

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 To
AGREEMENT FOR SERVICES OF INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR**

THIS AMENDMENT (hereafter “Amendment No. 1”) to the Agreement for Services of Independent Contractor (hereafter Agreement) is made by and between the County of Santa Barbara, a political subdivision of the State of California (hereafter COUNTY) and Robert Brown Engineers with an address at 4172 Windsor Drive, Huntington Beach, CA. 92649 (hereafter CONTRACTOR) with reference to the following:

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR executed the Agreement on September 9, 2025; and

WHEREAS, additional work beyond the original cost of services of the Agreement to be performed by CONTRACTOR is required for CONTRACTOR to continue providing engineering consulting services to the Planning and Development Department, Energy, Minerals, and Compliance Division for oil and gas projects; and

WHEREAS, the previously agreed upon and approved compensation for the scope of work to be performed by CONTRACTOR is not adequate to cover the cost of the additional work; and

WHEREAS, the term of the original Agreement is July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Section 25 of the Agreement (*Entire Agreement and Amendment*) provides that the Agreement may be altered, amended, or modified by an instrument in writing executed by the COUNTY and CONTRACTOR; and

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

1. The text of Section A of Exhibit B (*Payment Arrangements*) shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

“For CONTRACTOR services to be rendered under this Contract, CONTRACTOR shall be paid a total contract amount, including cost reimbursements, not to exceed Five Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$550,000.00)”.

2. Except as set forth in Section 1 hereof, this Amendment No. 1 shall not modify or change any of the provisions of the Agreement and the parties to the Agreement are bound by its provisions, as amended herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Amendment No. 1 to be effective on the date executed by COUNTY.

ATTEST:

Mona Miyasato
County Executive Officer
Clerk of the Board

Signed by:
By: *Sheila de la Guerra*
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Deputy Clerk

**COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA:
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
CHAIR, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Signed by:
By: *Bob Nelson*
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Bob Nelson
Chair, Board of Supervisors
Date: 3/4/2026 | 9:07 PM PST

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

Lisa Plowman, Director, Planning
and Development

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By: *Lisa Plowman*
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Department Head

CONTRACTOR:

Robert Brown Engineers

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By: *Jay Sheth*
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Authorized Representative
Name: Jay Sheth
Title: Principal

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Rachel Van Mullem
County Counsel

Signed by:
By: *Sean Stewart*
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Deputy County Counsel

APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM:

Betsy M. Schaffer, CPA
Auditor-Controller

Signed by:
By: *James Munro*
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Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Risk Management

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By: *Marisa Kalin*
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