a representative for purposes of this Agreement who shall be authorized to issue all consents, approvals, directives and agreements on behalf of Consultant called for by this Agreement, except as otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement.

6.3. Project Managers. City shall designate a Project Manager to work directly with Consultant in the performance of this Agreement.

Consultant shall designate a Project Manager who shall represent it and be its agent in all consultations with City during the term of this Agreement. Consultant or its Project Manager shall attend and assist in all coordination meetings called by City.

6.4. Notices. Any notices, documents, correspondence or other communications concerning this Agreement or the work hereunder may be provided by personal delivery or mail and shall be addressed as set forth below. Such communication shall be deemed served or delivered: (a) at the time of delivery if such communication is sent by personal delivery, and (b) 48 hours after deposit in the U.S. Mail as reflected by the official U.S. postmark if such communication is sent through regular United States mail.

IF TO CONSULTANT:

PSOMAS  
3 Hutton Center Drive, Suite 200  
Santa Ana, CA 92707  
Tel: (714) 481-8041  
Attn: Jennifer Marks

IF TO CITY:

City of Costa Mesa  
77 Fair Drive  
Costa Mesa, CA 92626  
Tel: (714) 754-5611  
Attn: Mel Lee

Courtesy copy to:

City of Costa Mesa  
77 Fair Drive  
Costa Mesa, CA 92626  
Attn: Finance Dept. | Purchasing

6.5. Drug-Free Workplace Policy. Consultant shall provide a drug-free workplace by complying with all provisions set forth in City's Council Policy 100-5, attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference. Consultant's failure to conform to the requirements set forth in Council Policy 100-5 shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement and shall be cause for immediate termination of this Agreement by City.

6.6. Attorneys' Fees. In the event that litigation is brought by any party in connection with this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the opposing party all costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, incurred by the prevailing party in the exercise of any of its rights or remedies hereunder or the enforcement of any of the terms, conditions, or provisions hereof.

6.7. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of California without giving effect to that body of laws pertaining to conflict of laws. In the event of any legal action to enforce or interpret this Agreement, the parties hereto agree that the sole and exclusive venue shall be a court of competent jurisdiction located in Orange County, California.

6.8. Assignment. Consultant shall not voluntarily or by operation of law assign, transfer, sublet or encumber all or any part of Consultant's interest in this Agreement without City's prior written consent. Any attempted assignment, transfer, subletting or encumbrance shall be void and shall constitute a breach of this Agreement and cause for termination of this Agreement. Regardless of City's consent, no subletting or assignment shall release Consultant of Consultant's obligation to perform all other obligations to be performed by Consultant hereunder for the term of this Agreement.

6.9. Indemnification and Hold Harmless. Consultant agrees to defend, indemnify, hold free and harmless the City, its elected officials, officers, agents and employees, at Consultant's sole expense, from and against any and all claims, actions, suits or other legal proceedings brought against the City, its elected officials, officers, agents and employees arising out of the performance of the Consultant, its employees, and/or authorized subcontractors, of the work undertaken pursuant to this Agreement. The defense obligation provided for hereunder shall apply without any advance showing of negligence or wrongdoing by the Consultant, its employees, and/or authorized subcontractors, but shall be required whenever any claim, action, complaint, or suit asserts as its basis the negligence, errors, omissions or misconduct of the Consultant, its employees, and/or authorized subcontractors, and/or whenever any claim, action, complaint or suit asserts liability against the City, its elected officials, officers, agents and employees based upon the work performed by the Consultant, its employees, and/or authorized subcontractors under this Agreement, whether or not the Consultant, its employees, and/or authorized subcontractors are specifically named or otherwise asserted to be liable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Consultant shall not be liable for the defense or indemnification of the City for claims, actions, complaints or suits arising out of the sole active negligence or willful misconduct of the City. This provision shall supersede and replace all other indemnity provisions contained either in the City's specifications or Consultant's Proposal, which shall be of no force and effect.

6.10. Independent Contractor. Consultant is and shall be acting at all times as an independent contractor and not as an employee of City. Consultant shall have no power to incur any debt, obligation, or liability on behalf of City or otherwise act on behalf of City as an agent. Neither City nor any of its agents shall have control over the conduct of Consultant or any of Consultant's employees, except as set forth in this Agreement. Consultant shall not, at any time, or in any manner, represent that it or any of its agents or employees are in any manner agents or employees of City. Consultant shall secure, at its sole expense, and be responsible for any and all payment of Income Tax, Social Security, State Disability Insurance Compensation, Unemployment Compensation, and other payroll deductions for Consultant and its officers, agents, and employees, and all business licenses, if any are required, in connection with the services to be performed hereunder. Consultant shall indemnify and hold City harmless from any

and all taxes, assessments, penalties, and interest asserted against City by reason of the independent contractor relationship created by this Agreement. Consultant further agrees to indemnify and hold City harmless from any failure of Consultant to comply with the applicable worker's compensation laws. City shall have the right to offset against the amount of any fees due to Consultant under this Agreement any amount due to City from Consultant as a result of Consultant's failure to promptly pay to City any reimbursement or indemnification arising under this paragraph.

6.11. PERS Eligibility Indemnification. In the event that Consultant or any employee, agent, or subcontractor of Consultant providing services under this Agreement claims or is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction or the California Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) to be eligible for enrollment in PERS as an employee of the City, Consultant shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless City for the payment of any employee and/or employer contributions for PERS benefits on behalf of Consultant or its employees, agents, or subcontractors, as well as for the payment of any penalties and interest on such contributions, which would otherwise be the responsibility of City.

Notwithstanding any other agency, state or federal policy, rule, regulation, law or ordinance to the contrary, Consultant and any of its employees, agents, and subcontractors providing service under this Agreement shall not qualify for or become entitled to, and hereby agree to waive any claims to, any compensation, benefit, or any incident of employment by City, including but not limited to eligibility to enroll in PERS as an employee of City and entitlement to any contribution to be paid by City for employer contribution and/or employee contributions for PERS benefits.

6.12. Cooperation. In the event any claim or action is brought against City relating to Consultant's performance or services rendered under this Agreement, Consultant shall render any reasonable assistance and cooperation which City might require.

6.13. Ownership of Documents. All findings, reports, documents, information and data including, but not limited to, computer tapes or discs, files and tapes furnished or prepared by Consultant or any of its subcontractors in the course of performance of this Agreement, shall be and remain the sole property of City. Consultant agrees that any such documents or information shall not be made available to any individual or organization without the prior consent of City. Any use of such documents for other projects not contemplated by this Agreement, and any use of incomplete documents, shall be at the sole risk of City and without liability or legal exposure to Consultant. City shall indemnify and hold harmless Consultant from all claims, damages, losses, and expenses, including attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from City's use of such documents for other projects not contemplated by this Agreement or use of incomplete documents furnished by Consultant. Consultant shall deliver to City any findings, reports, documents, information, data, in any form, including but not limited to, computer tapes, discs, files audio tapes or any other related items as requested by City or its authorized representative, at no additional cost to the City.

6.14. Public Records Act Disclosure. Consultant has been advised and is aware that this Agreement and all reports, documents, information and data, including, but not limited to, computer tapes, discs or files furnished or prepared by Consultant, or any of its subcontractors, pursuant to this Agreement and provided to City may be subject to public disclosure as required by the California Public Records Act (California Government Code section 6250 *et seq.*). Exceptions to public disclosure may be those documents or information that qualify as trade secrets, as that term is defined in the California Government Code section 6254.7, and of which

Consultant informs City of such trade secret. The City will endeavor to maintain as confidential all information obtained by it that is designated as a trade secret. The City shall not, in any way, be liable or responsible for the disclosure of any trade secret including, without limitation, those records so marked if disclosure is deemed to be required by law or by order of the Court.

6.15. Conflict of Interest. Consultant and its officers, employees, associates and subconsultants, if any, will comply with all conflict of interest statutes of the State of California applicable to Consultant's services under this agreement, including, but not limited to, the Political Reform Act (Government Code sections 81000, *et seq.*) and Government Code section 1090. During the term of this Agreement, Consultant and its officers, employees, associates and subconsultants shall not, without the prior written approval of the City Representative, perform work for another person or entity for whom Consultant is not currently performing work that would require Consultant or one of its officers, employees, associates or subconsultants to abstain from a decision under this Agreement pursuant to a conflict of interest statute.

6.16. Responsibility for Errors. Consultant shall be responsible for its work and results under this Agreement. Consultant, when requested, shall furnish clarification and/or explanation as may be required by the City's representative, regarding any services rendered under this Agreement at no additional cost to City. In the event that an error or omission attributable to Consultant occurs, then Consultant shall, at no cost to City, provide all necessary design drawings, estimates and other Consultant professional services necessary to rectify and correct the matter to the sole satisfaction of City and to participate in any meeting required with regard to the correction.

6.17. Prohibited Employment. Consultant will not employ any regular employee of City while this Agreement is in effect.

6.18. Order of Precedence. In the event of an inconsistency in this Agreement and any of the attached Exhibits, the terms set forth in this Agreement shall prevail. If, and to the extent this Agreement incorporates by reference any provision of any document, such provision shall be deemed a part of this Agreement. Nevertheless, if there is any conflict among the terms and conditions of this Agreement and those of any such provision or provisions so incorporated by reference, this Agreement shall govern over the document referenced.

6.19. Costs. Each party shall bear its own costs and fees incurred in the preparation and negotiation of this Agreement and in the performance of its obligations hereunder except as expressly provided herein.

6.20. No Third Party Beneficiary Rights. This Agreement is entered into for the sole benefit of City and Consultant and no other parties are intended to be direct or incidental beneficiaries of this Agreement and no third party shall have any right in, under or to this Agreement.

6.21. Headings. Paragraphs and subparagraph headings contained in this Agreement are included solely for convenience and are not intended to modify, explain or to be a full or accurate description of the content thereof and shall not in any way affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

6.22. Construction. The parties have participated jointly in the negotiation and drafting of this Agreement. In the event an ambiguity or question of intent or interpretation arises with respect to this Agreement, this Agreement shall be construed as if drafted jointly by the parties

and in accordance with its fair meaning. There shall be no presumption or burden of proof favoring or disfavoring any party by virtue of the authorship of any of the provisions of this Agreement.

6.23. Amendments. Only a writing executed by the parties hereto or their respective successors and assigns may amend this Agreement.

6.24. Waiver. The delay or failure of either party at any time to require performance or compliance by the other of any of its obligations or agreements shall in no way be deemed a waiver of those rights to require such performance or compliance. No waiver of any provision of this Agreement shall be effective unless in writing and signed by a duly authorized representative of the party against whom enforcement of a waiver is sought. The waiver of any right or remedy in respect to any occurrence or event shall not be deemed a waiver of any right or remedy in respect to any other occurrence or event, nor shall any waiver constitute a continuing waiver.

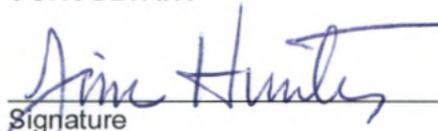
6.25. Severability. If any provision of this Agreement is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable in any circumstance, such determination shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions hereof or of the offending provision in any other circumstance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the value of this Agreement, based upon the substantial benefit of the bargain for any party, is materially impaired, which determination made by the presiding court or arbitrator of competent jurisdiction shall be binding, then both parties agree to substitute such provision(s) through good faith negotiations.

6.26. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original. All counterparts shall be construed together and shall constitute one agreement.

6.27. Corporate Authority. The persons executing this Agreement on behalf of the parties hereto warrant that they are duly authorized to execute this Agreement on behalf of said parties and that by doing so the parties hereto are formally bound to the provisions of this Agreement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by and through their respective authorized officers, as of the date first above written.

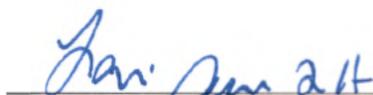
**CONSULTANT**

  
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Signature  
Jim Hunter, ENV SP, Vice President  
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[Name and Title]

Date: 06/25/19

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Social Security or Taxpayer ID Number

**CITY OF COSTA MESA**

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Tamara Letourneau *LORI ANN FARRELL HARRISON*  
Acting City Manager

Date: 7/4/19

ATTEST:



Brenda Green 7/19/19  
Brenda Green  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

[Signature]  
Kimberly Hall Barlow  
City Attorney

Date: 7/9/19

APPROVED AS TO INSURANCE:

[Signature]  
Ruth Wang  
Risk Management

Date: 6/27/19

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

[Signature]  
Mel Lee  
Project Manager

Date: 6/26/19

DEPARTMENTAL APPROVAL:

[Signature]  
Barry Curtis  
Economic and Development Services  
Director

Date: 6.26.19

APPROVED AS TO PURCHASING:

[Signature]  
Kelly Telford  
Finance Director

Date: 7/1/19

**EXHIBIT A**  
**CONSULTANT'S PROPOSAL**

May 1, 2019

Mel Lee  
City of Costa Mesa  
77 Fair Drive  
Costa Mesa, California 92626

**VIA EMAIL**  
**Mel.Lee@costamesaca.gov**

Subject: Proposal to Prepare California Environmental Quality Act Documentation for the Amended Former LA Times Site Project

Dear Mr. Lee:

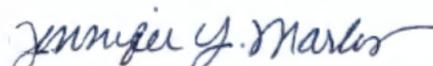
Psomas is pleased to provide you with this proposal to prepare required California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) documentation for the Amended Former LA Times Site Project. Based on our review of the information provided on the amended project, we recommend that an Addendum to the previously adopted *Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration Preliminary Master Plan for Former LA Times Site (PA-17-030) (1375 Sunflower Ave., 1376 South Coast Dr., and 3370 Harbor Blvd.)* (Former LA Times Site IS/MND) would be the appropriate CEQA document for the project. Psomas prepared the previously adopted LA Times Site IS/MND in 2017, giving us an ability to efficiently compare the amended project to that evaluated in the adopted IS/MND, providing the City with an accurate and legally-defensible document. We have included a preliminary Scope of Work, Fee Estimate, and Project Schedule (Attachments A through C) for your consideration.

We appreciate the opportunity to work with the City and value our relationship with you. Please feel free to contact Jennifer Marks at 714.481.8041 if you have any questions or if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

**PSOMAS**

  
Jim Hunter, ENV SP  
Vice President

  
Jennifer Y. Marks  
Senior Project Manager

Attachments: A – Scope of Work  
B – Fee Estimate  
C – Estimated Project Schedule

## **ATTACHMENT A**

### **SCOPE OF WORK ADDENDUM TO FORMER LA TIMES SITE IS/MND AMENDED MASTER PLAN FOR FORMER LA TIMES SITE PROJECT**

**May 1, 2019**

#### **PROJECT UNDERSTANDING**

On August 15, 2018, the City of Costa Mesa (City) approved the Preliminary Master Plan for Former LA Times Site Project and adopted the *Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration Preliminary Master Plan for Former LA Times Site (PA-17-030) (1375 Sunflower Ave., 1376 South Coast Dr., and 3370 Harbor Blvd.)* (Former LA Times Site IS/MND). The approved project involves:

- 1) Reuse of the existing 339,063 square-foot (sf) LA Times building as 335,000 sf of usable space,
- 2) Construction of an additional 315,000 sf of office uses in 2 separate buildings (190,000 sf and 125,000 sf, respectively), and
- 3) Construction of 3 multi-story parking structures and on-site surface parking areas totaling 2,788 parking spaces.

The 2017 Former LA Times Site IS/MND evaluated the Master Plan based on development in three separate phases and found that, after incorporation of the recommended mitigation measures, potentially significant environmental impacts would be eliminated or reduced to a level considered less than significant.

Based on initial review of the proposed Master Plan amendment, the amended project would involve a reduction in office development over the three development phases. Due to the reduction in development and based on the assumption that the amended project could be designed to avoid any new potential environmental impacts, Psomas proposes to prepare an Addendum to the Former LA Times Site IS/MND to evaluate the proposed changes to the approved Master Plan. Should it be determined that new or greater impacts beyond those identified in Former LA Times Site IS/MND would occur (through additional review of available information or based on analysis of the amended project), this Scope of Work (SOW) would need to be revised.

#### **SCOPE OF WORK**

##### **TASK 1 TECHNICAL STUDY PEER REVIEW**

The Project Applicant is currently preparing a revised traffic study for the amended project. As part of this SOW, a Professional Engineer will review the study for technical accuracy. Psomas will prepare a peer review memorandum detailing the findings of this review process. This SOW assumes five hours for technical review and preparation of the peer review memorandum.

Additionally, this study will be reviewed by the Psomas Project Manager to ensure adequacy in addressing California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requirements. Any comments or suggested revisions will be included in the peer review memorandum identified above. The Project Manager's review is estimated to require an additional four hours.

## **TASK 2      PREPARATION OF THE ADDENDUM**

Psomas will prepare an Addendum to the Former LA Times Site IS/MND (Addendum) pursuant to Section 15164 of the State CEQA Guidelines. Psomas will work with the City to draft a project description that includes the project's background and any discretionary approvals.

The Addendum will be based on the CEQA Environmental Checklist Form and will address each of the environmental issues included in Former LA Times Site IS/MND. This analysis will largely be qualitative in nature and will be based on existing data and information contained in the Former LA Times Site IS/MND and its supporting documentation. Any changes in existing conditions or applicable regulations and policies since the publication of the Former LA Times Site IS/MND will be identified. Each mitigation measure from the Former LA Times Site IS/MND will be reviewed and modified, as appropriate, to determine its relevance to the amended project. While the majority of the analysis will be qualitative, additional project-specific analysis will be required for certain topical issues based on the modifications proposed. Following is the SOW for these tasks.

- **Air Quality and Greenhouse Gas Emissions.** Psomas will conduct a quantitative analysis for air quality and greenhouse gas emissions using the California Emission Estimator Model (CalEEMod). Psomas will analyze the proposed project's air quality impacts, addressing the issues described in Appendix G of the State CEQA Guidelines and in accordance with significance criteria established by the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD). Potential criteria pollutant impacts to local receptors during the construction phase of the project will be assessed using the SCAQMD Localized Significance Thresholds method. It is assumed that the net change in trip generation and vehicle miles traveled would not exceed the assumptions in the Former LA Times Site IS/MND; therefore, a quantitative analysis of operational emissions is not included in this SOW. The air quality analysis will include qualitative discussions of toxic air pollutant impacts from construction equipment diesel particulate emissions and from odors. The analysis will also discuss the project's consistency with the applicable air quality management plans.
- **Noise.** Psomas will review and compare the traffic analyses prepared for the Former LA Times Site IS/MND to the traffic analysis prepared for amended project and update the off-site and on-site traffic noise impacts data as appropriate. It is assumed that a brief qualitative discussion of the comparison will confirm that no changes in construction noise, on-site operational noise, or vibration impacts would occur.
- **Hazardous Materials.** Due to the age of the previous hazardous materials database search (prepared over one year ago), Psomas will contract with Environmental Data Resources, Inc. (EDR) to prepare an EDR Radius Map database search of federal, State, local, tribal, and other databases for listed hazardous materials sites on the project site or within the surrounding area. The findings of this records search will be summarized in the Addendum, as appropriate.

Additionally, Psomas will summarize any technical reports prepared by others for the amended project, including the revised traffic study as described above. This SOW assumes that the City or Project Applicant will provide sufficient information related to utilities and service systems in order to address the project impacts consistent with the CEQA checklist questions. Should it be determined that the proposed project would change the development footprint or include additional excavation not previously evaluated as part of the Former LA Times Site IS/MND, additional technical information regarding potential impacts related to geology/soils and hydrology and water quality will be required from the City and/or Project Applicant.

To the extent the analyses are applicable to the amended project, Psomas will use the previous analyses as a basis for this Addendum.

**TASK 3 REVISION OF THE ADDENDUM**

The draft Addendum will be initially submitted to the City for a two-week review. Psomas will revise the document according to City comments and resubmit the document for a second two-week City review. This SOW assumes two draft versions of the Addendum (first and second drafts) and one final version will be submitted. Psomas assumes that the City will coordinate the Project Applicant review based on established City processes. It is also assumed that revisions to the second draft Addendum would be minor and editorial in nature. The two draft versions will be submitted electronically and the final version will be provided both electronically and as a print copy, if requested by the City. This scope assumes reproduction of up to 10 print copies of the Addendum with technical studies included on CD.

**TASK 4 MITIGATION MONITORING PROGRAM AND NOTICE OF DETERMINATION**

Psomas will prepare a Mitigation Monitoring Program (MMP) based on the mitigation measures included in the Addendum. This MMP will be prepared using the City's desired format.

Following approval of the Addendum, Psomas will prepare the Notice of Determination (NOD) to be filed with the County Clerk. At the request of the City, Psomas will also file the NOD with the State Clearinghouse, along with evidence of payment of the County filing fee and the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) fee associated with the Former LA Times Site IS/MND.

**TASK 5 MEETINGS AND GENERAL PROJECT MANAGEMENT**

This SOW assumes attendance by the Senior Project Manager at up to two coordination meetings and two public meetings. All meeting time will be invoiced on a time and materials basis (as with all project tasks). Psomas will maintain regular communication with the City throughout the environmental process and is available for consultation regarding project design if necessary. All communication will be conducted through the City's designated planner unless otherwise directed.

**OPTIONAL TASK PUBLIC REVIEW**

Although an Addendum is not required to be circulated for public review, the City has previously elected to circulate addenda for a 15-day public review period. At the City's request, Psomas will prepare a public notice for inclusion with the Addendum and will distribute up to 50 CD copies to a distribution list to be provided by the City. At the end of the 15-day public review period, Psomas will review any comments received and prepare a Response to Comments document addressing all substantive comments related to the CEQA documentation. Up to 10 CDs containing the Addendum and the Response to Comments will be submitted to the City for use by City staff, the Planning Commission, and/or City Council. Psomas will also provide one printed copy of the Addendum and Response to Comments to the City.

**ATTACHMENT B**

**FEE ESTIMATE  
ADDENDUM TO FORMER LA TIMES SITE IS/MND  
AMENDED MASTER PLAN FOR FORMER LA TIMES SITE PROJECT**

**May 1, 2019**

**Professional Fees**

Task 1: Technical Study Peer Review	\$1,450.00
Task 2: Preparation of the Addendum (first draft)	\$21,810.00
Task 3: Revision of the Addendum (second draft and final version)	\$5,990.00
Task 4: Mitigation Monitoring Program and Notice of Determination	\$765.00
Task 5: Meetings and General Project Management	<u>\$4,340.00</u>
<i>Subtotal Professional Fees</i>	<i>\$34,355.00</i>

**Direct Expenses**

Reproduction of documents	\$500.00
Deliveries	\$300.00
Mileage	\$150.00
EDR Report (Hazardous Materials)	<u>\$200.00</u>
<i>Subtotal Direct Expenses</i>	<i>\$1,150.00</i>
<b><i>TOTAL ESTIMATED FEE</i></b>	<b><i>\$35,505.00</i></b>

Optional Task: Public Review \$6,550.00

**ATTACHMENT C**

**ESTIMATED PROJECT SCHEDULE  
ADDENDUM TO FORMER LA TIMES SITE IS/MND  
AMENDED MASTER PLAN FOR FORMER LA TIMES SITE PROJECT**

**May 1, 2019**

**Professional Fees**

Technical Study Peer Review	Weeks 1–2
Preparation of the First Draft Addendum	Weeks 1–3
City Review of First Draft Addendum	Weeks 4–5
Revision of the Second Draft Addendum	Week 6
City Review of Second Draft Addendum	Weeks 7–8
Preparation of Addendum for Public Review	Week 9
Public Review (if required by City)	Weeks 10–11
Prepare Response Memorandum and Mitigation Monitoring Program	Weeks 11–12
Planning Commission and City Council Meetings	To be determined

**EXHIBIT B**  
**CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE**



## DESCRIPTIONS (Continued from Page 1)

required by written contract & allowed by law. Should any of the above described policies be cancelled by the issuing insurer before the expiration date thereof, 30 days' written notice (except 10 days for nonpayment of premium) will be provided to the Certificate Holder named below.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**ADDITIONAL INSURED - OWNERS, LESSEES OR CONTRACTORS - SCHEDULED PERSON OR ORGANIZATION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s)	Location(s) Of Covered Operations
ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION WHOM YOU BECOME OBLIGATED TO INCLUDE AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED AS A RESULT OF ANY CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT YOU HAVE ENTERED INTO.	PER THE CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT.
Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.	

A. Section II - Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:

1. Your acts or omissions; or
2. The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

in the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured(s) at the location(s) designated above.

However:

1. The insurance afforded to such additional insured only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
2. If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the insurance afforded to such additional insured will not be broader than

that which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

B. With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring after:

1. All work, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work, on the project (other than service, maintenance or repairs) to be performed by or on behalf of the additional insured(s) at the location of the covered operations has been completed; or
2. That portion of "your work" out of which the injury or damage arises has been put to its intended use by any person or organization other than another contractor or subcontractor engaged in performing operations for a principal as a part of the same project.

C. With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following is added to **Section III - Limits Of Insurance:**

If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the most we will pay on behalf of the additional insured is the amount of insurance:

1. Required by the contract or agreement; or

2. Available under the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations;

whichever is less.

This endorsement shall not increase the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**ADDITIONAL INSURED - OWNERS, LESSEES OR CONTRACTORS - COMPLETED OPERATIONS**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART  
PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s)	Location And Description Of Completed Operations
<p><del>ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION WHO YOU BECOME OBLIGATED TO INCLUDE AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED AS A RESULT OF ANY CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT YOU HAVE ENTERED INTO</del></p> <p><del>_____</del></p> <p><del>_____</del></p> <p><del>_____</del></p>	<p>PER THE CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT</p>
<p>Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.</p>	

A. Section II - Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused, in whole or in part, by "your work" at the location designated and described in the Schedule of this endorsement performed for that additional insured and included in the "products-completed operations hazard".

However:

1. The insurance afforded to such additional insured only applies to the extent permitted by law; and
2. If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the insurance afforded to such additional insured will not be broader than that

which you are required by the contract or agreement to provide for such additional insured.

B. With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following is added to Section III - Limits Of Insurance:

If coverage provided to the additional insured is required by a contract or agreement, the most we will pay on behalf of the additional insured is the amount of insurance:

1. Required by the contract or agreement; or
  2. Available under the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations;
- whichever is less.

This endorsement shall not increase the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

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**ENDORSEMENT**

This endorsement, effective 12:01 A.M. 04/01/2019 forms a part of

policy No. 4489706 issued to Psomas

by NATIONAL UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, PA

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**ADDITIONAL INSURED - WHERE REQUIRED UNDER CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT**

*This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:*

BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM

**SCHEDULE**

**ADDITIONAL INSURED:**

ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION FOR WHOM YOU ARE CONTRACTUALLY BOUND TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS BUT ONLY TO THE EXTENT OF SUCH PERSON OR ORGANIZATIONS LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF THE USE OF A COVERED AUTO.

**I. SECTION II - LIABILITY COVERAGE, A. Coverage, 1. - Who Is Insured, is amended to add:**

d. Any person or organization, shown in the schedule above, to whom you become obligated to include as an additional insured under this policy, as a result of any contract or agreement you enter into which requires you to furnish insurance to that person or organization of the type provided by this policy, but only with respect to liability arising out of use of a covered "auto". However, the insurance provided will not exceed the lesser of:

- (1) The coverage and/or limits of this policy, or
- (2) The coverage and/or limits required by said contract or agreement.

  
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Authorized Representative or  
Countersignature (in States Where  
Applicable)

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**INSURANCE PRIMARY AS TO CERTAIN ADDITIONAL INSURED**

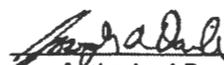
*This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:*

**BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM**

**Section IV - Business Auto Conditions, B., General Conditions, 5., Other Insurance, c.,** is amended by the addition of the following sentence:

The insurance afforded under this policy to an additional insured will apply as primary insurance for such additional insured where so required under an agreement executed prior to the date of accident. We will not ask any insurer that has issued other insurance to such additional insured to contribute to the settlement of loss arising out of such accident.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

  
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Authorized Representative or  
Countersignature (in States Where  
Applicable)

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

## PRIMARY AND NONCONTRIBUTORY - OTHER INSURANCE CONDITION

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART  
PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

The following is added to the **Other Insurance Condition** and supersedes any provision to the contrary:

**Primary And Noncontributory Insurance**

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured under your

policy provided that:

- (1) The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and
- (2) You have agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance would be primary and would not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)  
5/15/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

**IMPORTANT:** If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

<b>PRODUCER</b> Dealey, Renton & Associates Lic. #0020739 600 Anton Blvd., Suite 100 Costa Mesa CA 92626	<b>CONTACT NAME:</b> PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 714-427-6810      FAX (A/C, No): 714-427-6818 E-MAIL ADDRESS: certificates@dealeyrenton.com	
	<b>INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE</b> INSURER A : XL Specialty Insurance Co.	<b>NAIC #</b> 37885
<b>INSURED</b> PSOMAS PSOMAS 555 South Flower Street, Suite 4300 Los Angeles CA 90071	<b>INSURER B :</b>	
	<b>INSURER C :</b>	
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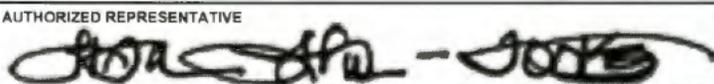
**COVERAGES**      **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 1139826190      **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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							PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
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							E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$
							E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$
A	Professional Liability Claims Made			DPR9932582	10/15/2018	10/15/2019	Per Claim Annual Aggregate	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)  
3COS010300 - CEQA-Former LA Times Project

**CERTIFICATE HOLDER**      **CANCELLATION 30 Day Notice of Cancellation**

City of Costa Mesa Attn: Silvia Kennerson 77 Fair Drive Costa Mesa CA 92626	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 

This endorsement, effective 12:01 a.m., 10/15/2018 forms a part of  
Policy No. DPR9932582  
Issued to PSOMAS  
by XL Specialty Insurance Company.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**POLICY CANCELLATION – NOTICE TO DESIGNATED ENTITIES**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

PROFESSIONAL, ENVIRONMENTAL AND NETWORK SECURITY LIABILITY POLICY – ARCHITECTS,  
CONSULTANTS AND ENGINEERS

Section XI. OTHER CONDITIONS, Paragraph A. Cancellation is amended by the addition of the following:

In the event that the Company cancels this Policy for any statutorily permitted reason other than non-payment of premium, the Company agrees to provide thirty (30) days' notice of cancellation of this Policy to any entity with whom the NAMED INSURED agreed in a written contract or agreement would be provided with notice of cancellation of this Policy, provided that:

1. The Company receives, at least fifteen (15) days prior to the date of cancellation, a written request from the NAMED INSURED to provide notice of cancellation to entities designated by the NAMED INSURED to receive such notice and;
2. The written request includes the name and address of each person or entity designated by the NAMED INSURED to receive such notice.

This endorsement does not apply to non-renewal of the Policy, cancellation at the INSURED'S request, or to cancellation of the Policy for non-payment of premium to the Company or to a premium finance company authorized to cancel the Policy. Furthermore, nothing contained in this endorsement shall be construed to provide any rights under the Policy to the entities receiving notice of cancellation pursuant to this endorsement, nor shall this endorsement amend or alter the effective date of cancellation stated in the cancellation notice issued to the NAMED INSURED.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy remain unchanged.

**EXHIBIT C**

**CITY COUNCIL POLICY 100-5**

## CITY OF COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA

### COUNCIL POLICY

SUBJECT	POLICY NUMBER	EFFECTIVE DATE	PAGE
DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE	100-5	8-8-89	1 of 3

#### BACKGROUND

Under the Federal Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, passed as part of omnibus drug legislation enacted November 18, 1988, contractors and grantees of Federal funds must certify that they will provide drug-free workplaces. At the present time, the City of Costa Mesa, as a sub-grantee of Federal funds under a variety of programs, is required to abide by this Act. The City Council has expressed its support of the national effort to eradicate drug abuse through the creation of a Substance Abuse Committee, institution of a City-wide D.A.R.E. program in all local schools and other activities in support of a drug-free community. This policy is intended to extend that effort to contractors and grantees of the City of Costa Mesa in the elimination of dangerous drugs in the workplace.

#### PURPOSE

It is the purpose of this Policy to:

1. Clearly state the City of Costa Mesa's commitment to a drug-free society.
2. Set forth guidelines to ensure that public, private, and nonprofit organizations receiving funds from the City of Costa Mesa share the commitment to a drug-free workplace.

#### POLICY

The City Manager, under direction by the City Council, shall take the necessary steps to see that the following provisions are included in all contracts and agreements entered into by the City of Costa Mesa involving the disbursement of funds.

1. Contractor or Sub-grantee hereby certifies that it will provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in Contractor's and/or sub-grantee's workplace, specifically the job site or location included in this contract, and specifying the actions that will be taken against the employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - B. Establishing a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about:

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1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  2. Contractor's and/or sub-grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and
  4. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;
- C. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the contract be given a copy of the statement required by subparagraph A;
- D. Notifying the employee in the statement required by subparagraph 1 A that, as a condition of employment under the contract, the employee will:
1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  2. Notify the employer of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction;
- E. Notifying the City of Costa Mesa within ten (10) days after receiving notice under subparagraph 1 D 2 from an employee or otherwise receiving the actual notice of such conviction;
- F. Taking one of the following actions within thirty (30) days of receiving notice under subparagraph 1 D 2 with respect to an employee who is so convicted:
1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health agency, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

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- G. Making a good faith effort to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of subparagraphs 1 A through 1 F, inclusive.
2. Contractor and/or sub-grantee shall be deemed to be in violation of this Policy if the City of Costa Mesa determines that:
    - a. Contractor and/or sub-grantee has made a false certification under paragraph 1 above;
    - b. Contractor and/or sub-grantee has violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements of subparagraphs 1 A through 1 G above;
    - c. Such number of employees of Contractor and/or sub-grantee have been convicted of violations of criminal drug statutes for violations occurring in the workplace as to indicate that the contractor and/or sub-grantee has failed to make a good faith effort to provide a drug-free workplace.
  3. Should any contractor and/or sub-grantee be deemed to be in violation of this Policy pursuant to the provisions of 2 A, B, and C, a suspension, termination or debarment proceeding subject to applicable Federal, State, and local laws shall be conducted. Upon issuance of any final decision under this section requiring debarment of a contractor and/or sub-grantee, the contractor and/or sub-grantee shall be ineligible for award of any contract, agreement or grant from the City of Costa Mesa for a period specified in the decision, not to exceed five (5) years. Upon issuance of any final decision recommending against debarment of the contractor and/or sub-grantee, the contractor and/or sub-grantee shall be eligible for compensation as provided by law.