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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
Fesia A. Davenport

PUBLIC SAFETY CLUSTER AGENDA REVIEW MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, November 15, 2023
TIME: 9:30 a.m.

THIS MEETING WILL CONTINUE TO BE CONDUCTED VIRTUALLY AS PERMITTED UNDER THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' AUGUST 8, 2023, ORDER SUSPENDING THE APPLICATION OF BOARD POLICY 3.055 UNTIL MARCH 31, 2024.
TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETING CALL TELECONFERENCE NUMBER: (323) 776-6996
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AGENDA

Members of the Public may address the Public Safety Cluster on any agenda item by submitting a written request prior to the meeting. Two (2) minutes are allowed per person in total for each item.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT**
- 3. INFORMATIONAL ITEM(S):** [Any Informational Item is subject to discussion and/or presentation at the request of two or more Board offices with advance notification]:
 - A. NONE**
- 4. PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION ITEM(S):**
 - A.** Board Letter:
AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY FOR THE PROVISION OF FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES
Speaker(s): Jon O'Brien, Marcia Velasquez, and Julia Kim (Fire)
 - B.** Board Letter:
APPROVAL TO RENEW AGREEMENT FOR CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION SERVICES
Speaker(s): Brian Martin, Marcia Velasquez, and Julia Kim (Fire)

Wednesday, November 15, 2023

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

6. ADJOURNMENT

CLOSED SESSION ITEM(S):

CS-1 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
(Subdivision (a) of Government Code Section 54956.9)

Wentzel Witzgall v. Lorena Rosales, et al.
Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 20STCV48588

Department: Sheriff's

CS-2 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
(Subdivision (a) of Government Code Section 54956.9)

Sanchez, Leticia vs. County of Los Angeles, et al.
Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 18STCV08900

Department: Sheriff's and Probation

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PUBLIC SAFETY CLUSTER AGENDA REVIEW MEETING
IS CANCELED**

Have a Safe, Healthy and Happy Holiday.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO EMAIL A COMMENT ON AN ITEM ON THE PUBLIC SAFETY
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AGENDA NUMBER YOU ARE COMMENTING ON:

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ANTHONY C. MARRONE
FIRE CHIEF
FORESTER & FIRE WARDEN

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December 5, 2023

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY FOR THE PROVISION OF FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES (ALL DISTRICTS) (3 VOTES)

SUBJECT

The Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (District) is requesting Board of Supervisors' (Board) approval of an Agreement between the State of California Department of Forestry (CAL FIRE) and the District in which the District will continue to provide fire protection services to the State Responsibility Areas (SRAs) effective July 1, 2023.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD, ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CONSOLIDATED FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY:

1. Authorize the Fire Chief, or his designee, to enter into an agreement, to continue to provide fire protection services to the SRAs, effective July 1, 2023, and to receive reimbursement for such services in the amount up to \$124,968,219 for Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 through FY 2025-26 as defined in the Agreement (Enclosure).
2. Authorize the Fire Chief, or his designee, to execute any amendments, notice of termination to this Agreement, and to accept additional reimbursement from CAL FIRE.

SERVING THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND THE CITIES OF:

AGOURA HILLS
ARTESIA
AZUSA
BALDWIN PARK
BELL
BELL GARDENS
BELLFLOWER
BRADBURY
CALABASAS

CARSON
CERRITOS
CLAREMONT
COMMERCE
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DIAMOND BAR
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POMONA
RANCHO PALOS VERDES
ROLLING HILLS
ROLLING HILLS ESTATES
ROSEMEAD
SAN DIMAS
SANTA CLARITA

SIGNAL HILL
SOUTH EL MONTE
SOUTH GATE
TEMPLE CITY
VERNON
WALNUT
WEST HOLLYWOOD
WESTLAKE VILLAGE
WHITTIER

3. Delegate authority to the Fire Chief, or his designee, to approve similar agreements with CAL FIRE and other local, State, and federal agencies for reimbursement of fire protection and emergency medical services, approved as to form by County Counsel. The District will advise the Board via a memorandum regarding similar agreements.
4. Find that this Agreement is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The Agreement authorizes CAL FIRE to reimburse the District, for costs incurred from the prevention and suppression of fires in SRAs. SRA lands include privately owned watershed lands and portions of unincorporated areas of the County that are within the District's boundaries. There is a shared wildland fire protection responsibility for this acreage pursuant to the County Charter under Article VI, Section 24 1/3 and the Public Resources Code, Article 3, §4125, et al., that govern SRAs.

The Agreement also authorizes CAL FIRE to reimburse the District for additional costs of certain equipment such as bulldozers, hand crews, and aircraft utilized in fighting wildland fires on SRA lands that would be over and above CAL FIRE's annual reimbursement to the District. Such reimbursement by CAL FIRE would be in accordance with Exhibit A of the Agreement.

The current Agreement between CAL FIRE and the District for the provision of fire protection services by the District to the SRA was for the period of July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2023. The previous agreement with CAL FIRE has been extended until the current Agreement is in effect. The revised Agreement was provided by CAL FIRE on August 15, 2023.

IMPLEMENTATION OF STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

Approval of the recommended actions is consistent with County's Strategic Plan Goals No. III, Strategy III.3: Pursue Operational Effectiveness, Fiscal Responsibility and Accountability, by continually assessing our efficiency and effectiveness, maximizing, and leveraging resources, and holding ourselves accountable.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

CAL FIRE will pay the District up to \$41,656,073 for three fiscal years beginning FY 2023-24 through FY 2025-26, totaling approximately \$124,968,219 for the reimbursement of fire protection and fire prevention services provided under the Agreement. Contractual payment by CAL FIRE is based upon what CAL FIRE would spend if it were providing fire protection and prevention services directly.

Additionally, costs over and above the annual amounts incurred by the District in the actual fighting of wildland fires on SRA lands will be billed by the District and reimbursed by CAL FIRE in accordance with Exhibit A of the Agreement. The District's FY 2023-24 Final

Adopted Budget includes \$41,105,000 in CAL FIRE funding to provide fire protection services to the SRAs. There is no impact on net County cost.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

CAL FIRE has elected to contract with the District for its legally required financial share of fire protection responsibility in the designated areas. Based on the District's fire protection capability, efficiency, and qualifications, CAL FIRE will execute the subject Agreement with the District, which provides for payment to the District for fire protection services rendered in SRA. This three-year Agreement provides for CAL FIRE reimbursement up to \$124,968,219. Actual reimbursement rates will be adjusted annually through CAL FIRE's Gray Book (Exhibit F of the Agreement) based upon the level of funds appropriated by CAL FIRE for this purpose. The previous agreement with CAL FIRE included a provision that automatically extends after the conclusion of the three-year term until a renewal agreement is executed, as stated in Exhibit E of the new agreement.

The District, and CAL FIRE agree to an Operating Plan that contains all the guidelines and information necessary to implement the terms of the Agreement. The Operating Plan is reviewed annually.

In addition to Los Angeles County, the Counties of Kern, Marin, Orange, Santa Barbara, and Ventura Counties have entered into similar agreements and are commonly known as the "Contract Counties". These counties provide direct protection to approximately 3.4 million acres of SRA.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES

Acceptance of this Agreement will have no impact on current services.

ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

This Agreement is exempt from the CEQA, pursuant to Section 15061 (b)(3) of the Guidelines.

CONCLUSION

Upon approval by your Honorable Board, please instruct the Executive Officer to return the adopted stamped copy of this letter to the following:

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County
Executive Office
Marcia Velasquez, Head of Planning and Executive Support
1320 N. Eastern Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90063
Marcia.Velasquez@fire.lacounty.gov

The District's contact can be reached at (323) 267-7301.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY C. MARRONE, FIRE CHIEF

ACM:mb

Enclosures

c: Chief Executive Officer
Executive Office, Board of Supervisors
County Counsel
Auditor-Controller

**STD213A
ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES**

**SOUTHERN REGION DEPARTMENT OF
FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION**

By:

Signature

**David Fulcher
Region Chief
CAL FIRE**

Date _____

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

By:

Signature

County of Los Angeles

Date _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By:

Signature

**Jenny Tam
Senior Deputy County
Counsel Los Angeles
County**

Date: _____

SCOPE OF WORK

1. Contract agreement between California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) and County of Los Angeles to provide wildland fire protection services as described herein:

Contractor shall provide all materials, labor, equipment, tools, permits, taxes, travel, and fees necessary to provide wildland fire protection services.

2. The terms and conditions of this agreement have been previously reviewed and approved by the Department of General Services (DGS) during prior agreement reformat and rewrites. The completed agreement signed by CAL FIRE (STATE) and County of Los Angeles (COUNTY) provides wildland fire protection to State Responsibility Area (SRA) lands within COUNTY pursuant to Public Resources Code (PRC) Section 4129. Agreement also provides for COUNTY to assist STATE outside of COUNTY on a reimbursable basis when requested by STATE. Agreement contains a hold over clause for time required to obtain agency review and approvals.
3. The Agreement may be amended to add additional funds.
4. The services shall be performed on State Responsibility Area (SRA) within the County of Los Angeles.
5. Any reference to CAL FIRE Project Representative shall also include their designee.
6. The services shall be provided during any 24-hour period, Monday through Sunday, year-round.
7. The Project Representatives during the term of this Agreement will be:

Direct all operating inquiries to:

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)	Contractor: County of Los Angeles
Name: Bryan Giambrone, Deputy Chief of State, Federal, and International Programs	Name: Jon O'Brien, Chief Deputy of Emergency Operations
Address: P.O. Box 944246 Sacramento, CA 94244	Address: 1320 North Eastern Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90063
Phone: (916) 917-3480	Phone: (323) 881-6180
Email: bryan.giambrone@fire.ca.gov	Email: jon.obrien@fire.lacounty.gov

Direct all contract inquiries to:

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)	Contractor: County of Los Angeles
Name: Bryan Giambrone, Deputy Chief of State, Federal, and International Programs	Attention: Marcia Velasquez, Head of Planning and Executive Support
Address: P.O. Box 944246 Sacramento, CA 94244	Address: 1320 North Eastern Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90063
Phone: (916) 917-3480	Phone: (323) 267-7301
Email: bryan.giambrone@fire.ca.gov	Email: marcia.velasquez@fire.lacounty.gov

Direct all financial inquiries to:

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)	Contractor: County of Los Angeles
Name: Bryan Giambrone, Deputy Chief of State, Federal, and International Programs	Attention: Leticia Rivera, Fiscal Officer II
Address: P.O. Box 944246 Sacramento, CA 94244	Address: 5801 S Eastern Avenue Commerce, CA 90040
Phone: (916) 917-3480	Phone: (323) 838-2303
Email: bryan.giambrone@fire.ca.gov	Email: leticia.rivera@fire.lacounty.gov

8. This AGREEMENT, made between the County of Los Angeles, through its Board of Supervisors, hereinafter called COUNTY, and the State of California, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE), through duly appointed, qualified, and acting officers, hereinafter called STATE. Where the standard clauses, for example in Exhibit C, use the word "Contractor" that word shall mean COUNTY as COUNTY is used in this Agreement.

9. **Recitals**

The STATE and the COUNTY agree that the background of this Agreement is as follows:

- A. There are within COUNTY areas designated by the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection as State Responsibility Areas (SRA) for fire protection through authority vested in STATE by Section 4125, of the Public Resources Code.
- B. STATE, under authority of Public Resources Code Section 4141, may assign responsibility to a Federal Forest Agency within the COUNTY for the prevention and suppression of all fires on State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within Federal Forest Agency's Direct Protection Areas.
- C. Designated State Responsibility Areas (SRA) in Federal Forest Agency's Direct Protection Areas are delineated on maps on file with the STATE in Sacramento, California.
- D. COUNTY, by authority of Public Resources Code Section 4129, has elected to assume responsibility for the prevention and suppression of all fires on State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA).
- E. Designated State Responsibility Areas (SRA) in COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) are delineated on maps on file with the STATE in Sacramento, California.
- F. STATE recognizes the capability and efficiency of the COUNTY fire protection organization now maintained by the COUNTY and its qualification to provide the fire protection services described within this Agreement.
- G. COUNTY has the responsibility for providing life and property fire protection in areas designated as State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within COUNTY SRA Protection Areas (CPA).
- H. Under the Budget Act, and in accordance with the STATE'S Fire Protection Plan, there is annually appropriated to CAL FIRE, funding for wildland fire protection in said COUNTY.
- I. Under the authority of Section 4135, of the Public Resources Code, monies paid by STATE to COUNTY shall be expended by COUNTY for the sole purpose to fund the fire suppression resources outlined in the "Gray Book", incorporated by reference and marked **Exhibit F, Gray Book** of this Agreement, for fire prevention, pre-suppression forces preparedness, and suppression of all fires on State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA); and STATE, by authority of Section 4475, of the Public Resources Code, may enter into contracts for prescribed burning on wildlands.

10. **State and County Responsibilities (Detailed Scope of Work)**

- A. The STATE and the COUNTY agree that the following work shall be done under this Agreement:
 - 1) STATE shall supply to COUNTY, the "Gray Book", which outlines and describes the organization to be funded by the STATE to provide fire protection services on a total of approximately 470,000 acres of State Responsibility Area (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA).
 - 2) COUNTY shall provide to STATE a plan of operations and organization for the COUNTY department contemplated hereunder on forms approved by the STATE, a copy of which is attached marked **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement, which shall show that COUNTY organization is capable of meeting the requirements set forth in the "Gray Book."
 - 3) STATE shall jointly develop and annually review an Operating Plan with the COUNTY that will document those factors specific to that County. The factors may include specific dispatching procedures, pre-approved initial attack dispatch levels, agency fire protection organization, reimbursement criteria, and other elements agreed to by the STATE and the COUNTY.

EXHIBIT A
(Scope of Work)

- 4) The STATE'S designated representative shall annually examine, on-the-ground with the COUNTY'S designated representative, the facilities and services the COUNTY has made available in order to ascertain whether the terms of the Agreement have been met. Notwithstanding the foregoing, COUNTY shall permit inspection, at any time by representatives of STATE, of crews, vehicles, property, and other components of the organization established under the terms of this Agreement.
- 5) Should the operations or organization of COUNTY, in reasonable judgment of the STATE, fail to meet the standard of protection required by this Agreement, the STATE shall so inform COUNTY and take any reasonable action to maintain the required level of fire prevention and suppression capability.
- 6) For the purpose of effecting mutual aid in times of fire emergency, either STATE or COUNTY may contribute without cost to the other, such persons and facilities as the contributing party may be willing and able to contribute, and which the receiving party may be willing to accept and direct; this provision shall not abrogate the terms and conditions specified in any other written agreement entered into by the parties hereto, for the specific purpose of exchanging fire control forces, either on a voluntary or upon a pay basis.
- 7) Rewards as provided in Public Resources Code Section 4417, may be paid by STATE from funds not included in this contract upon recommendation of the Chief of the COUNTY'S department.
- 8) COUNTY shall furnish adequate supervision for said fire protection through a qualified and duly appointed Chief Officer of the department providing services contemplated hereunder. When it becomes necessary to contract for the services of other entities to suppress a wildland fire on State Responsibility Area (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA), STATE agrees to accept its proportionate level of financial responsibility for those contracts and services required to protect State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA), provided that the COUNTY obtains prior approval from STATE and exercises reasonable care and due diligence in the selection and the supervision of the contracting entities.
- 9) COUNTY shall submit, when required by the STATE, reports relating to fire occurrence and history, law enforcement, personnel status, and fire prevention activity.
- 10) COUNTY shall annually appropriate and expend a sum not less than the amount established annually in the STATE'S Budget Act for said COUNTY for the purpose of preventing and suppressing forest fires as defined in Section 4103, of the Public Resources Code, on the designated State Responsibility Areas (SRA) within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) during the term of this Agreement.
- 11) COUNTY shall comply with applicable rules and regulations for prescribed burning of wildlands as described in Sections 4461 to 4480, of Public Resources Code.

B. Emergency Operations

When COUNTY resources, equipment, and/or personnel are assigned to a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY SRA Protection Area (CPA), costs over and above the "Gray Book" allotment may be reimbursed by STATE. Such reimbursements will be in accordance with the following provisions:

- 1) COUNTY may use and bill STATE for COUNTY-funded engine companies, bulldozers, hand crews, aircraft, specialized equipment, and overhead personnel when used to protect STATE interests. Under certain conditions as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement, COUNTY may also bill STATE for STATE-funded COUNTY engine companies, hand crews, and bulldozers. These reimbursements to COUNTY will be from the STATE Emergency Fund and shall be in addition to the annual payment amount described in **Exhibit B, Section 1.C**, of this Agreement.

EXHIBIT A
(Scope of Work)

- 2) The following conditions shall apply for reimbursement of COUNTY engine companies, bulldozers, aircraft, specialized equipment, hand crews, and overhead personnel:

a. ENGINE COMPANIES

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for engine companies when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within the COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for engine companies that provide move-up and cover to STATE-funded COUNTY stations within the COUNTY when such cover assignments are the result of State Responsibility Areas (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA). Specific conditions for approval of move-up and cover assignments shall be outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- iii. Reimbursement of COUNTY engine companies shall be based on COUNTY rates on file with STATE at time of initial dispatch.
- iv. COUNTY engines billed to STATE must be identified by an incident order and request number and the associated cost; such costs shall be limited to engine and actual assigned personnel.

b. BULLDOZERS

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY bulldozers when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. Reimbursement of COUNTY bulldozers, dozer transports, dozer tenders, and operators shall be based on COUNTY operating rates on file with STATE at time of initial dispatch.
- iii. COUNTY bulldozers billed to STATE must be identified by an incident order and request number and the associated cost; such costs shall be limited to bulldozer, dozer transport, dozer tender, and actual assigned personnel.
- iv. COUNTY shall provide STATE a list of bulldozers, size, model, and identification number, which shall be subject to this Agreement. These shall be included in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.

c. AIRCRAFT

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY aircraft when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. Reimbursement of COUNTY aircraft shall be based on COUNTY operating rates on file with STATE at time of initial dispatch.
- iii. STATE shall reimburse for actual personnel assigned to COUNTY aircraft at the COUNTY rate.
- iv. COUNTY aircraft and helitender billed to STATE must be identified by an incident order and request number and the associated cost.
- v. COUNTY shall provide STATE a list of aircraft by make, model, and aircraft identification number, which shall be subject to this Agreement. These shall be included in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement

EXHIBIT A
(Scope of Work)

d. SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY specialized equipment when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. For the purpose of this Agreement, Specialized Equipment shall include but is not limited to water tenders and overhead vehicles. Other kinds of specialized equipment may be eligible for reimbursement if authorized by STATE.
- iii. Reimbursement of COUNTY specialized equipment shall be based on COUNTY operating rates on file with STATE at time of initial dispatch.
- iv. COUNTY specialized equipment billed to STATE must be identified by an incident order and request number and the associated cost; such cost shall be limited to the cost of the equipment usage and equipment operator.

e. HAND CREWS

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY hand crews when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. When the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) or other State Agency pays the base salary of a hand crew, including COUNTY fire department supervisors, correctional officers, and inmates, then STATE shall only pay those costs which exceed the basic salary of the crew (e.g., overtime and incidental operating expenses) accrued on the emergency.
- iii. The STATE shall reimburse for additional COUNTY personnel needed as crew strike team leaders to a limit of one strike team leader per crew strike team, as defined in Incident Command System (ICS) standards for a crew strike team and for one technical specialist-crews per incident.

f. OVERHEAD PERSONNEL

- i. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY overhead personnel and any strike team leader trainee when used on a State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire within the COUNTY'S SRA Protection Areas (CPA) in accordance with criteria for determining reimbursement eligibility as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.
- ii. Reimbursement of COUNTY Overhead Personnel shall be based on COUNTY rates on file with STATE at the time initial dispatch.

3) NOTIFICATION

- a. Whenever COUNTY expects payment for services under the provisions of this paragraph, COUNTY must notify STATE of the commitment of any of these resources that have been pre-approved for use as an element of initial attack and so documented in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement. This notification must occur in a timely manner so that an appropriate audit trail can be established.
- b. For those resources employed after initial attack, notification will occur when the request for approval of use is made to STATE.
- c. STATE shall reimburse COUNTY for COUNTY resources (equipment and personnel) when ordered by STATE or COUNTY in support of a special staffing pattern in accordance with conditions for approval of a special staffing pattern as outlined in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.

EXHIBIT A
(Scope of Work)

11. Assistance for Hire

- A. COUNTY resources (equipment and personnel) requested directly by STATE for an out-of-county assignment will be reimbursed as Assistance-for-Hire for actual costs incurred by COUNTY.
- B. For any State Responsibility Area (SRA) wildland fire where costs are incurred pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, STATE and COUNTY will comply with the processes and procedures for incident billing established in the STATE/COUNTY **Exhibit G, Operating Plan** of this Agreement.

EXHIBIT B
(Budget Detail and Payment Provisions)

BUDGET DETAIL AND PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. Invoicing and Payment

- A. For services satisfactorily rendered, and upon receipt and approval of the invoices, the STATE shall annually pay to COUNTY that amount which is set forth in the STATE'S budget for each fiscal year involved as the STATE'S contribution to the support of the organization maintained by COUNTY for the prevention and suppression of wildland fires on lands described herein. The total amount payable by STATE to COUNTY for Gray Book-County Budget Detail (Gray Book) shall not exceed the amount specified in **Exhibit B, Section 1. C.** during the term of this Agreement. This amount shall not include payments to the COUNTY for COUNTY resources used to suppress STATE responsibility fires under conditions set forth in **Exhibit A, Paragraph 10. B.** of this Agreement.
- B. COUNTY shall request payment in an amount not to exceed the sum designated in Paragraph A above in the manner described hereinafter.
- C. Total Amount of this Agreement shall not exceed **\$124,968,219.00.**
- D. COUNTY shall prepare and submit "Gray Book" invoices to STATE monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually at COUNTY'S option, in arrears after STATE has certified that such services have been satisfactorily provided in accordance with this Agreement, during the period covered by said invoice. The final statement for any fiscal year covered by this Agreement shall be submitted no later than sixty days following the end of that fiscal year. "Gray Book" invoices shall include the Agreement Number.
- E. Invoice(s) shall be submitted to:

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)
Attention: Contract County Invoicing
23300 Castle Street
Riverside, CA 92518
(951) 782-4418

CALFIREContractCountiesInvoicing@fire.ca.gov

- F. In the event that the STATE during the term of this Agreement increases salary, augments staffing, or other expense items, having the effect of increasing such cost, the "Gray Book" may be amended to reflect such increase provided that funds have been appropriated and are available for such purpose. Similarly, in the event that the STATE receives a budget reduction having the effect of decreasing such cost, the "Gray Book" may be amended to reflect such decrease. In the event no appropriation is made for the purpose of this Agreement, the obligations of the parties to each other under this Agreement shall cease and this Agreement shall become null and void.

2. Budget Contingency Clause

- A. It is mutually agreed that if the Budget Act of the current year and/or any subsequent years covered under this Agreement does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, this Agreement shall be of no further force and effect. In this event, the State shall have no liability to pay any funds whatsoever to Contractor or to furnish any other considerations under this Agreement and Contractor shall not be obligated to perform any provisions of this Agreement.
- B. If funding for any fiscal year is reduced or deleted by the Budget Act for purposes of this program, the State shall have the option to either cancel this Agreement with no liability occurring to the State or offer an agreement amendment to Contractor to reflect the reduced amount.

EXHIBIT B
(Budget Detail and Payment Provisions)

3. Prompt payment clause

A. GRAY BOOK BILLING

When submitting Gray Book invoice, use line-item description "Fiscal Year (insert year) Wildland Fire Protection". For those COUNTY invoices that do not receive payment within 60 days, COUNTY can contact STATE to advise of non-payment with the STATE point of contact.

B. INCIDENT BILLING

Billing for approved STATE mission shall be submitted to STATE within 180 days of the incident control date. STATE shall approve invoices submitted by COUNTY within 60 days of receipt. If COUNTY or STATE, with good cause cannot meet this approval time frame, COUNTY or STATE may request an extension that will be done in writing. For those COUNTY invoices that do not receive payment after 60 days, COUNTY can contact STATE to advise of the non-payment with the STATE point of contact. Administrative charges may be added to the invoice to STATE, it will not be higher than the CFAA administrative rate.

C. FMAG BILLING

Billing for qualifying FMAG reimbursement shall be submitted to the STATE within 90 days of the FMAG Eligibility Close Date in order to meet STATE and FEMA requirements. If COUNTY, with cause, is unable to meet the deadline, COUNTY may request in writing to the CAL FIRE Contract County Program for an extension, not to exceed 30-days. For those COUNTY invoices that do not receive payment within 60 days, COUNTY can contact STATE to advise of non-payment with the STATE point of contact.

4. Gray Book Funding

County of Los Angeles/California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)

FISCAL YEAR	FUNDING SOURCE	AMOUNT
2023/2024	General Fund	\$40,395,113.00
	Greenhouse Gas Fund	\$1,260,960.00
2024/2025	General Fund	\$40,395,113.00
	Greenhouse Gas Fund	\$1,260,960.00
2025/2026	General Fund	\$40,395,113.00
	Greenhouse Gas Fund	\$1,260,960.00
AGREEMENT TOTAL		\$124,968,219.00

EXHIBIT D
(Special Terms and Conditions)

SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Excise Tax

The State of California is exempt from federal excise taxes, and no payment will be made for any taxes levied on employees' wages. The State will pay for any applicable State of California or local sales or use taxes on the services rendered or equipment or parts supplied pursuant to this Agreement. California may pay any applicable sales and use tax imposed by another state.

2. Settlement of Disputes

In the event of a dispute, within ten (10) days of discovery of the problem, Contractor shall file a "Notice of Dispute" with:

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)
Attention: Deputy Chief of State, Federal, and International Programs
P.O. Box 944246
Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

Within 10 days of CAL FIRE receiving Contractor's notice, the Contracts Representative or designee shall advise Contractor of the findings and recommend a method to resolve the dispute. Decision of the Contracts Manager or designee shall be final.

In the event of a dispute, the language contained within this Agreement shall prevail over any other language including that of the bid proposal.

3. Right to Terminate

Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time by giving a minimum of 12 months' notice to the other party. In the event of termination, STATE shall pay Contractor for all costs and un-cancelable obligations incurred to the date of termination up to but not exceeding the maximum amount payable.

However, the agreement can be immediately terminated for cause. (Refer to GTC 04/2017), Exhibit C, Item 7. Termination for Cause: <https://www.dgs.ca.gov/OLS/Resources>.

4. Subcontractors

Nothing contained in this Agreement or otherwise, shall create any contractual relation between the State and any subcontractors, and no subcontract shall relieve the Contractor of his responsibilities and obligations hereunder. The Contractor agrees to be as fully responsible to the State for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by any of them as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor. The Contractor's obligation to pay its subcontractors is an independent obligation from the State's obligation to make payments to the Contractor. As a result, the State shall have no obligation to pay or to enforce the payment of any moneys to any subcontractor.

5. Force Majeure

Neither party shall be liable to the other for any delay in or failure of performance, nor shall any such delay in or failures of performance constitute default, if such delay or failure is caused by "Force Majeure." As used in this section, "Force Majeure" is defined as follows: Acts of war and acts of God such as earthquakes, floods, and other natural disasters such that performance is impossible.

EXHIBIT D
(Special Terms and Conditions)

6. Health and Safety

Contractors are required to, at their own expense, comply with all applicable health and safety laws and regulations. Upon notice, Contractors are also required to comply with the state agency's specific health and safety requirements and policies. Contractors agree to include in any subcontract related to performance of this Agreement, a requirement that the subcontractor comply with all applicable health and safety laws and regulations, and upon notice, the state agency's specific health and safety requirements and policies.

EXHIBIT E
(Additional Provisions)

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

1. Regulations

Contractor shall comply with all federal, state, city and county laws, regulations, and ordinances applicable to the work done pursuant to this Contract.

2. Holding Over

A. In the event STATE or COUNTY decides not to renew this Agreement, STATE or COUNTY shall provide the other a minimum of 12 months written notice of such intention. If no such notice is received, and a new Agreement has not been executed, this Agreement shall be automatically extended on the same terms and conditions as contained herein, together with Amendments if any, until the earlier of:

- i. The date on which a new renewal Agreement is fully executed, or
- ii. Termination of this holdover Agreement by the mailing by either COUNTY or STATE of 12 months written notice to the other party.

B. Renewal Agreements shall be retroactive to the end of the term of the present Agreement. Any payments made during a holdover period shall, if necessary, be promptly adjusted to comply with payments called for in the new Agreement. Such adjustments shall occur within 60 days after approval of the new Agreement by DGS. COUNTY shall invoice STATE for any billing correction made necessary because of changes in the contract rates.

C. The effectiveness of this Exhibit E, Paragraph 2. A. is conditional upon the lawful appropriation and availability of STATE funding for COUNTY'S services during the term of this Agreement.

3. Indemnification

A. Paragraph 5 of Exhibit C, General Terms and Conditions, does not apply because it is superseded by this Paragraph.

B. COUNTY agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the STATE, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged by COUNTY in the performance of this Agreement.

C. Pursuant to Government Code Section 925 et seq., STATE agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the COUNTY, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged by STATE in the performance of this Agreement.

4. Indemnification for Vegetation Management Projects

A. The STATE agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the COUNTY, its agents, officers and employees, from and against any and all liability expense, including defense costs and legal fees, and claims for damages of any nature whatsoever, arising solely out of performance by the COUNTY of approved vegetation management projects undertaken as part of fire prevention activities under this Agreement.

B. Notwithstanding the terminology of Public Resources Code Sections 4119, 4153, 4423, and 4436, the COUNTY shall not act as an agent of the STATE but shall exercise the powers granted in those sections independently as authorized by Public Resources Code Section 4129.

C. Paragraph 15 of Exhibit C does not apply to this Agreement because the services provided in this Agreement were not obtained by means of a competitive bid.

**Exhibit F
(Gray Book)**

The “Gray Book” referenced in **Exhibit A, Paragraph 9. Recital I.** is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this agreement as if attached hereto. A copy of the Gray Book will be provided by CAL FIRE.

**Exhibit G
(Operating Plan)**

The Operating Plan provided by COUNTY, in accordance with **Exhibit A, Paragraph 10 Section 2** of this Agreement, is hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto.



ANTHONY C. MARRONE
FIRE CHIEF
FORESTER & FIRE WARDEN

*"Proud Protectors of Life,
the Environment, and Property"*

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES FIRE DEPARTMENT

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December 5, 2023

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

APPROVAL TO RENEW AGREEMENT FOR CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION SERVICES (ALL DISTRICTS) (3 VOTES)

SUBJECT

The Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (District) is requesting Board of Supervisors (Board) approval to renew an Agreement (Enclosure) with the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) to operate five correctional fire suppression camps (Camps) in Los Angeles County in conjunction with CDCR.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD, ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CONSOLIDATED FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY:

1. Authorize the Fire Chief, or his designee, to enter into an agreement to operate the Camps, effective July 1, 2023, and receive reimbursement for such services in the amount up to \$4,846,894 for Fiscal Year 2023-24.
2. Authorize the Fire Chief, or his designee, to execute any amendments, notice of termination to this agreement, accept additional reimbursement from CDCR, and approved as to form by County Counsel. The Board will be notified via Board Memo if the amount increases more than \$500,000 annually.

SERVING THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND THE CITIES OF:

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3. Delegate authority to the Fire Chief, or his designee, to approve similar agreements with CDCR and other local, State, and federal agencies for the reimbursement of costs incurred from fire protection and emergency medical services, approved as to form by County Counsel. The District will advise the Board via Board memo.
4. Find that this Renewal to the Agreement by and between the District and the CDCR is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

Approval of these recommended actions will allow the District to continue operating the Camps in Los Angeles County in conjunction with CDCR commencing July 1, 2023, with a reimbursement from CDCR of approximately \$4.8 million for Fiscal Year 2023-24. The existing Agreement with CDCR was authorized by the Board of Supervisors on June 13, 2017. The District received the Agreement from CDCR on August 14, 2023.

This renewal Agreement continues the longstanding relationship the District has had with the State for operating the Camps in Los Angeles County. A maximum of 24 fire suppression CDCR crews (Camp Crews) are housed and trained to assist with brush fires, emergency incidents, fire prevention, and other public work projects. These Camps are valuable and cost-effective assets used to prevent and suppress wildland fires throughout Los Angeles County and the State.

IMPLEMENTATION OF STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS

Approval of the recommended actions is consistent with the County's Strategic Plan Goal No. III, Strategy III.3: Pursue Operational Effectiveness, Fiscal Responsibility and Accountability, by continually assessing our efficiency and effectiveness, maximizing, and leveraging resources, and holding ourselves accountable.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The District, as a Special District, is funded independently from the County's General Fund, and relies primarily on property tax revenue to provide essential fire protection and emergency medical services.

The reimbursement amount of approximately \$4.8 million is a revenue component of the District's 2023-24 Adopted Budget and is at the same level of reimbursement received from CDCR since 2017-18. The amount has been approved by the Department of Finance and included in the State's 2023-24 Budget.

The District's FY 2023-24 Final Adopted Budget includes \$19.6 million to fund program costs. CDCR will reimburse the District approximately \$4.8 million annually with an additional \$4.0 million in allocated AB109 funding for wildland firefighting training and supervision of "non-serious, non-sexual, and non-violent" County inmates at the Camps. There is no impact to net County cost.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

This Agreement will continue a contractual relationship the District has had with the State for many years, providing funding for the District's operation of the Camps in Los Angeles County.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES

Approval of the recommended action will assist the District's wildland firefighting capabilities by providing funding to continue to operate the existing Camps. The Camp Crews assist in fire suppression, fire prevention, pre-suppression, reforestation, afforestation, emergency, and general work projects.

ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

This Agreement is exempt from the provisions from the CEQA Guidelines Section 15061 (b) (3) in that it is certain that the Agreement will not have a significant effect on the environment.

CONCLUSION

Upon approval by your Honorable Board, please instruct the Executive Officer of the Board to return the adopted stamped Board Letter to the following:

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County
Executive Office
Marcia Velasquez, Head of Planning and Executive Support
1320 N. Eastern Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90063
Marcia.Velasquez@fire.lacounty.gov

The District's contact may be reached at (323) 267-7301.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY C. MARRONE, FIRE CHIEF

ACM:mb

Enclosure

c: Chief Executive Officer
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
County Counsel
Auditor-Controller

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

STANDARD AGREEMENT

STD 213 (Rev. 04/2020)

AGREEMENT NUMBER

C5611617

PURCHASING AUTHORITY NUMBER (If Applicable)

1. This Agreement is entered into between the Contracting Agency and the Contractor named below:

CONTRACTING AGENCY NAME

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

CONTRACTOR NAME

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County

2. The term of this Agreement is:

START DATE

July 1, 2023

THROUGH END DATE

June 30, 2024

3. The maximum amount of this Agreement is:

\$4,846,894.00

Four Million, Eight Hundred Forty-Six Thousand, Eight Hundred Ninety-Four Dollars and Zero Cents.

4. The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following exhibits, which are by this reference made a part of the Agreement.

Exhibits	Title	Pages
Exhibit A	Scope of Work	8
Exhibit B	Budget Details and Payment Provisions	4
Exhibit B-1	Rate Sheet	1
+ - Exhibit C *	General Terms and Conditions (04/2017)	*
+ - Exhibit D	Special Terms and Conditions for Public Entity Agreements	14
+ - Exhibit E	CDCR 2301- PREA Policy Information for Volunteers and Contractors	3

Items shown with an asterisk (), are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto.**These documents can be viewed at <https://www.dgs.ca.gov/OLS/Resources>**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THIS AGREEMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED BY THE PARTIES HERETO.***CONTRACTOR**

CONTRACTOR NAME (if other than an individual, state whether a corporation, partnership, etc.)

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County

CONTRACTOR BUSINESS ADDRESS

1320 N. Eastern Ave.

CITY

Los Angeles

STATE

CA

ZIP

90063

PRINTED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING

Anthony C. Marrone

TITLE

Fire Chief

CONTRACTOR AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

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CONTRACTING AGENCY NAME

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

CONTRACTING AGENCY ADDRESS

9838 Old Placerville Road, Suite B-2

CITY

Sacramento

STATE

CA

ZIP

95827

PRINTED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING

SAMANTHA BRUTON

TITLE

Section Chief, ICS

CONTRACTING AGENCY AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES APPROVAL

EXEMPTION (If Applicable)

FIRE SUPPRESSION SERVICES

1. INTRODUCTION/SERVICES

The Contractor agrees to provide staffing services incidental to the operation of five (5) inmate camp facilities and inmate fire suppression crews for the purpose of fire suppression, fire prevention, pre-suppression, reforestation, afforestation, emergency, and general work projects, as mutually agreed to by the California Department of Corrections & Rehabilitation (CDCR), Sierra Conservation Center's (SCC) and the Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (LAC Fire Department). The LAC Fire Department and the CDCR reserve the right to make adjustments to the staffing commensurate with the State's funding for the program. If staffing adjustments and/or camp closures become a necessity, either party (LAC Fire Department or the CDCR) shall notify the other in writing sixty (60) days prior to the effective date of the change and CDCR shall reduce the camp inmate population accordingly and commensurate with the number of fire crews in each camp (i.e., four (4) fire crews equals an eighty (80) inmate camp, five (5) fire crews equals a one-hundred (100) inmate camp, etc.). Both parties agree that if fire crews are reduced, the minimum inmate population shall be no less than eighty (80) inmates per camp. The reduced staffing, number of inmates, and crews will be reflected on revised provisions of Exhibit A, Scope of Work, and Exhibit B-1, Rate Sheet, where applicable.

The Contractor agrees to establish and maintain the following five (5) Fire Suppression Camps and Crews, but could be subject to change as indicated above:

CAMPS	NUMBER OF INMATES	CONTRACTOR STAFFING	NUMBER OF FIRE CREWS	NUMBER OF CAMP/STANDBY CREWS
#11 – Acton 8800 Soledad Canyon Rd. Acton, CA 93510	80	Fire Captain Fire Fighter Specialists	4	1
#13 – Malibu 1252 S. Encinal Canyon Rd. Malibu, CA 90265	100	Fire Captain Fire Fighter Specialists	5	1
#14 – Francisquito 35100 N. San Francisquito Canyon Rd., Santa Clarita, CA 91390	80	Fire Captain Fire Fighter Specialists	4	1
#16 – Holton 12653 N. Little Tujunga Canyon Rd., Sylmar, CA 91342	100	Fire Captain Fire Fighter Specialists	5	1
#19 – Julius Klein 22550 East Fork Rd. Azusa, CA 91702	120	Fire Captain Fire Fighter Specialists	6	1
TOTALS			24	5

2. CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

The Contractor agrees to:

- A. Provide managerial personnel to direct and coordinate LAC Fire Department operations in the conservation/fire suppression camps housing CDCR inmates.
- B. Provide personnel to train and direct inmates on all work projects, both within and beyond the limits of the facility.
- C. Provide LAC Fire Fighter Specialists, trained by the CDCR as to the legal requirements such as set forth in the California Code of Regulations, Title 15, the CDCR Camp Operational Procedures, and the General Terms and Conditions of this contract as applicable in the supervision of inmates on work projects, fires, or other emergencies prior to assigning them to supervise inmate crews.
- D. Allow LAC Fire Fighter Specialists to accept from the CDCR the temporary custody of inmates while on emergency and work projects and to make frequent counts of the inmates as required by the CDCR.
- E. Ensure that all fire crews and other inmate workers, normally supervised by the LAC Fire Department, are engaged in emergency work or work projects, either in or out of the camp, every workday, except as mutually agreed upon by the CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent. Inmates shall not work less than six (6) hours per day, five (5) days per week in a seven (7) day period.
- F. Ensure that the utilization of inmates in positions that require the use of a personal computer is in compliance with SCC Operational Procedure (OP) and California Institution for Women (CIW) OP regarding Information Systems Security and Guidelines.
- G. Keep daily written records of the number of inmates assigned to the LAC Fire Department personnel to work on fires, projects, or other emergencies.
- H. Grade the work performance of the inmates in conformance with standards prescribed by the CDCR.
- I. Assist the CDCR personnel in the control of inmates pursuant to policies and procedures established by the CDCR and the LAC Fire Department.
- J. Assist the CDCR in providing annual fire line safety training to custodial staff.
- K. Provide to the CDCR staff and inmates assigned to work on fires, all safety equipment including but not limited to safety helmets, safety goggles, fire protective clothing, and other safety devices required by the County Safety Standards and the California Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1973, as amended, and regulations thereunder. The individual issued safety equipment is responsible for its condition and security and shall wear or have it readily available when responding to and while at fires.

- L. Provide and maintain all tools and equipment used on work projects, fires, and other emergencies.
- M. Provide transportation for inmates between the facilities and work projects and to and from fire or other emergencies. The CDCR and the LAC Fire Department shall, in accordance with applicable safety regulations and arrangements, mutually agree to transportation procedures.
- N. Assume all material and labor costs for the maintenance and replacement of all buildings at the designated facilities that are normally classified as real property, or as part of the realty, and all fixed asset equipment that belongs to the LAC Fire Department, except those items as defined in paragraph 3, subsections E, F, G, H, I, and J of the CDCR Responsibilities.
- O. Provide labor for the maintenance and repair of kitchen equipment owned by CDCR as defined in paragraph 3, subsection E of the CDCR Responsibilities to the extent of the capabilities of the LAC Fire Department in-camp personnel.
- P. Provide septic and/or sewage service/facilities for Acton, Malibu, Francisquito, Holton, and Julius Klein.
- Q. Provide electricity for Acton, Malibu, Francisquito, and Holton.
- R. Provide water for Acton, Malibu, Francisquito, Holton, and Julius Klein.
- S. Provide telephone service for all LAC Fire Department personnel.
- T. Reimburse the CDCR for overtime salaries and employee benefits of the CDCR personnel and inmates assigned to the fire suppression crews accrued at the request of the LAC Fire Department or as agreed to by the LAC Fire Department and the CDCR. This includes all emergencies in or out of L. A. County.
- U. Reimburse the CDCR for the indirect cost of salaries and employee benefits and for any other reasonable and necessary expenses in the performance of this Agreement that are mutually agreed to by the LAC Fire Department and the CDCR. This includes all emergencies in or out of L. A. County.
- V. Reimburse the CDCR for the meals provided to the LAC Fire Department personnel based upon the CDCR's Department Operations Manual, Section 54080.15.
- W. Provide meals to the CDCR personnel and inmates while on fire or other emergencies, including reimbursement to the CDCR for those meals served in camp that are caused by or related to emergency assignments. These meals shall be termed "Fire Meals" and all costs shall be borne by the LAC Fire Department. Replacement of said meals shall be either an item-for-item replacement or at LAC Fire Department's cost of the items.

3. CDCR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

The CDCR agrees to:

- A. Staff inmate conservation/fire suppression crews in numbers sufficient to maintain reasonable stability in crew strength necessary for a reliable resource for fire control and prevention and work projects. In order to meet this goal, the inmate crew population of eighty-five (85) percent fire-eligible (those inmates that are physically fit and have completed the fire-fighting training) and fifteen (15) percent fire-ineligible (those inmates that are not eligible to fight fires but can perform camp duties and support services like kitchen work, grounds maintenance, etc.) inmates, except in the case of certain specified vocational or other work programs shall be maintained. In recognition of the fact that the camp population fluctuates due to paroling inmates, disciplinary removals, etc., the total inmate population in each camp may exceed the designed capacity by up to ten (10) percent in order to have a reserve of fire-eligible inmates available. This practice is intended to keep the average camp population at the same level as the budgeted camp population.
- B. Provide the CDCR custodial personnel to properly supervise and control the inmates, as required by law, and to have primary responsibility at all times for the discipline, control, security, welfare, and safety of all inmates. The CDCR shall provide and assign custodial staff whenever inmates are on emergency work projects. The CDCR shall provide custodial staff coverage for work projects as needed. The CDCR Camp Commander will coordinate the assignment of custodial staff with the LAC Camp Superintendent; however, the final determination of custodial staffing is the responsibility of the CDCR Camp Commander.
- C. Provide all necessary medical attention for inmates, except for the immediate first aid given to inmates assigned to work projects or emergency assignments.
- D. Provide all inmate clothing, including boots, except safety clothing as defined in paragraph 2, subsection K of the Contractor's Responsibilities.
- E. Supervise and manage the camp culinary operation and other camp services within the jurisdiction of the CDCR and provide all food, culinary personnel, and kitchen equipment necessary for the preparation of meals.
- F. Provide housekeeping services such as cleaning, minor maintenance, laundry, etc.
- G. Provide fuel for cooking and heating (propane) for Acton, Malibu, Francisquito, Julius Klein, and Holton.
- H. Provide electricity at Julius Klein.
- I. Provide CDCR telephone services.

- J. Assume financial responsibility for the maintenance and/or replacement of all kitchen and laundry equipment, except for labor and maintenance as provided by the LAC Fire Department pursuant to paragraph 2, subsection N and O of the Contractor's Responsibilities. As communicated and agreed upon by the CDCR and LAC Fire Department, the facility must adhere to all laws and regulations and have the ability to accommodate all kitchen and laundry replacement equipment in regard to space and utilities.
- K. The CDCR shall reimburse the LAC Fire Department for costs incurred for repairs when it has been determined that an inmate has willfully damaged buildings, appurtenances, or equipment.
- L. Reimburse the LAC Fire Department for actual salary and employee benefits of the LAC Fire Department personnel assigned to the Fire Suppression Camps as agreed and outlined in Exhibit B-1 Projected Budget, Rate Sheet.
- M. Provide training to the LAC Fire Department staff in the legal requirements such as the Director's rules, applicable penal code, etc., involved in supervising inmates on work projects, fires, and other emergencies.
- N. Provide meals for the LAC Fire Department personnel assigned to the camps and other cooperating agency personnel.

4. CDCR AND LAC FIRE DEPARTMENT MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Employees of the LAC Fire Department and the CDCR, who are responsible for the personnel at their respective facilities, have a mutual responsibility other than as described in this Agreement, extending beyond the field of supervision, and the CDCR and LAC Fire Department responsibilities. They must respect and cooperate with each other to the end that the Fire Suppression Camp Program will continue to be a success.
- B. The camp program of each department shall be familiar with and abide by the rules, regulations, and responsibilities of the other as set forth in the California Code of Regulations, Title 15 and the Fire Department/CDCR Camp Operational Procedures.
- C. It is mutually understood and agreed that State employees are not employees of the LAC Fire Department and LAC Fire Department employees are not employees of the State.
- D. Inmates assigned to the LAC Fire Department fire crews shall be physically fit.
- E. The discipline of inmates is the ultimate responsibility of the CDCR. The LAC Fire Department personnel shall report, through established channels with written documentation, all acts of inmates contrary to law, regulations, or camp rules and assist correctional employees in determining disciplinary action. Furthermore, LAC Fire Department personnel shall assist in the control of inmates in emergency situations.
- F. The CDCR Camp Commander shall receive assistance from the LAC Camp Superintendent or designated representative, in the hearing of all rules and violations.

- G. In the event that an inmate does not display acceptable work habits or demonstrates other unacceptable conduct and continues to do so after a cooperative effort by both departments to correct the inmate through the progressive disciplinary process, the inmate may be removed from the camp program or transferred to another conservation camp. Proper documents containing the facts of the situation must be submitted by both agencies.
- H. The CDCR shall assign and supervise the activities of inmates on the "CDCR In-Camp Crew" and the LAC Fire Department shall assign and supervise the activities on the "Fire Department In-Camp Crew".
- I. For the purpose of this Agreement, inmates provided to the LAC Fire Department by the CDCR shall not be construed to be employees of the LAC Fire Department.
- J. The CDCR shall maintain the primary responsibility for determining the custodial and safety requirements on all work projects and emergency assignments. The LAC Fire Department shall maintain primary responsibility for defining, monitoring, supervising work projects, and emergency assignments.
- K. A standard work week, as mutually agreed and stated as policy by the CDCR and the LAC Fire Department, shall be maintained.
- L. The LAC Fire Department shall prescribe the method of dispatching inmates and the LAC Fire Department personnel to work projects, fires, or other emergencies. Written procedures outlining the method of dispatch shall be given to the CDCR Camp Commander. This shall occur annually or when necessary.
- M. Inmates shall not operate any mobile equipment on any public road, motorway, access road, or thoroughfare, except in an extreme emergency. The operation of any equipment or vehicle by an inmate must be approved by the CDCR Camp Commander or LAC Camp Superintendent, depending on the ownership of the vehicle.
- N. The CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent shall be responsible for jointly preparing a corrective action plan and correcting deficiencies identified by the California Department of Health Services (DHS) during the annual Environmental Health Survey. Within sixty (60) days of receipt of the DHS report, a written corrective action plan, including a plan for correction of violations and implementation dates for the recommendations, shall be jointly prepared by the CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent and submitted through organizational channels to the Warden at SCC, Warden at CIW, and to the Los Angeles County Assistant Fire Chief for Camp Management with informational copies to the CDCR Camp Operations office. All minor violations shall be corrected within thirty (30) days after receipt of the DHS report.
- O. The annual camp management audit will be conducted at a classification no less than that of a Captain (CDCR) or designated Lieutenant when the Captain is not available and Battalion Chief (LAC). The annual camp management audit shall result in a written report with recommendations to correct policy and procedure violations and potential violations. This audit will be an evaluation of the day-to-day operations of the camps. A written report with implementation dates for the corrections and a plan of correction of violations shall be submitted through organizational channels to the

Camp Operations offices of both the CDCR (SCC and CIW) and LAC Fire Department. The CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent shall implement these recommendations within sixty (60) days of the receipt of the audit report. Those recommendations that cannot be implemented because of funding or other problems shall require the preparation of a plan of correction with time frames for compliance.

- P. The CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent shall conduct a joint monthly facilities maintenance inspection of each camp. This inspection shall be documented and, if necessary, a corrective action plan will be prepared.
- Q. The Facility/Correctional Captain and the LAC Fire Department Battalion Chief, Camp Operation, shall make an annual joint inspection of the camps and shall prepare or update a plan for correcting the camps' building and infrastructure deficiencies. The inspections will be conducted during the months of October, November, and December of each year. Actual dates will be mutually agreed upon.
- R. The CDCR Camp Commander and the LAC Camp Superintendent at each LAC Fire Department/camp shall jointly update and maintain an energy and water conservation plan. This is accomplished on an annual basis.
- S. Camp operations will be conducted in accordance with applicable State and Federal laws, State regulations, and the CDCR and LAC Fire Department policies. When the CDCR alleges that an employee of the LAC Fire Department has acted in a manner that is contrary to the laws, regulations, and policies enforced by the CDCR, the LAC Fire Department will conduct an investigation of the allegations. The CDCR, with the approval of LAC Fire Department, may participate in the investigation by having one (1) investigator present during interviews of any LAC Fire Department employee, including asking questions and taking notes; reviewing documents and other materials related to the investigation; and assisting in the formulation of findings and recommendations. The authority to impose disciplinary action against an employee of the LAC Fire Department shall remain the exclusive responsibility of the LAC Fire Department.
- T. The memorandum concerning the directive of fire pay status associated with the Fire Crew incident assignments and the support of those assignments has been agreed to by CDCR and LAC Fire Department management. All pay status guidelines apply to CDCR personnel and inmates assigned to an incident(s) with a Request/Order Number.

5. RADIO SERVICE

The LAC Fire Department shall ensure that handheld radios are available for CDCR emergency use and maintained at the expense of the LAC Fire Department.

6. CONTACT INFORMATION

Should questions or problems arise during the term of this contract, the Contractor or the CDCR should contact the following offices:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS & REHABILITATION

Billing/Payment Issues:

- Accounting Services Branch - Sacramento
Phone Number: (916) 255-2042
FAX Number: (916) 255-2103

Scope of Work/Performance Issues:

- Raymond Berry, Associate Warden, Camp Operations (SCC)
Telephone Number: (209) 984-5291, ext. 5458
FAX Number: (209) 984-3607
- Hugo Padilla, Captain, Camp Operations (CIW)
Telephone Number: (909) 597-1771 ext. 7583
FAX Number: (909) 393-8061

General Contract Issues:

- Office of Business Services
Telephone Number: (916) 255-5624
FAX Number: (916) 255-6187

LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

Billing/Payment and General Contract Issues:

- Adrian Li, Chief, Financial Management Division
Telephone Number: (323) 838-2301
FAX Number: (323) 869-0731

Scope of Work/Performance Issues:

- Brian Martin, Assistant Fire Chief, Air & Wildland Division
Telephone Number: (818) 890-5780
FAX Number: (818) 890-6567

FIRE SUPPRESSION SERVICES

Governing payments made to the LAC Fire Department:

1. Invoicing and Payment

- A. For services satisfactorily rendered, and upon receipt and approval of Contractor's invoices, the State agrees to compensate the Contractor for expenditures incurred to a maximum of budgeted authority.

For each of the first eleven (11) months of the Agreement, the Contractor shall submit an invoice equivalent to one-twelfth (1/12) of the annual Agreement award. (If the Agreement period is for less than a full fiscal year, the payments shall be adjusted accordingly.) The last invoice for the year shall include a reconciliation of payments made by the CDCR to actual expenditures incurred by the Contractor. Actual expenditures include, but are not limited to: employee salaries and benefits, and administrative overhead. The total amount invoiced by the Contractor cannot exceed (1) the actual program costs incurred, and (2) the amount encumbered for the Agreement per Exhibit B-1. The CDCR will withhold payment of the last invoice until the Contractor provides the required reconciliation. Source documents supporting the actual costs incurred for each CDCR camp shall be made available to the CDCR upon request.

If the reconciliation determines that LAC Fire Department's actual costs are less than the amounts paid by CDCR, the LAC Fire Department will refund the excess payments.

- B. Invoices shall include the Agreement Number, Purchase Order Number and shall be submitted in triplicate not more frequently than monthly in arrears to the address provided below:

**California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)
ASB-Sacramento
Attention: Accounts Payable B
P.O. Box 187016
Sacramento, CA 95818-7016**

- C. Payment to the LAC Fire Department shall be made payable and sent to:

**Los Angeles County Fire Department
P. O. Box 1859
Sacramento, CA 95812-0110**

- D. The Contractor also has the option to submit their invoices electronically to the appropriate email address as listed below. The Contractor must use the name on the Agreement and the Agreement Number on the subject line of the email. The email must include an attached PDF File of the invoice, in accordance with the information above, and must reference the institution acronym and invoice number.

Separate emails shall be sent for contracts with more than one participating institution, facility, office and/or site with the invoice information as stated above.

For electronic submission, send invoices to:
Institutionnonmedcontractinvoices@cdcr.ca.gov

2. Budget Contingency Clause

- A. It is mutually agreed that if the California State Budget Act for the current fiscal year and/or any subsequent fiscal years covered under this Agreement does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, at least at the current budgeted authority level in Exhibit B-1, this agreement shall be of no further force and effect. In this event, the State shall have no liability to pay any funds whatsoever to Contractor, or to furnish any other considerations under this Agreement and remove all inmates from the five camp facilities, and Contractor shall not be obligated to perform any provisions of this Agreement.
- B. If funding for the purposes of this program is reduced or deleted for any fiscal year by the California State Budget Act, the State shall have the option to either cancel this Agreement with no liability occurring to the State or offer an Agreement amendment to Contractor to reflect the reduced amount.
- C. It is mutually agreed upon that an annual Cost of Living Adjustment may be negotiated no later than February 1st of the previous contract year.

3. City/County Rate Increase

It is understood that the city/county may regulate some or all of the Contractor's rates for services. In the event the city/county increases the rates that directly affect the services provided in this Agreement, the Contractor may, once during the term of the Agreement, request from the State an increase in the rates stated in this Agreement. The Contractor must submit a written request to the State with a copy of the resolution from the city/county listing the prior rates and new rates and effective date of the new rates.

4. Prompt Payment Clause

Payment will be made in accordance with, and within the time specified in, Government Code Chapter 4.5, commencing with Section 926.10. Payment to small/micro businesses shall be made in accordance with and within the time specified in Chapter 4.5, Government Code 927 et seq.

5. Administrative Overhead

For the purposes of this Agreement, the administrative overhead shall be charged at the rate established and agreed to by the LAC Fire Department and the CDCR. The approved rate for fiscal year 2023/24 is **30.59 percent** and is subject to change each fiscal year.

6. Actual Expenditures

The LAC Fire Department will have the right to make changes to the staffing levels specified in this Agreement. Overtime costs to maintain the staffing levels will be reimbursed at the straight time rate as specified in the annual Program Costs (see Exhibit B-1, Rate Sheet).

Actual program costs (i.e., salary, employee benefits) incurred by the LAC Fire Department shall be substantiated with appropriate accounting records (general ledgers, subsidiary ledgers, etc.) that are able to identify costs specific to the CDCR camp program.

7. Allowable Costs

Allowable costs for this Agreement shall be limited to those expenditures, which are actual costs, incurred. The maximum reimbursable amount per fiscal year to the LAC Fire Department is limited to the budgeted amount specified in the Agreement and incident's as necessary being responded to by the LAC Fire Department, CDCR staff, and inmates.

Governing payments to the CDCR:

1. Invoicing and Payment

- A. For services satisfactorily rendered, and upon receipt and approval of CDCR's invoices, the Contractor agrees to compensate the CDCR for actual expenditures, and the associated administrative overhead, incurred at the request of the Contractor or as deemed necessary by CDCR.
- B. Invoices shall include the Agreement number and shall be submitted in triplicate not more frequently than monthly in arrears to:

**Los Angeles County Fire Department
Financial Management Division
P. O. Box 910901
Commerce, CA 90091-0901**

- C. Payment to the CDCR shall be made payable and sent to the appropriate institution:

**California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)
ASB-Sacramento
Attention: Accounts Payable B
P.O. Box 187016
Sacramento, CA 95818-7016**

2. Budget Contingency Clause

It is mutually agreed that if funding for the purposes of this program is reduced or deleted for any fiscal year in the County of Los Angeles budget, the State or the Contractor shall have the option to either renegotiate or cancel this Agreement with no liability occurring to the State or to the Contractor.

3. Prompt Payment Clause

Payment shall be made on properly submitted, undisputed invoices within forty-five (45) days of receipt.

4. Administrative Overhead

Pursuant to the State Administrative Manual, Section 8752, the CDCR shall recover the full cost of services provided including indirect or overhead costs when providing goods or services. For the purposes of this Agreement, the Administrative Overhead shall be charged at the rate established and agreed to by the CDCR and the LAC Fire Department. The approved rate for Fiscal Year 2023/24 is **33.05 percent** and is subject to change each fiscal year.

5. Actual Expenditures

Actual expenditures are incurred for both staff and inmates and will be substantiated with appropriate accounting records that are able to identify costs specific to each camp. Staff expenditures include but are not limited to overtime, staff benefits, and travel; and which inmate expenditures include inmate pay and meals.

6. Allowable Costs

Allowable costs for this Agreement shall be limited to those expenditures incurred for goods and services necessary for the incident being responded to by the LAC Fire Department, CDCR staff, and inmates.

FIRE SUPPRESSION SERVICES

**Fiscal Year (FY) 23/24
(July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024)**

PERSONNEL	Total No. of Fire Employees	Maximum Monthly Salary	Maximum Employee Benefits per Month	% of Project Time	No. of Months	TOTAL
FIRE CAPTAIN	5	\$14,573.31	\$11,503.31	100%	12	\$1,564,597.20
FIRE FIGHTER SPECIALIST	51	\$12,325.28	\$9,728.84	100%	12	\$13,497,121.44
Total Cost of Salary and Employee Benefits						\$15,061,718.64
Administrative Overhead – 30.59%						\$4,607,379.73
* Total Program Costs						\$19,669,098.37
Reduction To Align Contract With CDCR Budget Authority						\$14,822,204.37
** Total Cdcr Budget For FY 23/24						\$4,846,894.00
<p>* Total Program Cost is based on FY 2023-2024 Projected Cost.</p> <p>**Any dollar amount exceeding CDCR's budget of \$4,846,894.00 will be funded by the Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County.</p>						

1. Contract Disputes with Public Entities (Supersedes provision number 6, Disputes, of Exhibit C)

As a condition precedent to Contractor's right to institute and pursue litigation or other legally available dispute resolution process, if any, Contractor agrees that all disputes and/or claims of Contractor arising under or related to the Agreement shall be resolved pursuant to the following processes. Contractor's failure to comply with said dispute resolution procedures shall constitute a failure to exhaust administrative remedies.

Pending the final resolution of any such disputes and/or claims, Contractor agrees to diligently proceed with the performance of the Agreement, including the delivering of goods or providing of services. Contractor's failure to diligently proceed shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement.

The Agreement shall be interpreted, administered, and enforced according to the laws of the State of California. The parties agree that any suit brought hereunder shall have venue in Sacramento, California, the parties hereby waiving any claim or defense that such venue is not convenient or proper.

A county, city, district or other local public body, state board or state commission, another state or federal agency, or joint-powers authority shall resolve a dispute with CDCR, if any, through a meeting of representatives from the entities affected. If the dispute cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of the parties, each entity may thereafter pursue its right to institute litigation or other dispute resolution process, if any, available under the laws of the State of California.

2. Confidentiality of Information

CDCR and Provider agree that all inmate/patient health information is identified as confidential and shall be held in trust and confidence and shall be used only for the purposes contemplated under this Agreement.

Provider by acceptance of this Agreement is subject to all of the requirements of the federal regulations implementing the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 45, Sections 164.501 et seq.); the California Government Code Section 11019.9; California Civil Code Sections 56 et seq.; and California Civil Code Sections 1798, et seq.; regarding the collections, maintenance, and disclosure of personal and confidential information about individuals. Attached as an Exhibit and incorporated herein is a Business Associate Agreement which memorializes the parties' duties and obligations with respect to the protection, use, and disclosure of protected health information.

3. Confidentiality of Data

All financial, statistical, personal, technical, and other data and information relating to State's operation, which are designated confidential by the State and made available to carry out this Agreement, or which become available to the Contractor in order to carry out this Agreement, shall be protected by the Contractor from unauthorized use and disclosure.

If the methods and procedures employed by the Contractor for the protection of the Contractor's data and information are deemed by the State to be adequate for the protection

of the State's confidential information, such methods and procedures may be used with the written consent of the State. The Contractor shall not be required under the provisions of this paragraph to keep confidential any data already rightfully in the Contractor's possession that is independently developed by the Contractor outside the scope of the Agreement or is rightfully obtained from third parties.

No reports, information, inventions, improvements, discoveries, or data obtained, repaired, assembled, or developed by the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be released, published, or made available to any person (except to the State) without prior written approval from the State.

Contractor by acceptance of this Agreement is subject to all of the requirements of California Government Code Section 11019.9 and California Civil Code Sections 1798, et seq., regarding the collection, maintenance, and disclosure of personal and confidential information about individuals.

4. Accounting Principles

The Contractor will adhere to generally accepted accounting principles as outlined by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Dual compensation is not allowed; a contractor cannot receive simultaneous compensation from two or more funding sources for the same services performed even though both funding sources could benefit.

5. Taxes

Unless required by law, the State of California is exempt from federal excise taxes.

6. Right to Terminate (Supersedes provision number 7, Termination for Cause, of Exhibit C)

The parties hereto agree that either party may cancel this Agreement by giving the other party written notice thirty (30) days in advance of the effective date of such cancellation. In the event of such termination, the State agrees to pay Contractor for actual services rendered up to and including the date of termination.

The State may terminate this Agreement and be relieved of any payments should the Contractor fail to perform the requirements of this Agreement at the time and in the manner herein provided. In the event of such termination the State may proceed with the work in any manner deemed proper by the State. All costs to the State shall be deducted from any sum due the Contractor under this Agreement and the balance, if any, shall be paid to the Contractor upon demand.

7. Contract Suspension

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agreement, pursuant to a Governor's Executive Order or equivalent directive, such as a court order or an order from a federal or state regulatory agency, mandating the suspension of state contracts, the State may issue a Suspension of Work Notice. The Notice shall identify the specific Executive Order or directive and the Agreement number(s) subject to suspension. Unless specifically stated otherwise, all performance under the Agreement(s) must stop immediately upon receipt of the Notice. During the period of contract suspension, Contractor is not entitled to any payment for the suspended work. Once the order suspending state contracts has been

lifted, a formal letter from the Department will be issued to the Contractor to resume work.

8. Extension of Term

When it is determined to be in the best interest of the State, this Agreement may be amended to extend the term at the rates agreed upon by CDCR and the Contractor.

9. Contractor Employee Misconduct

During the performance of this Agreement, it shall be the responsibility of the Contractor whenever there is an incident of use of force or allegation(s) of employee misconduct associated with and directly impacting inmate and/or parolee rights, to immediately notify the CDCR of the incident(s), to cause an investigation to be conducted, and to provide CDCR with all relevant information pertaining to the incident(s). All relevant information includes, but is not limited to: a) investigative reports; b) access to inmates/parolees and the associated staff; c) access to employee personnel records; d) that information reasonably necessary to assure CDCR that inmates and/or parolees are not or have not been deprived of any legal rights as required by law, regulation, policy and procedures; and e) written evidence that the Contractor has taken such remedial action, in the event of unnecessary or excessive force, or employee misconduct with inmates and/or parolees, as will assure against a repetition of incident(s) or retaliation. To the extent that the information provided by the Contractor fails to so assure CDCR, CDCR may require that any implicated Contractor staff be denied access to and the supervision of CDCR inmates and/or parolees at the facility and access to inmate and/or parolee records. Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without waiving any obligation of the Contractor, CDCR retains the power to conduct an independent investigation of any incident(s). Furthermore, it is the responsibility of the Contractor to include the foregoing terms within any and all subcontracts, requiring that subcontractor(s) agree to the jurisdiction of CDCR to conduct an investigation of their facility and staff, including review of subcontractor employee personnel records, as a condition of the Agreement.

10. Subcontracting

Services provided are to be performed primarily with the staff of the public entity or, in the case of educational institutions, auxiliaries or foundations, by the faculty, staff or students associated with the particular institution. Agreements are not to be used by state agencies to circumvent the competitive bidding requirements of Public Contract Code Section 10340.

If more than twenty-five (25) percent of the total contract amount or \$50,000.00, whichever is less, is subcontracted, non-competitive bid approval must be obtained from the Secretary of CDCR and the Department of General Services prior to the commencement of services, unless the subcontract was competitively bid or the subcontractor(s) also qualifies as a state agency, governmental agency, or joint power.

11. Subcontractor/Consultant Information

Contractor is required to identify all subcontractors and consultants who will perform labor or render services in the performance of this Agreement. Additionally, the Contractor shall notify the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Office of Business Services, in writing, within ten (10) working days, of any changes to the subcontractor and/or consultant information.

12. Liability for Nonconforming Work

The Contractor will be fully responsible for ensuring that the completed work conforms to the agreed upon terms. If nonconformity is discovered prior to the Contractor's deadline, the Contractor will be given a reasonable opportunity to cure the nonconformity. If the nonconformity is discovered after the deadline for the completion of the project, CDCR, in its sole discretion, may use any reasonable means to cure the nonconformity. The Contractor shall be responsible for reimbursing CDCR for any additional expenses incurred to cure such defects.

13. Temporary Nonperformance

If, because of mechanical failure or for any other reason, the Contractor shall be temporarily unable to perform the work as required, the State, during the period of the Contractor's inability to perform, reserves the right to accomplish the work by other means and shall be reimbursed by the Contractor for any additional costs above the Agreement price.

14. Contract Violations

The Contractor acknowledges that any violation of Chapter 2, or any other chaptered provision of the Public Contract Code (PCC), is subject to the remedies and penalties contained in PCC Sections 10420 through 10425.

15. Employment of Ex-Offenders

Contractor cannot and will not either directly, or on a subcontract basis, employ in connection with this Agreement:

- a. Ex-Offenders on active parole or probation, who have been on active parole or probation during the last three years preceding their employment;
 1. Contractor shall only employ ex-offenders who can provide written evidence of having satisfactorily completed parole or probation, and who have remained off parole or probation, and have had no arrests or convictions within the past three years.
- b. Ex-offenders convicted of drug trafficking in a prison/jail; escape or aiding/abetting escape; battery on a Peace Officer or Public Official; arson offenses; or, any violations of Penal Code Sections 4570-4574 (unauthorized Communications with Prisons and Prisoners Offenses).
- c. Ex-Offenders are required to register as a sex offender pursuant to Penal Code Section 290.
- d. Any ex-offender who has an offense history involving a "violent felony" as defined in subparagraph (c) of Penal Code Section 667.5; or
- e. Any ex-offender in a position which provides direct supervision of parolees.

An ex-offender whose assigned duties involve administrative or policy decision-making, accounting, procurement, cashiering, auditing, or any other business-related administrative

function shall be fully bonded to cover any potential loss to the State or contractor. Evidence of such bond shall be supplied to CDCR prior to employment of the ex-offender.

16. Conflict of Interest

The Contractor and their employees shall abide by the provisions of Government Code (GC) Sections 1090, 81000 et seq., 82000 et seq., 87100 et seq., and 87300 et seq., Public Contract Code (PCC) Sections 10335 et seq. and 10410 et seq., California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 2, Section 18700 et seq. and Title 15, Section 3409, and the Department Operations Manual (DOM) Section 31100 et seq. regarding conflicts of interest.

a. Contractors and Their Employees

Consultant contractors shall file a Statement of Economic Interests, Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) Form 700 prior to commencing services under the Agreement, annually during the life of the Agreement, and within thirty (30) days after the expiration of the Agreement. Other service contractors and/or certain of their employees may be required to file a Form 700 if so requested by the CDCR or whenever it appears that a conflict of interest may be at issue. Generally, service contractors (other than consultant contractors required to file as above) and their employees shall be required to file an FPPC Form 700 if one of the following exists:

- (1) The Agreement service has been identified by the CDCR as one where there is a greater likelihood that a conflict of interest may occur;
- (2) The Contractor and/or Contractor's employee(s), pursuant to the Agreement, makes or influences a governmental decision; or
- (3) The Contractor and/or Contractor's employee(s) serves in a staff capacity with the CDCR and in that capacity participates in making a governmental decision or performs the same or substantially all the same duties for the CDCR that would otherwise be performed by an individual holding a position specified in the CDCR's Conflict of Interest Code.

b. Current State Employees

- (1) No officer or employee shall engage in any employment, activity or enterprise from which the officer or employee receives compensation or has a financial interest and which is sponsored or funded by any state agency, unless the employment, activity or enterprise is required as a condition of regular state employment.
- (2) No officer or employee shall contract on his or her own behalf as an independent contractor with any state agency to provide goods or services.
- (3) In addition to the above, CDCR officials and employees shall also avoid actions resulting in or creating an appearance of:
 - (a) Using an official position for private gain;
 - (b) Giving preferential treatment to any particular person;
 - (c) Losing independence or impartiality;
 - (d) Making a decision outside of official channels; and
 - (e) Affecting adversely the confidence of the public or local officials in the integrity of the program.
- (4) Officers and employees of the Department must not solicit, accept or receive, directly or indirectly, any fee, commission, gratuity or gift from any person or business organization doing or seeking to do business with the State.

c. Former State Employees

- (1) For the two year (2-year) period from the date he or she left state employment, no former state officer or employee may enter into an Agreement in which he or she engaged in any of the negotiations, transactions, planning, arrangements or any part of the decision-making process relevant to the Agreement while employed in any capacity by any state agency.
- (2) For the twelve-month (12-month) period from the date he or she left state employment, no former state officer or employee may enter into an Agreement with any state agency if he or she was employed by that state agency in a policy-making position in the same general subject area as the proposed Agreement within the 12-month period prior to his or her leaving state service.

In addition to the above, the Contractor shall avoid any conflict of interest whatsoever with respect to any financial dealings, employment services, or opportunities offered to inmates or parolees. The Contractor shall not itself employ or offer to employ inmates or parolees either directly or indirectly through an affiliated company, person or business unless specifically authorized in writing by CDCR. In addition, the Contractor shall not (either directly, or indirectly through an affiliated company, person or business) engage in financial dealings with inmates or parolees, except to the extent that such financial dealings create no actual or potential conflict of interest, are available on the same terms to the general public, and have been approved in advance in writing by CDCR. For the purposes of this paragraph, "affiliated company, person or business" means any company, business, corporation, nonprofit corporation, partnership, limited partnership, sole proprietorship, or other person or business entity of any kind which has any ownership or control interest whatsoever in the Contractor, or which is wholly or partially owned (more than 5% ownership) or controlled (any percentage) by the Contractor or by the Contractor's owners, officers, principals, directors and/or shareholders, either directly or indirectly. "Affiliated companies, persons or businesses" include, but are not limited to, subsidiary, parent, or sister companies or corporations, and any company, corporation, nonprofit corporation, partnership, limited partnership, sole proprietorship, or other person or business entity of any kind that is wholly or partially owned or controlled, either directly or indirectly, by the Contractor or by the Contractor's owners, officers, principals, directors and/or shareholders.

The Contractor shall have a continuing duty to disclose to the State, in writing, all interests and activities that create an actual or potential conflict of interest in performance of the Agreement.

The Contractor shall have a continuing duty to keep the State timely and fully apprised in writing of any material changes in the Contractor's business structure and/or status. This includes any changes in business form, such as a change from sole proprietorship or partnership into a corporation or vice-versa; any changes in company ownership; any dissolution of the business; any change of the name of the business; any filing in bankruptcy; any revocation of corporate status by the Secretary of State; and any other material changes in the Contractor's business status or structure that could affect the performance of the Contractor's duties under the Agreement.

If the Contractor violates any provision of the above paragraphs, such action by the Contractor shall render this Agreement void.

Members of boards and commissions are exempt from this section if they do not receive payment other than payment for each meeting of the board or commission, payment for

preparatory time and payment for per diem.

17. Compliance with Legal Requirements

The Contractor shall be aware of and comply with all Federal and State statutes, rules, regulations, and CDCR policies and directives ("CDCR Policies") applicable to the Contract. CDCR policies shall include, but are not limited to the Department Operations Manual (DOM), California Code of Regulations Title 15, any policy memoranda issued by the CDCR Secretary or jointly with the Receiver, California Correctional Health Care Services (CCHCS), and any similar department-wide guidance that may be issued by proper authority, of which the Contractor has been informed by CDCR or has been published on the CDCR public internet web site, CDCR.ca.gov.

18. Executive Order N-6-22 – Russia Sanctions

On March 4, 2022, Governor Gavin Newsom issued Executive Order [N-6-22](#) (the EO) regarding Economic Sanctions against Russia and Russian entities and individuals. "Economic Sanctions" refers to sanctions imposed by the U.S. government in response to Russia's actions in Ukraine, as well as any sanctions imposed under state law. The EO directs state agencies to terminate contracts with, and to refrain from entering any new contracts with, individuals or entities that are determined to be a target of Economic Sanctions. Accordingly, should the State determine Contractor is a target of Economic Sanctions or is conducting prohibited transactions with sanctioned individuals or entities, that shall be grounds for termination of this agreement. The State shall provide Contractor advance written notice of such termination, allowing Contractor at least 30 calendar days to provide a written response. Termination shall be at the sole discretion of the State.

19. Travel

Contractor's rates shall include all travel expenses required to perform services in accordance with this contract.

20. Notification of Personnel Changes

Contractor must notify the State, in writing, of any changes of those personnel allowed access to State premises for the purpose of providing services under this Agreement. In addition, Contractor must recover and return any State-issued identification card provided to Contractor's employee(s) upon their departure or termination.

21. Security Clearance/Fingerprinting

The State reserves the right to conduct fingerprinting and/or security clearance—through the Department of Justice, Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information (BCII)—prior to award and at any time during the term of the Agreement, in order to permit Contractor (and/or Contractor employee) access to State premises. The State further reserves the right to terminate the Agreement should a threat to security be determined.

22. Computer Software

Contractor certifies that it has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this Agreement for the acquisition, operation or

maintenance of computer software in violation of copyright laws.

23. Expendable Equipment

Expendable equipment is defined as expendable items which change with use and have a unit acquisition cost of less than \$5,000 per unit (i.e. fax machines, computers, printers, etc.). Title to any expendable equipment purchased or built with State funds as part of this agreement will vest in the State. The Contractor must retain a listing of expendable equipment purchases that are considered "theft-sensitive" items, such as cameras, calculators, two-way radios, computer equipment, etc., for audit purposes. Upon completion or termination of the agreement, Contractors are required to leave all expendable equipment for use by subsequent contractors or for the State to dispose of accordingly. The State may authorize the continued use of such equipment for work to be performed under a different agreement.

The cost of expendable equipment purchased should be comparable to the prevailing price for similar items in the surrounding area.

24. Electronic Waste Recycling

The Contractor certifies that it complies with the requirements of the Electronic Waste Recycling Act of 2003, Chapter 8.5, Part 3 of Division 30, commencing with Section 42460 of the Public Resources Code, relating to hazardous and solid waste. Contractor shall maintain documentation and provide reasonable access to its records and documents that evidence compliance.

25. Liability for Loss and Damages

Any damages by the Contractor to the State's facility including equipment, furniture, materials or other State property, will be repaired or replaced by the Contractor to the satisfaction of the State at no cost to the State. The State may, at its option, repair any such damage and deduct the cost thereof from any sum due Contractor under this Agreement.

26. Disclosure

Neither the State nor any State employee will be liable to the Contractor or its staff for injuries inflicted by inmates or parolees of the State. The State agrees to disclose to the Contractor any statement(s) known made by any inmate or parolee which indicate violence may result in any specific situation, and the same responsibility will be shared by the Contractor in disclosing such statement(s) to the State.

27. Additional Disclosure

Neither the State nor any State employee will be liable to the Contractor or its staff for any injuries caused by exposure to any blood borne pathogens, aerosol transmissible diseases, or communicable diseases. Contractor agrees that it shall comply fully with all applicable Cal/OSHA regulations concerning protection of the Contractor's employees from diseases; including Title 8, California Code of Regulations section 5193 (Blood Borne Pathogens), and Title 8, section 5199 (Aerosol Transmissible Diseases). Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the State, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any of the Contractor's employees arising out of

exposure to any blood borne pathogen, aerosol transmissible disease, or communicable disease during the Contractor's performance of the Agreement.

28. Workers' Compensation

Contractor hereby represents and warrants that Contractor is currently and shall, for the duration of this agreement, carry workers' compensation insurance, at Contractor's expense, or that it is self-insured through a policy acceptable to CDCR, for all of its employees who will be engaged in the performance of this agreement. Such coverage will be a condition of CDCR's obligation to pay for services provided under this agreement.

Prior to approval of this agreement and before performing any work, Contractor shall furnish to the State evidence of valid workers' compensation coverage. Contractor agrees that the workers' compensation insurance shall be in effect at all times during the term of this agreement. In the event said insurance coverage expires or is canceled at any time during the term of this agreement, Contractor agrees to give at least thirty (30) days prior notice to CDCR before said expiration date or immediate notice of cancellation. Evidence of coverage shall not be for less than the remainder of the term of the agreement or for a period of not less than one year. The State reserves the right to verify the Contractor's evidence of coverage. In the event the Contractor fails to keep workers' compensation insurance coverage in effect at all times, the State reserves the right to terminate this agreement and seek any other remedies afforded by the laws of this State.

Contractor also agrees to indemnify, defend and save harmless the State, its officers, agents and employees from any and all of Contractor's workers' compensation claims and losses by Contractor's officers, agents and employees related to the performance of this agreement.

29. Insurance Requirements

Insurance as required herein shall be a condition of the State's obligation to pay for services provided under this Agreement. Prior to approval of this Agreement and before performing any work, Contractor and any subcontractor shall furnish to the State evidence of valid coverage. The following shall be considered evidence of coverage: A certificate of insurance, a "true and certified" copy of the policy, or any other proof of coverage issued by Contractor's insurance carrier. Binders are not acceptable as evidence of coverage. Providing evidence of coverage to the State conveys no rights or privileges to the State, nor does it insure any State employee or insure any premises owned, leased, used by or otherwise or under the control of the State. It does, however, serve to provide the State with proof that the Contractor and any subcontractors are insured at the minimum levels required by the State of California.

Contractor agrees that any liability insurance required in the performance of this Agreement shall be in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement. In the event said insurance coverage expires or is canceled during the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall provide the State within five (5) business days of receipt by contractor a copy of any notice of cancellation or non-renewal of insurance required by the contract. Evidence of coverage required in the performance of this Agreement shall not be for less than the remainder of the term of this Agreement or for a period of not less than one year. The State and the Department of General Services (DGS) reserve the right to verify the Contractor's evidence of coverage; evidence of coverage is subject to the approval of the DGS. In the event the

Contractor fails to keep insurance coverage as required herein in effect at all times, the State reserves the right to terminate this Agreement and to seek any other remedies afforded by the laws of the State of California.

Contractor hereby represents and warrants they (and any subcontractors) are currently and shall for the duration of this Agreement be insured. Contractor shall provide proof of self-insurance.

All self-insured public entities MUST provide proof of self-insurance as specified under the Agreement.

30. Tuberculosis (TB) Testing

In the event that the services required under this Agreement will be performed within a CDCR institution/parole office/community-based program, Contractors and their employees who are assigned to work with, near, or around inmates/parolees shall be required to be examined and tested or medically evaluated by a licensed healthcare provider for TB in an infectious or contagious stage prior to the performance of contracted duties, and at least once a year thereafter (within 12 months of their initial or previous TB test under this contract), or more often as directed by CDCR.

Contractors and their employees who have any contact (physical or nonphysical) with inmates/parolees, shall be required to furnish to the CDCR Program/Institution Contract Manager, at no cost to CDCR, a documented Tuberculosis (TB) evaluation/test for TB infection (Tuberculin Skin Test (TST) or a blood test Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) completed within (30) thirty days of the start date of the services and be certified to be free of TB in an infectious or contagious stage by a licensed healthcare provider prior to assuming their contracted duties and annually thereafter.

The following provisions apply to services provided on departmental and/or institution grounds:

31. Blood borne Pathogens

Provider shall adhere to California Division of Occupational Safety and Health (CAL-OSHA) regulations and guidelines pertaining to blood borne pathogens.

32. Primary Laws, Rules, and Regulations Regarding Conduct and Association with State Prison Inmates and Division of Juvenile Justice Wards

Individuals who are not employees of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR), but who are working in and around inmates who are incarcerated, or wards who are housed within California's institutions/facilities or camps, are to be apprised of the laws, rules and regulations governing conduct in associating with prison inmates or wards. The following is a summation of pertinent information when non-departmental employees come in contact with prison inmates or wards.

By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees that if the provisions of the contract require the Contractor to enter an institution/facility or camp, the Contractor and any employee(s) and/or subcontractor(s) shall be made aware of and shall abide by the following laws, rules and regulations governing conduct in associating with prison inmates or wards:

a. Persons who are not employed by CDCR, but are engaged in work at any

institution/facility or camp must observe and abide by all laws, rules and regulations governing the conduct of their behavior in associating with prison inmates or wards. Failure to comply with these guidelines may lead to expulsion from CDCR institutions/facilities or camps.

SOURCE: California Penal Code (PC) Sections 5054 and 5058; California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 15, Sections 3285 and 3415, and California Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 1712.

- b. CDCR does not recognize hostages for bargaining purposes. CDCR has a “NO HOSTAGE” policy and all prison inmates, wards, visitors, and employees shall be made aware of this.

SOURCE: PC Sections 5054 and 5058; CCR, Title 15, Section 3304 and 4603; WIC Section 1712.

- c. All persons entering onto institution/facility or camp grounds consent to search of their person, property or vehicle at any time. Refusal by individuals to submit to a search of their person, property, or vehicle may be cause for denial of access to the premises.

SOURCE: PC Sections 2601, 5054 and 5058; CCR, Title 15, Sections 3173, 3177, 3288, 4696, and 4697; WIC 1712.

- d. Persons normally permitted to enter an institution/facility or camp may be barred, for cause, by the CDCR Director, Warden, and/or Regional Parole Administrator.

SOURCE: PC Sections 5054 and 5058; CCR, Title 15, Section 3176 (a) and 4696; WIC Section 1712.

- e. It is illegal for an individual who has been previously convicted of a felony offense to enter into CDCR adult institutions/facilities or camps, or youth institutions/facilities or camps in the nighttime, without the prior approval of the Warden or officer in charge. It is also illegal for an individual to enter onto these premises for unauthorized purposes or to refuse to leave said premises when requested to do so. Failure to comply with this provision could lead to prosecution.

SOURCE: PC Sections 602, 4570.5 and 4571; CCR, Title 15, Sections 3173 and 3289; WIC Section 1001.7.

- f. Encouraging and/or assisting prison inmates to escape, is a crime. It is illegal to bring firearms, deadly weapons, explosives, tear gas, drugs or drug paraphernalia on CDCR institutions/facilities or camp premises. It is illegal to give prison inmates or wards firearms, explosives, alcoholic beverages, narcotics, or any drug or drug paraphernalia, including cocaine or marijuana. It is illegal to give wards sex oriented objects or devices, and written materials and pictures whose sale is prohibited to minors.

SOURCE: PC Sections 2772, 2790, 4533, 4535, 4550, 4573, 4573.5, 4573.6 and 4574; WIC Section 1152, CRR, Title 15, sections 4681 and 4710; WIC Section 1001.5.

- g. It is illegal to give or take letters from inmates or wards without the authorization of the Warden or officer in charge. It is also illegal to give or receive any type of gift and/or

gratuities from prison inmates or wards.

SOURCE: PC Sections 2540, 2541 and 4570; CCR, Title 15, Sections 3010, 3399, 3401, 3424, 3425 and 4045; WIC Section 1712.

- h. In an emergency situation the visiting program and other program activities may be suspended.

SOURCE: PC Section 2601; CCR, Title 15, Section 3383, 4002.5 and 4696.

- i. For security reasons, visitors must not wear clothing that in any way resembles state issued prison inmate or ward clothing (blue denim shirts, blue denim pants).

SOURCE: CCR, Title 15, Section 3174 (b) (1) and 4696.

- j. Interviews with SPECIFIC INMATES are not permitted. Conspiring with an inmate to circumvent policy and/or regulations constitutes a rule violation that may result in appropriate legal action. Interviews with individual wards are permitted with written consent of each ward if he is 18 years of age or older, or with written consent of a parent, legal guardian, or committing court, if 17 years of age or younger.

SOURCE: CCR, Title 15, Sections 3261.5, 3315 (a) (3) (X), and 3177 and 4700(a)(1).

33. Clothing Restrictions

While on institution grounds, Contractor and all its agents, employees, and/or representatives shall be professionally and appropriately dressed in clothing distinct from that worn by inmates at the institution. Specifically, blue denim pants and blue chambray shirts, orange/red/yellow/white/chartreuse jumpsuits and/or yellow rainwear shall not be worn onto institution grounds, as this is inmate attire. Contractor should contact the institution regarding clothing restrictions prior to requiring access to the institution to assure the Contractor and their employees are in compliance.

34. Tobacco-Free Environment

Pursuant to Penal Code Section 5030.1, the use of tobacco products by any person on the grounds of any institution or facility under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation is prohibited.

35. Prison Rape Elimination Policy

CDCR maintains a zero tolerance for sexual misconduct in its institutions, community correctional facilities, conservation camps and for all offenders under its jurisdiction. All sexual misconduct is strictly prohibited.

CDCR is committed to providing a safe, humane, secure environment, free from sexual misconduct. This will be accomplished by maintaining a program to ensure education/prevention, detection, response, investigation and tracking of sexual misconduct and to address successful community re-entry of the victim.

All Contractors and their employees are expected to ensure compliance with this policy as

described in Department Operations Manual, Chapter 5, Article 44.

If you are providing services for the confinement of our inmates, you and your staff are required to adopt and comply with the PREA standards, 28 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 115 and with CDCR's Department Operations Manual, Chapter 5, Article 44, including updates to this policy. This will include CDCR staff and outside audit personnel (who also conduct PREA audits of state prisons) conducting audits to ensure compliance with the standards.

As a Contractor with CDCR, you shall not assign an employee to a CDCR facility or assign an employee to duties if that employee will have contact with CDCR inmates, if that employee has 1) engaged in sexual abuse in a prison, jail, lockup, community confinement facility, juvenile facility, or other institution (as defined in 42 U.S.C. 1997); 2) been convicted of engaging or attempting to engage in sexual activity in the community facilitated by force, overt or implied threats of force, or coercion, or if the victim did not consent or was unable to consent or refuse; or 3) has been civilly or administratively adjudicated to have engaged in the activity described in this section.

The Contractor shall conduct a criminal background records check for each contract employee who will have contact with CDCR inmates and retain the results for audit purposes. By signing this contract the Contractor agrees to ensure that all of the mandates of this Section 5: Prison Rape Elimination Policy are complied with. Material omissions, by the contract employee, regarding such misconduct or the provision of materially false information, shall be grounds for removal from institutional grounds.

Contract employees, who have contact with inmates, shall be provided training via the Exhibit titled; "PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION POLICY, Volunteer/Contractor Informational Sheet" to learn their responsibilities under the agency's sexual abuse and sexual harassment prevention, detection, and response policies and procedures. A copy of this signed informational sheet will be provided to the institution before a contract employee may have contact with inmates.

Any contract employee who appears to have engaged in sexual misconduct of an inmate shall be prohibited from contact with inmates and shall be subject to administrative and/or criminal investigation. Referral shall be made to the District Attorney unless the activity was clearly not criminal. Reportable information shall be sent to relevant licensing bodies.

36. Security Regulations

- a. Unless otherwise directed by the entrance gate officer and/or Contract Manager, the Contractor, Contractor's employees and subcontractors shall enter the institution through the main entrance gate and park private and nonessential vehicles in the designated visitor's parking lot. Contractor, Contractor's employees and subcontractors shall remove the keys from the ignition when outside the vehicle and all unattended vehicles shall be locked and secured while on institution grounds.
- b. Any State- and Contractor-owned equipment used by the Contractor for the provision of contract services, shall be rendered temporarily inoperative by the Contractor when not in use, by locking or other means unless specified otherwise.
- c. In order to maintain institution safety and security, periodic fire prevention inspections

and site searches may become necessary and Contractor must furnish keys to institutional authorities to access all locked areas on the worksite. The State shall in no way be responsible for Contractor's loss due to fire.

- d. Due to security procedures, the Contractor, Contractor's employees and subcontractors may be delayed at the institution vehicle/pedestrian gates and sally ports. Any loss of time checking in and out of the institution gates and sally ports shall be borne by the Contractor.
- e. Contractor, Contractor's employees and subcontractors shall observe all security rules and regulations and comply with all instructions given by institutional authorities.
- f. Electronic and communicative devices such as pagers, cell phones and cameras/micro cameras are not permitted on institution grounds.
- g. Contractor, Contractor's employees, and subcontractors shall not cause undue interference with the operations of the institution.
- h. No picketing is allowed on State property.

37. Gate Clearance

Contractor and Contractor's employee(s) and/or subcontractor(s) must be cleared prior to providing services. The Contractor will be required to complete a Request for Gate Clearance for all persons entering the facility a minimum of ten (10) working days prior to commencement of service. The Request for Gate Clearance must include the person's name, social security number, valid state driver's license number or state identification card number and date of birth. Information shall be submitted to the Contract Liaison or his/her designee. CDCR uses the Request for Gate Clearance to run a California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) check. The check will include Department of Motor Vehicles check, Wants and Warrants check, and Criminal History check.

Gate clearance may be denied for the following reasons: Individual's presence in the institution presents a serious threat to security, individual has been charged with a serious crime committed on institution property, inadequate information is available to establish positive identity of prospective individual, and/or individual has deliberately falsified his/her identity.

All persons entering the facilities must have a valid state driver's license or photo identification card on their person.

CDCR 2301 PREA Policy Information for Volunteers and Contractors – Part A

The Prison Rape Elimination Policy for the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) is explained on this informational sheet. As a volunteer or private contractor who has contact with CDCR offenders, it is your responsibility to do what you can, within the parameters of your current assignment, to reduce incidents of sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment and to report information appropriately when they are reported to you or when you observe such an incident. For purposes of this Policy, the word “staff” includes volunteers and private contractors.

Historical Information

Both the Congress and State Legislature passed laws, the Federal Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) of 2003, the Sexual Abuse in Detention Elimination Act, Chapter 303, Statutes of 2005, and most recently the United States, Department of Justice Final Rule; National Standards of 2012 to help prevent, detect, and respond to sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment behind bars. It is important that we, as professionals, understand all aspects of these laws and our responsibilities to help prevent, detect, and respond to instances by offenders and staff.

CDCR Policy

The CDCR policy is found in Department Operations Manual (DOM), Chapter 5, Article 44. PREA addresses five types of sexual offenses. Sexual violence committed by offenders against offenders encompasses: abusive sexual contact, non-consensual sex acts, and sexual harassment by an offender. Other sections covered by PREA include staff sexual misconduct towards an offender and staff sexual harassment towards an offender.

CDCR’s policy provides for the following:

- CDCR is committed to continuing to provide a safe, humane, secure environment, free from offender on offender sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment.
- CDCR maintains zero tolerance for sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment in its institutions, community correctional facilities, conservation camps, and for all offenders under its jurisdiction.
- All sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment is strictly prohibited.
- This policy applies to all offenders and persons employed by the CDCR, including volunteers and independent contractors assigned to an institution, community correctional facility, conservation camp, or parole.

Retaliatory measures against employees or offenders who report incidents of sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, or sexual harassment as well as retaliatory measures taken against those who cooperate with investigations shall not be tolerated and shall result in disciplinary action and/or criminal prosecution. Retaliatory measures include, but are not limited to:

- Coercion.
- Threats of punishments.
- Any other activities intended to discourage or prevent staff or offenders from reporting incident(s).

Professional Behavior

Staff, including volunteers and private contractors are expected to act in a professional manner while on the grounds of a CDCR institution and while interacting with other staff and offenders. Key elements of professional behavior include:

- Treating everyone, staff and offenders alike, with respect.
- Speaking without judging, blaming, or being demeaning.
- Listening to others with an objective ear and trying to understand their point of view.
- Avoiding gossip, name calling, and what may be perceived as offensive or "off-color" humor.
- Taking responsibility for your own behavior.

CDCR 2301 PREA Policy Information for Volunteers and Contractors – Part A

Preventative Measures

You can help reduce sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment by taking various actions during the performance of your duties as a volunteer or private contractor.

The following are ways in which you can help:

- Know and enforce the rules regarding the sexual conduct of offenders.
- Be professional at all times.
- Make it clear that sexual activity is not acceptable.
- Treat any suggestion or allegation of sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, and sexual harassment as serious.
- Follow appropriate reporting procedures and assure that the alleged victim is separated from the alleged predator.
- Never advise an offender to use force to repel sexual advances.

Detection

All staff, including volunteers and private contractors, is responsible for reporting immediately and confidentially, to the appropriate supervisor any information that indicates an offender is being, or has been, the victim of sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, or sexual harassment.

After immediately reporting to the appropriate supervisor, you are required to document the information you reported. You will be instructed by the supervisor regarding the appropriate form to be used for documentation.

You will take necessary action (i.e., give direction or press your alarm) to prevent further harm to the victim. Staff, including volunteers and private contractors, will request the victim does not: 1) Shower; 2) Remove clothing without custody supervision; 3) Use the restroom facilities; and 4) Consume any liquids.

I have read the information above and understand my responsibility to immediately report any information that indicates an offender is being, or has been, the victim of sexual violence, staff sexual misconduct, or sexual harassment.

Volunteer/Contractor Name (Printed)

Date Signed

Signature of Volunteer/Contractor

Current Assignment within Institution

Contact Telephone Number

Supervisor in Current Assignment

CDCR 2301 PREA Policy Information for Volunteers and Contractors – Part B

PART B shall only be completed by contractors who, in the course of their assigned duties, have contact with inmates.

Duty to Report

You are required to answer the following questions:

- 1) Have you ever engaged in sexual abuse in a prison, jail, lockup, community confinement facility, juvenile facility, other institution?
☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide the date of the incident and the facility name in the space below.
- 2) Have you ever been convicted of engaging or attempting to engage in sexual activity in the community facilitated by force, overt or implied threats of force, or coercion, or if the victim did not consent or was unable to consent or refuse?
☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide the date of the incident and the county in the space below.
- 3) Have you ever been civilly or administratively found to have engaged in the activity described in question (2) above?
☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide the date of the incident and the county in the space below.
- 4) Have you ever received any disciplinary action as a result of allegations of sexual harassment of an inmate in a prison, jail, lockup, community confinement facility, or other institution?
☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide the date of the incident and the facility name in the space below.

If you answered "Yes" to any of the questions, please provide the date of the incident and the facility name/county where it occurred:

Date: _____

Facility/County Name: _____

As a contract employee, you have a continuing duty to promptly report, and you are required to notify your employer and the Appointing Authority of the Institution to which you are assigned if the answer to any of the above questions changes.

I hereby certify that there are no misrepresentations, omissions, or falsifications, and that all answers are true and correct. I understand and agree that if any material facts are discovered which differ from those facts stated by me on this form, my services to the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation will be discontinued and my contract employer will be notified.

Printed

Signature:

Date

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

STANDARD AGREEMENT

STD 213 (Rev. 04/2020)

AGREEMENT NUMBER

C5611617

PURCHASING AUTHORITY NUMBER (If Applicable)

1. This Agreement is entered into between the Contracting Agency and the Contractor named below:

CONTRACTING AGENCY NAME

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

CONTRACTOR NAME

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County

2. The term of this Agreement is:

START DATE

July 1, 2023

THROUGH END DATE

June 30, 2024

3. The maximum amount of this Agreement is:

\$4,846,894.00

Four Million, Eight Hundred Forty-Six Thousand, Eight Hundred Ninety-Four Dollars and Zero Cents.

4. The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following exhibits, which are by this reference made a part of the Agreement.

Exhibits	Title	Pages
Exhibit A	Scope of Work	8
Exhibit B	Budget Details and Payment Provisions	4
Exhibit B-1	Rate Sheet	1
+ - Exhibit C *	General Terms and Conditions (04/2017)	*
+ - Exhibit D	Special Terms and Conditions for Public Entity Agreements	14
+ - Exhibit E	CDCR 2301- PREA Policy Information for Volunteers and Contractors	3

Items shown with an asterisk (), are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto.**These documents can be viewed at <https://www.dgs.ca.gov/OLS/Resources>**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THIS AGREEMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED BY THE PARTIES HERETO.***CONTRACTOR**

CONTRACTOR NAME (if other than an individual, state whether a corporation, partnership, etc.)

Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County

CONTRACTOR BUSINESS ADDRESS

1320 N. Eastern Ave.

CITY

Los Angeles

STATE

CA

ZIP

90063

PRINTED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING

Anthony C. Marrone

TITLE

Fire Chief

CONTRACTOR AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

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California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

CONTRACTING AGENCY ADDRESS

9838 Old Placerville Road, Suite B-2

CITY

Sacramento

STATE

CA

ZIP

95827

PRINTED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING

Samantha Bruton

TITLE

Section Chief, ICS

CONTRACTING AGENCY AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

DATE SIGNED

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES APPROVAL

EXEMPTION (If Applicable)

DIVISION OF FISCAL AND BUSINESS SERVICES

Office of Business Services
9838 Old Placerville Road Suite B-2
Sacramento, CA 95827



August 14, 2023

Anthony C. Marrone, Fire Chief
Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles
1320 N. Eastern Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90063

Dear Mr. Marrone:

AGREEMENT NUMBER: C5611617
SERVICE: FIRE SUPPRESSION SERVICES

Enclosed for your signature are the above-referenced Standard Agreements and related exhibits. **This agreement is not valid unless, and until, approved by the Department of General Services (DGS), or under its authority, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR).** The State has no legal obligation, unless and until the Agreement is approved. The State assumes no responsibility for any work commenced by the Contractor and will not reimburse the Contractor for any work performed prior to approval of the Agreement. When this Agreement is fully approved, an original will be forwarded to you.

The CDCR is now accepting DocuSign signatures for the STD 213. The STD 213 will be sent to your email for signature via DocuSign.

Certificate of Insurance

As required under the Insurance requirements provision in Exhibit D, CDCR Special Terms and Conditions for Public Entity Agreements:

- All self-insured public entities MUST provide proof of self-insurance as specified under the Agreement.
- Have the insurance company place the language specified in the "Description of Operations/Locations/Vehicles, Special Items" section of the insurance certificate.

OBS 1500 - Darfur Contracting Act

Pursuant to Public Contracting Code sections 10475-10478, contractor must provide a complete OBS 1500 – Darfur Contracting Act form.

OBS 1502 – Iran Contracting Act

Pursuant to Public Contracting Code sections 2200-2208, contractor must provide a complete OBS 1502 – Iran Contracting Act form for goods or services of \$1,000,000.00 or more.

Board Resolution

Please provide a certified copy of the board resolution, order, motion, or ordinance of the local governing body which by law has authority to enter into this Agreement, authorizing execution of the Agreement as required in the Contractor Certification Clauses.

Supplemental Vendor Payee Data Record Form

Contractors shall comply with State and Federal Reportable Payment Identification and Classification Requirements by fully completing the enclosed Supplemental Vendor Payee Data Record Form.

All documentation must be emailed to CDCR, OBS, at Shannon.Tabarango@cdcr.ca.gov.

If you have any questions or need assistance, do not hesitate to contact me at Shannon.Tabarango@cdcr.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Shannon Tabarango

Shannon Tabarango
Staff Service Manager I
Institution Service Contracts Unit
Contracts Management Branch