**ATTACHMENT 'A'** 

**AMENDMENT NO. 2** 

## AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL LEGAL SERVICES (CONTRACT NO. BC19305)

This Amendment No. 2 hereby amends the Agreement for Professional Legal Services dated April 9, 2019 between the County of Santa Barbara, a political subdivision of the State of California (hereafter COUNTY), and Ice Miller LLP (hereafter ATTORNEY), as previously amended (Agreement).

WHEREAS, ATTORNEY has been providing federal tax law advice and assistance to COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY finds it necessary to have ATTORNEY continue its specialized legal services for COUNTY, if requested by COUNTY; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement had an expiration date of July 12, 2023, and the parties wish to revive and extend the term of the Agreement and update the hourly rates;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions contained herein, the COUNTY and ATTORNEY hereby revive the Agreement and amend the Agreement as follows:

- 1. Section 4, Term, is replaced by the following: ATTORNEY shall commence performance on April 9, 2019 and end performance upon completion, but no later than August 21, 2024, unless otherwise directed by COUNTY or unless earlier terminated.
- 2. Effective August 22, 2023, the hourly rates in the Agreement are replaced with the hourly rates in EXHIBIT A attached to this Amendment No. 2. The listed hourly rates shall not be increased for the remainder of the term of the Agreement.

This Amendment No. 2 may be executed in any number of counterparts and each of such counterparts shall for all purposes be deemed to be an original. All other terms remain in full force and effect.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Amendment No. 2 to be effective on July 13, 2023.

## COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

	By: Chair, Board of Supervisors Date:
ATTEST: MONA MIYASATO CLERK OF THE BOARD	ATTORNEY: ICE MILLER LLP
By: Deputy Clerk	By: Ludra Furguson Audra Fergerson 7488 Partner
RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL AND APPROVED AS TO FORM: RACHEL VAN MULLEM COUNTY COUNSEL	APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM: BETSY SCHAFFER, CPA AUDITOR-CONTROLLER
By: <u>Rachel Jon Mullen</u>	By: C. Establish Deputy
	APPROVED AS TO FORM: GREG MILLIGAN, ARM RISK MANAGER
	By: Gry Milligan  Street Management

## **EXHIBIT A**

Attorney	Current 2023 Standard	2023 15% Discount
	Hourly Rate	
Gary Blachman, Partner	\$690	\$586.50
Matt Ehinger, Partner	\$755	\$641.75
Audra Ferguson, Partner	\$600	\$510.00
Robert Gauss, Partner	\$690	\$586.50
Melissa Proffitt, Partner	\$755	\$641.75
Kathleen Sheil Scheidt, Partner	\$690	\$586.50
Tara Sciscoe, Partner	\$690	\$586.50
Chris Sears, Partner	\$690	\$586.50
Eric Dawes, Actuary	\$730	\$620.50
Lisa Erb Harrison, Senior Counsel	\$650	\$552.50
Shalina Schaefer, Senior Counsel	\$550	\$467.50
Lindsay Knowles, Of Counsel	\$460	\$391.00
Raven Merlau, Of Counsel	\$460	\$391.00
Stan Prybe, Of Counsel	\$520	\$442.00
Maria Montero, Associate	\$475	\$403.75
Taretta Shine, Paralegal	\$390	\$331.50
Greg Wolf, Paralegal	\$375	\$318.75