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**AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO  
AND  
WSP USA INC.**

**FOR**

**AS-NEEDED TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING &  
MOBILITY PLANNING**

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# **AGREEMENT FOR DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

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**AS-NEEDED AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO  
AND WSP USA INC.  
FOR DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

THIS Agreement is made and entered into between the City of San Diego, a municipal corporation [City], and WSP USA Inc. [Design Professional] to provide Professional Services to the City for transportation engineering on an as-needed basis.

**RECITALS**

The City wants to retain the services of a professional transportation engineering firm to provide the Professional Services on an as-needed, hourly fee basis.

The Design Professional represents that it has the expertise, experience and personnel necessary to provide the Professional Services on an as-needed, hourly fee basis.

The City and the Design Professional [Parties] want to enter into an Agreement whereby the City will retain the Design Professional to provide, and the Design Professional shall provide, the Professional Services on an as-needed, hourly fee basis [Agreement].

In consideration of the above recitals and the mutual covenants and conditions set forth herein, and for good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby set forth their mutual covenants and understandings as follows:

**ARTICLE I  
DESIGN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

The above-listed recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated by reference.

**1.1 Scope of Services.** The scope of services will be determined by the City on an as-needed basis and presented to Design Professional as an individual Task [Task]. The Design Professional shall perform the Professional Services at the direction of the City and as generally set forth in the Scope of Services [Exhibit A] and as more specifically described in each Task Order Authorization [Task Order] [Exhibit B].

**1.1.1 Task Order.** Prior to beginning performance in response to a Task Order, Design Professional shall complete and execute the Task Order which must be approved in writing by the City. Each Task Order shall include a scope of Professional Services, a cost estimate, and the time for completion. The scope of Professional Services shall include all activities or work reasonably anticipated as necessary for successful completion of each Task presented by the City. If prevailing wage rates apply to a Task Order then said rates shall be in accordance with the provisions set forth in Section 4.20 of this Agreement. The date of the City's Request for Cost Proposal for a Task Order Letter (Proposal Letter) shall be used for the purpose of determining which published prevailing wage rate shall apply on a Task Order. All wage rates published and all predetermined wage

rate increases known at the date of the Proposal Letter shall apply for the duration of said Task Order.

**1.1.2 Non-Exclusivity.** The Design Professional agrees that this Agreement is non-exclusive and that the City may enter into agreements with other Design Professionals to perform the same or similar Professional Services during the term of this Agreement.

**1.1.3 Issuance of Task Orders for Multiple Contracts with the Same Services.** When multiple As-Needed Agreements exist for the same discipline, the Contract Manager will rotate award of Task Orders between the multiple agreements until the contract duration expires or the contract authorization amount is reached. After a Design Professional has been issued a Task Order, that Design Professional will be placed at the end of the list for consideration to perform the next Task Order.

**1.2 Task Administrator.** The City Planning Department is the task administrator for this Agreement. The Design Professional shall provide the Professional Services under the direction of a designated representative of the City Planning Department. The City's designated representative will communicate with the Design Professional on all matters related to the administration of this Agreement and the Design Professional's performance of the Professional Services rendered hereunder. When this Agreement refers to communications to or with the City, those communications will be with the designated representative, unless the designated representative or the Agreement specifies otherwise. Further, when this Agreement refers to an act or approval to be performed by the City, that act or approval shall be performed by the Mayor or designee, unless the Agreement specifies otherwise.

**1.3 City Modification of Scope of Services.** The City may, without invalidating this Agreement, order changes in any Task by altering, adding to or deducting from the Professional Services to be performed. All such changes shall be in writing and shall be performed in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. If any such changes cause an increase or decrease in the Design Professional's cost of, or the time required for, the performance of any of the Professional Services, the Design Professional shall immediately notify the City. If the City deems it appropriate, an equitable adjustment to the Design Professional's compensation may be made, provided that any adjustment must be approved by both Parties in writing in accordance with Section 9.1 of this Agreement.

**1.4 Written Authorization.** Prior to performing any Professional Services in connection with the Tasks, the Design Professional shall obtain from the City a written authorization to proceed. Further, throughout the term of this Agreement, the Design Professional shall immediately advise the City in writing of any anticipated changes to any Task, including any changes to the time for completion or the Compensation and Fee Schedule, and shall obtain the City's written consent to the change prior to making any changes. In no event shall the City's consent be construed to relieve the Design Professional from its duty to render all Professional Services in accordance with applicable laws and accepted industry standards.

**1.5 Confidentiality of Services.** All Professional Services performed by the Design Professional, including but not limited to all drafts, data, correspondence, proposals, reports, and estimates compiled or composed by the Design Professional, pursuant to this Agreement, are for the sole use of the City, its agents and employees. Neither the documents nor their contents shall be released to any third party without the prior written consent of

the City. This provision does not apply to information that (a) was publicly known, or otherwise known to the Design Professional, at the time that it was disclosed to the Design Professional by the City, (b) subsequently becomes publicly known through no act or omission of the Design Professional, or (c) otherwise becomes known to the Design Professional other than through disclosure by the City. Except for Subcontractors covered by Section 4.4, neither the documents nor their contents shall be released to any third party without the prior written consent of the City.

**1.6 Competitive Bidding.** The Design Professional shall ensure that any plans and specifications prepared, required, or recommended under this Agreement allow for competitive bidding. The Design Professional shall design such plans or specifications so that procurement of services, labor or materials are not available from only one source, and shall not design plans and specifications around a single or specific product, piece of major equipment or machinery, a specific patented design, or a proprietary process, unless required by principles of sound engineering practice and supported by a written justification that has been approved in writing by the City. The Design Professional shall submit this written justification to the City prior to beginning work on such plans or specifications. Whenever the Design Professional recommends a specific product or equipment for competitive procurement, such recommendation shall include at least two brand names of products that are capable of meeting the functional requirements applicable to the Task.

## **ARTICLE II DURATION OF AGREEMENT**

**2.1 Term of Agreement.** This Agreement shall be effective on the date it is executed by the last Party to sign the Agreement, and approved by the City Attorney in accordance with San Diego Charter Section 40. Unless otherwise terminated, this Agreement shall be effective for issuing and completing Task Orders for no more than sixty (60) months following the date of its execution by the City, unless said duration is modified in writing by an amendment to this Agreement. Any extension beyond sixty (60) months will require City Council approval via Ordinance.

**2.2 Time of Essence.** Time is of the essence for each provision of this Agreement, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement. The time for performance of any Task shall be set forth in the Task Order and shall not exceed the contract duration.

**2.3 Notification of Delay.** The Design Professional shall immediately notify the City in writing if Design Professional experiences or anticipates experiencing a delay in performing the Professional Services within the time frames set forth in the Task Order. The written notice shall include an explanation of the cause for, and a reasonable estimate of the length of, the delay. If in the opinion of the City, the delay affects a material part of the Task, the City may exercise its rights under Sections 2.5-2.7 of this Agreement.

**2.4 Delay.** If delays in the performance of the Professional Services are caused by unforeseen events beyond the control of the Parties, such delay may entitle the Design Professional to a reasonable extension of time, but such delay shall not entitle the Design Professional to damages or additional compensation. Any such extension of time must be approved in writing by the City. The following conditions may constitute such a delay: war; changes in law or government regulation; labor disputes; strikes; fires, floods, adverse weather or other similar condition of the elements necessitating cessation of the Design Professional's work; inability to obtain materials, equipment or labor; required additional Professional Services; or other specific reasons agreed to between the City and the Design

Professional; provided, however, that: (a) this provision shall not apply to, and the Design Professional shall not be entitled to an extension of time for, a delay caused by the acts or omissions of the Design Professional; and (b) a delay caused by the inability to obtain materials, equipment, or labor shall not entitle the Design Professional to an extension of time unless the Design Professional furnishes the City, in a timely manner, documentary proof satisfactory to the City of the Design Professional's inability to obtain materials, equipment, or labor.

**2.5 City's Right to Suspend for Convenience.** The City may, at its sole option and for its convenience, suspend all or any portion of the Design Professional's performance of the Professional Services, for a reasonable period of time not to exceed six months. In accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, the City will give written notice to the Design Professional of such suspension. In the event of such a suspension, in accordance with the provisions of Article III of this Agreement, the City shall pay to the Design Professional a sum equivalent to the reasonable value of the Professional Services the Design Professional has performed up to the date of suspension. Thereafter, the City may rescind such suspension by giving written notice of rescission to the Design Professional. The City may then require the Design Professional to resume performance of the Professional Services in compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; provided, however, that the Design Professional shall be entitled to an extension of time equal to the length of the suspension, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Parties.

**2.6 City's Right to Terminate for Convenience.** The City may, at its sole option and for its convenience, terminate all or any portion of the Professional Services agreed to pursuant to this Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Design Professional. Such notice shall be delivered by certified mail with return receipt for delivery to the City. The termination of the Professional Services shall be effective upon receipt of the notice by the Design Professional. After termination of this Agreement, the Design Professional shall complete any and all additional work necessary for the orderly filing of documents and closing of the Design Professional's Professional Services under this Agreement. For services rendered in completing the work, the Design Professional shall be entitled to fair and reasonable compensation for the Professional Services performed by the Design Professional before the effective date of termination. After filing of documents and completion of performance, the Design Professional shall deliver to the City all drawings, plans, calculations, specifications and other documents or records related to the Design Professional's Professional Services on all Task(s). By accepting payment for completion, filing and delivering documents as called for in this paragraph, the Design Professional discharges the City of all of the City's payment obligations and liabilities under this Agreement.

**2.7 City's Right to Terminate for Default.** If the Design Professional fails to perform or adequately perform any obligation required by this Agreement, the Design Professional's failure constitutes a Default. A Default includes the Design Professional's failure to complete the Professional Services within the time for completion as set forth in the Task Order. If the Design Professional fails to satisfactorily cure a Default within ten calendar days of receiving written notice from the City specifying the nature of the Default, the City may immediately cancel and/or terminate this Agreement, and terminate each and every right of the Design Professional, and any person claiming any rights by or through the Design Professional under this Agreement. The rights and remedies of the City enumerated in this Section are cumulative and shall not limit, waive, or deny any of the City's rights under any other provision of this Agreement. Nor does this Section otherwise waive or deny

any right or remedy, at law or in equity, existing as of the date of this Agreement or hereinafter enacted or established, that may be available to the City against the Design Professional.

### **ARTICLE III COMPENSATION**

**3.1 Amount of Compensation.** The City shall pay the Design Professional for performance of all Professional Services rendered in accordance with this Agreement, including all reasonably related expenses, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000. The City agrees to issue at least one or more Task Orders with a minimum aggregate value of \$1,000.00 to the Design Professional.

**3.2 Manner of Payment.** The City shall pay the Design Professional in accordance with the Compensation and Fee Schedule [Exhibit C]. For the duration of this Agreement, the Design Professional shall not be entitled to fees, including fees for expenses, that exceed the amounts specified in the Compensation and Fee Schedule. The Design Professional shall submit one invoice per calendar month in a form acceptable to the City in accordance with the Compensation and Fee Schedule. The Design Professional shall include with each invoice a description of completed Professional Services, reasonably related expenses, if any, and all other information, including but not limited to: the progress percentage of the Scope of Services and/or deliverables completed prior to the invoice date, as required by the City. The City will pay undisputed portions of invoices within thirty calendar days of receipt.

**3.3 Additional Costs.** Additional Costs are those costs that can be reasonably determined to be related to the Design Professional's errors or omissions, and may include Design Professional, City, or Subcontractor overhead, construction, materials, demolition, and related costs. The Design Professional shall not be paid for the Professional Services required due to the Design Professional's errors or omissions, and the Design Professional shall be responsible for any Additional Costs associated with such errors or omissions. These Additional Costs may be deducted from monies due, or that become due, the Design Professional. Whether or not there are any monies due, or becoming due, the Design Professional shall reimburse the City for Additional Costs due to the Design Professional's errors or omissions.

**3.4 Eighty Percent Notification.** The Design Professional shall promptly notify the City in writing of any potential cost overruns. Cost overruns include, but are not limited to the following: (1) where anticipated costs to be incurred in the next sixty calendar days, when added to all costs previously incurred, will exceed 80 percent of the maximum compensation for this Agreement or for any issued Task Order; or (2) where the total anticipated cost for performance of the Scope of Services may be greater than the maximum compensation for this Agreement or for any Task Order.

### **ARTICLE IV DESIGN PROFESSIONAL'S OBLIGATIONS**

**4.1 Industry Standards.** The Design Professional agrees that the Professional Services rendered under this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with the standards customarily adhered to by an experienced and competent professional transportation engineering firm using the degree of care and skill ordinarily exercised by reputable professionals practicing in the same field of service in the State of California. Where approval by the City, the Mayor or his designee, or other representatives of the City is required, it is

understood to be general approval only and does not relieve the Design Professional of responsibility for complying with all applicable laws, codes, and good consulting practices.

#### **4.2 Right to Audit.**

**4.2.1 Access.** The City retains the right to review and audit, and the reasonable right of access to Design Professional's and any Subcontractor's premises to review and audit the Design Professional's or Subcontractor's compliance with the provisions of this Agreement [City's Right]. The City's Right includes the right to inspect and photocopy same, and to retain copies, outside of the Design Professional's premises, of any and all Project related records with appropriate safeguards, if such retention is deemed necessary by the City in its sole discretion. This information shall be kept by the City in the strictest confidence allowed by law.

**4.2.2 Audit.** The City's Right includes the right to examine any and all books, records, documents and any other evidence of procedures and practices that the City determines are necessary to discover and verify that the Design Professional or Subcontractor is in compliance with all requirements under this Agreement.

**4.2.2.1 Cost Audit.** If there is a claim for additional compensation or for Additional Costs, the City's Right includes the right to examine books, records, documents, and any and all other evidence and accounting procedures and practices that the City determines are necessary to discover and verify all direct and indirect costs, of whatever nature, which are claimed to have been incurred, or anticipated to be incurred.

**4.2.2.2 Accounting Records.** The Design Professional and all Subcontractors shall maintain complete and accurate records in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practices in the industry. The Design Professional and Subcontractors shall make available to the City for review and audit; all Project-related accounting records and documents, and any other financial data. Upon the City's request, the Design Professional and Subcontractors shall submit exact duplicates of originals of all requested records to the City.

**4.2.3 City's Right Binding on Subcontractors.** The Design Professional shall include the City's Right as described in Section 4.2, in any and all of their subcontracts, and shall ensure that these sections are binding upon all Subcontractors.

**4.2.4 Compliance Required before Mediation or Litigation.** A condition precedent to proceeding with mandatory mediation and further litigation provided for in Article VII is the Design Professional's and Subcontractors full compliance with the provisions of this Section 4.2 within sixty days of the date on which the City mailed a written request to review and audit compliance.

**4.3 Insurance.** The Design Professional shall not begin the Professional Services under this Agreement until it has: (a) obtained, and provided to the City, insurance certificates and endorsements reflecting evidence of all insurance required in Article IV, Section 4.3.1; and (b) confirmed that all policies contain the specific provisions required in Article IV, Section 4.3.4 of this Agreement. However, failure to obtain City approval of the required documents prior to the Professional Services commencing shall not waive Design Professional's obligation to provide them. City reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including endorsements required by this Agreement, at any time. Design Professional's liabilities, including but not limited to Design

Professional's indemnity obligations, under this Agreement, shall not be deemed limited in any way to the insurance coverage required herein. If Design Professional maintains broader coverage or higher limits than the minimums shown below, City requires and shall be entitled to the broader coverage or the higher limits maintained by Design Professional. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to City. Except as provided for under California law, all policies of insurance required hereunder must provide that the City is entitled to thirty (30) days prior written notice (10 days for cancellation due to non-payment of premium) of cancellation or non-renewal of the policy or policies. Maintenance of specified insurance coverage is a material element of this Agreement and Design Professional's failure to maintain or renew coverage or to provide evidence of renewal during the term of this Agreement may be treated as a material breach of contract by the City.

Further, the Design Professional shall not modify any policy or endorsement thereto which increases the City's exposure to loss for the duration of this Agreement.

**4.3.1 Types of Insurance.** At all times during the term of this Agreement, the Design Professional shall maintain insurance coverage as follows:

**4.3.1.1 Commercial General Liability.** The Design Professional shall keep in full force and effect Commercial General Liability (CGL) Insurance written on an ISO Occurrence form CG 00 01 07 98 or an equivalent form providing coverage at least as broad which shall cover liability arising from any and all personal injury or property damage in the amount of \$2,000,000 per occurrence and subject to an annual aggregate of \$4,000,000. There shall be no endorsement or modification of the CGL limiting the scope of coverage for either insured vs. insured claims or contractual liability. All defense costs shall be outside the limits of the policy.

**4.3.1.2 Commercial Automobile Liability.** For all of the Design Professional's automobiles including owned, hired and non-owned automobiles, the Design Professional shall keep in full force and effect, automobile insurance written on an ISO form CA 00 01 12 90 or a later version of this form or an equivalent form providing coverage at least as broad for bodily injury and property damage for a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Insurance certificate shall reflect coverage for any automobile (any auto). If the Design Professional does not possess owned automobiles then coverage for hired and non-owned automobiles shall be provided.

**4.3.1.3 Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.** For all of the Design Professional's employees who are subject to this Agreement the Design Professional shall keep in full force and effect, Workers' Compensation Insurance as required by the State of California, with Statutory Limits, and Employer's Liability Insurance with limit of no less than \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.

**4.3.1.4 Architects & Engineers Professional Liability.** For all of the Design Professional's employees who are subject to this Agreement, the Design Professional shall keep in full force and effect, Professional Liability coverage for professional liability with a limit of \$3,000,000 per claim and \$3,000,000 annual aggregate. The Design Professional shall ensure both that: (1) the policy retroactive date is on or before the date of commencement of the Professional Services as described in issued Task Orders; and (2) the policy will be maintained in force for a period of three years after substantial completion of the Professional Services as described in issued Task Orders or termination of this Agreement whichever occurs last. The Design Professional agrees that for the time period



defined above, there will be no changes or endorsements to the policy that increase the City's exposure to loss.

**4.3.2 Deductibles.** Design Professional shall disclose deductibles and self-insured retentions to the City at the time the evidence of insurance is provided. The City may require Design Professional to purchase coverage with a lower retention or provide proof of ability to pay losses and related investigations, claim administration, and defense expenses within the retention. The policy language shall provide, or be endorsed to provide, that the self-insured retention may be satisfied by either the named insured or City.

**4.3.3 Acceptability of Insurers.**

**4.3.3.1** Except for the State Compensation Insurance Fund, all insurance required by this Agreement shall only be carried by insurance companies with a rating of at least "A-, VI" by A.M. Best Company, that are authorized by the California Insurance Commissioner to do business in the State of California, and that have been approved by the City.

**4.3.3.2** The City will accept insurance provided by non-admitted, "surplus lines" carriers only if the carrier is authorized to do business in the State of California and is included on the List of Approved Surplus Lines Insurers (LASLI list). All policies of insurance carried by non-admitted carriers are subject to all of the requirements for policies of insurance provided by admitted carriers described herein.

**4.3.4 Required Endorsements.** The following endorsements to the policies of insurance are required to be provided to the City before any work is initiated under this Agreement.

**4.3.4.1 Commercial General Liability Insurance Endorsements**

**ADDITIONAL INSURED.** To the fullest extent permitted by law and consistent with the limiting provisions set forth at California Civil Code section 2782, California Insurance Code section 11580.04, and any applicable successor statutes limiting indemnification of public agencies that bind the City, the policy or policies shall be endorsed to include as an Additional Insured the City and its respective elected officials, officers, employees, agents, and representatives, with respect to liability arising out of:

- a. Ongoing operations performed by you or on your behalf,
- b. your products,
- c. your work, e.g., your completed operations performed by you or on your behalf
- d. premises owned, leased, controlled, or used by you.

**PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY COVERAGE.** The policy or policies must be endorsed to provide that the insurance afforded by the Commercial General Liability policy or policies is primary to any insurance or self-insurance of the City of San Diego and its elected officials, officers, employees, agents and representatives as respects operations of the Named Insured. Any insurance maintained by the City of San Diego and its elected officials, officers, employees, agents and representatives shall be in excess of Design Professional's insurance and shall not contribute to it.

#### **4.3.4.2 Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance**

##### **Endorsements**

**WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** The Worker's Compensation policy or policies must be endorsed to provide that the insurer will waive all rights of subrogation against the City and its respective elected officials, officers, employees, agents and representatives for losses paid under the terms of this policy or these policies which arise from work performed by the Named Insured for the City.

**4.3.5 Reservation of Rights.** The City reserves the right, from time to time, to review the Design Professional's insurance coverage, limits, deductible and self-insured retentions to determine if they are acceptable to the City. The City will reimburse the Design Professional for the cost of the additional premium for any coverage requested by the City in excess of what is required by this Agreement without overhead, profit, or any other markup.

**4.3.6 Additional Insurance.** The Design Professional may obtain additional insurance not required by this Agreement.

**4.3.7 Notice of Changes to Insurance.** Design Professional shall notify the City 30 days prior to any material change to the policies of insurance provided under this Agreement.

**4.3.8 Excess Insurance.** All policies providing excess coverage to the City shall follow the form of the primary policy or policies including but not limited to all endorsements.

**4.4 Subcontractors.** The Design Professional's hiring or retaining of any third parties [Subcontractors] to perform services related to the Project [Subcontractor Services] is subject to prior approval by the City. The Design Professional shall list on the Subcontractor List [Exhibit D, Attachment CC] all Subcontractors known to the Design Professional at the time this Agreement is entered. If at any time after this Agreement is entered into, the Design Professional identifies a need for addition, deletion, or substitution of Subcontractor Services, the Design Professional must submit a written notice to the City requesting approval for the change modifying the Subcontractor Services. The Design Professional's written notice shall include a justification, a description of the scope of services, an estimate of all costs/percentage of contract participation for the Subcontractor Services, and an updated Exhibit D, Attachment CC reflecting the requested change(s). The City agrees to consider such requests in good faith.

**4.4.1 Subcontractor Contract.** All contracts entered into between the Design Professional and any Subcontractor shall contain the information as described in Sections 4.6, 4.7, 4.10.2, and 4.18, and shall also provide as follows:

**4.4.1.1** Design Professional shall require the Subcontractor to obtain insurance policies, as described in Section 4.3.1, and those policies shall be kept in full force and effect during any and all work on this Project and for the duration of this Agreement. Furthermore, Subcontractor policy limits, and required endorsements shall be determined by the Design Professional proportionate to the services performed by the Subcontractor.

**4.4.1.2** The Design Professional is obligated to pay the Subcontractor, for Design Professional and City-approved invoice amounts, out of amounts paid by the City to the Design Professional, not later than seven working days from the Design Professional's

receipt of payment from the City. Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to impair the right of the Design Professional and any Subcontractor to negotiate fair and reasonable pricing and payment provisions among themselves.

**4.4.1.3** In the case of a deficiency in the performance of Subcontractor Services, the Design Professional shall notify the City in writing of any withholding of payment to the Subcontractor, specifying: (a) the amount withheld; (b) the specific cause under the terms of the subcontract for withholding payment; (c) the connection between the cause for withholding payment and the amount withheld; and (d) the remedial action the Subcontractor must take in order to receive the amount withheld. Once the Subcontractor corrects the deficiency, the Design Professional shall pay the Subcontractor the amount withheld within fourteen working days of the Design Professional's receipt of the City's next payment.

**4.4.1.4** In any dispute between the Design Professional and Subcontractor, the City shall not be made a party to any judicial or administrative proceeding to resolve the dispute. The Design Professional agrees to defend and indemnify the City as described in Article VI of this Agreement in any dispute between the Design Professional and Subcontractor should the City be made a party to any judicial or administrative proceeding to resolve the dispute in violation of this position.

**4.4.1.5** The Subcontractor is bound to the City's Equal Opportunity Contracting Program covenants set forth in Article IV, Section 4.6 and Exhibit D of this Agreement.

**4.4.1.6** The City is an intended beneficiary of any work performed by the Subcontractor for purposes of establishing a duty of care between the Subcontractor and the City.

#### **4.5 Contract Records Reports.**

**4.5.1** The Design Professional shall maintain records of all subcontracts entered into with all firms, all project invoices received from Subcontractors. Records shall show name, telephone number including area code, and business address of each Subcontractor and the total amount actually paid to each firm. Project relevant records, regardless of tier, may be periodically reviewed by the City.

**4.5.2** The Design Professional shall retain all records, books, papers, and documents directly pertinent to the Contract for a period of not less than five (5) years after Completion of the contract and allow access to said records by the City's authorized representatives.

**4.5.3** The Design Professional must submit the following reporting using the City's web-based contract compliance i.e., Prism® portal:

**4.5.3.1 Monthly Employment Utilization.** Design Professional and their Subcontractors must submit Monthly Employment Utilization Reporting by the fifth (5th) day of the subsequent month.

**4.5.3.2 Monthly Invoicing and Payments.** Design Professional and their Subcontractors must submit Monthly Invoicing and Payment Reporting by the fifth (5th) day of the subsequent month.

**4.5.3.3** To view the City's online tutorials on how to utilize PRISM® for compliance reporting, please visit:  
<http://stage.prismcompliance.com/etc/vendortutorials.htm>

Incomplete and/or delinquent reporting may cause payment delays, non-payment of invoice, or both. The Design Professional understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in contract termination, debarment, or other sanctions.

#### **4.6 Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

##### **4.6.1 Compliance with the City's Equal Opportunity Contracting Program.**

The Design Professional shall comply with the City's Equal Opportunity Contracting Program Consultant Requirements [Exhibit D]. The Design Professional shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment on any basis prohibited by law. The Design Professional shall provide equal opportunity in all employment practices. The Design Professional shall ensure that its Subcontractors comply with the City's Equal Opportunity Contracting Program Design Professional Requirements. Nothing in this Section shall be interpreted to hold the Design Professional liable for any discriminatory practice of its Subcontractors.

**4.6.2 Non-Discrimination Ordinance.** The Design Professional shall not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, gender expression, gender identity, religion, national origin, ethnicity, sexual orientation, age, or disability in the solicitation, selection, hiring or treatment of Subcontractors, vendors or suppliers. The Design Professional shall provide equal opportunity for Subcontractors to participate in subcontracting opportunities. The Design Professional understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in contract termination, debarment, or other sanctions. This language shall be in contracts between the Design Professional and any Subcontractors, vendors and suppliers.

**4.6.3 Compliance Investigations.** Upon the City's request, the Design Professional agrees to provide to the City, within sixty calendar days, a truthful and complete list of the names of all Subcontractors, vendors, and suppliers that the Design Professional has used in the past five years on any of its contracts that were undertaken within San Diego County, including the total dollar amount paid by the Design Professional for each subcontract or supply contract. The Design Professional further agrees to fully cooperate in any investigation conducted by the City pursuant to the City's Nondiscrimination in Contracting Ordinance (San Diego Municipal Code sections 22.3501-22.3517) The Design Professional understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in remedies being ordered against the Design Professional up to and including contract termination, debarment, and other sanctions for violation of the provisions of the Nondiscrimination in Contracting Ordinance. The Design Professional further understands and agrees that the procedures, remedies and sanctions provided for in the Nondiscrimination Ordinance apply only to violations of said Nondiscrimination Ordinance.

**4.7 Drug-Free Workplace.** By signing this Agreement the Design Professional agrees that it is aware of, and hereby certifies that it agrees to comply with, the City's Drug-Free Workplace requirements set forth in Council Policy 100-17, adopted by San Diego Resolution R-277952 and incorporated into this Agreement by this reference. Council Policy 100-17 is available online at <https://www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/officialdocs>.

**4.7.1 Design Professional's Notice to Employees.** The Design Professional shall publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace, and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of the prohibition.

**4.7.2 Drug-Free Awareness Program.** The Design Professional shall establish a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about: (1) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; (2) the policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; (3) available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; (4) the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

**4.7.3 Posting the Statement.** In addition to Section 4.7.1 above, the Design Professional shall post the drug-free policy in a prominent place.

**4.7.4 Subcontractor's Agreements.** The Design Professional further certifies that each contract for Subcontractor Services for this Project shall contain language that binds the Subcontractor to comply with the provisions of Article IV, Section 4.7 of this Agreement, as required by Sections 2.A.(1) through (3) of Council Policy 100-17. Design Professionals and Subcontractors shall be individually responsible for their own drug-free workplace program.

**4.8 Title 24/Americans with Disabilities Act Requirements.** Design Professional has sole responsibility for ensuring that all design services as contained in issued Task Orders comply with all accessibility requirements under Title 24 of the California Code of Regulations, known as the California Building Code (Title 24), and under the Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG) in effect at the time the designs are submitted to the City for review. When a conflict exists between Title 24 and ADAAG, the most restrictive requirement shall be followed by Design Professional (i.e., that which provides the most access). Design Professional warrants and certifies that any and all plans and specifications prepared for the City in accordance with this Agreement shall meet all requirements under Title 24 and ADAAG. Design Professional understands that while the City will be reviewing Design Professional's designs for compliance in specific and certain areas under Title 24 and ADAAG prior to acceptance of Design Professional's designs, Design Professional understands and agrees that the City's access review process and its acceptance of Design Professional's designs in no way limits the Design Professional's obligations under this agreement to prepare designs that comply with all requirements under Title 24 and ADAAG.

**4.9 Product Endorsement.** The Design Professional acknowledges and agrees to comply with the provisions of City of San Diego Administrative Regulation 95.65, concerning product endorsement. Any advertisement identifying or referring to the City as the user of a product or service requires the prior written approval of the City.

**4.10 Conflict of Interest.** The Design Professional is subject to all federal, state and local conflict of interest laws, regulations, and policies applicable to public contracts and procurement practices, including but not limited to California Government Code sections 1090, et seq. and 81000, et seq., and the City of San Diego Ethics Ordinance, codified in the San Diego Municipal Code at sections 27.3501 to 27.3595.

**4.10.1** If, in performing the Professional Services set forth in this Agreement, any member of the Design Professional's organization makes, or participates in, a "governmental decision" as described in Title 2, section 18704 of the California Code of

Regulations, or performs the same or substantially all the same duties for the City that would otherwise be performed by a City employee holding a position specified in the department's conflict of interest code, the individual shall be subject to a conflict of interest code requiring the completion of one or more statements of economic interests disclosing the individual's relevant financial interests. The determination as to whether any individual members of the Design Professional's organization must make disclosures of relevant financial interests is set forth in the Determination Form [Exhibit E].

**4.10.1.1** If a determination is made that certain individuals must disclose relevant financial interests, the statements of economic interests shall be made on Fair Political Practices Commission Form 700 and filed with the City Clerk. The individual shall file a Form 700 (Assuming Office Statement) within thirty calendar days of the City's determination that the individuals are subject to a conflict of interest code. Each year thereafter, the individuals shall also file a Form 700 (Annual Statement) on or before April 1, disclosing any financial interests held during the previous calendar year for which the individual was subject to a conflict of interest code. A Form 700 (Leaving Office Statement) shall also be filed when the individual discontinues services under this Agreement.

**4.10.1.2** If the City requires an individual member of the Design Professional's organization to file a statement of economic interests as a result of the Professional Services performed, the individual shall be considered a "City Official" subject to the provisions of the City of San Diego Ethics Ordinance, including the prohibition against lobbying the City for one year following the termination of this Agreement.

**4.10.2** The Design Professional shall establish and make known to its employees and agents appropriate safeguards to prohibit employees from using their positions for a purpose that is, or that gives the appearance of being, motivated by the desire for private gain for themselves or others, particularly those with whom they have family, business, or other relationships.

**4.10.3** The Design Professional and its Subcontractors having subcontracts amounting to 1% or more of the value of the Professional Services agreed to under this Agreement are precluded from participating in design services on behalf of the contractor, construction management, and any other construction services related in any way to these Professional Services without the prior written consent of the City.

**4.10.4** The Design Professional's personnel employed on the Project shall not accept gratuities or any other favors from any Subcontractors or potential Subcontractors. The Design Professional shall not recommend or specify any product, supplier, or contractor with whom the Design Professional has a direct or indirect financial or organizational interest or relationship that would violate conflict of interest laws, regulations, or policies.

**4.10.5** If the Design Professional violates any conflict of interest law or any of the provisions in this Section 4.10, the violation shall be grounds for immediate termination of this Agreement. Further, the violation subjects the Design Professional to liability to the City for attorneys' fees and all damages sustained as a result of the violation.

**4.11 Mandatory Assistance.** If a third party dispute or litigation, or both, arises out of, or relates in any way to the Professional Services provided under this Agreement, upon the City's request, the Design Professional, its agents, officers, and employees agree to assist in resolving the dispute or litigation. The Design Professional's assistance includes, but is



not limited to, providing professional consultations, attending mediations, arbitrations, depositions, trials or any event related to the dispute resolution and/or litigation.

**4.12 Compensation for Mandatory Assistance.** The City will compensate the Design Professional for fees incurred for providing Mandatory Assistance as Additional Costs under Section 3.3. If, however, the fees incurred for the Mandatory Assistance are determined, through resolution of the third party dispute or litigation, or both, to be attributable in whole, or in part, to the acts or omissions of the Design Professional, its agents, officers, and employees, the Design Professional shall reimburse the City. The City is then entitled to reimbursement of all fees paid to the Design Professional, its agents, officers, and employees for Mandatory Assistance.

**4.13 Attorney Fees related to Mandatory Assistance.** In providing the City with dispute or litigation assistance, the Design Professional or its agents, officers, and employees may incur expenses and/or costs. The Design Professional agrees that any attorney fees it may incur as a result of assistance provided under Section 4.11 are not reimbursable. The Parties agree this provision does not in any way affect their rights to seek attorney fees under Article VIII, Section 8.8 of this Agreement.

**4.14 Energy Conservation Specifications.** Technological advances in energy conservation devices such as Lighting and Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC), enable additional energy savings over that required by the State of California's Energy Efficiency Standards (Title 24, Part 6 of the California Code of Regulations). The Design Professional shall model the energy performance of the building using an acceptable computer model such as Energy Pro, EQuest, DOE-2, Power DOE, HAP 3.22, etc. and present the summary data to the City at or prior to 100 percent design. This analysis should include life cycle cost analysis showing recovery of construction costs through operation and maintenance costs (e.g., electricity and gas savings.) The Design Professional shall prepare a cost savings matrix that lists each device being considered and one, three, five and ten-year Project savings. The comparison shall include, but not be limited to, the following equipment: Lighting, HVAC, Water Heating, and Motors.

The Design Professional shall contact the SDG&E New Construction Program at (858) 636-5725 or the San Diego Regional Energy Office at (619) 595-5634 to integrate them into the design process to ensure maximum energy performance and access to technical resources. Design Professional shall endeavor to obtain from SDG&E a UTIL-1 (Utility Incentive Worksheet) to estimate energy savings and incentives available based on the design team energy modeling.

**4.15 Notification of Increased Construction Cost.** If, at any time prior to the City's approval of the final plans and specifications, the Design Professional anticipates that the total construction cost will exceed the estimated construction budget, the Design Professional shall immediately notify the City in writing. This written notification shall include an itemized cost estimate and a list of recommended revisions which the Design Professional believes will bring the construction cost to within the estimated construction budget. The City may either: (1) approve an increase in the amount authorized for construction; or (2) delineate a project which may be constructed for the budget amount; or (3) any combination of (1) and (2).

**4.16 Sustainable Building Policy.** The Design Professional shall comply with City Council Policy 900-14 (Sustainable Building Policy) in the performance of the Scope of Services, including but not limited to the requirement that all new or significantly remodeled

City facilities shall be designed and constructed to achieve at a minimum the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) "Silver" Level Certification.

**4.17 Design-Build Competition Eligibility.** Any architectural firms, engineering firms, Design Professionals, or individuals retained by the City to assist the City with developing criteria or preparing the preliminary design or the request for proposals for a Design-Build competition shall not be eligible to participate with any Design-Build Entity in that Design-Build competition. Additionally, the City may determine in its sole discretion that a Subcontractor hired to assist with a Design-Build competition, regardless of whether the Subcontractor was hired by the City or hired by an architectural firm, engineering firm, Design Professional, or individual retained by the City, has a competitive advantage and as such is ineligible to participate in that Design-Build competition.

**4.18 Storm Water Management Discharge Control.** Design Professional shall comply with Chapter 4, Article 3, Division 3 of the San Diego Municipal Code, Storm Water Management Discharge Control and the Municipal Storm Water Permit (MS4) Permit, California Regional Water Quality Control Board Order No. R9-2013-0001 (amended by R9-2015-0001 and R9-2015-0100), Storm Water Standards Manual, as amended from time to time, and any and all Best Management Practice (BMP) guidelines and pollution elimination requirements as may be established by the Enforcement Official. Design Professional warrants and certifies that any and all plans, reports, and specifications prepared for the City in accordance with this agreement shall meet all requirements of the San Diego Municipal Code and Storm Water Standards Manual. Design Professional understands that while the City will be reviewing Design Professional's designs for storm water permit compliance prior to acceptance of Design Professional's designs, Design Professional understands and agrees that the City's Storm Water review process and its acceptance of Design Professional's designs in no way limits the Design Professional's obligations under this agreement to prepare designs that comply with all requirements of the San Diego Municipal Code and MS4 Permit.

The Design Professional shall review the completed Storm Water Applicability Checklist (DS-560) to confirm the project's appropriate storm water requirements. For all applicable projects, and to the maximum extent practicable, the Design Professional shall incorporate and include Source Control and Low Impact Development (LID) design features or Site Design BMPs on the construction plans. In addition, for Priority Development projects, the Design Professional shall prepare a Storm Water Quality Management Plan in accordance with the requirements of the Storm Water Standards Manual and prepare a BMP plan showing all permanent BMPs, LID designs, hydromodification management plan facilities, and include sufficient details and cross sections for construction.

Design Professional shall attend the Pre-construction meeting. The Project Manager will coordinate with the Design Professional on the inspection of the permanent BMP(s) during installation. Design Professional shall inspect and confirm that the permanent BMP was installed in accordance with the details on the plans and that the permanent BMP functions to meet the requirements of the MS4 Permit. Upon notification by the Project Manager, the Design Professional shall sign and stamp the Permanent BMP Self Certification on the plans or the Permanent BMP Self Certification Form (DS-563) prior to final acceptance by the City.

For projects requiring soil-disturbance work such as geotechnical borings, street coring and potholing as component of the design, the Design Professional shall complete a Minor Water Pollution Control Plan (DS-570), if applicable.



**4.19 ADA Certification.** By signing this Agreement the Design Professional agrees that it is aware of, and hereby certifies that it agrees to comply with, the City's Americans With Disabilities Act Compliance/City Contracts requirements set forth in Council Policy 100-04, adopted by San Diego Resolution R-282153 and incorporated into this Agreement by this reference. Council Policy 100-04 is available at <https://www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/officialdocs>.

**4.20 Prevailing Wage Rates.** Prevailing wage rates apply to this Agreement.

Pursuant to San Diego Municipal Code section 22.3019, construction, alteration, demolition, repair and maintenance work performed under this Agreement is subject to State prevailing wage laws. For construction work performed under this Agreement cumulatively exceeding \$25,000 and for alteration, demolition, repair and maintenance work performed under this Agreement cumulatively exceeding \$15,000, the Design Professional and its subconsultants shall comply with State prevailing wage laws including, but not limited to, the requirements listed below.

**4.20.1 Compliance with Prevailing Wage Requirements.** Pursuant to sections 1720 through 1861 of the California Labor Code, the Design Professional and its subconsultants shall ensure that all workers who perform work under this Agreement are paid not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations (DIR). This includes work performed during the design and preconstruction phases of construction including, but not limited to, inspection and land surveying work.

**4.20.1.1** Copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages also may be found at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/OPRL/DPreWageDetermination.htm>. The Design Professional and its subconsultants shall post a copy of the prevailing rate of per diem wages determination at each job site and shall make them available to any interested party upon request.

**4.20.1.2** The date of the City's Request for Cost Proposal for a Task Order Letter (Proposal Letter) shall be used for the purpose of determining which published prevailing wage rate shall apply on a Task Order. All wage rates published and all predetermined wage rate increases known at the date of the Proposal Letter shall apply for the duration of said Task Order. The wage rates determined by the DIR refer to expiration dates. If the published wage rate does not refer to a predetermined wage rate to be paid after the expiration date, then the published rate of wage shall be in effect for the life of that particular Task Order. If the published wage rate refers to a predetermined wage rate to become effective upon expiration of the published wage rate and the predetermined wage rate is on file with the DIR, such predetermined wage rate shall become effective on the date following the expiration date and shall apply to that particular Task Order in the same manner as if it had been published in said publication. If the predetermined wage rate refers to one or more additional expiration dates with additional predetermined wage rates, which expiration dates occur during the life of that particular Task Order, each successive predetermined wage rate shall apply to that particular Task Order on the date following the expiration date of the previous wage rate. If the last of such predetermined wage rates expires during the life of that particular Task Order, such wage rate shall apply to the balance of that Task Order.

**4.20.2 Penalties for Violations.** Design Professional and its subconsultants shall comply with California Labor Code section 1775 in the event a worker is paid less than

the prevailing wage rate for the work or craft in which the worker is employed. This shall be in addition to any other applicable penalties allowed under Labor Code sections 1720 – 1861.

**4.20.3 Payroll Records.** Design Professional and its subconsultants shall comply with California Labor Code section 1776, which generally requires keeping accurate payroll records, verifying and certifying payroll records, and making them available for inspection. Design Professional shall require its subconsultants to also comply with section 1776. Design Professional and its subconsultants shall submit weekly certified payroll records online via the City's web-based Labor Compliance Program. Design Professional is responsible for ensuring its subconsultants submit certified payroll records to the City.

**4.20.3.1** In addition to the requirements in 4.20.3, the Design Professional and its subconsultants shall also furnish records specified in Labor Code section 1776 directly to the Labor Commissioner in the manner required by Labor Code section 1771.4.

**4.20.4 Apprentices** Design Professional and its subconsultants shall comply with California Labor Code sections 1777.5, 1777.6 and 1777.7 concerning the employment and wages of apprentices. Design Professional shall be held responsible for the compliance of their subconsultants with sections 1777.5, 1777.6 and 1777.7.

**4.20.5 Working Hours.** Design Professional and its subconsultants shall comply with California Labor Code sections 1810 through 1815, including but not limited to: (i) restrict working hours on public works contracts to eight (8) hours a day and forty (40) hours a week, unless all hours worked in excess of eight (8) hours per day are compensated at not less than 1½ times the basic rate of pay; and (ii) specify penalties to be imposed on design professionals and subcontractors of \$25 per worker per day for each day the worker works more than eight (8) hours per day and forty (40) hours per week in violation of California Labor Code sections 1810 through 1815.

**4.20.6 Required Provisions for Subcontracts.** Design Professional shall include at a minimum a copy of the following provisions in any contract they enter into with a subconsultant: California Labor Code sections 1771, 1771.1, 1775, 1776, 1777.5, 1810, 1813, 1815, 1860 and 1861.

**4.20.7 Labor Code Section 1861 Certification.** Design Professional in accordance with California Labor Code section 3700 is required to secure the payment of compensation of its employees and by signing this Agreement, Design Professional certifies that "I am aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement."

**4.20.8 Labor Compliance Program.** The City has its own Labor Compliance Program authorized in August 2011 by the DIR. The City will withhold contract payments when payroll records are delinquent or deemed inadequate by the City or other governmental entity, or it has been established after an investigation by the City or other governmental entity that underpayment(s) have occurred.

**4.20.9 Contractor and Subcontractor Registration Requirements.** This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR. A Design Professional or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid or proposal, subject to the requirements of section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of

any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5. It is not a violation of this section for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded.

**4.20.9.1** A Design Professional's inadvertent error in listing a subconsultant who is not registered pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 in response to a solicitation shall not be grounds for filing a protest or grounds for considering the bid or proposal non-responsive provided that any of the following apply: (1) the subconsultant is registered prior to proposal due date; (2) within twenty-four hours after the proposal due date, the subconsultant is registered and has paid the penalty registration fee specified in Labor Code section 1725.5; or (3) the subconsultant is replaced by another registered subconsultant pursuant to Public Contract Code section 4107.

**4.20.9.2.** By submitting a bid or proposal to the City, Design Professional is certifying that he or she has verified that all subcontractors used on this public work project are registered with the DIR in compliance with Labor Code sections 1771.1 and 1725.5, and Design Professional shall provide proof of registration for themselves and all listed subcontractors to the City at the time of bid or proposal due date or upon request.

**4.20.10 Stop Order.** For Design Professional or its subcontractor(s) engaging in the performance of any public work contract without having been registered in violation of Labor Code sections 1725.5 or 1771.1, the Labor Commissioner shall issue and serve a stop order prohibiting the use of the unregistered Design Professional or unregistered subcontractor(s) on ALL public works until the unregistered Design Professional or unregistered subcontractor(s) is registered. Failure to observe a stop order is a misdemeanor.

**4.20.11. List of all Subcontractors.** The Design Professional shall provide a complete list of subcontractors (regardless of tier) utilized on this Agreement, along with their DIR registration numbers, if applicable, prior to any work being performed on this Agreement, and Design Professional shall provide a complete list of subcontractors, regardless of tier, with each invoice. Additionally, Design Professional shall provide the City with a complete list of all subcontractors utilized on this Agreement, regardless of tier, within ten working days of the completion of the Agreement, along with their DIR registration numbers, if applicable. The City shall withhold final payment to Design Professional until at least thirty (30) days after this information is provided to the City.

**4.20.12 Exemptions for Small Projects.** There are limited exemptions for installation, alteration, demolition, or repair work done on projects of \$25,000 or less. The Design Professional shall still comply with Labor Code sections 1720 et. seq. The only recognized exemptions are listed below:

**4.20.12.1 Registration.** The Design Professional will not be required to register with the DIR for small projects. (Labor Code section 1771.1).

**4.20.12.2 Certified Payroll Records.** The records required in Labor Code section 1776 shall be required to be kept and submitted to the City of San Diego, but will not be required to be submitted online with the DIR directly. The Design Professional will need to keep those records for at least three years following the completion of the Agreement. (Labor Code section 1771.4).

**4.20.12.3 List of all Subcontractors.** The Design Professional shall not be required to hire only registered subcontractors and is exempt from submitting the list of all subcontractors that is required in section 4.20.11 above. (Labor Code section 1773.3).

#### **4.21 Grant Agreement Requirements**

**4.21.1** The Parties desire to include requirements for the use by the City of certain grant funds from Caltrans Sustainable Communities Grants Restricted Grant Agreement Number 74A1489 (Agreement 74A1489). The Parties agree that they will be subject to certain grant requirements contained in Agreement 74A1489 Required Terms included herein as Exhibit H as a result of the City using grant funds.

**4.21.2** The Parties desire to include requirements for the use by the City of certain grant funds from San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) Regional Early Action Program Grant. As of 11/6/24, the SANDAG Regional Early Action Program Grant has not been issued by SANDAG. SANDAG has provided assurance to the City that the Grant Agreement will be substantially in form and substance as contained in SANDAG Regional Early Action Program Preliminary Grant Agreement, Exhibit I. Accordingly, the Parties agree that they will be subject to certain grant requirements contained in the Preliminary Grant Agreement, included herein as Exhibit I as a result of the City using grant funds. Section VI. F. of the Preliminary Grant Agreement and Attachment C to the Preliminary Grant Agreement contain specific provisions pertaining to requirements of third-party consultants associated with the use of grant funds.

**4.21.3** In the future, the City may use additional grant funds for this Agreement. The Parties will agree to review the grant requirements in good faith and will agree in writing via an amendment process in accordance with section 9.12 of this Agreement that they will be subject to certain grant requirements as a result of the City using grant funds. Any amendments to this Agreement that do not change any material terms of the Agreement or any of the scope of work may be administratively approved by the City.

### **ARTICLE V RESERVED**

### **ARTICLE VI INDEMNIFICATION**

**6.1 Indemnification.** Other than in the performance of design professional services which shall be solely as addressed in Section 6.2 below, to the fullest extent permitted by law, Design Professional shall defend (with legal counsel reasonably acceptable to the City), indemnify and hold harmless the City and its officers, agents, departments, officials, and employees [Indemnified Parties] from and against all claims, losses, costs, damages, injuries (including, without limitation, injury to or death of an employee of Design Professional or its Subcontractors), expense and liability of every kind, nature and description (including, without limitation, incidental and consequential damages, court costs, attorneys' fees, litigation expenses and fees of expert consultants or expert witnesses incurred in connection therewith and costs of investigation) that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, any services performed under this Agreement by the Design Professional, any Subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly

employed by them, or anyone that they control. The Design Professional's duty to defend, indemnify, protect and hold harmless shall not include any claims or liabilities arising from the active negligence, sole negligence or sole willful misconduct of the Indemnified Parties.

## **6.2 Design Professional Services Indemnification and Defense.**

**6.2.1 Design Professional Services Indemnification.** To the fullest extent permitted by law (including, without limitation, California Civil Code Section 2782.8), with respect to the performance of Design Professional services, Design Professional shall indemnify and hold harmless the City, its officers, or employees, from all claims, demands or liability that arise out of, pertain to or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of Design Professional or Design Professional's officers or employees.

**6.2.2 Design Professional Services Defense.** Parties will work in good faith to procure applicable insurance coverage for the cost of any defense arising from all claims, demands or liability that arise out of, pertain to or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of Design Professional or Design Professional's officers or employees.

**6.3 Insurance.** The provisions of this Article are not limited by the requirements of Section 4.3 related to insurance.

**6.4 Enforcement Costs.** The Design Professional agrees to pay any and all costs the City incurs enforcing the indemnity and defense provisions set forth in this Article.

## **ARTICLE VII MEDIATION**

**7.1 Mandatory Non-binding Mediation.** With the exception of Sections 2.5-2.7 of this Agreement, if a dispute arises out of, or relates to this Agreement, or the breach thereof, and if said dispute cannot be settled through normal contract negotiations, prior to the initiation of any litigation, the Parties agree to attempt to settle the dispute in an amicable manner, using mandatory mediation under the Construction Industry Mediation Rules of the American Arbitration Association (AAA) or any other neutral organization agreed upon before having recourse in a court of law.

**7.2 Mandatory Mediation Costs.** The expenses of witnesses for either side shall be paid by the Party producing such witnesses. All other expenses of the mediation, including required traveling and other expenses of the mediator [Mediator], and the cost of any proofs or expert advice produced at the direct request of the Mediator, shall be borne equally by the Parties, unless they agree otherwise.

**7.3 Selection of Mediator.** A single Mediator that is acceptable to both Parties shall be used to mediate the dispute. The Mediator will be knowledgeable in construction aspects and may be selected from lists furnished by the AAA or any other agreed upon Mediator. To initiate mediation, the initiating Party shall serve a Request for Mediation on the opposing Party. If the Mediator is selected from a list provided by AAA, the initiating Party shall concurrently file with AAA a "Request for Mediation" along with the appropriate fees, a list of three requested Mediators marked in preference order, and a preference for available dates.

**7.3.1** If AAA is selected to coordinate the mediation, within ten working days from the receipt of the initiating Party's Request for Mediation, the opposing Party shall file

the following: a list of preferred Mediators listed in preference order after striking any Mediators to which they have any factual objection, and a preference for available dates. If the opposing Party strikes all of initiating Party's preferred Mediators, opposing Party shall submit a list of three preferred Mediators listed in preference order to initiating Party and Administrator. Initiating Party shall file a list of preferred Mediators listed in preference order, after striking any Mediator to which they have any factual objection. This process shall continue until both sides have agreed upon a Mediator.

**7.3.2** The Administrator will appoint or the Parties shall agree upon the highest, mutually preferred Mediator from the individual Parties' lists who is available to serve within the designated time frame.

**7.3.3** If the Parties agree not to use AAA, then a Mediator, date and place for the mediation shall be mutually agreed upon.

**7.4 Conduct of Mediation Sessions.** Mediation hearings will be conducted in an informal manner and discovery will not be allowed. All discussions, statements, or admissions will be confidential to the Party's legal position. The Parties may agree to exchange any information they deem necessary.

**7.4.1** Both Parties must have an authorized representative attend the mediation. Each representative must have the authority to recommend entering into a settlement. Either Party may have attorney(s) or expert(s) present. Upon reasonable demand, either Party may request and receive a list of witnesses and notification whether attorney(s) will be present.

**7.4.2** Any agreements resulting from mediation shall be documented in writing. All mediation results and documentation, by themselves, shall be "non-binding" and inadmissible for any purpose in any legal proceeding, unless such admission is otherwise agreed upon, in writing, by both Parties. Mediators shall not be subject to any subpoena or liability and their actions shall not be subject to discovery.

## **ARTICLE VIII INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**

**8.1 Work for Hire.** All original designs, plans, specifications, reports, documentation, and other informational materials, whether written or readable by machine, originated or prepared exclusively for the City pursuant to this Agreement (Deliverable Materials) is "work for hire" under the United States Copyright law and shall become the sole property of the City and shall be delivered to the City upon request. The Contractor, including its employees, and independent Subcontractor(s), shall not assert any common law or statutory patent, copyright, trademark, or any other intellectual proprietary right to the City to the Deliverable Materials.

**8.2. Rights in Data.** All rights including, but not limited to publication(s), registration of copyright(s), and trademark(s) in the Deliverable Materials, developed by the Contractor, including its employees, agents, talent and independent Subcontractors pursuant to this Agreement are the sole property of the City. The Design Professional, including its employees, agents, talent, and independent Subcontractor(s), may not use any such Deliverable Materials mentioned in this article for purposes unrelated to Design Professional's work on behalf of the City without prior written consent of the City.



**8.3 Intellectual Property Rights Assignment.** Design Professional, its employees, agents, talent, and independent Subcontractor(s) agree to promptly execute and deliver, upon request by City or any of its successors or assigns at any time and without further compensation of any kind, any power of attorney, assignment, application for copyright, patent, trademark or other intellectual property right protection, or other papers or instruments which may be necessary or desirable to fully secure, perfect or otherwise protect to or for the City, its successors and assigns, all right, title and interest in and to the content of the Deliverable Materials; and cooperate and assist in the prosecution of any action or opposition proceeding involving said rights and any adjudication of the same.

**8.4 Moral Rights** Design Professional, its employees, agents, talent, and independent Subcontractor(s) hereby irrevocably and forever waives, and agrees never to assert, any Moral Rights in or to the Deliverable Materials which Design Professional, its employees, agents, talent, and independent Subcontractor(s), may now have or which may accrue to Design Professional, its employees, agents, talent, and independent Subcontractor(s)' benefit under U.S. or foreign copyright laws and any and all other residual rights and benefits which arise under any other applicable law now in force or hereafter enacted. The term "Moral Rights" shall mean any and all rights of paternity or integrity in or to the Deliverable Materials and the right to object to any modification, translation or use of said content, and any similar rights existing under judicial or statutory law of any country in the world or under any treaty, regardless of whether or not such right is denominated or referred to as a moral right.

**8.5 Subcontracting.** In the event that Design Professional utilizes a Subcontractor(s) for any portion of the Work that is in whole or in part of the specified Deliverable Materials to the City, the agreement between Design Professional and the Subcontractor [Subcontractor Agreement] shall include a statement that identifies that the Deliverable Materials/Work product as a "work-for hire" as defined in the Act and that all intellectual property rights in the Deliverable Materials/Work product, whether arising in copyright, trademark, service mark or other belongs to and shall vest solely with the City. Further, the Subcontractor Agreement shall require that the Subcontractor, if necessary, shall grant, transfer, sell and assign, free of charge, exclusively to the City, all titles, rights and interests in and to said Work/Deliverable Materials, including all copyrights and other intellectual property rights. City shall have the right to review any Subcontractor Agreement for compliance with this provision.

**8.6 Publication Design.** Design Professional may not publish or reproduce any Deliverable Materials, for purposes unrelated to Design Professional's work on behalf of the City without prior written consent of the City.

**8.7 Intellectual Property Warranty and Indemnification.** Design Professional represents and warrants that any materials or deliverables, including all Deliverable Materials, provided under this contract are either original, not encumbered and do not infringe upon the copyright, trademark, patent or other intellectual property rights of any third party, or are in the public domain. If Deliverable Materials provided hereunder become the subject of a claim, suit or allegation of copyright, trademark or patent infringement, City shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to require Design Professional to produce, at Design Professional's own expense, new non-infringing materials, deliverables or Works as a means of remedying any claim of infringement in addition to any other remedy available to the City under law or equity. Design Professional further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City, its elected officials, officers, employees and agents from and against any

and all claims, actions, costs, judgments or damages of any type alleging or threatening that any materials, deliverables, supplies, equipment, services, Deliverable Materials, or Works provided under this contract infringe the copyright, trademark, patent or other intellectual property or proprietary rights of any third party (Third Party Claims of Infringement). If a Third Party Claim of Infringement is threatened or made before Design Professional receives payment under this contract, City shall be entitled, upon written notice to Design Professional, to withhold some or all of such payment.

**8.8 Enforcement Costs.** The Design Professional agrees to pay any and all costs the City incurs enforcing the indemnity and defense provisions set forth in Article 8, including but not limited to, attorneys' fees.

## **ARTICLE IX MISCELLANEOUS**

**9.1 Notices.** In all cases where written notice is required under this Agreement, service shall be deemed sufficient if the notice is deposited in the United States mail, postage paid. Proper notice shall be effective on the date it is mailed, unless provided otherwise in this Agreement. For the purpose of this Agreement, unless otherwise agreed in writing, notice to the City shall be addressed to: Planning Department, c/o Melissa Garcia, 202 C Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, MS 413 San Diego, CA 92101 and notice to the Design Professional shall be addressed to: WSP USA Inc., Patti Boekamp, 401 B. Street, Suite 1650, San Diego, CA 92101, pattiboekamp@wsp.com.

**9.2 Headings.** All article headings are for convenience only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement.

**9.3 Non-Assignment.** The Design Professional shall not assign the obligations under this Agreement, whether by express assignment or by sale of the company, nor any monies due or to become due, without the City's prior written approval. Any assignment in violation of this paragraph shall constitute a Default and is grounds for immediate termination of this Agreement, at the sole discretion of the City. In no event shall any putative assignment create a contractual relationship between the City and any putative assignee.

**9.4 Independent Contractors.** The Design Professional and any Subcontractors employed by the Design Professional shall be independent contractors and not agents of the City. Any provisions of this Agreement that may appear to give the City any right to direct the Design Professional concerning the details of performing the Professional Services, or to exercise any control over such performance, shall mean only that the Design Professional shall follow the direction of the City concerning the end results of the performance.

**9.5 Design Professional and Subcontractor Principals for Professional Services.** It is understood that this Agreement is for unique Professional Services. Retention of the Design Professional's Professional Services is based on the particular professional expertise of the following members of the Design Professional's organization: Patti Boekamp, Tara Lake, Gabi Brazzil, Mike Arizabal, Ryan Whipple, David Suls, Kit Powis, Rick Curry, Kay Cheng, Mirand Zhang, Joe De La Garza, Andrina Dominguez, Jennifer Pangborn, Yosef Yip, and Virginia Lingham [Project Team]. Accordingly, performance of Professional Services under this Agreement may not be delegated to other members of the Design Professional's organization or to Subcontractors without the prior written consent of the City. It is mutually agreed that the members of the Project Team are the principal persons responsible for



delivery of all Professional Services and may not be removed from the Project Team without the City's prior written approval. Removal of any member of the Project Team without notice and approval by the City may be considered a default of the terms and conditions of this Agreement by the Design Professional. In the event any member of the Project Team becomes unavailable for any reason, the City must be consulted as to any replacement. If the City does not approve of a proposed replacement, the City may terminate this Agreement pursuant to section 2.6 of this Agreement. Further, the City reserves the right, after consultation with the Design Professional, to require any of the Design Professional's employees or agents to be removed from performance of the Scope of Services.

**9.6 Additional Design Professionals or Contractors.** The City reserves the right to employ, at its own expense, such additional Design Professionals or contractors as the City deems necessary to perform work or to provide the Professional Services in the Scope of Services as described in issued Task Orders.

**9.7 Employment of City Staff.** This Agreement may be unilaterally and immediately terminated by the City, at its sole discretion, if the Design Professional employs an individual who, within the last twelve months immediately preceding such employment did, in the individual's capacity as an officer or employee of the City, participate in, negotiate with, or otherwise have an influence on the recommendation made to the City Council or Mayor in connection with the selection of the Design Professional.

**9.8 Covenants and Conditions.** All provisions of this Agreement, expressed as either covenants or conditions on the part of the City or the Design Professional, shall be deemed to be both covenants and conditions.

**9.9 Compliance with Controlling Law.** The Design Professional shall comply with all laws, ordinances, regulations, and policies of the federal, state, and local governments applicable to this Agreement, including California Labor Code section 1720 relating to the payment of prevailing wages during the design and preconstruction phases of a project, including inspection and land surveying work. In addition, the Design Professional shall comply immediately with all directives issued by the City or its authorized representatives under authority of any laws, statutes, ordinances, rules, or regulations. The laws of the State of California shall govern and control the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

**9.10 Jurisdiction.** The jurisdiction and applicable laws for any suit or proceeding concerning this Agreement, the interpretation or application of any of its terms, or any related disputes shall be in accordance with the laws of the State of California without regard to the conflicts or choice of law provisions thereof.

**9.11 Successors in Interest.** This Agreement and all rights and obligations created by this Agreement shall be in force and effect whether or not any Parties to the Agreement have been succeeded by another entity, and all rights and obligations created by this Agreement shall be vested and binding on any Party's successor in interest.

**9.12 Integration.** This Agreement and the Exhibits and references incorporated into this Agreement fully express all understandings of the Parties concerning the matters covered in this Agreement. No change, alteration, amendment, or modification of the terms or conditions of this Agreement, and no verbal understanding of the Parties, their officers, agents, or employees shall be valid unless made in the form of a written change agreed to in writing by both Parties. All prior negotiations and agreements are merged into this Agreement.

**9.13 Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, which when taken together shall constitute a single signed original as though all Parties had executed the same page.

**9.14 No Waiver.** No failure of either the City or the Design Professional to insist upon the strict performance by the other of any covenant, term or condition of this Agreement, nor any failure to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a breach of any covenant, term, or condition of this Agreement, shall constitute a waiver of any such breach of such covenant, term or condition. No waiver of any breach shall affect or alter this Agreement, and each and every covenant, condition, and term hereof shall continue in full force and effect without respect to any existing or subsequent breach.

**9.15 Severability.** The unenforceability, invalidity, or illegality of any provision of this Agreement shall not render any other provision of this Agreement unenforceable, invalid, or illegal.

**9.16 Municipal Powers.** Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed as a limitation upon the powers of the City as a chartered city of the State of California.

**9.17 Drafting Ambiguities.** The Parties agree that they are aware that they have the right to be advised by counsel with respect to the negotiations, terms and conditions of this Agreement, and the decision of whether or not to seek advice of counsel with respect to this Agreement is a decision which is the sole responsibility of each Party. This Agreement shall not be construed in favor of or against either Party by reason of the extent to which each Party participated in the drafting of the Agreement.

**9.18 Conflicts Between Terms.** If an apparent conflict or inconsistency exists between the main body of this Agreement and the Exhibits, the main body of this Agreement shall control. If a conflict exists between an applicable federal, state, or local law, rule, regulation, order, or code and this Agreement, the law, rule, regulation, order, or code shall control. Varying degrees of stringency among the main body of this Agreement, the Exhibits, and laws, rules, regulations, orders, or codes are not deemed conflicts, and the most stringent requirement shall control. Each Party shall notify the other immediately upon the identification of any apparent conflict or inconsistency concerning this Agreement.

**9.19 Design Professional Evaluation.** City will evaluate Design Professional's performance of Professional Services on the Project using the Consultant Evaluation Form [Exhibit F].

**9.20 Exhibits Incorporated.** All Exhibits referenced in this Agreement are incorporated into the Agreement by this reference.

**9.21 Survival of Obligations.** All representations, indemnifications, warranties and guarantees made in, required by or given in accordance with this Agreement, as well as all continuing obligations indicated in this Agreement, shall survive, completion and acceptance of the Professional Services and termination or completion of the Agreement.

**9.22 Contractor Standards.** This Agreement is subject to the Contractor Standards clause of the Municipal Code Chapter 2, Article 2, Division 30 adopted by Ordinance No. O-20316. All consultants are required to complete the Contractor Standards Pledge of Compliance included herein as Exhibit G.

**9.23 Equal Benefits Ordinance.** Unless an exception applies, Design Professional shall comply with the Equal Benefits Ordinance (EBO) codified in the San Diego Municipal Code (§22.4304(f)). Failure to maintain equal benefits is a material breach of this Agreement. By signing this Agreement, Design Professional certifies that Design Professional is aware of, and will comply with, this City-mandated clause throughout the duration of the Agreement.

**9.24 Public Records.** By Signing this Agreement the Design Professional agrees that it is aware that the contents of this Agreement and any documents pertaining to the performance of the Agreement requirements/Scope of Services resulting from this Agreement are public records, and therefore subject to disclosure unless a specific exemption in the California Public Records Act applies.

If the Design Professional submits information **clearly marked** confidential or proprietary, the City of San Diego (City) may protect such information and treat it with confidentiality only to the extent permitted by law. However, it will be the **responsibility of the Design Professional** to provide to the City the specific legal grounds on which the City can rely in withholding information requested under the California Public Records Act, should the City choose to withhold such information.

General references to sections of the California Public Records Act will not suffice. Rather, the Design Professional must provide a **specific and detailed legal basis, including applicable case law** that **clearly establishes** the requested information is exempt from the disclosure requirements of the California Public Records Act.

If the Design Professional does not provide a specific and detailed legal basis for withholding the requested information within a time specified by the City, the City will release the information as required by the California Public Records Act and the **Design Professional will hold the City harmless** for release of this information.

It will be the **Design Professional's obligation to defend**, at Design Professional's expense, any legal actions or challenges seeking to obtain from the City any information requested under the California Public Records Act withheld by the City at the Design Professional's request. Furthermore, the Design Professional shall **indemnify** the City and **hold it harmless** for any claim or liability, and **defend any action** brought against the City, resulting from the City's refusal to release information requested under the Public Records Act withheld at Design Professional's request.

Nothing in this Agreement creates any obligation for the City to notify the Design Professional or obtain the Design Professional's approval or consent before releasing information subject to disclosure under the California Public Records Act.

**9.25 Equal Pay Ordinance.** Unless an exception applies, Design Professional shall comply with the Equal Pay Ordinance (EPO) codified in the San Diego Municipal Code (SDMC) at section 22.4801 through 22.4809. Design Professional shall require all of its subconsultants to certify compliance with the EPO in their written subcontracts. Design Professional must post a notice informing its employees of their rights under the EPO in their workplace or job site. By signing this Agreement with the City of San Diego, Design Professional acknowledges the EPO requirements and pledges ongoing compliance with the requirements of SDMC Division 48, section 22.4801 et seq., throughout the duration of this Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement is executed by the City of San Diego, acting by and through its Mayor, pursuant to Resolution Number R-316070, authorizing such execution, and by the Design Professional pursuant to WSP USA Inc's signature authority document.

I HEREBY CERTIFY I can legally bind WSP USA Inc. and that I have read all of this Agreement, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

By



Patti Boekamp  
Sr. Vice President

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO  
Mayor or Designee

By



Berric Doringo  
Deputy Director  
Purchasing & Contracting

I HEREBY APPROVE the form of the foregoing Agreement this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

Heather Ferbert, City Attorney

By



Lindsey Sebastian  
Deputy City Attorney

**DESIGN PROFESSIONAL AS-NEEDED**  
**EXHIBITS**

# SCOPE OF SERVICES

## 1.0 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

### 1.1 PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Sustainability and Mobility (SUMO) Department consists of three interconnected divisions: Mobility, Sustainability, and Energy. The Mobility Division furthers the City's goals for equitable, efficient, and effective mobility choices that support residents of all ages and abilities. Within the Mobility Division there are three sections: Regional and Long-Range Mobility Planning, Curb and Parking, and ADA Compliance and Accessibility. The Design Professional awarded this Agreement may be used by the entire Sustainability and Mobility Department. The Design Professional shall provide an array of engineering and planning related services to support the Sustainability and Mobility Department on a per task order basis. At a minimum, the Design Professional must be able to perform services in the anticipated general areas delineated in the scope of service below.

For background information, the SUMO Energy Division oversees the City's energy policies and projects, such as the Zero Emissions Municipal Buildings and Operations Policy and the Zero Net Energy Library Project. The SUMO Sustainability Division leads the implementation of the City's landmark Climate Action Plan (CAP).

Several other City of San Diego Departments collaborate and support SUMO's Work Plan including:

**City Planning Department:** Receives community input on infrastructure improvements and General Plan and community plan policies, and development regulations that accelerate the creation of more homes for people, encourage walking, bicycling, and transit use, protect the environment, improve public spaces and advance social equity. The Department consists of Community

Planning & Housing Policy, Environmental Policy & Public Spaces, and Community Engagement, Work Culture & Operations Divisions.

**Engineering and Capital Projects Department:** provides project services including technical and operational support, engineering, design, and construction management for the Capital Improvements Program (CIP) and the oversight of the development of public infrastructure and facilities, including mobility assets.

**Development Services Department:** provides review, permit, inspection, and code enforcement services for private and public development projects throughout the City. DSD assists with development projects to ensure compliance with all applicable regulations, ensuring all communities continue to be healthy, safe, and livable for all residents, visitors, and businesses.

**Transportation Department:** operates and maintains streets and many aspects of the public right-of-way, including bike facilities, sidewalks, lighting, and trees. Transportation Department also performs traffic engineering design and studies.

## **1.2 PROJECT NEED**

The Sustainability and Mobility Department leads the policy development and implementation of the City's CAP and focuses on interdepartmental and regional coordination to further the City's goal for equitable, efficient, and effective mobility choices for all.

## **1.3 PROJECT SUMMARY**

A mobility planning, engineering, and design professional consultant is needed to support SUMO, and other related Departments, on an as-needed basis. Services require transportation engineering and mobility planning expertise. The Departments will authorize work or services by issuing "task orders." A detailed description of typical tasks is discussed below. Services shall be defined specifically on a project-by-project basis and may not include all the tasks described below. Each task order will be individually defined and negotiated independently in accordance with the Agreement.



**2.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES**

Required services may include:

**2.1 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION**

The Design Professional shall be responsible for project management and administration which may include the following: establish a SharePoint or similar webpage for shared files, develop and manage the project schedule, schedule and lead project meetings, prepare agendas and minutes, oversee and monitor the project budget, prepare billing and progress reports, provide assistance with grant reporting and other grant related deliverables (if applicable).

**2.2 GRANT WRITING**

Design Professional shall provide grant application assistance to City staff which can include researching relevant grant opportunities, compiling, and submitting grant applications, providing assistance with grant reporting and other grant related deliverables, evaluating grant opportunities for current and future mobility projects.

**2.3 MOBILITY STUDIES**

Evaluate existing conditions and conduct comprehensive mobility studies for specific populations, modes, and/or geographies including but not limited to vulnerable populations (persons with disabilities, youth, older adults), vulnerable modes (walking/cycling), goods movement/freight trucks, community planning areas, mobility hubs, schools, etc., and develop recommendations for improvements. This includes case study research, policy or legislative analyses, and peer city review of mobility trends, services, and programs.

**2.4 COLLECT DATA**

Compile and collect existing conditions data along the street network providing for traffic circulation and regional access as well as identified pedestrian and bicycle routes and transit services. Specific information to be collected/compiled

includes traffic collision summaries, average daily traffic (ADT) counts including vehicle classification information, morning, (limited) noon, and evening peak-hour intersection turning movement counts or video counts, including detailed truck, pedestrian and bicycle counts, intersection lane configurations, traffic speed data, existing traffic signal timing data, transit service and ridership data, transit operations and infrastructure information, pedestrian and bike facilities information, origin-destination, vehicle charging information, and curb utilization/parking information. This may include data from large data sources. As needed, provide all necessary existing traffic counts to calibrate the travel forecast model to be used for specific projects.

## **2.5 ASSESS EXISTING CONDITIONS AND MOBILITY**

Conduct mobility assessment studies of existing conditions. Note that GIS proficiency is expected to collect data, conduct analysis, and summarize/display/map data and analysis for reports and plans. This entails, but is not limited to, the following:

### **2.5.1 PEDESTRIAN FACILITIES**

Evaluate pedestrian safety, sidewalks, ADA accessibility and compliance, connectivity, walkability, and quality of service at key intersections and roadway segments along identified pedestrian routes selected in consultation with City staff. This may include updating the City's Pedestrian Priority Model with current datasets, walkshed, and pedestrian environment quality evaluation (PEQE).

### **2.5.2 BICYCLE AND MICROMOBILITY FACILITIES**

Evaluate bicycle and micro-mobility needs, accessibility, safety, connectivity, convenience, and level of service at key intersections and key roadway segments along identified bicycle routes. This may include updating the City's Bicycle Priority Model with current datasets, bikeshed and Level of Traffic Stress (LTS) analysis and may include observations of reoccurring violations and recommendations.

### **2.5.3 TRANSIT AND MICROTRANSIT FACILITIES**

Measure the effectiveness and level of service of transit serving infrastructure, transit service/s, and transit performance. Evaluate transit accessibility and transit/land use linkages.

**2.5.4 TRAFFIC CIRCULATION AND OPERATIONS**

Analyze vehicular traffic circulation and regional accessibility and evaluate safety, capacity, efficiency, traffic control devices, and levels of service at key roadway segments and intersections along identified traffic circulation corridors for daily and morning, (limited) mid-day, and evening peak period conditions. The analysis should include transportation system performance measures including system and corridor delays, travel times, queuing, and stops.

**2.5.5 GOODS MOVEMENT**

Evaluate the transportation infrastructure serving truck traffic circulation and accessibility needs.

**2.5.6 CURB AND PARKING**

Inventory and evaluate curb utilization including parking, loading, commercial delivery, truck route compliance, etc. Evaluate current parking conditions, assess on-street and off-street parking demand and supply, and conduct forecasting on future parking demand. This analysis may include an evaluation of costs associated with parking.

**2.5.7 MOBILITY CHARGING**

Support curbside EV and micro-mobility charging and other zero emissions vehicle technology and infrastructure needs.

**2.6 IDENTIFY OPPORTUNITIES AND CONSTRAINTS**

Identify opportunities and constraints with respect to pedestrian, bicycle and automobile modes, parking, and truck access. Work with SANDAG and MTS to identify opportunities and constraints with respect to transit service and shared

mobility services (e.g., microtransit, shared micromobility, ridehail, carshare, etc.)

**2.7 DEVELOP TRAVEL FORECASTING MODEL**

Review existing and future land use and transportation network. This includes roadway classifications, intersection and roadway segment lane configurations, traffic controls, transit routes, bicycle facilities, pedestrian facilities and connections and land use inputs in the travel forecasting model for the base year, build-out year, and any alternative scenarios. Calibrate and run the model for the study area through SANDAG, in house or qualified subconsultant. Support off-model development to evaluate the impacts of modes, programs, and policies that cannot be evaluated on-model including shared mobility, transportation demand management, etc.

**2.8 PROVIDE CONCEPTUAL STREETScape DESIGN**

Prepare conceptual streetscape designs including, but not limited to, conceptual up to 30 percent design plans; 3-D perspectives; plan views; layouts; cross sections of traveled way, sidewalk, and parkway; as needed; to illustrate identified improvements that will be included in planning documents. These may be digital renderings, videos, or a combination of other mixed media methods.

**2.9 PREPARE PLANNING LEVEL COST ESTIMATES FOR PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS**

Prepare planning level cost estimates for mobility programs and projects. Cost estimates may include the following: description of improvement project or program, quantity of each material needed (using standard US metrics), unit cost (without soft cost), utility conflicts, and the level of environmental work that would be required for project implementation. As necessary, conduct a field investigation to understand what would be involved in implementing each particular improvement project including but not limited to, an understanding of right-of-way (ROW) property lines, land acquisition, relocation of structure/s, drainage, underground utilities, and any other information needed to estimate the cost and next steps in implementing the improvements.

**2.10 DRAFT MOBILITY STUDIES AND PLANS**

Develop and draft studies, plans, reports, programs, or projects including goals, policies, text, tables, maps, and other graphics. These studies and plans include but may not be limited to:

- Active Transportation Plans,
- Corridor Plans,
- Transportation Demand Management Plans, and
- Mobility Elements of Community Plan Updates.

**2.11 ANALYZE FUTURE CONDITIONS**

Analyze future conditions pertaining to pedestrian facilities, bicycle facilities, transit facilities, vehicular traffic circulation, parking, vehicle miles traveled (VMT), and mode share.

**2.12 CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACT ANALYSIS AND RESILIENCE PLANNING**

Analyze impacts to the mobility network from climate change (e.g. sea level rise, storm surge, extreme heat, precipitation) and other hazards (e.g. earthquakes); perform network redundancy and evacuation analysis; develop and evaluate climate adaptation strategies for all modes to ensure long-term resilience of the City's transportation infrastructure; perform as-needed analysis or literature reviews to support implementation of mobility-related adaptation strategies outlined in Climate Resilient SD.

**2.13 ANALYZE TRANSPORTATION RELATED CEQA IMPACTS**

Provide all necessary analysis, text, and tables to satisfy CEQA requirements for the transportation sections of the environmental document/s for community plan updates, community plan amendments or multimodal mobility studies.

**2.14 PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING UP TO 30% DESIGN DOCUMENTS**

Develop preliminary engineering analysis including but not limited to identifying project locations, design concepts, and related activities needed to

progress a capital improvement project from the planning phase to the design phase. In addition to preliminary engineering, engineering design documents up to the 30% design phase shall be prepared in accordance with City standards.

**2.15 QUICK BUILD, SLOW STREETS, TACTICAL URBANISM**

Develop short-term, low-cost, and scalable improvements and policies to catalyze long term and permanent mobility infrastructure. Include text for set up, data collection, design, analysis, and materials.

**2.16 CONDUCT PUBLIC OUTREACH**

Conduct public outreach activities for transportation-related projects. This could include, but is not limited to, developing a public outreach plan, preparing presentation materials and presentations, providing field presentations or demonstrations, and providing services as a facilitator.

**2.17 NEW TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATIVE CONCEPTS**

Conduct planning studies, systems engineering, and strategic advisory services to evaluate new mobility technologies which may improve analysis, reporting, safety, efficiency, accessibility, and mobility. Support the development of studies or pilot that utilize innovative technologies to advance the City's mobility goals including dynamic pricing, curb management, intelligent transportation systems, connected and autonomous vehicles, last mile delivery, and more.

**2.18 TRANSPORTATION DEMAND MANAGEMENT AND SHARED MOBILITY DEVICES**

Conduct studies, assessments, and support planning for transportation demand management and shared mobility services in the City of San Diego. This could include transportation demand management plans, mobility service analyses, market feasibility studies, and design for a variety of transportation services or programs including shared mobility services (microtransit, micromobility, carshare, ridehail), TDM, and transportation incentive programs.

**2.19 POLICY AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT**

Assist City staff develop and analyze new and existing mobility policies and programs.

**2.20 TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING SERVICES**

Under the general supervision of the City Mayor or his designated representatives, Design Professional shall provide as-needed professional transportation engineering services by task orders on an hourly basis. Transportation engineering services include, but are not necessarily limited to, vehicular and traffic improvements such as design pavement sections, sidewalks, turn pockets, traffic signals, street lighting, signage and striping, curbs and gutters, landscaping, guardrails, pedestrian and bicycle ramps and pavement widening and/or replacement, bridge inspection and minor design services. Services may also include preparation of drainage studies and traffic control plans, design of storm drainage improvement, traffic calming, roundabouts, bike facilities, bike design guidelines, street design manual updates, minor underground utility (wet and dry) relocation/upgrades and ADA upgrades or other environmental studies or reports as needed to complete the tasks. Other system wide services may also include asset inventory, condition assessment, life-cycle analysis, or other asset management studies, reports, or feasibility analysis.

**END OF SCOPE OF SERVICES**

## TASK ORDER AUTHORIZATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES [TASK ORDER]

**Consultant:**

**Agreement:**

**Task Order No.:**

**Date:**

Pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of the Agreement referenced above and incorporated into this Task Order, Consultant hereby agrees to perform the Professional Services described below. The Consultant shall furnish all necessary facilities, materials, and professional, technical, and supporting personnel required by this Task Order.

### Part A Scope of Services

1.1 Professional Services rendered under this Task Order shall be performed in accordance with the Agreement. The Scope of Services shall be as set forth in Exhibit A of the Agreement and as more fully set forth below. If necessary, the Scope of Services may be more fully described on one or more separate sheets and attached to this Task Order.

### Part B Task Order Compensation

City shall pay Consultant for the Professional Services required by this Task Order in accordance with Article III of the Agreement. The not to exceed cost for the Scope of Services for this Task Order is \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

### Part C Personnel Commitment

1.1 The Scope of Services shall be performed by Consultant's personnel in the number and classifications required by City.

1.2 Subcontractor Participation. The City has incorporated mandatory SLBE-ELBE subcontractor participation percentages to enhance competition and maximize subcontracting opportunities. The mandatory subcontractor participation percentages based upon certified SLBE and ELBE firms has also been provided to achieve the mandatory subcontractor participation percentages or meet the:

1. SLBE participation X.X%
2. ELBE participation X.X%
3. Total mandatory participation X.X%

### Part D Time Sequence

All Professional Services to be performed under this Task Order shall be completed by \_\_\_\_\_, and as set forth in the Task Order Scope of Services.

**City of San Diego**

**Consultant**

Recommended For Approval:

I hereby acknowledge receipt and acceptance of this Task Order for:

Approved By:

By:

Name:

Title:

Date:



## COMPENSATION AND FEE SCHEDULE

Position/Title	Rate/Hour
Intern	\$100.00
Planning Technician	\$110.00
Engineering Technician	\$110.00
Project Assistant	\$110.00
Associate Planner	\$130.00
Associate Planner 2	\$135.00
Associate Planner 3	\$145.00
Civil Engineer	\$145.00
Senior Structural Engineer	\$155.00
Civil Engineer 2	\$160.00
Outreach Facilitator	\$160.00
Financial Analyst	\$165.00
Senior Planner	\$165.00
Urban Designer 1	\$165.00
Civil Engineer 3	\$170.00
Senior Civil Engineer	\$180.00
Senior Planner 2	\$185.00
Senior Traffic Engineer	\$190.00
Senior Civil Engineer 2	\$195.00
Senior Geotechnical Engineer	\$205.00
Senior Planner 3	\$215.00
Urban Designer 2	\$215.00
Lead Civil Engineer	\$230.00
Lead Civil Engineer 2	\$235.00
Principal Construction Engineer	\$245.00
Senior Supv Planner	\$250.00
Senior Supv Planner 2	\$255.00
Principal Geotechnical Engineer	\$270.00
Senior Supv Planner 3	\$275.00
Principal Planner	\$295.00
Principal Traffic Engineer	\$305.00
Principal Economics/Buildings	\$320.00
SVP, Planning (Contract Manager)	\$325.00
Principal Construction Estimator	\$330.00
VP, Civil Engineering	\$330.00
SVP, Civil Engineering (Task Order Manager)	\$360.00
Principal Mang/Practice Leader	\$385.00

**NOTE:**

- Mileage reimbursement rate will be at current City of San Diego mileage rate (mileage log required).
- Travel expenses for the lowest cost effective Air Fare, Train, and/or Car Rental, will be reimbursed at actual costs (receipts required).
- Lodging and Per Diem will be reimbursed at actual costs (receipts required) up to the maximum allowance for the San Diego area as published/posted on the U.S. General Services Administration website (<http://www.gsa.gov/portal/category/100120>).
- All subconsultant costs are reimbursed as a "direct expense" at actual costs (invoice/receipts required).
- A request for an annual rate adjustment must be submitted to the City of San Diego in writing for approval. Written justification for the rate adjustment must be submitted to the City of San Diego a minimum of 60 days before the Agreement anniversary date. Said proposed adjustment shall not exceed three percent (3%), and the City of San Diego must approve any rate adjustments in writing before they become effective.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CONTRACTING PROGRAM (EOCP)

## CONSULTANT REQUIREMENTS

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- I. **City's Equal Opportunity Commitment.** The City of San Diego (City) is strongly committed to equal opportunity for employees and Subcontractors of Consultants doing business with the City. The City encourages its Consultants to share this commitment. Consultants are encouraged to take positive steps to diversify and expand their Subcontractor solicitation base and to offer consulting opportunities to all eligible Subcontractors. Consultants are encouraged to take positive steps to diversify and expand their subcontractor and supplier solicitation base and to offer opportunities to all eligible business firms.

*Failure to submit the required EOCP documentation indicated below shall result in a determination of the Consultant being non-responsive.*

- II. **Nondiscrimination in Contracting Ordinance.** All Consultants doing business with the City, and their Subcontractors, must comply with requirements of the City's *Nondiscrimination in Contracting Ordinance*, San Diego Municipal Code Sections 22.3501 through 22.3517.

- A. **Disclosure of Discrimination Complaints (Attachment AA).** As part of its bid or proposal, Consultant shall provide to the City a list of all instances within the past ten (10) years where a complaint was filed or pending against Consultant in a legal or administrative proceeding alleging that Consultant discriminated against its employees, Subcontractors, vendors, or suppliers, and a description of the status or resolution of that complaint, including any remedial action taken.
- B. **Contract Language.** The following language shall be included in contracts for City projects between the Consultant and any Subcontractors, vendors, and suppliers:

Contractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, gender expression, gender identity, religion, national origin, ethnicity, sexual orientation, age, or disability in the solicitation, selection, hiring, or treatment of subcontractors, vendors, or suppliers. Consultant shall provide equal

opportunity for Subcontractors to participate in opportunities. Consultant understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in contract termination, debarment, or other sanctions.

- C. Contract Disclosure Requirements. Upon the City's request, Consultant agrees to provide to the City, within sixty (60) calendar days, a truthful and complete list of the names of all Subcontractors, vendors, and suppliers that Consultant has used in the past five (5) years on any of its contracts that were undertaken within County of San Diego, including the total dollar amount paid by Consultant for each subcontract or supply contract. Consultant further agrees to fully cooperate in any investigation conducted by the City pursuant to the City's Nondiscrimination in Contracting Ordinance, Municipal Code Sections 22.3501 through 22.3517. Consultant understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in remedies being ordered against the Consultant up to and including contract termination, debarment and other sanctions.

**III. Equal Employment Opportunity Outreach Program.** Consultants shall comply with requirements of San Diego Municipal Code Sections 22.2701 through 22.2707. Consultants shall submit with their proposal a Work Force Report for approval by the Program Manager of the City of San Diego Equal Opportunity Contracting Program (EOCP).

- A. Nondiscrimination in Employment. Consultant shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment on any basis prohibited by law. Contractor shall provide equal opportunity in all employment practices. Consultants shall ensure that their subcontractors comply with this program. Nothing in this Section shall be interpreted to hold a Consultant liable for any discriminatory practice of its subcontractors.
- B. Work Force Report. If based on a review of the Work Force Report (Attachment BB) submitted an EOCP staff Work Force Analysis determines there are under representations when compared to County Labor Force Availability data, then the Consultant will also be required to submit an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Plan to the Program Manager of the City of San Diego Equal Opportunity Contracting Program (EOCP) for approval.
- C. Equal Employment Opportunity Plan. If an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan is required, the Program Manager of EOCP will provide a list of plan requirements to Consultant.

**IV. Small and Local Business Program Requirements.** The City has adopted a Small and Local Business Enterprise (SLBE) program for consultant contracts. SLBE program requirements for consultant contracts are set forth in San Diego Municipal Code Division 36.

- A. SLBE and ELBE Participation for Contracts Valued Over \$500,000.
1. It is the City's policy to encourage greater availability, capacity development, and contract participation by SLBE and ELBE firms in City contracts. This policy is, in part, intended to further the City's compelling interest to stimulate economic development through the support and empowerment of the local community, ensure that it is neither an active nor passive participant in marketplace discrimination, and promote equal opportunity for all segments of the contracting community.
  2. Proposers are required to meet the mandatory subcontracting participation percentages identified in the Task Order or meet Good Faith Effort (GFE) submittal requirements. GFE submittal requirements can be found here:

<https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/eoc/pdf/slbegfeinst.pdf>.



- a) Failure to meet the mandatory goal or GFE submittal requirements may render Task Order to be rejected as non-responsive and ineligible for further consideration.

- 3. The current list of certified SLBE-ELBE firms can be found here:

<http://www.sandiego.gov/eoc/programs/slbe.shtml>

**B. Subcontractor Participation.**

- 1. For the purpose of satisfying subcontracting participation requirements, only **1st** tier SLBE-ELBE Subcontractors will be recognized as participants in the Contract according to the following criteria:
  - a) For credit to be allowed toward a respective participation level, all listed SLBE-ELBE firms shall have been certified by the Proposal due date.
  - b) The Subcontractor shall perform a commercially useful function for credit to be allowed toward subcontractor participation levels. The Subcontractor shall be required by you to be responsible for the execution of a distinct element of the Work and shall carry out its responsibility by actually performing and supervising its own workforce.

- C. Subcontractor Participation List. The Subcontractor Participation List (Attachment CC) shall indicate the Name and Address, Scope of Services, Percent of Total Proposed Contract Amount, Certification Status and Where Certified for each proposed Subcontractor/Subconsultant.

- D. List of Work Made Available. The Proposer shall take the steps listed in the Good Faith Effort (GFE) submittal requirements to assure that SLBE-ELBEs are used whenever possible. In addition to the specified GFE documentation, the Proposer shall submit List of Work Made Available (Attachment DD Form AA60).

**V. Maintaining Participation Levels.**

- A. Consultants are required to achieve and maintain the SLBE or ELBE participation levels throughout the duration of the consultant contract.
- B. If the City modifies the original specifications, the Consultant shall make reasonable efforts to maintain the SLBE or ELBE participation for which the bid discount or additional points were awarded. The City must approve in writing the reduction in SLBE or ELBE participation levels.
- C. The Consultant shall notify and obtain written approval from the City in advance of any reduction in subcontract scope, termination, or substitution for a designated SLBE or ELBE subcontractor. Evidence of fraud or discrimination in the substitution of Subcontractors will result in sanctions including assessment of penalty fines, termination of Contract, or debarment.
- D. Consultant's failure to maintain SLBE or ELBE participation levels as specified in the consultant contract shall constitute a default and grounds for debarment under Chapter 2, Article 2, Division 8, of the San Diego Municipal Code.
- E. The remedies available to the City under San Diego Municipal Code Division 36 are cumulative to all other rights and remedies available to the City.

## VI. Subcontracting Efforts Review and Evaluation.

1. Documentation of your subcontracting efforts will be reviewed by EOCP to verify that you made subcontracting opportunities available to a broad base of qualified Subcontractors, negotiated in good faith with interested Subcontractors, and did not reject any bid for unlawful discriminatory reasons. The EOCP review is based on the federal "Six Good Faith Efforts" model.
2. The GFEs are required methods to ensure that all ELBE and SLBE firms have had the opportunity to compete for the City's consultant procurements. The Six Good Faith Efforts, also known as affirmative steps, attract and utilize ELBE and SLBE firms:
  - a) Ensure ELBE firms are made aware of contracting opportunities to the fullest extent practicable through outreach and recruitment activities.
  - b) Make information of forthcoming opportunities available to SLBE-ELBE firms and arrange time for Contracts and establish delivery schedules, where requirements permit, in a way that encourages and facilitates participation by SLBE-ELBE firms in the competitive process. This includes posting solicitations for proposals to SLBE-ELBE firms for a minimum of 10 Working Days before the Proposal due date.
  - c) Consider in the contracting process whether firms competing for large Contracts could subcontract with SLBE-ELBE firms.
  - d) Encourage contracting with a consortium of ELBE-SLBE firms when a Contract is too large for one of these firms to handle individually.
  - e) Use the services and assistance of the City's EOC Office and the SLBE-ELBE Directory.
  - f) If you award subcontracts, require your Subcontractors to take the steps listed above.

## VII. Definitions.

**Commercially Useful Function:** a Small Local Business Enterprise or Emerging Local Business Enterprise (SLBE/ELBE) performs a commercially useful function when it is responsible for execution of the work and is carrying out its responsibilities by actually performing, managing, and supervising the work involved. To perform a commercially useful function, the SLBE/ELBE shall also be responsible, with respect to materials and supplies used on the contract, for negotiating price, determining quantity and quality, ordering the material, and installing (where applicable) and paying for the material itself.

To determine whether an SLBE/ELBE is performing a commercially useful function, an evaluation will be performed of the amount of work subcontracted, normal industry practices, whether the amount the SLBE/ELBE firm is to be paid under the contract is commensurate with the work it is actually performing and the SLBE/ELBE credit claimed for its performance of the work, and other relevant factors. Specifically, a SLBE/ELBE does not perform a commercially useful function if its role is limited to that of an extra participant in a transaction, contract, or project through which funds are passed in order to obtain the appearance of meaningful and useful SLBE/ELBE participation, when in similar transactions in which SLBE-ELBE firms do not participate, there is no such role performed.

**Good Faith Efforts (GFE):** documentation of the Proposer's intent to comply with SLBE Program goals and procedures included in the City's SLBE Program, Instructions for Completing Good Faith Effort Submittal available from the City's EOCP website or the Contract Specialist.

**Independently Owned, Managed, and Operated** Ownership of a SLBE-ELBE firm shall be direct, independent, and by individuals only. Business firms that are owned by other businesses or by the principals or owners of other businesses that cannot themselves qualify under the SLBE-

ELBE eligibility requirements shall not be eligible to participate in the Program. Moreover, the day-to-day management of the SLBE-ELBE firm shall be direct and independent of the influence of any other businesses that cannot themselves qualify under the SLBE-ELBE eligibility requirements.

**Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE):** a certified business that is (1) at least fifty-one (51%) owned by socially and economically Disadvantaged Individuals, or, in the case of a publicly owned business at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock is owned by one or more socially and economically Disadvantaged Individuals; and (2) whose daily business operations are managed and directed by one or more socially and economically disadvantaged owners. Disadvantaged Individuals include Black Americans, Hispanic Americans, Asian Americans, and other minorities, or individual found to be disadvantaged by the Small Business Administration pursuant to Section 8 of the Small Business Reauthorization Act.

**Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE):** a certified business that is (1) at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one or more disabled veterans; and (2) business operations must be managed and controlled by one or more disabled veterans. Disabled Veteran is a veteran of the U.S. military, naval, or air service; the veteran must have a service-connected disability or at least 10% or more; and the veteran must reside in California. The firm shall be certified by the State of California's Department of General Services, Office of Small and Minority Business.

**Emerging Business Enterprise (EBE):** a business whose gross annual receipts do not exceed the amount set by the City Manager, and which meets all other criteria set forth in the regulations implementing the City's Small and Local Business Preference Program. The City Manager shall review the threshold amount for EBEs on an annual basis, and adjust as necessary to reflect changes in the marketplace.

**Emerging Local Business Enterprise (ELBE):** a Local Business Enterprise that is also an Emerging Business Enterprise.

**Local Business Enterprise (LBE):** a firm having a Principal Place of Business and a Significant Employment Presence in San Diego County, California, that has been in operation for 12 consecutive months and a valid business tax certificate. This definition is subsumed within the definition of Small Local Business Enterprise.

**Minority Business Enterprise (MBE):** a certified business that is (1) at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one or more minority individuals, or, in the case of a publicly owned business at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock is owned by one or more minority individuals; and (2) whose daily business operations are managed and directed by one or more minorities owners. Minorities include the groups with the following ethnic origins: African, Asian Pacific, Asian Subcontinent, Hispanic, Native Alaskan, Native American, and Native Hawaiian.

**Other Business Enterprise (OBE):** any business which does not otherwise qualify as Minority, Woman, Disadvantaged or Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise.

**Principal Place of Business:** a location wherein a firm maintains a physical office and through which it obtains no less than fifty percent (50%) of its overall customers or sales dollars.

**Significant Employee Presence:** no less than twenty-five percent (25%) of a business's total number of employees are domiciled in San Diego County.

**Small Business Enterprise (SBE):** a business whose gross annual receipts do not exceed the amount set by the City Manager, and that meets all other criteria set forth in regulations implementing the City's Small and Local Business Preference Program. The City Manager shall review the threshold amount for SBEs on an annual basis, and adjust as necessary to reflect

changes in the marketplace. A business certified as a DVBE by the State of California, and that has provided proof of such certification to the City Manager, shall be deemed to be an SBE.

**Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE):** a Local Business Enterprise that is also a Small Business Enterprise.

**Women Business Enterprise (WBE):** a certified business that is (1) at least fifty-one percent (51 %) owned by a woman or women, or, in the case of a publicly owned business at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock is owned by one or more women; and (2) whose daily business operations are managed and directed by one or more women owners.

#### **VIII. Certifications.**

The City accepts certifications of MBE, WBE, DBE or DVBE from the following certifying agencies:

Current certification by the State of California Department of Transportation (CALTRANS) as DBE, WBE or MBE.

Current certification by the California Unified Certification Program as DBE, WBE or MBE.

Current MBE or WBE certification from the California Public Utilities Commission.

DVBE certification is received from the State of California's Department of General Services, Office of Small and Minority Business.

Current certification by the City of Los Angeles as DBE, WBE or MBE.

Current certification by the U.S. Small Business Association as SDB, WOSB, SDVOSB, or Hubzone.

Subcontractors' valid proof of certification status e.g., copy of MBE, WBE, DBE, or DVBE certification must be submitted with RFP. MBE, WBE, DBE, or DVBE certifications are listed for informational purposes only.

#### **IX. List of Attachments.**

- AA. Disclosure of Discrimination Complaints**
- BB. Work Force Report**
- CC. Subcontractors List**
- DD. List of Work Made Available Form AA60**



## DISCLOSURE OF DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINTS

As part of its proposal, the Consultant must provide to the City a list of all instances within the past 10 years where a complaint was filed or pending against the Consultant in a legal or administrative proceeding alleging that Consultant discriminated against its employees, subcontractors, vendors or suppliers, and a description of the status or resolution of that complaint, including any remedial action taken.

CHECK ONE BOX ONLY.

- ☐ The undersigned certifies that within the past 10 years the Consultant has NOT been the subject of a complaint or pending action in a legal administrative proceeding alleging that Consultant discriminated against its employees, subcontractors, vendors or suppliers.
- ☒ The undersigned certifies that within the past 10 years the Consultant has been the subject of a complaint or pending action in a legal administrative proceeding alleging that Consultant discriminated against its employees, subcontractors, vendors or suppliers. A description of the status or resolution of that complaint, including any remedial action taken and the applicable dates is as follows:

DATE OF CLAIM	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION OF CLAIM	LITIGATION (Y/N)	STATUS	RESOLUTION/REMEDIAL ACTION TAKEN
2/6/2014	Texas	EEOC charge alleging discrimination	N	Settled	Settled
8/26/2014	Pennsylvania	EEOC charge alleging discrimination.	N	Settled	Settled
12/08/2014	Illinois	EEOC charge alleging discrimination.	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
1/10/2015	New York	EEOC charge filed alleging discrimination.	N	Settled	Settled
9/1/2015	Pennsylvania	EEOC charge alleging discrimination.	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
2/19/2016	South Carolina	EEOC charge alleging discrimination.	Y	Settled	Settled
9/12/2016	District of Columbia	Jointly filed charge with EEOC and Office of Human Rights, Washington, D.C. alleging discrimination.	Y	Settled	Settled
11/14/2016	California	Charge with the California Department of Employment & Fair Housing alleging discrimination.	N	Settled	Settled
1/3/2017	California	EEOC charge filed alleging discrimination.	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
3/15/2017	California	Complaint filed in civil court alleging discrimination.	Y	Settled	Settled
5/1/2018	New York	EEOC charge alleging discrimination.	N	Settled	Settled
5/2/2018	New York	Charge filed with the New York State Division of Human Rights, by a non-	N	Settled	Settled

		WSP contractor employee, alleging discrimination.			
11/13/2018	California	Charge filed with the California Department of Fair Employment & Housing alleging discrimination.	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
11/16/2018	California	Charge filed with the California Department of Fair Employment & Housing alleging discrimination	Y	Settled	Settled
11/27/2018	California	EEOC/California Department of Fair Employment & Housing charge alleging discrimination	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
11/28/2018	New York	EEOC/New York State Division of Human Rights charge alleging discrimination.	N	Settled	Settled
2/5/2019	California	EEOC/California Department of Fair Employment & Housing charge alleging discrimination	N	Settled	Settled
8/30/2019	California	EEOC/California Department of Fair Employment & Housing charge alleging discrimination	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
9/27/2019	Texas	EEOC/Texas Workforce Commission Civil Rights Division Charge alleging discrimination	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
12/18/2019	Louisiana	EEOC charge alleging discrimination	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
2/18/2020	Texas	Charge filed with Texas Workforce Commission-Civil Rights Division alleging discrimination	N	Settled	Settled
10/20/2020	Texas	Charged filed with Texas Workforce Commission-Civil Rights Division alleging discrimination	N	Settled	Settled
3/4/2021	Texas	Pro se civil complaint filed by subcontractor's employee containing vague allegations of harassment	Y	Settled	Settled**  **This matter was filed in the District Court of Chambers County, TX, but the allegation is not related to discrimination
3/11/2021	Washington	Employee made complaint with DOL alleging her termination of employment was discriminatory against her due to her military service	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
2/14/2020	Texas	Former employee filed a complaint with Texas Workforce Commission on Civil Rights alleging discrimination	N	Withdrawn	Withdrawn

5/24/2021	Utah	Former employee filed a charge with the Utah Anti-Discrimination & Labor Division and EEOC alleging discrimination	N	Dismissed	Dismissed
5/27/2021	Massachusetts	Former employee filed a charge with the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination alleging discrimination	N	Settled	Settled
10/13/2021	New Jersey	Former employee filed a complaint with the Superior Court of New Jersey in Morris County, alleging discrimination	Y	Pending	Pending
2/17/2022	Florida	Former employee filed a charge with the Florida Commission on Human Relations	N	Withdrawn	Withdrawn
5/11/2022	Pennsylvania	Former employee filed a charge with the Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas, alleging discrimination	Y	Settled	Settled
8/19/2022	Arizona	Former employee filed a charge with the Arizona Attorney General's Office, Civil Rights Division, alleging discrimination	N	Pending	Pending
1/1/2023	District of Columbia	Subcontractor's employee filed a claim with the US District Court for the District of Columbia Greenbelt Division alleging discrimination	Y	Pending	Pending
4/4/2023	New Jersey	Former employee filed a claim with the NJ Division of Human Rights, alleging discrimination	N	Pending	Pending
9/14/2023	Washington Stein	Former employee filed a claim in King County Superior Court, alleging discrimination	Y	Pending	Pending
6/8/2023	New Jersey Chadwick	Former employee filed a charge with the Pennsylvania Human Rights Commission, alleging discrimination	N	Pending	Pending
6/14/2023	Florida	Former employee filed a charge with the Florida Commission on Human Rights, alleging discrimination	N	Pending	Pending
8/14/2023	New Jersey	Former employee filed a charge with the New Jersey Division of Human Rights, alleging discrimination	N	Pending	Pending

11/30/2023	Raleigh	Former employee filed a charge with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission alleging discrimination.	N	Pending	Pending
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Consultant Name	WSP USA Inc.
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Certified By Patti Boekamp Title Senior Director | Local Business Leader

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature John Brooks

Signature

Date January 18, 2024

**USE ADDITIONAL FORMS AS NECESSARY**

The City of

**EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CONTRACTING (EOC)**

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**A. WORK FORCE REPORT**

The objective of the *Equal Employment Opportunity Outreach Program*, San Diego Municipal Code Sections 22.3501 through 22.3517, is to ensure that contractors doing business with the City, or receiving funds from the City, do not engage in unlawful discriminatory employment practices prohibited by State and Federal law. Such employment practices include, but are not limited to unlawful discrimination in the following: employment, promotion or upgrading, demotion or transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination, rate of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training, including apprenticeship. Contractors are required to provide a completed *Work Force Report (WFR)*.

**NO OTHER FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED  
CONTRACTOR IDENTIFICATION**

Type of Contractor: ☐ Construction ☐ Vendor/Supplier ☐ Financial Institution ☐ Lessee/Lessor  
☒ Consultant ☐ Grant Recipient ☐ Insurance Company ☐ Other

Name of Company: WSP USA Inc.ADA/DBA: Not ApplicableAddress (Corporate Headquarters, where applicable): One Penn Plaza, 4th FloorCity: New York County: New York State: New York Zip: 10119Telephone Number: (212) 465-5000 Fax Number: (212) 465-5096Name of Company CEO: Lou Cornell

Address(es), phone and fax number(s) of company facilities located in San Diego County (if different from above):

Address: 401 B Street., Suite 1650City: San Diego County: San Diego State: California Zip: 92101Telephone Number: (619) 338-9376 Fax Number: N/A Email: Patti.Boekamp@wsp.comType of Business: Corporation Type of License: CorporationThe Company has appointed: Martha Alongi

As its Equal Employment Opportunity Officer (EEOO). The EEOO has been given authority to establish, disseminate and enforce equal employment and affirmative action policies of this company. The EEOO may be contacted at:

Address: 5411 Skycenter Driver, Suite 650, Tampa, FL 33607Telephone Number: 813) 712-5062 Fax Number: (717) 859-7900 Email: eeo@wsp.com

- ☒ One San Diego County (or Most Local County) Work Force - Mandatory  
☐ Branch Work Force \*  
☐ Managing Office Work Force

*Check the box above that applies to this WFR.*

*\*Submit a separate Work Force Report for all participating branches. Combine WFRs if more than one branch per county.*

I, the undersigned representative of WSP USA Inc.

(Firm Name)

San Diego, CA, California hereby certify that information provided

(County)

(State)

herein is true and correct. This document was executed on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2024

(Authorized Signature)

Patti Boekamp

(Print Authorized Signature Name)

## WORK FORCE REPORT – Page 2

NAME OF FIRM: WSP USA Inc.

DATE: January 18, 2024

OFFICE(S) or BRANCH(ES): San Diego

COUNTY: San Diego

1. INSTRUCTIONS: For each occupational category, indicate number of males and females in every ethnic group. Total columns in row provided. Sum of all totals should be equal to your total work force. Include all those employed by your company on either a full or part-time basis. The following groups are to be included in ethnic categories listed in columns below:

(1) Black or African-American

(2) Hispanic or Latino

(3) Asian

(4) American Indian or Alaska Native

(5) Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

(6) White

(7) Other race/ethnicity; not falling into other groups

Definitions of the race and ethnicity categories can be found on Page 4

ADMINISTRATION OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY	(1) African American		(2) Hispanic or Latino		(3) Asian		(4) American Indian/ Nat. Alaskan		(5) Pacific Islander		(6) White		(7) Other Ethnicity	
	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)	(M)	(F)
Management & Financial	2	2	4	4	11	4	0	0	0	0	51	38	4	4
Professional	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	2
A&E, Science, Computer	0	1	11	4	6	7	0	0	0	0	53	39	6	4
Technical	0	0	2	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	31	11	6	2
Sales	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Administrative Support	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	4
Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crafts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operative Workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laborers*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

\*Construction laborers and other field employees are not to be included on this page

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Grand Total All Employees

341

Indicate by Gender and Ethnicity the Number of Above Employees Who Are Disabled:

Disabled	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	4	1	1
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Non-Profit Organizations Only:

Board of Directors														
Volunteers														
Artists														



## Work Force Report

### HISTORY

The Work Force Report (WFR) is the document that allows the City of San Diego to analyze the work forces of all firms wishing to do business with the City. We are able to compare the firm's work force data to County Labor Force Availability (CLFA) data derived from the United States Census. CLFA data is a compilation of lists of occupations and includes the percentage of each ethnicity we track (American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, Black or African-American, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, White, and Other) for each occupation. Currently, our CLFA data is taken from the 2010 Census. In order to compare one firm to another, it is important that the data we receive from the consultant firm is accurate and organized in the manner that allows for this fair comparison.

### WORK FORCE & BRANCH WORK FORCE REPORTS

When submitting a WFR, especially if the WFR is for a specific project or activity, we would like to have information about the firm's work force that is actually participating in the project or activity. That is, if the project is in San Diego and the work force is from San Diego, we want a San Diego County Work Force Report<sup>1</sup>. By the same token, if the project is in San Diego, but the work force is from another county, such as Orange or Riverside County, we want a Work Force Report from that county<sup>2</sup>. If participation in a San Diego project is by work forces from San Diego County and, for example, from Los Angeles County and from Sacramento County, we ask for separate Work Force Reports representing your firm from each of the three counties.

### MANAGING OFFICE WORK FORCE

Equal Opportunity Contracting may occasionally ask for a Managing Office Work Force (MOWF) Report. This may occur in an instance where the firm involved is a large national or international firm but the San Diego or other local work force is very small. In this case, we may ask for both a local and a MOWF Report<sup>1, 3</sup>. In another case, when work is done only by the Managing Office, only the MOWF Report may be necessary.<sup>3</sup>

### TYPES OF WORK FORCE REPORTS:

Please note, throughout the preceding text of this page, the superscript numbers one <sup>1</sup>, two <sup>2</sup> & three <sup>3</sup>. These numbers coincide with the types of work force report required in the example. See below:

- <sup>1</sup> One San Diego County (or Most Local County) Work Force – Mandatory in most cases
- <sup>2</sup> Branch Work Force \*
- <sup>3</sup> Managing Office Work Force

*\*Submit a separate Work Force Report for all participating branches. Combine WFRs if more than one branch per county.*

### RACE/ETHNICITY CATEGORIES

**American Indian or Alaska Native** – A person having origins in any of the peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.

**Asian** – A person having origins in any of the peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

**Black or African American** – A person having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.

**Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander** – A person having origins in any of the peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

**White** – A person having origins in any of the peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

**Hispanic or Latino** – A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin.

**Exhibit A: Work Force Report Job categories-Administration**

Refer to this table when completing your firm's Work Force Report form(s).

**Management & Financial**

Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers  
Business Operations Specialists  
Financial Specialists  
Operations Specialties Managers  
Other Management Occupations  
Top Executives

**Professional**

Art and Design Workers  
Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists  
Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers  
Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners  
Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers  
Librarians, Curators, and Archivists  
Life Scientists  
Media and Communication Workers  
Other Teachers and Instructors  
Postsecondary Teachers  
Primary, Secondary, and Special Education School Teachers  
Religious Workers  
Social Scientists and Related Workers

**Architecture & Engineering, Science, Computer**

Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers  
Computer Specialists  
Engineers  
Mathematical Science Occupations  
Physical Scientists

**Technical**

Drafters, Engineering, and Mapping Technicians  
Health Technologists and Technicians  
Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians  
Media and Communication Equipment Workers

**Sales**

Other Sales and Related Workers  
Retail Sales Workers  
Sales Representatives, Services  
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing  
Supervisors, Sales Workers

**Administrative Support**

Financial Clerks  
Information and Record Clerks

**Legal Support Workers**

Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers  
Other Education, Training, and Library Occupations  
Other Office and Administrative Support Workers  
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants  
Supervisors, Office and Administrative Support Workers

**Services**

Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers  
Cooks and Food Preparation Workers  
Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers  
Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers  
First-Line Supervisors/Managers, Protective Service Workers  
Food and Beverage Serving Workers  
Funeral Service Workers  
Law Enforcement Workers  
Nursing, Psychiatric, and Home Health Aides  
Occupational and Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides  
Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers  
Other Healthcare Support Occupations  
Other Personal Care and Service Workers  
Other Protective Service Workers  
Personal Appearance Workers  
Supervisors, Food Preparation and Serving Workers  
Supervisors, Personal Care and Service Workers  
Transportation, Tourism, and Lodging Attendants

**Crafts**

Construction Trades Workers  
Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers  
Extraction Workers  
Material Moving Workers  
Other Construction and Related Workers  
Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations  
Plant and System Operators  
Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers



Supervisors, Construction and Extraction  
Workers  
Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics,  
Installers, and Repairers  
Woodworkers

**Operative Workers**

Assemblers and Fabricators  
Communications Equipment Operators  
Food Processing Workers  
Metal Workers and Plastic Workers  
Motor Vehicle Operators  
Other Production Occupations  
Printing Workers  
Supervisors, Production Workers  
Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers

**Transportation**

Air Transportation Workers  
Other Transportation Workers  
Rail Transportation Workers  
Supervisors, Transportation and Material  
Moving Workers  
Water Transportation Workers

**Laborers**

Agricultural Workers  
Animal Care and Service Workers  
Fishing and Hunting Workers  
Forest, Conservation, and Logging Workers  
Grounds Maintenance Workers  
Helpers, Construction Trades  
Supervisors, Building and Grounds Cleaning  
and Maintenance Workers  
Supervisors, Farming, Fishing, and Forestry  
Workers

## SUBCONTRACTOR PARTICIPATION LIST

This list shall include the name and complete address of all Subcontractors who qualify as SLBEs or ELBEs. Consultants must also list participation by any MBE, WBE, DBE, DBVE and OBE firms. However, no additional points will be awarded for participation by these firms, except that DVBEs that are certified by the City as local businesses shall be counted as SLBEs.

Subcontractors shall be used in the percentages listed. **NOTE:** If percentages are listed as a range, the **minimum number identified** in the range will be used to calculate overall subcontractor participation.

No changes to this Participation List will be allowed without prior written City approval. The Consultant understands and agrees that violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of the contract and may result in contract termination, debarment, or other sanctions.

NAME AND ADDRESS SUBCONTRACTORS	SCOPE OF SERVICES	PERCENT OF CONTRACT	SLBE/ELBE (MBE/ WBE/DBE/ DVBE/OBE*)	WHERE CERTIFIED**
Byrne Communications Consulting 4311 Del Monte Avenue, San Diego, CA 92107	Community Outreach	TBD	SLBE/ELBE/ DBE	City of San Diego, CUCP, California Department of General Services
CityThinkers 3812 Park Blvd. #503 San Diego, CA 92103	Urban Design	TBD	SLBE	City of San Diego
CityWorks People + Places, Inc. 1526 India Street, Suite E, San Diego, CA, 92101	Community Outreach	TBD	SLBE / DBE / WBE / OBE	City of San Diego, CUCP
Cook & Schmid, LLC 626 Savoy Street, San Diego, CA 92106	Community Outreach	TBD	SLBE, MBE, DBE	City of San Diego, CPUC
Imagine Creative Services LLC 219 ½ 22nd St., San Diego, CA 92102	Community Outreach	TBD	SLBE, ELBE	City of San Diego
Intersecting Metrics 7322 Orien Avenue, La Mesa, CA 9194	Mobility and Parking	TBD	ELBE	City of San Diego
Mizuta Traffic Consulting 5694 Mission Center Rd #602-121, San Diego, CA 92108	Traffic Consulting	TBD	SLBE	City of San Diego
Schmidt Design Group, Inc., 1310 Rosecrans Street, Suite G, San Diego, CA 92106	Landscape Architecture	TBD	N/A	N/A
Spurlock Landscape Architects, 2122 Hancock Street, San Diego, CA 92110	Landscape Architecture	TBD	SLBE/WBE	City of San Diego, NWBOC
STC Traffic, Inc. , 5973 Avenida Encinas, Suite 218, Carlsbad, CA 92008	Transportation Planning	TBD	SLBE	City of San Diego, California Department of General Services
VNuIT, LLC. 5425 Mission Rd Bonsall CA 92003	IT & GIS	TBD	SLBE, DBE, MBE	City of San Diego

List of Abbreviations:

<b>Small Local Business Enterprise</b>	<b>SLBE</b>
<b>Emerging Local Business Enterprise</b>	<b>ELBE</b>
Certified Minority Business Enterprise	MBE*
Certified Woman Business Enterprise	WBE*
Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise	DBE*
Certified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise	DVBE*
Other Business Enterprise	OBE*

*\* Listed for informational purposes only.*

*\*\* Consultant shall indicate if Subcontractor is certified by one of the agencies listed in Section VII of the Equal Opportunity Contracting Program (EOCP) Consultant Requirements.*

## INSTRUCTION SHEET FOR DISCLOSURE DETERMINATION FOR CONSULTANT (Form CC-1671)

Use the "Disclosure Determination for Consultant" form (CC-1671) to report the disclosure requirement for any consultant hired to provide services to the City of San Diego or the boards, commissions and agencies that fall under the City of San Diego's jurisdiction.

2 California Code of Regulations defines a "consultant" as an individual who, pursuant to a contract with a state or local government agency, either makes a governmental decision or serves in a staff capacity with the state or local government agency and in that capacity participates in making a governmental decision.

The "Disclosure Determination for Consultant" form is completed for all consultants under contract with the City of San Diego or the boards, commissions and agencies that fall under the City of San Diego's jurisdiction. Please follow the step-by-step directions:

1. List the department, board, commission or agency requesting the consultant service.
2. List the consulting company. If known, also list the individual(s) who will be providing the consultant services.
3. List the mailing address.
4. List the e-mail address of individual(s) providing the consultant service.
5. Provide the date the individual(s) will start providing the consultant service.
6. List all duties/responsibilities the consultant will have. This list will enable you to determine the disclosure requirement for the consultant.
7. Determine the consultant's disclosure category. Your consultant should be required to disclose only those economic interests which could potentially create a conflict of interest as he/she performs his/her contractual obligations. For ideas about possible disclosure categories, review those in your department's, board's, commission's or agency's conflict of interest code, available at:

[www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/elections/eid/codes.shtml](http://www.sandiego.gov/city-clerk/elections/eid/codes.shtml)

Please fill out the entire "Disclosure Determination for Consultant" form, and have it signed by the appropriate authority. (Individuals with signing authority are described in your conflict of interest code as part of the disclosure requirement for Consultants.) Forward the original form to the City Clerk's Office, MS 2A.

## DISCLOSURE DETERMINATION FOR CONSULTANT

*\*Must be signed by department director, agency president or other individual authorized by the appropriate conflict of interest code regarding consultants.*

1. Department / Board / Commission / Agency Name: City Planning Department
2. Name of Specific Consultant & Company: WSP USA Inc.  
401 B Street, Suite 1650, San Diego, CA  
92101
3. Address, City, State, ZIP
4. Project Title (as shown on 1472, "Request for Council Action") As-Needed Transportation Engineering & Mobility Planning Consultant Agreements
5. Consultant Duties for Project: Conduct mobility assessment studies,  
evaluate pedestrian safety, evaluate bicycle  
and micro-mobility needs, support curbside  
EV and micro-mobility charging.

## 6. Disclosure Determination [select applicable disclosure requirement]:

- ☒ Consultant will not be "making a governmental decision" or "serving in a staff capacity." No disclosure required.

- or -

- ☐ Consultant will be "making a governmental decision" or "serving in a staff capacity." Consultant is required to file a Statement of Economic Interests with the City Clerk of the City of San Diego in a timely manner as required by law. [Select consultant's disclosure category.]

- ☐ Full: Disclosure is required pursuant to the broadest disclosure category in the appropriate Conflict of Interest Code.

- or -

- ☐ Limited: Disclosure is required to a limited extent. [List the specific economic interests the consultant is required to disclose.]

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By: Heidi Vonblum, City Planning Director  
[Name/Title]\*

September 27, 2024  
[Date]

*Once completed, with all questions answered and an authorized signature affixed, please forward the original form to the City Clerk's Office, MS 2A. Keep a copy with the contract.*

## **DEFINITION OF "CONSULTANT"**

2 California Code of Regulations defines a "consultant" as an individual who, pursuant to a contract with a state or local government agency:

- (A) Makes a governmental decision whether to:
1. Approve a rate, rule or regulation;
  2. Adopt or enforce a law;
  3. Issue, deny, suspend, or revoke any permit, license, application, certificate, approval, order, or similar authorization or entitlement;
  4. Authorize the City to enter into, modify, or renew a contract provided it is the type of contract that requires City approval;
  5. Grant City approval to a contract that requires City approval and to which the City is a party, or to the specifications for such a contract;
  6. Grant City approval to a plan, design, report, study, or similar item;
  7. Adopt, or grant City approval of, policies, standards, or guidelines for the City, or for any subdivision thereof; or
- (B) Serves in a staff capacity with the City and in that capacity participates in making a governmental decision as defined in Regulation 18702.2 or performs the same or substantially all the same duties for the City that would otherwise be performed by an individual holding a position specified in the City's Conflict of Interest Code.

An individual "serves in a staff capacity" if he or she performs substantially all the same tasks that normally would be performed by staff member of a governmental entity. In most cases, individuals who work on only one project or a limited range of projects for an agency are not considered to be working in a "staff capacity." The length of the individual's service to the agency is relevant. Also, the tasks over the relevant period of time must be substantially the same as a position that is or should be specified in the City's conflict of interest code.

An individual "participates in making a governmental decision" if he or she: (1) negotiates, without substantive review, with a governmental entity or private person regarding the decision; or (2) advises or makes recommendations to the decision-maker, by conducting research or an investigation, preparing or presenting a report, analysis or opinion which requires the exercise of judgment on the part of the individual and the individual is attempting to influence the decision.



## CITY OF SAN DIEGO CONSULTANT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

The purpose of this form is to evaluate the consultant's performance and will be retained by Public Works Contracts for five years to provide historical data to City staff when selecting consultants.

## Section I

## PROJECT INFORMATION

1. PROJECT DATA	2. CONSULTANT DATA
1a. Project (title, location):	2a. Name, address, phone & email of Consultant:
1b. Brief Description:	2b. Consultant's Project Manager:
1c. Contract Amount: \$ WBS/IO:	Phone: (       ) Email:
3. CITY DEPARTMENT RESPONSIBLE	
3a. Department (include Division):  Deputy Director:	3b. Project Manager (name, address, phone & email address):  Phone: (       ) Email:

## Section II

## SPECIFIC RATINGS

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION	EXCELLENT	SATISFACTORY	UN-SATISFACTORY	N/A
<b>1. Quality of Report, Study, Plans, Specifications, etc. [Deliverables] of Scope as noted:</b>				
• Deliverables submitted were complete in all respects.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• All comments and review requests were adequately incorporated into Deliverables.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Deliverables were properly formatted and well-coordinated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Writing style/presentation and terminology was clear and straightforward with adequate backup provided.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>2. Ability to adhere to contract schedule, budget, and overall timely responses as noted:</b>				
• Deliverables prepared in accordance with the agreed upon schedule(s).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Consultant alerted the City to possible schedule problems well in advance of delays.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Consultant suggested solutions there were cost effective, appropriate and were provided in a timely manner.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant provided responses to RFI's/emails/request for proposals, etc. in a timely manner.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>3. Ability to manage project team, Subconsultants, and coordinate with City staff as noted:</b>				
• The Consultant was reasonable and fair during negotiations of the Agreement and/or on Task Orders.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant followed direction and chain of responsibility.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant reviewed and analyzed Subconsultant Deliverables and oversaw their work in an appropriate manner.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant provided adequate support/attendance during meetings.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Section II

## SPECIFIC RATINGS Continued

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION	EXCELLENT	SATISFACTORY	UN- SATISFACTORY	N/A
<b>4. Ability to manage responsibilities in the regulatory/approval process as noted:</b>				
• The Consultant researched and adhered to the necessary Federal/State/City code/regulations & requirements needed for the Deliverable.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant advise the City the necessary regulatory restrictions that needed to be adhered to.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>5. Quality of Construction/Design Support as noted:</b>				
• The drawings/plans reflected existing conditions accurately.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant provided direction/support to the Resident Engineer and work cooperatively with them.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• The Consultant provide adequate support for As-Built drawings.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Change orders due to design deficiencies were kept to a minimum.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Section III

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

(Please ensure to attach additional documentation as needed.)

(Supporting documentation attached: Yes ☐ No ☐)

## Section IV

## FINAL RATING

4. OVERALL RATING			
Consultant Rating	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Satisfactory <input type="checkbox"/>	Unsatisfactory <input type="checkbox"/>
5. AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES			
5a. Project Manager _____	_____		
Name	Signature	Date	
5b. Deputy Director _____	_____		
Name	Signature	Date	
5c. Provided to Consultant _____	_____		
Name of Recipient	Signature	Date Provided	
Consultant Concurrence*: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> *Note: Consultant has the right to appeal the contents of this evaluation. Please refer to SDMC 22.0811(a) for more details.			



**City of San Diego**  
**CONTRACTOR STANDARDS**  
**Pledge of Compliance**

The City of San Diego has adopted a Contractor Standards Ordinance (CSO) codified in section 22.3004 of the San Diego Municipal Code (SDMC). The City of San Diego uses the criteria set forth in the CSO to determine whether a bidder or proposer has the capacity to fully perform the contract requirements and the business integrity to justify the award of public funds. This completed Contractor Standards Pledge of Compliance (Pledge of Compliance) signed under penalty of perjury must be submitted with each bid and proposal. If an informal solicitation process is used, the bidder must submit this completed Pledge of Compliance to the City prior to execution of the contract. All responses must be typewritten or printed in ink. If an explanation is requested or additional space is required, Respondents must provide responses on Attachment "A" to the Pledge of Compliance and sign each page. Failure to submit a signed and completed Pledge of Compliance may render the bid or proposal non-responsive. In the case of an informal solicitation, the contract will not be awarded unless a signed and completed Pledge of Compliance is submitted. A submitted Pledge of Compliance is a public record and information contained within will be available for public review except to the extent that such information is exempt from disclosure pursuant to applicable law.

**A. BID/PROPOSER/SOLICITATION TITLE:**

City of San Diego

As-Needed Transportation Engineering & Mobility Planning

Contract Number H2426402-M, H2426403-M, H2426404-M & H2426405-M

**B. BIDDER PROPOSER INFORMATION**

WSP USA Inc.

Legal Name	San Diego	DBA	
401 B Street, Suite 1650		CA	92101
Street Address	City	State	Zip
Patti Boekamp, Area Manager	(619) 338-9376	(619) 338-8123	
Contact Person, Title	Phone	Fax	

Provide the name, identity, and precise nature of the interest\* of all persons who are directly or indirectly involved\*\* in this proposed transaction (SDMC § 21.0103). Use additional pages if necessary.

\* The precise nature of the interest includes:

- the percentage ownership interest in a party to the transaction,
- the percentage ownership interest in any firm, corporation, or partnership that will receive funds from the transaction,
- the value of any financial interest in the transaction,
- any contingent interest in the transaction and the value of such interest should the contingency be satisfied, and
- any philanthropic, scientific, artistic, or property interest in the transaction.

\*\* Directly or indirectly involved means pursuing the transaction by:

- communicating or negotiating with City officers or employees,
- submitting or preparing applications, bids, proposals or other documents for purposes of contracting with the City, or
- directing or supervising the actions of persons engaged in the above activity.

Patti Boekamp	Senior Director, Local Business Leader
Name	Title/Position
La Mesa, (San Diego County), CA	
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Principal-in-Charge, 0%	
Interest in the transaction	

Tara Lake	Project Manager
Name	Title/Position
San Diego, California	
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Contract Manager, 0%	
Interest in the transaction	

Name	Title/Position
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Interest in the transaction	

Name	Title/Position
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Interest in the transaction	

Name	Title/Position
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
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City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Interest in the transaction	

Name	Title/Position
City and State of Residence	Employer (if different than Bidder/Proposer)
Interest in the transaction	

Use Attachment "A" if additional pages are necessary.

**C. OWNERSHIP AND NAME CHANGES:**

1. In the past five (5) years, has your firm changed its name?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If **Yes**, use Attachment "A" to list all prior legal and DBA names, addresses, and dates each firm name was used. Explain the specific reasons for each name change.

2. In the past five (5) years, has a firm owner, partner, or officer operated a similar business?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If **Yes**, use Attachment "A" to list names and addresses of all businesses and the person who operated the business. Include information about a similar business only if an owner, partner, or officer of your firm holds or has held a similar position in another firm.

**D. BUSINESS ORGANIZATION/STRUCTURE:**

Indicate the organizational structure of your firm. Fill in only one section on this page. Use Attachment "A" if more space is required.

☒ **Corporation**

Date incorporated: 10/05/1933 State of incorporation: New York

List corporation's current officers:

President: David J. Odeh

Vice Pres.: Lewis P. Cornell (Executive Vice President)

Secretary: Hillary F. Jassey

Treasurer: Andrew C. Esposito

Is your firm a publicly traded corporation? ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**

If **Yes**, name those who own ten percent (10%) or more of the corporation's stocks:

N/A

☐ **Limited Liability Company**

Date formed: mm/dd/yyyy State of formation: \_\_\_\_\_

List names of members who own ten percent (10%) or more of the company:

☐ **Partnership**Date formed: mm/dd/yyyy State of formation: \_\_\_\_\_

List names of all firm partners:

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☐ **Sole Proprietorship** Date started: mm/dd/yyyy

List all firms you have been an owner, partner or officer with during the past five (5) years. Do not include ownership of stock in a publicly traded company:

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☐ **Joint Venture** Date formed: mm/dd/yyyy

List each firm in the joint venture and its percentage of ownership:

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**Note:** To be responsive, each member of a Joint Venture must complete a separate Pledge of Compliance.**E. FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND RESPONSIBILITY:**

1. Is your firm preparing to be sold, in the process of being sold, or in negotiations to be sold?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain the circumstances, including the buyer's name and principal contact information.

2. In the past five (5) years, has your firm been denied bonding?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances; include bonding company name.

3. In the past five (5) years, has a bonding company made any payments to satisfy claims made against a bond issued on your firm's behalf or a firm where you were the principal?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

4. In the past five (5) years, has any insurance carrier, for any form of insurance, refused to renew the insurance policy for your firm?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

5. Within the last five (5) years, has your firm filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, been adjudicated bankrupt, or made a general assignment for the benefit of creditors?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

6. Please provide the name of your principal financial institution for financial reference. By submitting a response to this Solicitation Contractor authorizes a release of credit information for verification of financial responsibility.

Name of Bank: JP Morgan Chase Bank

Point of Contact: Paul Hahn, Client Relationship Manager

Address: 10 South Dearborn Street, 34th Floor, Chicago, IL 60603

Phone Number: (312) 732-2692

7. By submitting a response to a City solicitation, Contractor certifies that he or she has sufficient operating capital and/or financial reserves to properly fund the requirements identified in the solicitation. At City's request, Contractor will promptly provide to City a copy of Contractor's most recent balance sheet and/or other necessary financial statements to substantiate financial ability to perform.

#### F. PERFORMANCE HISTORY:

1. In the past five (5) years, has your firm been found civilly liable, either in a court of law or pursuant to the terms of a settlement agreement, for defaulting or breaching a contract with a government agency?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

2. In the past five (5) years, has a public entity terminated your firm's contract for cause prior to contract completion?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances and provide principal contact information.

3. In the past five (5) years, has your firm entered into any settlement agreement for any lawsuit that alleged contract default, breach of contract, or fraud with or against a public entity?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

4. Is your firm currently involved in any lawsuit with a government agency in which it is alleged that your firm has defaulted on a contract, breached a contract, or committed fraud?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

5. In the past five (5) years, has your firm, or any firm with which any of your firm's owners, partners, or officers is or was associated, been debarred, disqualified, removed, or otherwise prevented from bidding on or completing any government or public agency contract for any reason?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances.

6. In the past five (5) years, has your firm received a notice to cure or a notice of default on a contract with any public agency?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances and how the matter resolved.

7. Performance References:

Please provide a minimum of three (3) references familiar with work performed by your firm which was of a similar size and nature to the subject solicitation within the last five (5) years.

Company Name: City of San Diego

Contact Name and Phone Number: Suchi Lukes, (619) 533-5931

Contact Email: Slukes@sandiego.gov

Address: 202 C Street, San Diego, 92101

Contract Date: 2021

Contract Amount: \$3M

Requirements of Contract: Community outreach, land use, mobility, economic analysis, urban design, and historic preservation.

Company Name: City of San Diego

Contact Name and Phone Number: Christine Mercado, (562) 308-8515

Contact Email: cmercado@sandiego.gov

Address: 202 C Street, San Diego, 92101

Contract Date: 2021

Contract Amount: \$2M

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Requirements of Contract: Mobility, travel forecasting, engineering review/cost estimating, streetscape design, CEQA, and Public Outreach

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Company Name: SANDAG

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Contact Name and Phone Number: Danielle Kochman, (619) 699-1921

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Contact Email: Danielle.kochman@sandag.org

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Address: 401 B St. #800, San Diego, CA 92101

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Contract Date: 2020

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Contract Amount: \$3.5M

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Requirements of Contract: Designer of record, responsible for advancing the project from conceptual engineering to construction,

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**G. COMPLIANCE:**

1. In the past five (5) years, has your firm or any firm owner, partner, officer, executive, or manager been criminally penalized or found civilly liable, either in a court of law or pursuant to the terms of a settlement agreement, for violating any federal, state, or local law in performance of a contract, including but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, permitting, and licensing laws?  
☒ Yes      ☐ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances surrounding each instance. Include the name of the entity involved, the specific infraction(s) or violation(s), dates of instances, and outcome with current status.

2. In the past five (5) years, has your firm been determined to be non-responsible by a public entity?  
☐ Yes      ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances of each instance. Include the name of the entity involved, the specific infraction, dates, and outcome.

**H. BUSINESS INTEGRITY:**

1. In the past five (5) years, has your firm been convicted of or found liable in a civil suit for making a false claim or material misrepresentation to a private or public entity?  
☐ Yes      ☒ No

If Yes, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances of each instance. Include the entity involved, specific violation(s), dates, outcome and current status.

2. In the past five (5) years, has your firm or any of its executives, management personnel, or owners been convicted of a crime, including misdemeanors, or been found liable in a civil suit involving the bidding, awarding, or performance of a government contract?  
☐ Yes      ☒ No

If **Yes**, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances of each instance; include the entity involved, specific infraction(s), dates, outcome and current status.

3. In the past five (5) years, has your firm or any of its executives, management personnel, or owners been convicted of a federal, state, or local crime of fraud, theft, or any other act of dishonesty?

☐ **Yes**      ☒ **No**

If **Yes**, use Attachment "A" to explain specific circumstances of each instance; include the entity involved, specific infraction(s), dates, outcome and current status.

**I. WAGE COMPLIANCE:**

In the past five (5) years, has your firm been required to pay back wages or penalties for failure to comply with the federal, state or local prevailing, minimum, or living wage laws?

☒ **Yes**      ☐ **No**

If **Yes**, use Attachment "A" to explain the specific circumstances of each instance. Include the entity involved, the specific infraction(s), dates, outcome, and current status.

**J. STATEMENT OF SUBCONTRACTORS:**

Please provide the names and information for all subcontractors used in the performance of the proposed contract, and what portion of work will be assigned to each subcontractor. Subcontractors may not be substituted without the written consent of the City. Use Attachment "A" if additional pages are necessary. If no subcontractors will be used, please check here ☐ Not Applicable.

Company Name: Please see attac

Contact Name and Phone Number:

Contact Email:

Address:

Contract Date:

Contract Amount:

Requirements of Contract:

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor:

Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Check One) **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐

If **Yes**, Contractor must provide valid proof of certification with the response to the bid or proposal.

**K. STATEMENT OF AVAILABLE EQUIPMENT:**

List all necessary equipment to complete the work specified using Attachment "A". In instances where the required equipment is not owned by the Contractor, Contractor shall explain how the equipment will be made available before the commencement of work. The City of San Diego



reserves the right to reject any response when, in its opinion, the Contractor has not demonstrated he or she will be properly equipped to perform the work in an efficient, effective manner for the duration of the contract period.

If no equipment is necessary to complete the work specified, please check here ☒ Not Applicable.

**L. TYPE OF SUBMISSION: This document is submitted as:**

☒ Pledge of Compliance Initial submission.

OR

☐ Update to prior Pledge of Compliance dated mm/dd/yyyy

**Complete all questions and sign below.**

Under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, I certify that I have read and understand the questions contained in this Pledge of Compliance, that I am responsible for completeness and accuracy of the responses contained herein, and that all information provided is true, full and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I agree to provide written notice to the Purchasing Agent within five (5) business days if, at any time, I learn that any portion of this Pledge of Compliance requires an updated response. Failure to timely provide the Purchasing Agent with written notice is grounds for Contract termination.

I, on behalf of the firm, further certify that I and my firm will comply with the following provisions of SDMC section 22.3004:

(a) I and my firm will comply with all applicable local, State and Federal laws, including health and safety, labor and employment, and licensing laws that affect the employees, worksite or performance of the contract.

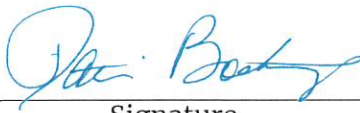
(b) I and my firm will notify the Purchasing Agent in writing within fifteen (15) calendar days of receiving notice that a government agency has begun an investigation of me or my firm that may result in a finding that I or my firm is or was not in compliance with laws stated in paragraph (a).

(c) I and my firm will notify the Purchasing Agent in writing within fifteen (15) calendar days of a finding by a government agency or court of competent jurisdiction of a violation by the Contractor of laws stated in paragraph (a).

(d) I and my firm will notify the Purchasing Agent in writing within fifteen (15) calendar days of becoming aware of an investigation or finding by a government agency or court of competent jurisdiction of a violation by a subcontractor of laws stated in paragraph (a).

(e) I and my firm will cooperate fully with the City during any investigation and agree to respond to a request for information within ten (10) working days.

**Failure to sign and submit this form with the bid/proposal shall make the bid/proposal non-responsive. In the case of an informal solicitation, the contract will not be awarded unless a signed and completed Pledge of Compliance is submitted.**



\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**City of San Diego**  
**CONTRACTOR STANDARDS**  
**Pledge of Compliance Attachment "A"**

Provide additional information in space below. Use additional Attachment "A" pages as needed. Each page must be signed. Print in ink or type responses and indicate question being answered.

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F(3): City of Bellevue sought costs incurred in replacing retaining walls that moved during construction of adjacent ground improvements. WSP designed the retaining walls as part of the 120<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE Widening Project, Phase 2. The City filed suit in Superior Court of King County on March 31, 2018. The matter, docket number 18-2-13554-1SEA, was settled and dismissed in December 2019.

F(4):

<u>Case Name</u>	<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Location and Index/Docket No.</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>
Travelers Property Casualty Company of America, et al v. Allied Painting, Inc. et al	New Jersey Turnpike Authority Delaware River Bridge Painting	Philadelphia County PA Court of Common Pleas No. 01563	5/20/2020	The case involves a beam fracture of an existing bridge. Plaintiff sued Allied Painting for breach of contract and negligent misrepresentation. Allied Painting then joined WSP for negligently and carelessly performing its services.
State of Oregon, Oregon Department of Transportation v. WSP USA Inc. (f/k/a Louis Berger, f/k/a Berger ABAM Engineers, Inc.) and Oregon State Bridge Construction, Inc.	Old Youngs Bay Bridge	Circuit Court of State of Oregon Marion County 21 CV40490	10/12/2021	Claim of alleged breach of contract and negligence, in the design of rehabilitation measures for existing bridge piles at the Old Youngs Bay Bridge in Oregon. WSP is vigorously defending.
Johnson Bros. Corp. v. Volusia County, Florida and WSP USA Inc. f/k/a Parsons Brinckerhoff, Inc.	Veterans Memorial Bridge	U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida 6:21-cv-200-JA-EJK	2/14/2022	WSP has a contract with Volusia County, Florida (County) as the engineer or record designing the Veterans Memorial Bridge. Johnson Bros. Corp (Contractor) contracted with the County to construct the project pursuant to a bid price far below other bidders. During construction, the County would not agree to Contractor's claims for additional work and extra costs. As a result of Contractor's failure to meet its economic expectations, Contractor sued the County. Since some of the claims relate to design services, the County was obligated to add WSP as a third party defendant. Both the County's and WSP's interests are aligned and share common belief that Contractor's claims are without merit. WSP is vigorously defending its position.
New York State Thruway Authority v. WSP USA Inc. f/k/a Parsons Brinckerhoff, Inc.	I-90 Construction Inspection and Consulting Services	Supreme Court of the State of New York County of Albany 906387-22	8/26/2022	New York State Thruway Authority alleges that WSP, as the construction inspection consultant, was negligent when WSP allegedly permitted certain light poles to be installed that later claimed to be defective. This suit was recently filed against WSP, and WSP will defend against this claim.
City of Portland v. BergerABAM, WSP USA, MJ Hughes Construction	Tryon Creek Fish Passage	Circuit Court of State of Oregon Multnomah County 22 CV43096	12/19/2022	The City alleges that WSP's subconsultant was negligent in its design of fish passage weirs and seeks costs to repair or reconstruct the weirs. WSP has tendered the claim to its subconsultant and is otherwise vigorously defending.
Agate Construction Co., Inc. v. State of New Jersey, Department of Transportation v. WSP USA Inc.	UHPC Overlay Research Project	Superior Court of New Jersey Gloucester County GLO-L-000991-22	2/1/2023	Agate Construction alleges cost recovery from NJDOT for change orders and extra work under theories of breach of contract, quantum meruit and unjust enrichment. NJDOT filed a third party complaint against WSP for contractual and common law indemnity and contribution related to design and construction support services related to design of NJDOT bridge structure using ultra high performance concrete.

F(5): On April 1st, 2018, WSP USA and its affiliates, which includes WSP International LLC (f/k/a Parsons Brinckerhoff International, LLC), renewed its workers' compensation insurance with Liberty Mutual. At no time was there a lapse in our workers' compensation

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On August 29, 2023, WSP USA Inc. received notice that its affiliate WSP International LLC (formerly known as Parsons Brinckerhoff International, Inc.) was debarred by the State of New York Workers Compensation Board for failure to provide evidence of New York State Disability Insurance. WSP quickly worked with the State and its insurance carrier to rectify the situation. The debarment was removed as of September 5, 2023.

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In its March 2022 Morrisville, North Carolina branch office professional engineering registration submitted to the Commonwealth of Virginia Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designs and Landscape Architects ("Virginia Board"), WSP USA Inc. disclosed the disciplinary actions taken by equivalent boards in Ohio and South Carolina. The Virginia Board issued WSP an Agreement for Registration, placing the firm in a one-year probationary period. The agreement did not result in a monetary penalty.

In 2021, the professional engineering and geology license renewal applications of WSP USA Inc. were submitted to the Kentucky State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors (the "KY Board"), and inadvertently renewed each license with a deceased person and old company address. In response, the KY Board and WSP entered into a consent agreement dated April 29, 2022, which includes a fine and public reprimand against WSP. The settlement agreement was executed, the fine was paid, and WSP's COA was reissued. WSP did not renew its geology license at the time of this letter.

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All certifications are included in Tab 1 of the document.

Company Name: Kristen Byrne dba Byrne Communications Consulting

Contact Name and Phone Number: Kristen Byrne, Principal, 619.208.2499

Contact Email: kristen@byrne-comm.com

Address: 4311 Del Monte Avenue, San Diego, CA 92107

Contract Date: 1/29/2024

Contract Amount: TBD

Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Community Outreach

Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes-SLBE / ELBE / CDBE

Company Name: Citythinkers, Inc.  
 Contact Name and Phone Number: Diego Velasco, 619-602-1699  
 Contact Email: diego@citythinkers.com  
 Address: 3812 Park Blvd. #503 San Diego, CA 92103  
 Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
 Contract Amount: TBD  
 Requirements of Contract: TBD  
 What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Urban Design/Community Outreach  
 Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes, SLBE

Company Name: CityWorks People + Places, Inc.  
 Contact Name and Phone Number: Catherine Smith, Engagement Partner, JD, CEO, 619.238.9091 ext 112  
 Contact Email: Catherine.Smith@cityworks.biz  
 Address: 1526 India Street, Suite E, San Diego, CA, 92101  
 Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
 Contract Amount: TBD  
 Requirements of Contract: TBD  
 What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Community Outreach  
 Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes - SLBE / DBE / WBE / OBE

Company Name: Cook & Schmid, LLC.  
 Contact Name and Phone Number: Jon Schmid, (619) 814-2370  
 Contact Email: (619) 814-2370  
 Address: 626 Savoy Street, San Diego, CA 92106  
 Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
 Contract Amount: TBD  
 Requirements of Contract: TBD  
 What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Community Outreach  
 Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes, SLBE/MBE/DBE

Company Name: Intersecting Metrics  
 Contact Name and Phone Number: Stephen Cook, Principal, 619.994.5814  
 Contact Email: Steve@IntersectingMetrics.co  
 Address: 7322 Orien Avenue, La Mesa, CA 91941  
 Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
 Contract Amount: TBD  
 Requirements of Contract: TBD  
 What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Mobility and Parking  
 Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes - ELBE

Company Name: Imagine Creative Services LLC  
 Contact Name and Phone Number: Peter Schrock, (619) 813-5551,  
 Contact Email: peter@imaginebravespaces.com  
 Address: 219 1/2 22nd St., San Diego, CA 92102  
 Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
 Contract Amount: TBD  
 Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Community Outreach  
Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes-SLBE

Company Name: Wise Home Ventures DBA Mizuta Traffic Consulting  
Contact Name and Phone Number: Marc Mizuta, 858.752.8212  
Contact Email: mizutatrafficconsulting@gmail.com  
Address: 5694 Mission Center Rd #602-121, San Diego, CA 92108  
Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
Contract Amount: TBD  
Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Traffic Consulting  
Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes - SLBE

Company Name: Schmidt Design Group, Inc.  
Contact Name and Phone Number: Jeffrey T. (JT) Barr, 619-236-1462  
Contact Email: jtbarr@schmidtsgroup.com  
Address: 1310 Rosecrans Street, Suite G, San Diego, CA 92106  
Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
Contract Amount: TBD  
Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Landscape Architecture  
Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) No

Company Name: Spurlock Landscape Architects  
Contact Name and Phone Number: Brad Lents, 619-681-0090  
Contact Email: blents@spurlock-land.com  
Address: 2122 Hancock Street, San Diego, CA 92110  
Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
Contract Amount: TBD  
Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Landscape Architecture  
Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes - SLBE, WBE

Company Name: STC Traffic, Inc.  
Contact Name and Phone Number: Jason Stack, TE, PTOE, 760-602-4290  
Contact Email: Jason.stack@stctrffic.com  
Address: 5973 Avenida Encinas, Suite 218, Carlsbad, CA 92008  
Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
Contract Amount: TBD  
Requirements of Contract: TBD

What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: Transportation Planning  
Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes - SLBE

Company Name: VNuit, LLC  
Contact Name and Phone Number: Suresh Kakileti, 760-576-6210  
Contact Email: Skakileti@vnuit.com  
Address: 5425 Mission Rd Bonsall CA 92003  
Contract Date: 1/29/2024  
Contract Amount: TBD  
Requirements of Contract: TBD

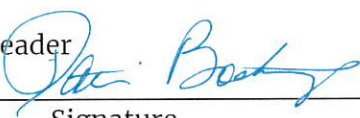
What portion of work will be assigned to this subcontractor: IT & GIS

Is the Subcontractor a certified SLBE, ELBE, MBE, DBE, DVBE, or OBE? (Yes or No) Yes, SLBE / MBE / DBE

I have read the matters and statements made in this Pledge of Compliance and Attachment "A"(s) there to and I know the same to be true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated upon information or belief and as to such matters, I believe the same to be true. I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Patti Boekamp Senior Director | Local Business Leader

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name, Title

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
January 18, 2024  
Date



## Exhibit H

### RGA Required Terms

#### Section 1 - Precedence of Law:

In the event of a conflict between City and CALTRANS policies and procedures, CALTRANS policies and procedures will prevail.

#### Section 2 - Payment and Invoicing:

- a) Design Professional shall establish and maintain an accounting system and records that properly accumulate and segregate incurred Project costs and matching funds by line. The accounting system of Design Professional shall conform to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and any standards specified by the source of funds, to enable the determination of incurred costs at interim points of completion, and to provide support for reimbursement payment vouchers or invoices.
- b) Travel expenses and per diem rates are not to exceed the rate specified by the State of California Department of Human Resources for similar employees (i.e. non-represented employees) unless written verification is supplied that government hotel rates were not then commercially available to Design Professional at the time and location required as specified in the California Department of Transportation's Travel Guide Exception Process at the following link:  
<https://travelpocketguide.dot.ca.gov/>.

#### Section 3 - Cost Principles:

Design Professionals agree, that:

- a) Contract Cost Principles and Procedures, 48 CFR, Federal Acquisition Regulations System, Chapter 1, Part 31, et seq., shall be used to determine the allowability of individual Project costs; and
- b) Design Professional shall comply with Federal administrative procedures in accordance with 2 CFR, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards. Every sub-recipient receiving Project funds as a sub-recipient, contractor, or subcontractor under this RGA shall comply with Federal administrative procedures in accordance with 2 CFR, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards to the extent applicable.

#### Section 4 - Retention of Records / Audits:

- a) Design Professional agrees to comply with Title 2, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.
- b) All accounting records and other supporting papers of Design Professional connected with Project performance under this RGA shall be maintained for a minimum of three (3) years from the date of final payment to Design Professional and shall be held open to inspection, copying, and audit by representatives of CALTRANS, the California State Auditor, and auditors representing the federal government. Copies thereof will be furnished by Design Professional

upon receipt of any request made by CALTRANS or its agents. In conducting an audit of the costs and match credits claimed under this RGA, CALTRANS will rely to the maximum extent possible on any prior audit of City pursuant to the provisions of State and AGENCY law. In the absence of such an audit, any acceptable audit work performed by City's external and internal auditors may be relied upon and used by CALTRANS when planning and conducting additional audits.

- c) For the purpose of determining compliance with applicable State and City law in connection with the performance of City's agreements with third parties pursuant to Government Code Section 8546.7, Design Professional shall maintain and make available for inspection all books, documents, papers, accounting records, and other evidence pertaining to the performance of such contracts, including, but not limited to, the costs of administering those various contracts. All the above referenced parties shall make such materials available at their respective offices at all reasonable times during the entire Project period and for three (3) years from the date of final payment to AGENCY under this RGA. CALTRANS, the California State Auditor, or any duly authorized representative of CALTRANS or the United States Department of Transportation, shall each have access to any books, records, and documents that are pertinent to a Project for audits, examinations, excerpts, and transactions, and AGENCY shall furnish copies thereof if requested.
- d) AGENCY, its sub-recipients, contractors, and subcontractors will permit access to all records of employment, employment advertisements, employment application forms, and other pertinent data and records by the State Fair Employment Practices and Housing Commission, or any other AGENCY of the State of California designated by CALTRANS, for the purpose of any investigation to ascertain compliance with this RGA.
- e) Additionally, all grants may be subject to a pre-award audit prior to execution of the RGA to ensure AGENCY has an adequate financial management system in place to accumulate and segregate reasonable, allowable, and allocable costs.
- f) Any contract with a contractor, subcontractor, or sub-recipient entered into as a result of this RGA shall contain all the provisions of this article.

#### Section 5 - Ownership of Proprietary Property:

##### a) Definitions

1) Work: The work to be directly or indirectly produced by City under this agreement.

2) Work Product: All deliverables created or produced from Work under this RGA including, but not limited to, all Work and Deliverables conceived or made, or made hereafter conceived or made, either solely or jointly with others during the term of this RGA and during a period of six (6) months after the termination thereof, which relates to the Work commissioned or performed under this RGA. "Work Product" includes all deliverables, inventions, innovations, improvements, or other works of authorship AGENCY, its subrecipients, a third-party contractor or subcontractor may conceive of or develop in the course of this RGA, whether or not they are eligible for patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret, or other legal protection.

3) Inventions: Any idea, methodologies, design, concept, technique, invention, discovery, improvement or development regardless of patentability made solely by City or jointly with the Design professional with one or more employees of CALTRANS, during the term of this RGA and in performance of any Work under this RGA, provided that either the

conception or reduction to practice thereof occurs during the term of this RGA and in performance of Work issued under this RGA.

b) Ownership of Work Product and Rights

1) Copyright Ownership of Work Product: Except in regard to Pre-existing Works, all Work Product derived by the Work performed by the Design Professional under this RGA, shall be owned by CALTRANS and City and shall be considered to be works made for hire by the City and Design Professional for CALTRANS and City. CALTRANS and AGENCY shall own all United States and international copyrights in the Work Product. As such, all Work Product shall contain, in a conspicuous place, a copyright designation consisting of a "c" in a circle followed by the four-digit year in which the Work Product was produced, followed by the words "California Department of Transportation and City of San Diego. All Rights Reserved." For example, a Work Product created in the year 2012 would contain the copyright designation © 2012 California Department of Transportation and City of San Diego. All Rights Reserved.

2) Vesting of Copyright Ownership: Design Professional agrees to perpetually assign, and upon creation of each Work Product automatically assigns, to CALTRANS and City, its successors and assigns, ownership of all United States and international copyrights in each and every Work Product, insofar as any such Work Product, by operation of law, may not be considered work made for hire by the Design Professional, from CALTRANS. From time to time, CALTRANS and the City shall require Design Professional to confirm such assignments by execution and delivery of such assignments, confirmations, or assignment, or other written instruments as CALTRANS and the City may request. CALTRANS and the City, its successors, and assigns, shall have the right to obtain and hold in its or their own name(s) all copyright registrations and other evidence of rights that may be available for Work Product. Design Professional shall waive all moral rights relating to identification of authorship restriction or limitation on use, or subsequent modifications of the Work.

c) Inventions

1) Vesting of Patent Ownership: Design Professional is required to assign to CALTRANS and City, its successors, and assigns, all Inventions, together with the right to seek protection by obtaining patent ownership rights and the right to claim all rights or priority there under, and the same shall become and remain CALTRANS' property regardless of whether such protection is sought. The Design Professional shall promptly make a complete written disclosure to CALTRANS of each Invention not otherwise clearly disclosed to CALTRANS in the pertinent Work Product, specifically pointing out features or concepts that the Design Professional believes to be new or different. The Design Professional shall, upon CALTRANS' and City's request and at CALTRANS' and City's expense, cause patent applications to be filed thereon, through solicitors designated by CALTRANS and City, and shall sign all such applications over to CALTRANS and City, its successors, and assigns. The Design Professional shall give CALTRANS and City and its solicitors all reasonable assistance in connection with the preparation and prosecution of any such patent applications and shall cause to be executed all such assignments or

other instruments or documents as CALTRANS and City may consider necessary or appropriate to carry out the intent on this RGA.

2) Agency: In the event that CALTRANS and City are unable for any reason whatsoever to secure the Design Professional's signature to any lawful or necessary document required or desirable to apply for or prosecute any United States application (including renewals or divisions thereof), Design Professional hereby irrevocably designates and appoints CALTRANS and City and its duly authorized officers and agents, as its agent and attorney-in-fact, to act for and on Design Professional's behalf and stead, to execute and file such applications and to do all other lawfully permitted acts to further the prosecution and issuance of any copyrights, trademarks, or patents, thereon with the same legal force and effect as if executed by Design Professional. CALTRANS and City shall have no obligations to file any copyright, trademark, or patent applications.

d) Additional Provisions

1) Pre-existing Works and License: Design Professional is required to acknowledge that all Work Product shall be the sole and exclusive property of CALTRANS and City, except that any Pre-existing Works created by City and third parties outside of the RGA but utilized in connection with the RGA (the "Pre-existing Works") shall continue to be owned by City or such parties.

3) Contractors, Subcontractors, and Subrecipients: Design Professional agrees to avoid designing or developing any items that infringe one (1) or more patents or other intellectual property rights of any third party. If Design Professional becomes aware of any such possible infringement in the course of performing any Work under this RGA, Design Professional shall immediately notify the City in writing.

e) Ownership of Data

1) Upon completion of all Work under this RGA, all intellectual property rights, ownership, and title to all reports, documents, plans, specifications, and estimates, produced as part of this RGA will automatically be vested in CALTRANS and City and no further agreement will be necessary to transfer ownership to CALTRANS and City. Design Professional shall furnish CALTRANS all necessary copies of data needed to complete the review and approval process.

2) It is understood and agreed that all calculations, drawings, and specifications, whether in hard copy or machine-readable form, are intended for one-time use in the Project for which this RGA has been entered into.

3) Design Professional is not liable for claims, liabilities or losses arising out of, or connected with, the modification or misuse by CALTRANS of the machine readable information and data provided by Design Professional under this RGA; further, Design Professional is not liable for claims, liabilities or losses arising out of, or connected with, any use by CALTRANS of the Project documentation on other projects, for additions to this Project, or for the completion of this project by others, excepting only such use as may be authorized, in writing, by Design Professional

**GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE SAN DIEGO ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS AND  
CITY OF SAN DIEGO  
MISSING MIDDLE HOUSING DESIGN REGIONAL EARLY ACTION PROGRAM 2.0  
HOUSING ACCELERATION GRANT PROGRAM – CYCLE 2**

**SANDAG CONTRACT NO. [ERP NUMBER]**

THIS GRANT AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into effective as of April 1, 2024 by and between the San Diego Association of Governments ("SANDAG") and City of San Diego ("Subgrantee"). This Agreement expires on March 31, 2026, unless amended in writing by mutual agreement of the parties.

The following recitals are a substantive part of this Agreement:

- A. In January 2010, the SANDAG Board of Directors approved Board Policy No. 035: Competitive Grant Program Procedures, which is available in its updated version at <https://www.sandag.org/about/bylaws-and-policies>. This Agreement and the Subgrantee's performance are subject to Board Policy No. 035, which includes multiple "use it or lose it" provisions.
- B. In 2019, the state legislature passed Assembly Bill 101, which created state grant fund programs to distribute one-time funding to regional entities to prioritize planning activities that accelerate housing production. Thereafter, the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) established the Regional Early Action Planning grant program (REAP), which allocated \$6.8 million to SANDAG. Using these grant funds, SANDAG established a regional housing incentive program to collaborate on projects with a broader regional impact on housing.
- C. REAP 2.0 was established as part of the 2021 California Comeback Plan under Assembly Bill 140, and HCD allocated SANDAG \$43 million. REAP 2.0 builds on the success of REAP 1.0 and expands the REAP program focus by addressing housing and climate goals in California through funding planning and capital activities related to the acceleration of housing production within infill areas that affirmatively further fair housing and reduce vehicle miles traveled.
- D. On October 28, 2022, the SANDAG Board of Directors approved the program eligibility and evaluation criteria for the Housing Acceleration Program (HAP) Cycle 2 Call for Projects, including up to \$16 million in funding from REAP 2.0.
- E. On May 7, 2023, SANDAG issued a call for projects from local jurisdictions in San Diego County that wish to apply for a portion of the HAP Cycle 2 funds for use on housing planning and capital improvement projects meeting certain criteria.
- F. On October 13, 2023, the SANDAG Board of Directors approved a list of recommended HAP projects for this competitive grant cycle, and one of those projects is the subject of this Agreement (Project). The Project Scope of Work and Budget, and Project Schedule are included as Attachments A and B, respectively.
- G. The purpose of this Agreement is to establish the terms and conditions for SANDAG to provide Subgrantee with funding to implement the Project.
- H. Although SANDAG will provide financial assistance to Subgrantee to support the Project, SANDAG will not take an active role or retain substantial control of the Project. Therefore, this Agreement is characterized as a funding agreement rather than a cooperative agreement.

- I. Subgrantee understands that REAP 2.0 funds were granted from HCD with statutory requirements and a SANDAG expenditure deadline of June 30, 2026. The SANDAG funding commitment to HAP Projects, including this Project, is subject to those statutory requirements and deadlines, which may impact funding availability for this Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is agreed as follows:

## **I. GRANT AWARD**

- A. The total amount payable by SANDAG to Subgrantee under this Agreement shall be the proportion of actual Project costs allocated to grant funding in the Project Budget (Attachment A) and shall not exceed the grant award of \$XXX (Fund Limit).
- B. It is agreed and understood that this Agreement Fund Limit is a ceiling and that SANDAG will only reimburse the allowable cost of services rendered as authorized by SANDAG at or below the Fund Limit.

## **II. PROJECT BUDGET**

The Subgrantee and SANDAG have agreed to a Project Budget outlined in Attachment A. The Subgrantee and third-party contractor(s) will incur obligations to the Project only as authorized by the Project Budget. Subgrantee may, with prior written approval from the HAP Program Manager, reallocate funds between tasks in the Project Budget as long as all of the following conditions are met:

1. The funds to be reallocated do not exceed an aggregate amount of ten percent for any particular task in the Project Budget,
2. The reallocation does not negatively impact the benefits obtained from the Project, and
3. There is no increase to the Fund Limit or decrease to the matching funds.

Any other changes to the Project Budget require the issuance of an amendment to this Agreement.

## **III. MATCHING FUNDS**

Subgrantee agrees to provide matching funds in an amount of \$XXX of the actual cost of the Project, estimated to be 16.67 percent based on the Project Budget. If the actual cost of the Project exceeds the Project Budget, Subgrantee is responsible for 100 percent of the actual cost greater than the Project Budget.

### **A. Availability of Grant Funding**

Except where expressly allowed in writing herein, credits for matching funds will be made or allowed only for work performed on and after the Agreement effective date and before the termination date of this Agreement, unless expressly permitted by SANDAG in writing.

### **B. Reduction of Matching Funds**

The Subgrantee agrees that no matching funds may be reduced unless a reduction of the proportional share of the grant funding provided by SANDAG under this Agreement is also made.

### **C. Prompt Payment of Subgrantee's Share of Matching Funds**

Subgrantee agrees to complete all actions necessary to provide its share of the Project costs at or before the time the matching funds are needed from Subgrantee to pay for Project costs. The

Subgrantee agrees to provide not less than its cumulative required match amount of Project costs prior to invoicing SANDAG for reimbursement. Each of Subgrantee's invoices must include its matching fund contribution, along with supporting, descriptive and explanatory documentation for the matching funds provided.

#### **IV. PROJECT MANAGER**

Subgrantee's Project Manager is Grant Ruroede.

The HAP Program Manager is Goldy Herbon.

Project Manager continuity and experience are deemed essential in Subgrantee's ability to carry out the Project under the terms of this Agreement. Should the Subgrantee change the Project Manager, it will provide written notice to the HAP Program Manager within ten business days of the change, including contact information for the new Project Manager.

#### **V. NOTICE**

All notices required to be given, by either party to the other, shall be deemed fully given when made in writing and received by the parties at their respective addresses:

San Diego Association of Governments  
Attention: Grants Program Manager  
401 B Street, Suite 800  
San Diego, CA 92101

Subgrantee:  
City of San Diego  
Attention: Grant Ruroede  
202 C Street MS 413  
San Diego CA 92101

#### **VI. PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION**

##### **A. General**

The Subgrantee agrees to carry out the Project as follows:

##### **1. Project Description**

Subgrantee agrees to perform the work as described in the Scope of Work included in Attachment A.

##### **2. Subgrantee's Capacity**

The Subgrantee agrees to maintain or acquire sufficient legal, financial, technical, and managerial capacity to: (a) plan, manage, and complete the Project as described in Attachment A and provide for the use of any Project property; (b) carry out any safety and security aspects of the Project; and (c) comply with the terms of the Agreement and all applicable laws, regulations, and policies pertaining to the Project and the Subgrantee, including but not limited to the Pass-Through Provisions from REAP Agreement (Attachment C) and Board Policy No. 035.

### 3. Project Schedule

The Subgrantee agrees to complete the Project according to the Project Schedule included in Attachment B and in compliance with the Pass-Through Provisions from REAP Agreement (Attachment C) and Board Policy No. 035.

### 4. Project Implementation and Oversight Requirements

Subgrantee agrees to comply with the Performance Measures included in Attachment D.

### 5. Changes to Project Scope of Work

This Agreement was awarded to Subgrantee based on the application submitted by Subgrantee with the intention that the awarded funds would be used to implement the Project as described in the project application. Any substantive deviation from Subgrantee's Scope of Work during project implementation may require reevaluation or result in loss of funding. If Subgrantee knows or should have known that substantive changes to the Project will occur or have occurred, Subgrantee will immediately notify SANDAG in writing. SANDAG will then determine whether the Project is still consistent with the overall objectives of the grant program and whether the changes would have negatively affected the Project ranking during the competitive grant evaluation process. SANDAG reserves the right to have grant funding withheld from Subgrantee, or refunded to SANDAG, due to Subgrantee's failure to complete the Project satisfactorily or due to substantive changes to the Project not approved in advance by SANDAG.

## B. Application of Laws

Should a federal or state law pre-empt or conflict with a local law, policy, or ordinance, the Subgrantee must comply with the federal or state law and implementing regulations. No provision of this Agreement requires the Subgrantee to observe or enforce compliance with any provision, perform any other act, or do any other task in contravention of federal, state, territorial, or local law, regulation, or ordinance. If compliance with any provision of this Agreement violates or would require the Subgrantee to violate any law, the Subgrantee agrees to notify SANDAG immediately in writing. Should this occur, SANDAG and the Subgrantee agree to make appropriate arrangements to proceed with or, if necessary, terminate the Project or affected portions expeditiously.

## C. Changes in Project Performance

The Subgrantee agrees to notify SANDAG immediately, in writing, of any change in local law, conditions (including its legal, financial, or technical capacity), or any other event, including a force majeure event, that may adversely affect the Subgrantee's ability to perform the Project under the terms of the Agreement and as required by Board Policy No. 035. The Subgrantee also agrees to notify SANDAG immediately, in writing, of any current or prospective major dispute, breach, default, or litigation that may adversely affect SANDAG's interests in the Project; and agrees to inform SANDAG, also in writing, before naming SANDAG as a party to litigation for any reason, in any forum. At a minimum, the Subgrantee agrees to send each notice to SANDAG required by this subsection to SANDAG's Grants Program Manager.

## D. Licenses and Permits

Subgrantee represents and warrants to SANDAG that Subgrantee and its subcontractors will have all necessary licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature that are required to legally practice its profession and perform services under this Agreement at all times during the term of this Agreement.



## **E. Standard of Care**

Subgrantee expressly warrants that the work to be performed under this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with the applicable standard of care. Where approval by SANDAG, its management, or other representative of SANDAG is indicated in the Scope of Work, it is understood to be conceptual approval only and does not relieve the Subgrantee of responsibility for complying with all laws, codes, industry standards, and liability for damages caused by negligent acts, errors, omissions, noncompliance with industry standards, or the willful misconduct of the Subgrantee or its subcontractors.

## **F. Third-Party Contracting**

Although the Subgrantee may delegate any or almost all Project responsibilities to one or more third-party contractors, the Subgrantee agrees that it, rather than any third-party contractor, is ultimately responsible for compliance with all applicable laws, regulations, and this Agreement. The first invoice utilizing any third-party contractor shall be accompanied by evidence of compliance with the following requirements:

### **1. Competitive Procurement**

Subgrantee shall not award contracts with a cumulative value over \$10,000 based on a noncompetitive procurement for work to be performed under this Agreement without the prior written approval of SANDAG. Contracts awarded by Subgrantee, if intended as local match credit, must meet the requirements outlined in this Agreement regarding local match funds. Upon request by SANDAG, Subgrantee shall submit its Request for Proposals or bid solicitation documents to SANDAG staff for review and comment for consistency with the agreed upon Scope of Work with SANDAG and to ensure a competitive process was used.

If Subgrantee hires a third-party contractor to carry out work funded under this Agreement, Subgrantee shall: prepare a cost estimate prior to soliciting proposals/bids; publicly advertise for competing proposals/bids for the work; for professional services, use cost as a significant evaluation factor in selecting the third-party contractor; document a record of negotiation establishing that the amount paid by Subgrantee for the work is fair and reasonable; and pass through the relevant obligations in this Agreement to the contractor.

### **2. Debarment**

Subgrantee shall execute and cause its third-party contractors to execute debarment and suspension certificates stating they have not been disqualified from doing business with government entities. The documentation showing a lack of debarment shall be obtained from the following two websites:

- Subgrantee will check the System for Award Management (SAM) at [www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov) to verify the prime contractor and all of its subcontractors are not currently debarred or suspended by the federal government.
- Entities in the United States are banned from doing business with companies with ownership based in countries such as Cuba, Sudan and China due to United States trade sanctions. A search on the US Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) website can ensure Subgrantee will not be doing business with a vendor that is subject to trade sanctions. This can be done at <https://sanctionssearch.ofac.treas.gov/>.

### 3. Flowdown

Subgrantee agrees to take appropriate measures necessary, including the execution of a subagreement, lease, third-party contract, or other, to ensure that all Project participants, including alternate payees or third-party contractors at any tier, comply with all applicable federal laws, regulations, policies affecting Project implementation and Agreement requirements. In addition, if an entity other than the Subgrantee is expected to fulfill any responsibilities typically performed by the Subgrantee, the Subgrantee agrees to assure that the entity carries out the Subgrantee's responsibilities as outlined in this Agreement, including but not limited to those in Attachment C.

### 4. No SANDAG Obligations to Third Parties

In connection with the Project, the Subgrantee agrees that SANDAG shall not be subject to any obligations or liabilities to any subcontractor, lessee, third-party contractor at any tier, or other person or entity that is not a party to the Agreement for the Project. Notwithstanding that SANDAG may have concurred in or approved any solicitation, subagreement, lease, alternate payee designation, or third-party contract at any tier, SANDAG has no obligations or liabilities to any entity other than the Subgrantee.

### 5. Equipment Purchases

Subgrantee shall maintain ownership of any equipment purchased using Agreement funding and shall use such equipment only for the purposes outlined in this Agreement. The parties agree to meet and confer in good faith to ensure the equipment's continued use for the intended purposes, which may include reimbursement to SANDAG when the fair market value of the equipment at Project completion exceeds \$5,000. SANDAG and Subgrantee further agree that Subgrantee shall keep an inventory record for each piece of equipment purchased under this Agreement and maintain each piece of equipment in good operating order consistent with the purposes for which they were intended. SANDAG shall have the right to conduct periodic maintenance inspections to confirm the equipment's existence, condition, and proper maintenance.

## VII. ETHICS

### A. Subgrantee Code of Conduct/Standards of Conduct

The Subgrantee agrees to maintain a written code of conduct or standards of conduct that shall govern the actions of its officers, employees, council or board members, or agents engaged in the award or administration of subagreements, leases, or third-party contracts supported with the grant funding. The Subgrantee agrees that its code of conduct or standards of conduct shall specify that its officers, employees, council or board members, or agents may neither solicit nor accept gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from any present or potential subcontractor, lessee, or third-party contractor at any tier or agent thereof. The Subgrantee may set de minimis rules where the financial interest is not substantial, or the gift is an unsolicited item of nominal intrinsic value. The Subgrantee agrees that its code of conduct or standards of conduct shall also prohibit its officers, employees, board members, or agents from using their respective positions in a manner that presents a real or apparent personal or organizational conflict of interest or personal gain. As permitted by state or local law or regulations, the Subgrantee agrees that its code of conduct or standards of conduct shall include penalties, sanctions, or other disciplinary actions for violations by its officers, employees, council or board members, or their agents, or its third-party contractors or subcontractors or their agents.

**B. Personal Conflicts of Interest**

The Subgrantee agrees that its code of conduct or standards of conduct shall prohibit the Subgrantee's employees, officers, council or board members, or agents from participating in the selection, award, or administration of any third-party contract or subagreement supported by the grant funding if a real or apparent conflict of interest would be involved. Such a conflict would arise when an employee, officer, board member, or agent, including any member of their immediate family, partner, or organization that employs, or intends to employ, any of the parties listed herein have a financial interest in a firm competing for award.

**C. Organizational Conflicts of Interest**

The Subgrantee agrees that its code of conduct or standards of conduct shall include procedures for identifying and preventing real and apparent organizational conflicts of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when the nature of the work to be performed under a proposed third-party contract or subagreement may, without some restrictions on future activities, result in an unfair competitive advantage to the third-party contractor or subcontractor or impair its objectivity in performing the contract work.

**D. SANDAG Code of Conduct**

SANDAG has established policies concerning potential conflicts of interest. These policies apply to Subgrantee. For all awards by SANDAG, any practices that might result in unlawful activity are prohibited including, but not limited to, rebates, kickbacks, or other unlawful considerations. SANDAG staff members are specifically prohibited from participating in the selection process when those staff have a close personal relationship, family relationship, or past (within the last 12 months), present, or potential business or employment relationship with a person or business entity seeking a contract with SANDAG. It is unlawful for any contract to be made by SANDAG if any individual Board member or staff has a prohibited financial interest in the contract. Staff also are prohibited from soliciting or accepting gratuities from any organization seeking funding from SANDAG. SANDAG's officers, employees, agents, and board members shall not solicit or accept gifts, gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from consultants, potential consultants, or parties to subagreements. By signing this Agreement, Subgrantee affirms that it has no knowledge of an ethical violation by SANDAG staff or Subgrantee. If Subgrantee has any reason to believe a conflict of interest exists concerning the Agreement or the Project, it shall notify the SANDAG Office of General Counsel immediately.

**E. Bonus or Commission**

The Subgrantee affirms that it has not paid, and agrees not to pay, any bonus or commission to obtain approval of its grant funding application for the Project.

**F. False or Fraudulent Statements or Claims**

The Subgrantee acknowledges and agrees that by executing the Agreement for the Project, the Subgrantee certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of each statement it has made, it makes, or it may make in connection with the Project, including, but not limited to, the Subgrantee's grant application, progress reports, and invoices.

**VIII. PAYMENTS****A. Type of Payment**

The payment type for this Agreement will be reimbursement and will be based on actual, substantiated, and allowable costs described herein.

**B. Alternate Payee**

If the Subgrantee designates a party as an Alternate Payee, Alternate Payee is authorized to submit payment requests directly to SANDAG to receive reimbursement for allowable Project costs. This does not alleviate Subgrantee from all obligations under this Grant Agreement.

**C. Invoicing**

Subgrantee or Alternate Payee is required to submit invoices quarterly using a template provided by SANDAG. Invoices must be accompanied by a quarterly report (template to be provided by SANDAG). SANDAG will make payments for eligible amounts to Subgrantee or Alternate Payee as promptly as SANDAG fiscal procedures permit upon receipt of Subgrantee's or Alternate Payee's itemized signed invoice(s), backup, deliverables, and confirmation by the HAP Program Manager that Subgrantee is in compliance with the reporting and other requirements in this Agreement. SANDAG shall retain 10 percent from the amounts invoiced until the satisfactory completion of the Project. SANDAG shall promptly pay retention amounts to Subgrantee or Alternate Payee following satisfactory completion of the Scope of Work, including but not limited to receipt of all deliverables, completion of a final site visit, and notification that all labor compliance requirements have been met (for capital projects), the final invoice, and all required documentation.

**D. Eligible Costs**

The Subgrantee agrees that Project costs eligible for grant funding must comply with the following requirements unless SANDAG determines otherwise in writing. To be eligible for reimbursement, Project costs must be:

1. Consistent with the Project Scope of Work, Schedule, and Project Budget, and other provisions of the Agreement.
2. Necessary to accomplish the Project.
3. Reasonable for the goods or services purchased.
4. Actual net costs to the Subgrantee (i.e., the price paid minus any refunds, rebates, or other items of value received by the Subgrantee that reduces the cost actually incurred, excluding program income). Project-generated revenue realized by the Subgrantee shall be used to support the Project. Project-generated revenue and expenditures, if any, shall be reported at the end of the Agreement period.
5. Incurred for work performed on or after the Agreement effective date and before the termination date, and also must have been paid for by the Subgrantee.
6. Satisfactorily documented with supporting documentation, which will be submitted with each invoice. Copies of invoices are required for goods or services provided by third parties.
7. Treated consistently following generally accepted accounting principles and procedures for the Subgrantee and any third-party contractors and subcontractors, (see Section entitled "Accounting Records").
8. Eligible for grant funding as part of the grant program through which the funds were awarded.

**E. Excluded Costs**

In determining the amount of REAP funds SANDAG will provide for the Project, SANDAG will exclude the following:

1. Any Project cost incurred by the Subgrantee before the Effective Date of the Agreement or applicable Amendment.
2. Any cost that is not included in the Project Budget.
3. Any cost for Project property or services received in connection with a subagreement, lease, third-party contract, or other arrangement that is required to be, but has not been, concurred in or approved in writing by SANDAG.
4. Any cost ineligible for SANDAG participation as provided by applicable laws, regulations, or policies.
5. Any cost incurred for a common or joint purpose benefitting more than one cost objective, and not readily assignable to the cost objectives specifically benefitted, without effort disproportionate to the results achieved (any indirect cost). Typical indirect costs include facilities and administration costs such as heat/air conditioning, lighting, payroll, and the entity's accounting system. Administrative costs such as clerical and support staff salaries are often treated as indirect costs.

The Subgrantee understands and agrees that payment to the Subgrantee for any Project cost does not constitute SANDAG's final decision about whether that cost is allowable and eligible for payment under the Project and does not constitute a waiver of any violation by the Subgrantee of the terms of this Agreement or Board Policy No. 035. The Subgrantee acknowledges that SANDAG will not make a final determination about the allowability and eligibility of any cost until the final payment has been made on the Project or the results of an audit of the Project requested by SANDAG have been completed, whichever occurs latest. If SANDAG determines that the Subgrantee is not entitled to receive any portion of the grant funding requested or paid, SANDAG will notify the Subgrantee in writing, stating its reasons. The Subgrantee agrees that Project closeout will not alter the Subgrantee's responsibility to return any funds due to SANDAG as a result of later refunds, corrections, performance deficiencies, or other similar actions; nor will Project closeout alter SANDAG's right to disallow costs and recover funds provided for the Project on the basis of a later audit or other review. Upon notification to the Subgrantee that specific amounts are owed to SANDAG, whether for excess payments of grant funding, disallowed costs, or funds recovered from third parties or elsewhere, the Subgrantee agrees to promptly remit to SANDAG the amounts owed, including applicable interest, penalties and administrative charges.

## **IX. ACCOUNTING, REPORTING, RECORD RETENTION, AND ACCESS**

### **A. Project Accounts**

The Subgrantee and Alternate Payee agree to establish and maintain for the Project either a separate set of accounts or separate accounts within the framework of an established accounting system that can be identified with the Project. The Subgrantee and Alternate Payee also agree to maintain documentation of all checks, payrolls, invoices, contracts, vouchers, orders, or other accounting documents related in whole or in part to the Project so that they may be clearly identified, readily accessible, and available to SANDAG upon request and, to the extent feasible, kept separate from documents not related to the Project.

### **B. Reports**

1. The Subgrantee agrees to submit to SANDAG all reports required by law and regulation, policy, this Agreement, or any other reports SANDAG may specify. SANDAG reserves the right to specify that records be submitted in particular formats. Subgrantee may be required to attend meetings of SANDAG staff and committees, including but not limited to the Regional Planning

Committee and the SANDAG Board of Directors, to report on its progress and respond to questions from Board Members or the public.

2. Subgrantee's performance shall be monitored for consistency with the Scope of Work. SANDAG will utilize Performance Measures (Attachment D) and the SANDAG Grant Monitoring Checklist provided by the HAP Program Manager, to document compliance with this Agreement. Subgrantee's performance will be measured against the Performance Measures during the term of this Agreement. If the Subgrantee does not comply with provisions in this Agreement or achieve minimum performance requirements, SANDAG will issue Subgrantee a written Notice to Complete a Recovery Plan (Notice). Subgrantee's Recovery Plan shall include a detailed description of how Subgrantee intends to come into compliance with the Agreement or Performance Measures. Subgrantee's Recovery Plan must include an implementation schedule that reflects compliance with the Agreement as referenced in the Notice, or achievement of its performance measure minimums within three months following the issue date of the Notice. Subgrantee must submit its Recovery Plan to the HAP Program Manager within 30 calendar days following the issue date of the Notice. If Subgrantee's performance is inconsistent with that proposed in its Recovery Plan, SANDAG, in its sole discretion, may terminate this Agreement.
3. Subgrantee must submit quarterly reports and invoices to SANDAG, detailing accomplishments in the quarter, anticipated progress next quarter, pending issues and actions toward resolution, and status of the Project's budget, schedule, and Performance Measures using templates provided by SANDAG. The Quarterly Progress Report shall be submitted to SANDAG within 30 days after each period close, covering January 1 to March 31; April 1 to June 30; July 1 to September 30; and October 1 to December 31. Subgrantee will not be paid until all reports are completed and provided to SANDAG in the format and with the content SANDAG requires. Furthermore, the Subgrantee agrees to provide project milestone information (such as presentations to community groups, other agencies, and elected officials, groundbreakings, and ribbon-cuttings) to support media and communications efforts. Subgrantee needs to document and track in-kind contributions designated as matching funds as part of project management. Subgrantee must provide all deliverables identified in the Scope of Work in order to receive payment.
4. Press materials shall be provided to SANDAG staff before they are distributed. SANDAG logo(s) should be included in press materials and other project collateral based on logo usage guidelines to be provided by SANDAG. Subgrantee agrees to provide project milestone information to support media and communications efforts.
5. Subgrantee is responsible for the following photo documentation:
  - Existing conditions photos (as applicable), which should illustrate the current conditions of the project site and demonstrate the need for improved facilities
  - Project milestone photos (such as workshops, presentations to community groups, other agencies, and elected officials)
  - Photos should be high resolution (at least 4 inches by 6 inches with a minimum of 300 pixels per inch) and be accompanied by captions with project descriptions, dates, locations, and the names of those featured, if appropriate. Subgrantees must obtain consent of all persons featured in photos (or that of a parent or guardian of persons under the age of 18) by using the SANDAG Photo and Testimonial Release form to be provided by SANDAG, or a similar release form developed by Subgrantee and agreed upon by SANDAG.

**C. Record Retention**

During the course of the Project and for three years thereafter from the date of transmission of the final invoice, the Subgrantee agrees to maintain, intact and readily accessible, all communications, data, documents, reports, records, contracts, and supporting materials relating to the Project, as SANDAG may require. All communications and information provided to SANDAG become the property of SANDAG and public records, as such, may be subject to public review. Please see SANDAG's Board Policy No. 015: Records Management Policy, which is available at <https://www.sandag.org/about/bylaws-and-policies>, for information regarding the treatment of documents designated as confidential.

**D. Meeting Records**

Subgrantee shall provide SANDAG with agendas and meeting summaries for all community meetings. SANDAG staff may attend any meetings as appropriate.

**E. Access to Records of Subgrantees and Subcontractors**

The Subgrantee agrees to permit, and require its subcontractors to permit, SANDAG or its authorized representatives, upon request, to inspect all Project work, materials, payrolls, and other data, and to audit the books, records, and accounts of the Subgrantee and its subcontractors pertaining to the Project.

**X. PROJECT COMPLETION, AUDIT, SETTLEMENT, AND CLOSEOUT****A. Project Completion**

Within 90 calendar days following Project completion or termination by SANDAG, or by April 30, 2026, whichever occurs first, the Subgrantee agrees to submit a final invoice of Project expenses and final reports, as applicable. All payments made to the Subgrantee shall be subject to review for compliance by SANDAG with the requirements of this Agreement and shall be subject to an audit upon completion of the Project.

**B. Project Audit**

The Subgrantee agrees to have financial, performance, and compliance audits performed as SANDAG may require. The Subgrantee agrees that Project closeout will not alter the Subgrantee's audit responsibilities. Audit costs are allowable Project costs.

**C. Performance Audit**

The Subgrantee agrees to cooperate with SANDAG regarding any performance audit performed on the Project.

**D. Project Closeout**

Project closeout occurs when SANDAG notifies the Subgrantee that SANDAG has closed the Project, and, if applicable, either forwards the final grant funding payment and or acknowledges that the Subgrantee has remitted the proper refund. The Subgrantee agrees that Project closeout by SANDAG does not invalidate any continuing requirements imposed by the Agreement or any unmet requirements outlined in a written notification from SANDAG.

## **XI. TIMELY PROGRESS AND RIGHT OF SANDAG TO TERMINATE**

- A.** Subgrantee shall make diligent and timely progress toward completion of the Project within the timelines outlined in the Project Schedule.
- B.** In the event Subgrantee encounters or anticipates difficulty in meeting the Project Schedule, the Subgrantee shall immediately notify the HAP Program Manager in writing, and shall provide pertinent details, including the reason(s) for the delay in performance and the date by which Subgrantee expects to complete performance or delivery. This notification shall be informational in character only and receipt of it shall not be construed as a waiver by SANDAG of a project delivery schedule or date, or any rights or remedies provided by this Agreement, including Board Policy No. 035 requirements.
- C.** Subgrantee agrees that SANDAG, at its sole discretion, may suspend or terminate all or any part of the grant funding if the Subgrantee fails to make reasonable progress on the Project and/or violates the terms of the Agreement or Board Policy No. 035, or if SANDAG determines that the continuation of grant funding for the Project would not adequately serve the purpose of the laws or policies authorizing the Project.
- D.** In general, termination of grant funding for the Project will not invalidate obligations properly incurred by the Subgrantee before the termination date to the extent those obligations cannot be canceled. If, however, SANDAG determines that the Subgrantee has willfully misused grant funding by failing to make adequate progress or failing to comply with the terms of the Agreement, SANDAG reserves the right to require the Subgrantee to refund to SANDAG the entire amount of grant funding provided for the Project or any lesser amount as SANDAG may determine.
- E.** Expiration of any Project time period established in the Project Schedule will not automatically constitute an expiration or termination of the Agreement for the Project. However, Subgrantee must request, and SANDAG may agree to amend the Agreement in writing if the Project Schedule will not be met. An amendment to the Project Schedule may be made at SANDAG's discretion if Subgrantee's request is consistent with the provisions of Board Policy No. 035 and the REAP 2.0 requirements, including the expenditure deadline set by the state for the REAP 2.0 program.

## **XII. CIVIL RIGHTS**

The Subgrantee agrees to comply with all applicable civil rights laws, regulations and policies and shall include the provisions of this section in each subagreement, lease, third-party contract or other legally binding document to perform work funded by this Agreement. Applicable civil rights laws, regulations and policies include, but are not limited to, the following:

### **A. Nondiscrimination**

SANDAG implements its programs without regard to income level, disability, race, color, and national origin in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and Title VI of the Civil Rights Act. Subgrantee shall prohibit discrimination on these grounds, notify the public of their rights under these laws, and utilize a process for addressing complaints of discrimination. Furthermore, Subgrantee shall make the procedures for filing a complaint available to members of the public and will keep a log of all such complaints. Subgrantee must notify SANDAG immediately if a complaint related to the Project or program funded by this grant is lodged. If Subgrantee receives a Title VI-related or ADA-related complaint, Subgrantee must notify SANDAG in writing within 72 hours of receiving the complaint so that SANDAG can determine whether it needs to carry out its own investigation.



## **B. Equal Employment Opportunity**

During the performance of this Agreement, Subgrantee and all of its subcontractors, if any, shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass, or allow harassment against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, race, color, ancestry, religious creed, national origin, disability (including HIV and AIDS), mental disability, medical condition (cancer), age (over 40), marital status, denial of family and medical care leave, denial of pregnancy disability leave, veteran status, or sexual orientation. Subgrantee and its subcontractors shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Subgrantee and its subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (California Government Code Section 12900, et seq.) and the applicable regulations promulgated thereunder (California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Section 7285.0, et seq.). The applicable regulations of the Fair Employment and Housing Commission implementing California Government Code Section 12990 (a-f), outlined in Chapter 5 of Division 4 of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, are incorporated into this Agreement by this reference and are made a part hereof as if set forth in full. Subgrantee and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with a collective bargaining or other Agreement.

## **XIII. DISPUTES AND VENUE**

### **A. Choice of Law**

This Agreement shall be interpreted under the laws of the State of California.

### **B. Dispute Resolution Process**

If Subgrantee has a dispute with SANDAG during the performance of this Agreement, Subgrantee shall continue to perform unless SANDAG informs Subgrantee in writing to cease performance. The dispute resolution process for disputes arising under this Agreement shall be as follows:

1. Subgrantee shall submit a statement of the grounds for the dispute, including all pertinent dates, names of persons involved, and supporting documentation, to the HAP Program Manager. The HAP Program Manager and other appropriate SANDAG staff will review the documentation promptly and reply to Subgrantee within 20 calendar days. Upon receipt of an adverse decision by SANDAG, Subgrantee may submit a request for reconsideration to SANDAG's Chief Executive Officer or designee. The request for reconsideration must be received within ten calendar days from the postmark date of SANDAG's reply. The Chief Executive Officer or designee will respond in writing to the request for reconsideration within ten working days.
2. If Subgrantee is dissatisfied with the results following the exhaustion of the above dispute resolution procedures, Subgrantee shall make a written request to SANDAG for appeal to the SANDAG Regional Planning Committee. SANDAG shall respond to a request for mediation within 30 calendar days. The decision of the Regional Planning Committee shall be final.

### **C. Venue**

If any action is brought to interpret or enforce any term of this Agreement, the action shall be brought in a state or federal court situated in the County of San Diego, State of California. In the event of any such litigation between the parties, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover all reasonable costs incurred, including reasonable attorney's fees, litigation and collection expenses, witness fees, and court costs as determined by the court.

#### **XIV. ASSIGNMENT**

Subgrantee shall not assign, sublet, or transfer (whether by assignment or novation) this Agreement or any rights under or interest in this Agreement.

#### **XV. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS**

##### **A. Generally**

With regard to any claim, protest, or litigation arising from or related to the Subgrantee's performance in connection with or incidental to the Project or this Agreement, Subgrantee agrees to defend, indemnify, protect, and hold SANDAG and its agents, officers, Board members, and employees harmless from and against any and all claims, including, but not limited to prevailing wage claims against the Project, asserted or established liability for damages or injuries to any person or property, including injury to the Subgrantee's or its subcontractors' employees, agents, or officers, which arise from or are connected with or are caused or claimed to be caused by the negligent, reckless, or willful acts or omissions of the Subgrantee and its subcontractors and their agents, officers, or employees, in performing the work or services herein, and all expenses of investigating and defending against same, including attorney fees and costs; provided, however, that the Subgrantee's duty to indemnify and hold harmless shall not include any claims or liability arising from the established sole negligence or willful misconduct of SANDAG, its Board of Directors, agents, officers, or employees.

##### **B. Intellectual Property**

Upon request by SANDAG, the Subgrantee agrees to indemnify, save, and hold harmless SANDAG and its Board of Directors, officers, agents, and employees acting within the scope of their official duties against any liability, including costs and expenses, resulting from any willful or intentional violation by the Subgrantee of proprietary rights, copyrights, or right of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, use, or disposition of any data furnished under the Project. The Subgrantee shall not be required to indemnify SANDAG for any liability caused solely by the wrongful acts of SANDAG employees or agents.

#### **XVI. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR**

##### **A. Status of Subgrantee**

Subgrantee shall perform the services provided for within this Agreement as an independent contractor, not an employee of SANDAG. Subgrantee shall be under the control of SANDAG as to the result to be accomplished and not the means and shall consult with SANDAG as provided for in the Scope of Work. The payments made to Subgrantee under this Agreement shall be the full compensation to which Subgrantee is entitled. SANDAG shall not make any federal or state tax withholdings on behalf of Subgrantee. SANDAG shall not be required to pay any workers' compensation insurance on behalf of Subgrantee. Subgrantee agrees to indemnify SANDAG for any tax, retirement contribution, social security, overtime payment, or workers' compensation payment which SANDAG may be required to make on behalf of Subgrantee or any employee of Subgrantee for work done under this Agreement.

##### **B. Actions on Behalf of SANDAG**

Except as SANDAG may specify in writing, Subgrantee shall have no authority, express or implied, to act on behalf of SANDAG in any capacity whatsoever, as an agent or otherwise. Subgrantee shall have no authority, express or implied, to bind SANDAG or its members, agents, or employees to any obligation whatsoever unless expressly provided for in this Agreement.

**XVII. SEVERABILITY AND INTEGRATION**

If any provision of the Agreement is determined invalid, the remainder of that Agreement shall not be affected if that remainder continues to conform to the requirements of applicable laws or regulations.

This Agreement, with its attachments and the resolution from Subgrantee's governing body submitted with its application, represents the entire understanding of SANDAG and Subgrantee regarding those matters. No prior oral or written understanding shall be of any force or effect concerning those matters covered herein. This Agreement may not be modified or altered except in writing, signed by SANDAG and the Subgrantee.

**XVIII. SIGNATURES**

The individuals executing this Agreement represent and warrant that they have the legal capacity and authority to do so on behalf of their respective legal entities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the last signature date below.

SAN DIEGO ASSOCIATION OF  
GOVERNMENTS

CITY OF SAN DIEGO

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**SUSAN HUNTINGTON**  
Director of Financial Planning, Budgets,  
and Grants

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**CASEY SMITH**  
Deputy Chief Operating Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Office of General Counsel

**ATTACHMENT A  
SCOPE OF WORK AND PROJECT BUDGET**

Attachment A to the Grant Agreement is not a part of Exhibit I

**ATTACHMENT B  
PROJECT SCHEDULE**

Attachment B to the Grant Agreement is not a part of Exhibit I

**ATTACHMENT C**  
**PASS-THROUGH PROVISIONS FROM REAP AGREEMENT**

The following pages are labeled as REAP2 Terms and Conditions and are copies of Exhibit D to SANDAG's Agreement with HCD (HCD Agreement). The HCD Agreement requires compliance with the Local Government Planning Support Grant Program (Health & Safety Code §50515.06 et seq.) The REAP Terms and Conditions refer to SANDAG as Grantee. Section 9B of the document requires that if SANDAG enters into any contracts with subrecipients such as Subgrantee as a result of the HCD Agreement, such contract must contain all the provisions in the HCD Agreement.

#### **EXHIBIT D - REAP2 TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

##### **1. Accounting and Records**

- A. The Grantee, its employees, contractors, and subcontractors shall establish and maintain an accounting system and reports that properly accumulate incurred project costs by line. The accounting system shall conform to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), enable the determination of incurred costs at interim points of completion, and provide support for payment vouchers and invoices. Grantees may establish and maintain an accounting system and reports, as described above, on behalf of contractors and subcontractors.
- B. The Grantee must establish a separate ledger account for receipts and expenditures of grant funds and maintain expenditure details in accordance with the budget and timeline. Separate bank accounts are not required. As appropriate, Grantees must establish separate ledgers for State General funds and other funds associated with proposed uses not provided by the REAP 2.0 Program.
- C. The Grantee shall maintain documentation of its normal procurement policy and competitive bid process (including the use of sole source purchasing), and financial records of expenditures incurred during the course of the project in accordance with GAAP.
- D. The Grantee agrees that the Department or designated representative shall have the right to review and to copy any records and supporting documentation pertaining to the performance of the Agreement.
- E. The Grantee agrees to maintain such records for a possible audit after the final payment for at least five years after all funds have been expended or returned to the State unless a longer period of records retention is stipulated. Wherever practicable, such records should be collected, transmitted, and stored in open and machine-readable formats.
- F. Contractors and subcontractors employed by the Grantee and paid with moneys under the terms of this Agreement shall be responsible for maintaining accounting records as specified above.

##### **2. Invoicing**

- A. Grant funds cannot be disbursed until the Agreement has been fully executed.
- B. The Grantee will be responsible for compiling and submitting all invoices and reporting documents.
- C. The Grantee must bill the Department based on clear deliverables outlined in the Agreement or budget timeline. Generally, approved and eligible costs incurred for work after execution of the Agreement and completed during the grant term will be reimbursable. However, eligible activities conducted prior to award will be

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reimbursable to July 1, 2021. Approved and eligible costs incurred prior to July 1, 2021, are ineligible.

- D. Grantees who received advance funds shall expend all such funds or demonstrate substantial progress prior to requesting additional advanced funding by submitting an updated project timeline and budget, including expenditure progress for their eligible projects from the application and any supporting documentation.
- E. Project invoices may be submitted to the Department by the Grantee on a quarterly basis or upon completion of a deliverable, subject to the Department's approval.
- F. The Department may consider advance payments or alternative arrangements to reimbursement and payment methods based on demonstrated need. The Department may consider factors such as available funds for eligible activities. Suballocations must request funds in increments, schedule for advance payments or other form approved by the Department, and report progress according to an implementation and expenditure timetable.
- G. Supporting documentation may include, but is not limited to, purchase orders, receipts, progress payments, subcontractor invoices, timecards, reports, or any other documentation as deemed necessary by the Department to support the reimbursement to the Grantee for expenditures incurred.
- H. Invoices must be accompanied by supporting documentation where appropriate. Invoices without supporting documentation will not be paid. The Department may withhold up to 10 percent of the grant until grant terms have been fulfilled, including all required reporting.

### 3. Audits

- A. At any time during the term of the Agreement, the Department may perform or cause to be performed a financial audit of any and all phases of the award. At the Department's request, the Grantee shall provide, at its own expense, a financial audit prepared by a certified public accountant. The Department has the right to review project documents and conduct audits during project implementation and over the project life.
- B. The Grantee agrees that the Department or the Department's designee shall have the right to review, obtain, and copy all records and supporting documentation pertaining to performance of this Agreement.
- C. The Grantee agrees to provide the Department, or the Department's designee, with any relevant information requested.
- D. The Grantee agrees to permit the Department or the Department's designee access to its premises, upon reasonable notice, during normal business hours for the purpose of interviewing employees who might reasonably have information related to such records and inspecting and copying such books, records, accounts, and other

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material that may be relevant to a matter under investigation for the purpose of determining compliance with statutes, REAP 2.0 Guidelines, and the Agreement.

- E. The Department may request additional information, as needed, to meet other applicable audit requirements.
- F. The Department may monitor expenditures and activities of a Grantee or its designees, contractors or subcontractors, as the Department deems necessary, to ensure compliance with REAP requirements.
- G. Grantees using federal or state transportation planning funds administered through the Overall Work Program (OWP) shall clearly identify the source of funds.
- H. If there are audit findings, the Grantee must submit a detailed response acceptable to the Department for each audit finding within 90 days from the date of the audit finding report.
- I. The Grantee agrees to maintain such records for possible audit after the final payment for at least five years after all funds have been expended or returned to the State unless a longer period of records retention is stipulated. Wherever practicable, such records should be collected, transmitted, and stored in open and machine-readable formats.
- J. If any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit, monitoring, inspection, or other action has been started before the expiration of the required record retention period, all records must be retained by the Grantee and its designees, contractors, and sub-contractors until completion of the action and resolution of all issues which arise from it. In any contract that it enters into in an amount exceeding \$10,000, the Grantee shall include the Department's right to audit the contractor's records and interview their employees.
- K. The Grantee shall comply with and be aware of the requirements and penalties for violations of fraud and for obstruction of investigation as set forth in California Public Contracts Code Section 10115.10.

4. **Remedies and Non-performance**

- A. Any dispute concerning a question of fact arising under this Agreement that is not disposed of by agreement shall be decided by the Department's Housing Policy Development Manager, or the Manager's designee, who may consider any written or verbal evidence submitted by the Grantee. The decision of the Department's Housing Policy Development Manager or Designee shall be the Department's final decision regarding the dispute, not subject to appeal.
- B. Neither the pendency of a dispute nor its consideration by the Department will excuse the Grantee from full and timely performance in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

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- C. In the event that it is determined, at the sole discretion of the Department, that the Grantee is not meeting the terms and conditions of the Agreement, immediately upon receiving a written notice from the Department to stop work, the Grantee shall cease all work under the Agreement. The Department has the sole discretion to determine that the Grantee meets the terms and conditions after a stop work order, and to deliver a written notice to the Grantee to resume work under the Agreement.
- D. The Department has the right to terminate the Agreement at any time upon 30 days written notice. The notice shall specify the reason for early termination and may permit the Grantee or the Department to rectify any deficiency(ies) prior to the early termination date. The Grantee will submit any requested documents to the Department within 30 days of the early termination notice.
- E. The applicant must demonstrate a clear and significant nexus to REAP 2.0 Program goals and objectives and must carry out provisions to meet the Program goals and objectives and other requirements, including, but not limited to, adoption or completion of activities toward Policy Outcomes and implementation of eligible use activities funded through a suballocation process. Any lack of action or action inconsistent with REAP 2.0 requirements may result in review and could be subject to repayment of the grant.
- F. At any time, if the Department finds the Grantee included false information in the advance or final application or as part of the application review, the Department may require the repayment of funds.
- G. Grantees are responsible for suballocations meeting all REAP 2.0 requirements.
- H. Examples of a breach of this Agreement:
  - 1. Grantee's failure to comply with any term or condition of this Agreement.
  - 2. Use of, or permitting the use of, grant funds provided under this Agreement for any ineligible costs or for any activity not specified and approved under this Agreement.
  - 3. Any failure to comply with the deadlines set forth in this Agreement unless approved by the Program Manager in writing.
- I. The Department may, as it deems appropriate or necessary, require the repayment of funds from a Grantee, or pursue any other remedies available to it by law for failure to comply with all REAP 2.0 Program requirements.
- J. In addition to any other remedies that may be available to the Department in law or equity for breach of this Agreement, the Department may at its discretion, exercise a variety of remedies, including but not limited to:
  - 1. Revoke existing REAP 2.0 award(s) to the Grantee;

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2. Require the return of unexpended REAP 2.0 funds disbursed under this Agreement;
  3. Require repayment of REAP 2.0 Funds disbursed and expended under this Agreement;
  4. Seek a court order for specific performance of the obligation defaulted upon, or the appointment of a receiver to complete the obligations in accordance with the REAP 2.0 Program requirements; and
  5. Other remedies available at law, by and through this Agreement. All remedies available to the Department are cumulative and not exclusive.
  6. The Department may give written notice to the Grantee to cure the breach or violation within a period of not less than 15 days.
- K. The Grantee may be subject to amendment of this section as a result of subsequent applications and awards.

5. **Reporting**

- A. At any time during the term of the Agreement, the Department may request a performance report that demonstrates satisfaction of all requirements identified in the Agreement with emphasis on eligible activities, eligible uses, and expenditures according to timelines and budgets referenced in the Agreement.
- B. Grantees shall submit a report, in the form and manner prescribed by the Department, to be made publicly available on its website, by April 1 of the year following the receipt of those funds, and annually thereafter until those funds are expended, that contains the following information:
  1. The status of the Proposed Uses and expenditures listed in the Grantee's advance and full applications for funding and progress of each Proposed Use toward all the objectives of the REAP 2.0 program as provided in the Guidelines and explained in the applications.
  2. An explanation and quantification, where appropriate, of the progress achieved toward all of the objectives of the REAP 2.0 program, barriers and solutions for each Proposed Use that is consistent with and incorporates the metrics in the full application, including, but not limited to:
    - i. Housing units accelerated,
    - ii. Reductions in Vehicle Miles Traveled Per Capita,
    - iii. Location of investment,
    - iv. Socioeconomic statistics about the impacted geography, and
    - v. Regional impact explanation

The report must identify whether Proposed Uses overlap with other programs that share the same objectives as REAP 2.0. The Grantee should also identify

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any measurement challenges that persist and highlight any administrative barriers that prevent it from obtaining the information it needs to perform better analysis of progress made achieving REAP 2.0 Objectives and make adjustments to the extent possible in subsequent reporting years.

3. All status and impact reports shall be categorized based on the eligible uses specified in Section 50515.08 of the Statute.
- C. Grantees shall post, make available, and update, as appropriate on its internet website, land use maps and Vehicle Miles Traveled generation maps produced in the development of its adopted SCS, as applicable.
- D. Grantees shall collaborate and share progress, templates, and best practices with the Department and fellow recipients in implementation of funds. To the greatest extent practicable, Grantees shall coordinate with other Eligible Entities in the development of applications, consider potential for joint activities, and seek to coordinate Housing and transportation planning across regions.
- E. Upon completion of all deliverables within the Agreement, the Grantee shall submit a close out report in a manner and form prescribed by the Department.
  1. Grantee may include a line item for advance payment or reimbursement, as part of its administrative costs, for its final report that is due by June 30, 2026. Funding requests for final reports must be submitted no later than March 31, 2026.

6. **Indemnification**

Neither the Department nor any officer, employee or designee thereof is responsible for any injury, damage or liability occurring by reason of anything done or omitted by the Grantee, its officers, employees, agents, its contractors, its sub-recipients or its subcontractors under or in connection with any work, authority or jurisdiction conferred upon the Grantee under this Agreement, Guidelines or Statute. It is understood and agreed that the Grantee shall fully defend, indemnify and save harmless the Department and all of the Department's staff from all claims, suits or actions of every name, kind and description brought forth under, including, but not limited to, tortuous, contractual, inverse condemnation or other theories or assertions of liability occurring by reason of anything done or omitted to be done by the Grantee, its officers, employees, agents, contractors, sub-recipients, or subcontractors under this Agreement, Guidelines or Statute.

7. **Waivers**

No waiver of any breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any prior or subsequent breach. The failure of the Department to enforce at any time the provisions of this Agreement, or to require at any time, performance by the Grantee of these provisions, shall in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provisions nor to affect the validity of this Agreement or the right of the Department to enforce these provisions.

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8. **Relationship of Parties**

It is expressly understood that this Agreement is an agreement executed by and between two independent governmental entities and is not intended to, and shall not be construed to, create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture or association, or any other relationship whatsoever other than that of an independent party.

9. **Third Party Contracts**

- A. All state-government funded procurements must be conducted using a fair and competitive procurement process. The Grantee may use its own procurement procedures as long as the procedures comply with all City/County laws, rules and ordinances governing procurement, and all applicable provisions of California state law.
- B. Any contract entered into as a result of this Agreement shall contain all the provisions stipulated in this Agreement and shall be applicable to the Grantee's sub-recipients, contractors, and subcontractors. Copies of all agreements with sub-recipients, contractors, and subcontractors shall be submitted to the Department's program manager.
- C. The Department does not have a contractual relationship with the Grantee's sub-recipients, contractors, or subcontractors, and the Grantee shall be fully responsible for monitoring and enforcement of those agreements and all work performed thereunder.

10. **Compliance with State and Federal Laws, Rules, Guidelines and Regulations**

- A. The Grantee agrees to comply with all state and federal laws, rules and regulations that pertain to construction, health and safety, labor, fair employment practices, equal opportunity, and all other matters applicable to the grant, the Grantee, its contractors or subcontractors, and any other grant activity.
- B. During the performance of this Agreement, the Grantee assures that no otherwise qualified person shall be excluded from participation or employment, denied program benefits, or be subjected to discrimination based on race, color, ancestry, national origin, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, genetic information, age, disability, handicap, familial status, religion, or belief, under any program or activity funded by this contract, as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Fair Housing Act (42 USC 3601-20) and all implementing regulations, and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and all implementing regulations.
- C. The Grantee shall include the nondiscrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all agreements with its sub-recipients, contractors, and subcontractors, and shall include a requirement in all agreements that each of them in turn include the nondiscrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all contracts and subcontracts they enter into to perform work under the REAP 2.0 Program.

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- D. The Grantee shall, in the course of performing project work, fully comply with the applicable provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, as well as all applicable regulations and guidelines issued pursuant to the ADA. (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.)
- E. The Grantee shall adopt and implement affirmative processes and procedures that provide information, outreach and promotion of opportunities in the REAP project to encourage participation of all persons regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, familial status, or disability. This includes, but is not limited to, a minority outreach program to ensure the inclusion, to the maximum extent possible, of minorities and women, and entities owned by minorities and women, as required by 24 CFR 92.351.

11. Litigation

- A. If any provision of this Agreement, or an underlying obligation, is held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity, at the sole discretion of the Department, shall not affect any other provisions of this Agreement and the remainder of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. Therefore, the provisions of this Agreement are, and shall be, deemed severable.
- B. The Grantee shall notify the Department immediately of any claim or legal action undertaken by or against it, which affects or may affect this Agreement or the Department, and shall take such action with respect to the claim or legal action consistent with the terms of this Agreement and the interests of the Department.

12. Changes in Terms/Amendments

- A. The Grantee may be subject to amendments to this section as a result of subsequent applications and awards.
- B. This Agreement may only be amended or modified by mutual written agreement of both parties.

13. State-Owned Data

A. Definitions

1. Work:

The work to be directly or indirectly produced by the Grantee, its employees, or by and of the Grantee's contractor's, subcontractor's and/or sub-recipient's employees under this Agreement.

2. Work Product:

All deliverables created or produced from Work under this Agreement including, but not limited to, all Work and deliverables conceived or made or, hereafter

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conceived or made, either solely or jointly with others during the term of this Agreement and during a period of six months after the termination thereof, which relates to the Work commissioned or performed under this Agreement, are considered Work Product. Work Product includes all deliverables, inventions, innovations, improvements, or other works of authorship Grantee and/or Grantee's contractor subcontractor and/or sub-recipient may conceive of or develop in the course of this Agreement, whether or not they are eligible for patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret or other legal protection.

B. Sharing of Work Product and Rights

All Work Product shall be shared with the Department and its partners for various purposes, including education, outreach, transparency and future learning.

14. Special Conditions

The State reserves the right to add any special conditions to this Agreement it deems necessary to assure that the policy and goals of the Program are achieved.

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## ATTACHMENT D

### PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Grantee must provide sufficient evidence that demonstrates the use of grant funding meets all REAP 2.0 goals and objectives. Grantee agrees to the performance measures included on the next page for the Project. This can be demonstrated using a combination of examples from the three categories listed below:

#### **Accelerating Infill development that facilitates housing supply, choice, and affordability**

- Number of housing units (total, type, affordable, and per acre)
- Capital investments to support housing development
- Mix of housing unit types or sizes
- Increasing land use intensities
- Count of sites developable for future housing
- Number of new housing units supported or provided by the grant funding

#### **Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (AFFH)**

##### **A. Higher Resource Communities or Areas**

- Number of new affordable housing units
- Number of existing housing units continued to be made available and affordable
- Zoning, streamlined housing production (including permit streamlining), fees, incentives, and other approaches to increase housing choices and affordability
- Increase in the accessible number of units above state law
- Increase in rate of Housing Choice Voucher usage in high-opportunity census tracts

##### **B. Disadvantaged and Historically Underserved Communities**

- Number of new affordable housing units
- Number of existing housing units continued to be made available and affordable
- Zoning, streamlined housing production (including permit streamlining), fees, incentives, and other approaches to increase housing choices and affordability
- Increase in the accessible number of units above state law
- New or enhanced public services and community assets such as parks, schools, social service programs, active transportation, infrastructure, and other community amenities
- Increased access to public services
- Housing-supportive infrastructure services in areas of concentrated poverty or similar areas

#### **Reducing Vehicle Miles Traveled**

- Estimate for VMT reduced Per Capita
- Number of distinct land uses within the site
- Number of distinct land uses around the site
- Number of surrounding connections
- Mix of Housing unit types or sizes
- New or enhanced transit services
- Increased transit frequencies and/or ridership
- New pedestrian or bicycle pathways
- Limited off-street parking



RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 316070

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 14 2025

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF AN AS-  
NEEDED CONSULTANT AGREEMENT WITH WSP USA, INC.  
FOR TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING & MOBILITY  
PLANNING CONSULTANT SERVICES AND RELATED  
ACTIONS.

RECITALS

The Council of the City of San Diego (Council) adopts this Resolution based on the following:

A. The City of San Diego (City) utilizes as-needed consultant agreements to support the City Planning Department's and the Sustainability and Mobility Department's long-range mobility planning initiatives.

B. In January 2023, the City issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) to solicit the services of a qualified consultant to provide transportation engineering and mobility planning services on an as-needed basis. Eight firms submitted timely proposals in response to the RFP. City staff selected WSP USA, Inc. (Consultant), along with three other firms, based on its qualifications in accordance with Council Policy 300-07 and San Diego Admin. Reg. 25.60.

C. The City desires to retain Consultant to provide professional transportation engineering and mobility planning services on an as-needed basis for tasks requiring specialized technical expertise in the preparation and support of long-range planning initiatives.

D. The City and Consultant negotiated a Consultant Agreement, Contract H2426405-M (Consultant Agreement) included in the docket materials accompanying this Resolution. The Consultant Agreement is for a term of five years and in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.

E. The Office of the City Attorney prepared this Resolution based on the information provided by City staff (including information provided by affected third parties and verified by City staff), with the understanding that this information is complete and accurate.

ACTION ITEMS

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of San Diego:

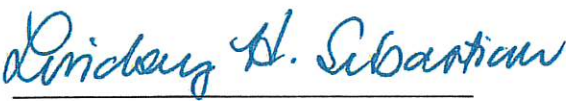
1. The Council approves the Consultant Agreement.

2. The Mayor or his designee is authorized, on the City's behalf, to sign and deliver the Consultant Agreement for a period of five years, in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 under the terms and conditions in the Consultant Agreement. When signed by both parties, the Consultant Agreement will be placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk as Document No. RR-316070.

3. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to appropriate and expend funds under the Consultant Agreement in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 over five years, contingent upon the adoption of the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for the applicable fiscal year and contingent upon the Chief Financial Officer first furnishing one or more certificates certifying that the funds necessary for expenditure are, or will be, on deposit with the City Treasurer.

4. Amendments to the Consultant Agreement that do not change any material terms of the Consultant Agreement or any of the scope of work under the Consultant Agreement may be administratively approved by the City.

APPROVED: HEATHER FERBERT, City Attorney

By   
Lindsey H. Sebastian  
Deputy City Attorney

LHS:nja  
11/14/2024  
Or. Dept: Planning Dept.  
Doc. No. 3877267

I certify that the Council of the City of San Diego adopted this Resolution at a meeting held on  
MAR 04 2025.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk

By Connie Patterson  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 3/13/25  
(date)

Todd Gloria  
TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on MAR 04 2025, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Joe LaCava	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jennifer Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephen Whitburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Henry L. Foster III	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marni von Wilpert	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kent Lee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Raul A. Campillo	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vivian Moreno	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sean Elo-Rivera	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage MAR 14 2025.

(Please note: When a resolution is approved by the Mayor, the date of final passage is the date the approved resolution was returned to the Office of the City Clerk.)

AUTHENTICATED BY:

(Seal)

TODD GLORIA  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By *Linda Irvin*, Deputy  
For Connie Patterson

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

Resolution Number R- 316070

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on March 4, 2025, by the following vote:

**YEAS:** LACAVA, CAMPBELL, WHITBURN, FOSTER III, VON WILPERT, LEE,  
CAMPILLO, MORENO, & ELO-RIVERA.

**NAYS:** NONE.

**NOT PRESENT:** NONE.

**RECUSED:** NONE.

AUTHENTICATED BY:

**TODD GLORIA**

Mayor of The City of San Diego, California

**DIANA J.S. FUENTES**

City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California

(Seal)

By: Linda Irvin, Deputy

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of  
RESOLUTION NO. R-316070 approved on March 4, 2025. The date of final  
passage is March 14, 2025.

**DIANA J.S. FUENTES**

City Clerk of the City of San Diego, California

(Seal)

By: Linda Irvin, Deputy