# SECOND AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL LEGAL SERVICES

This Second Amendment to the Agreement for Professional Legal Services (AGREEMENT) between the County of Santa Barbara ("COUNTY") and Andrues/ Podberesky ("CONTRACTOR"), wherein CONTRACTOR agrees to provide and COUNTY agrees to accept the services specified herein.

WHEREAS, COUNTY continues to require the services of legal counsel to assist in providing legal advice and representation in the specialized area of False Claims Act litigation; and

WHEREAS, under Section 25203 of the California Government Code, COUNTY's Board of Supervisors may employ counsel to assist in the conduct of litigation in which COUNTY is a party; and

WHEREAS, Paragraph 26 of the AGREEMENT states the AGREEMENT may be altered, amended or modified by an instrument in writing, executed by the Parties; and

WHEREAS, the AGREEMENT was amended on October 15, 2019 to increase the maximum contract amount; and

WHEREAS, CONTRACTOR has been providing services to COUNTY under the AGREEMENT initially executed on April 18, 2018 as amended and for fair and reasonable consideration, this Second Amendment to the AGREEMENT revives the initial AGREEMENT as amended to compensate CONTRACTOR for services rendered between April 17, 2020 through November 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY wishes to extend the term of the AGREEMENT to April 17, 2022 through this Second Amendment and to increase the maximum contract amount by Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand dollars (\$350,000).

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

The Parties agree to amend the AGREEMENT as follows:

Section 2 – Notices is revised to state:

To COUNTY:

Michael C. Ghizzoni County Counsel

Office of Santa Barbara County Counsel

105 East Anapamu Street, #201 Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Fax (805) 568-2982

To CONTRACTOR:

Mary Carter Andrues, Attorney at Law

Andrues/Podberesky 818 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, #960 Los Angeles, CA 90017 Fax (213) 395-0401

### Section 4 - Term is revised to state:

CONTRACTOR shall commence performance on April 18, 2018 and end performance upon completion, but no later than April 17, 2022 unless otherwise directed by COUNTY or unless earlier terminated.

#### Exhibit B, Paragraph A is revised to state:

For CONTRACTOR services to be rendered under this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall be paid a total contract amount, including cost reimbursements, not to exceed <u>Eight Hundred and Fifty Thousand dollars</u> (\$850,000).

In all other respects, the AGREEMENT remains unchanged and in full effect.

[Signatures on next page.]

### SIGNATURE PAGE

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the parties have executed this Agreement to be effective on the date executed by COUNTY.

ATTEST: Mona Miyasato County Executive Officer Clerk of the Board	COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA:
By: Deputy Clerk	By: Chair, Board of Supervisors  Date:
RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL AND APPROVED AS TO FORM: County Counsel	CONTRACTOR: Andrues/Podberesky
By: Michael C. Ghizzoni, County Counsel	By:  Authorized Representative  Name: Mary Carter Andrues  Title: Attorney at Law
APPROVED AS TO FORM: Risk Management	APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM: BETSY SCHAFFER, CPA Auditor-Controller
By:Ray Aromatorio, Risk Manager	By:

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By: Michael C. Ghizzoni, County Counsel	By:  Authorized Representative  Name: Mary Carter Andrues  Title: Attorney at Law
APPROVED AS TO FORM: Risk Management	APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING FORM: BETSY SCHAFFER, CPA Auditor-Controller
By: Ray Aromatorio, Risk Manager	By: C. Eslie Fundament