

**NINTH AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT**  
between  
**COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**  
and  
**SANTA BARBARA COTTAGE HOSPITAL**  
for  
**LEVEL I ADULT TRAUMA CENTER DESIGNATION**  
and  
**LEVEL II PEDIATRIC TRAUMA CENTER DESIGNATION**

**NINTH AMENDMENT**

**Effective January 1, 2022**

**THIS IS THE NINTH AMENDMENT** (hereafter referred to as Ninth Amendment) to the Agreement for Designation as Level I Adult Trauma Center and Level II Pediatric Trauma Center, commencing on July 1, 2011, for the period January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022 (hereafter Agreement), by and between the County of Santa Barbara (COUNTY) and Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital (hereafter HOSPITAL).

**WHEREAS**, the Agreement is effective through December 31, 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties desire to amend the Agreement to extend the term, and to adjust compensation; and

**WHEREAS**, HOSPITAL is designated as a Level I Adult Trauma Center and Level II Pediatric Trauma Center by Santa Barbara County EMS Agency and HOSPITAL has been found by COUNTY to have in place all the requirements as stated in the California Code of Regulations Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 7, Trauma Care Systems and is actively providing the level of care required for designation as a Level I Trauma Center; and

**WHEREAS**, COUNTY EMS Agency has the authority, as set forth in Health and Safety Code 1798.164, to recover costs associated with trauma center designation oversight.

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

1. **Definitions.** Capitalized terms used in this Ninth Amendment, to the extent not otherwise defined herein shall have the same meanings as in the Agreement.
2. **Amendments.**
  - a. The Agreement is amended as follows:
    4. **TERM.** The term of this Agreement shall be for the period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.
  - b. Exhibit B shall be replaced in its entirety with Exhibit B, dated January 1, 2022, referenced herein and attached hereto.

3. **Counterparts.** This Ninth Amendment may be executed in several counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute a single agreement between the parties.
4. **Effectiveness of Agreement.** Except as explicitly modified by this Ninth Amendment, all of the terms and provisions of the Agreement and all previous modifications and amendments, if any, are and remain in full force and effect.

*(Signatures on following pages.)*

Ninth Amendment to Agreement for Level I Adult Trauma Center and Level II Pediatric Trauma Center Designation between the **County of Santa Barbara** and **Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital**.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Ninth Amendment to be effective January 1, 2022.

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

**ATTEST:**

Mona Miyasato  
County Executive Officer  
Clerk of the Board

**COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA:**

Bob Nelson

By:   
Deputy Clerk

By:   
Chair, Board of Supervisors

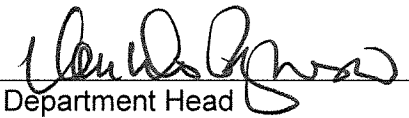
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**RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:**

Van Do-Reynoso, MPH, PhD  
Public Health Director

**APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM:**

Betsy M. Schaffer, CPA  
Auditor-Controller

By:   
Department Head

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Deputy

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

Rachel Van Mullem  
County Counsel

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Deputy County Counsel

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Approved:  
Nicholas Clay  
EMS Agency Director

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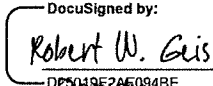
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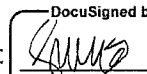
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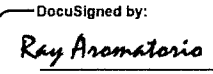
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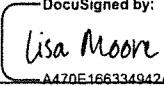
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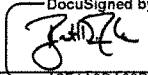
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HOSPITAL

By:   
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Lisa Moore  
Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer  
Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital  
Date: 11/24/2021  
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By:   
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Brett D. Tande  
Sr. Vice President, Finance & Chief Financial Officer  
Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital  
Date: 11/22/2021  
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**EXHIBIT B**  
**PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS**  
January 1, 2022

HOSPITAL shall pay to COUNTY \$184,258 upon execution of this Amendment for the period January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.